



Novosibirsk, Russia August 30 – September 7, 2019

International Association for Gondwana Research
2020 Convention & 17th International Conference on
Gondwana to Asia



INTRODUCTION

The 2020 Annual Convention of the International Association for Gondwana Research (IAGR) and 17th International Symposium on Gondwana to Asia will be held in Novosibirsk City, Russia, during August 30 - September 7, 2020.

The conference will commence with registration and an introductory **Plenary Session** on Sunday, August 30, and keynote and regular oral and poster sessions for 2 days during August 31 and September 1, 2020. This will be followed by a 4 to 6 days' field trip during September 2-5 and September 2-7, respectively, to key localities of the Russian Altai, the Pearle of Siberia, to see excellent records of Paleozoic accretionary and supra-subduction complexes, Mesozoic intra-plate magmatism and Cenozoic neotectonics.

The IAGR annual conventions and Gondwana to Asia international conference series provide a global platform for presentation of new information and exchange of scientific knowledge on the history of supercontinents, cratons and continents, major orogenic belts, life evolution, resources and environment. The annual conventions of IAGR have high reputation as venues for the advancement of science, and one of the best platforms for interaction with renowned geoscientists.

The focal themes for the 2020 conference are as follows:

- Continents, cratons and supercontinents
- Accretionary orogeny and convergent margin processes
- Tectonics and metallogeny
- Life evolution and surface environment

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Conference Schedule

August 30, 2020: Registration and plenary session (including ice-breaker)

August 31 – September 1, 2020; Institute of Geology and Mineralogy SB RAS, Koptyuga ave. 3, Academic City, Novosibirsk (<https://www.igm.nsc.ru/>).

Inaugural function and keynotes, oral and poster presentations. Gondwana Research 2020 Best Paper Award Ceremony. IAGR Best Student Poster Award. IAGR General Assembly.

IAGR Executive Council Meeting. Gondwana Research Editorial Board Meeting.

September 2-5, 2020: Field excursion to the Russian Altai, S-plan.

September 2-7, 2020: Field excursion to the Russian Altai, F-plan.

Submission of Abstracts

Abstracts for the oral and poster presentations must be submitted before April 30, 2020.

Abstracts should follow the format of Gondwana Research

(<http://www.sciencedirect.com/science/journal/aip/1342937X>) and can be up to three printed pages with maximum one figure (jpg) and one table (Excel). The abstract volume will be published as a Conference Series volume of the IAGR. The text and table, if any, should be in editable Word file and the figure should be in .jpg or .tif file.

Preliminary Conference Registration

Please fill in the appended preliminary registration form and return to latest by March 1, 2020 to:

iagr2020@igm.nsc.ru, with copy to: inna@igm.nsc.ru

Reaching Novosibirsk

For delegates from abroad, we recommend that you arrive in Novosibirsk Tolmachevo Airport by S7 airlines direct flights from Beijing (every day), Seoul (4 times a week: Mon, Wed, Sat, Sun), Bangkok (twice a week: Tue, Fri), Tokyo (once a week: Sun), Frankfurt (once a week: Sat) and Dusseldorf (once a week: Sun) or by other airlines via Moscow, Saint Petersburg, Almaty, Astana, Tashkent, Bishkek and other large cities of Asia and Russia. Members and assistants of the Organizing committee will welcome you in the airport and help in arranging transportation to the Academic City.

Novosibirsk Accommodation

There are several Hotels in the Academic City and many hotel options in Novosibirsk, although 30 km away from the venue, but can be reached easily by taxi at a very reasonable price (6-7 USD). In addition, we will negotiate about staying in the hotel of the University (to be specified later). We recommend that bookings be made through us or websites such as booking.com and Airbnb.com.

Recommended hotel options in the Academic city:

Zolotaya Dolina

Park Wood

Hotel options in the downtown:

