

Welcome to the first edition of the MISIS International newsletter. Our aim is to send out a newsletter on a monthly basis to advise you of future events and report on previous events organized at MISIS and in Moscow. We encourage you to share your experience with other MISIS members. It is a good opportunity for the students who want to be a part of those events and want to know more about Moscow and its culture. We have signed you up for our newsletter in the hopes that you will find great value in its content and that it will aid you in your own goals to grow and thrive. Any feedback on what interests you, publications that you have found useful or problems that you have encountered are most welcome. Please forward them directly to mp@mis.ru

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Welcome to the first edition of our May 2016 Newsletter! It is the most wonderful time of the year. Yes, summer is just around the corner and winter is almost gone. Looking back, we realize how great this winter has been and we are proud. I am delighted to report that we have achieved our highest ever satisfaction rating this year. We remain committed to continuing to work closely with our users, group activities, regular meetings with the undergraduate and postgraduate students, in order to ensure that the services we provide meet the diverse needs of our community.



Today's Top Stories



Friendly open events for English speakers to share their ideas and experience with us. So don't think, just join us every Friday. For details:

<https://vk.com/ifmis>



With the support of the Ministry of Education and Science of the Russian Federation, we hosted the International Congress of Student Unions (IVSC) this year. For details: <http://www.mkso-misis.com/>



Although the scholarship deadline has passed for the English-medium Master's Program 2016, the regular admissions deadline is still open until 01-July-2016. For details: <http://en.misis.ru/applicants/>



Students from almost 35 different countries joined MISIS last year.



Every year, we celebrate the Day of Nationalities, which is one of the biggest events on campus. This year more than 25 countries participated in the event, which included a flash mob and food festival and concluded with a grand concert presenting every country's culture. For details:

<https://vk.com/dayofnationalities2016>



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We provide students and faculty a place to create, think, and innovate. As idealistic as this sounds, it is true. Our classes challenge students to stretch their abilities and try things that are new and different. It holds true for faculty and staff as well. From working with the latest broadcasting equipment to performing plays in unusual settings to traveling to distant countries, we expect people to be willing to take a chance.



Attention: Please regularly check your visa, registration card, and passport expiration dates. Remember that you need to renew your visa 30 days prior to its expiration date. For queries, please go to room G-370. More info: <http://en.misis.ru/campus-life/regulations/>



Each semester, we have several lectures from various professors in different fields from different countries, giving us an opportunity to ask questions and share our ideas with them. For details: <http://science.misis.ru/en/events/>



We were excited to celebrate Easter with Russians in Moscow. This year it was on 1 May, about 45 days after Maslenitsa. For details: <http://easterfestival.ru/>

We hope that this Easter will bring you new aspirations and new hope. Have a blessed and meaningful Easter!



Victory Day is about remembering those who gave their lives to achieve the victory of Russia. Do not forget to go to watch the Parade on 9th of May on Red Square or neighboring street. For details: http://welcome.mos.ru/presscenter/news/detail/1807882.html?sphrase_id=39471717



Summer is almost here! Summer break is a perfect opportunity for students to explore Moscow and adapt its culture. So what are your plans to do this summer? Please write us on our Facebook page to share it with everyone. For details: <https://www.facebook.com/nustmisis/>



Maslenitsa, which roughly translates to "Butter Week," features a celebration that involves pancakes, street festivals, decorated sleigh riding, ice-skating, and more! It happens about 45 days before the Russian Orthodox Easter. For details: <http://www.advantour.com/russia/holidays/maslenitsa.htm>

Thought of the Month:

"Choose your own direction"

Students Services Hours: Have something to discuss or to talk privately, the International Office holds office hours every Monday afternoon from 2:30PM to 4:00PM

Thank you to everyone who submitted photos and articles for this edition!
Notice: If you want to share your photos or articles for the next edition, feel free to submit to auddin5307@gmail.com.