River Park Hotel

Park Inn Hotel

Azimut Hotel

Marins Park Hotel

Marriott Hotel

Hilton Doubletree Hotel

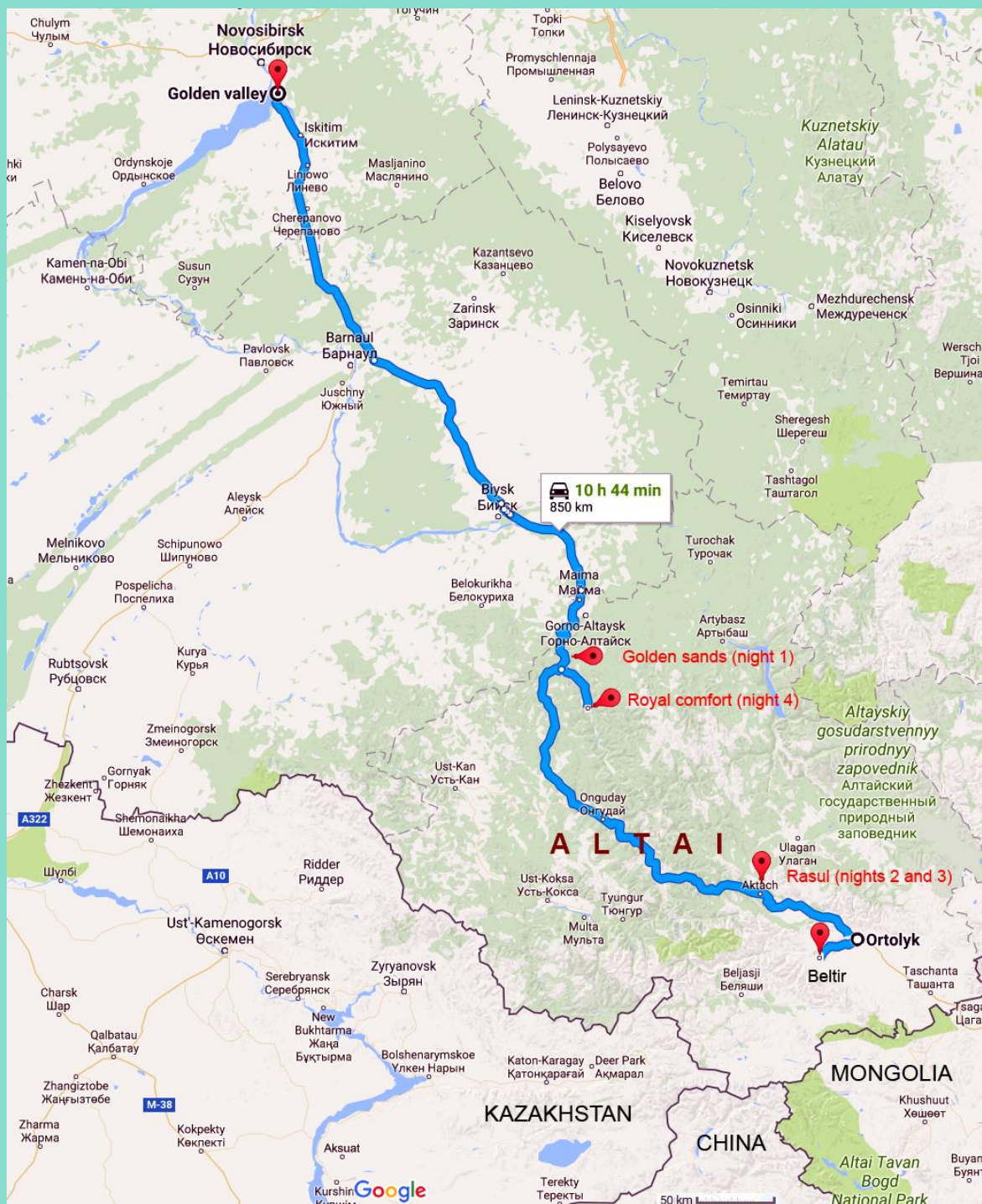
For further enquiries and correspondence, please contact Alina Perfilova: iagr2020@igm.nsc.ru or Inna Safonova inna@igm.nsc.ru. Information about all these hotels is available at in internet.

We look forward to welcoming you to Novosibirsk, Russia in August 30 – September 7, 2020!

Inna Safonova

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Field Excursion: Russian Altai – the Pearle of Siberia! September 2-5(7), 2020



Short option (Sept 2-5): Novosibirsk – Barangol – Aktash – Novosibirsk

Full option (Sept 2-7): Novosibirsk – Barangol – Aktash – Chemal – Novosibirsk

The trip will be along Federal Highway P256 (Chuya motor-road M52), a part of the Asian Highway AH4. The total one-way distance is about 900 km.

Transportation by bus, accommodation, drinks and meals included in the registration fee

Field excursion: main localities

Geological scheme of the area along the Chuya motor-road
modified from Buslov et al., 1993

