

International Horizon

Welcome to our Newsletter April 2017 edition! Another semester is coming to an end. April is usually when snow finishes melting, which means there is nearly always water under one's feet. In some places large pools of water are accumulating, requiring people to take long detours. Waterproof footwear is still a must! Throughout the coming months, MISIS will be organizing some of the most fascinating, student-centered events of the year!! We encourage you to actively participate and enjoy all that MISIS has to offer!



TopStories of the Month



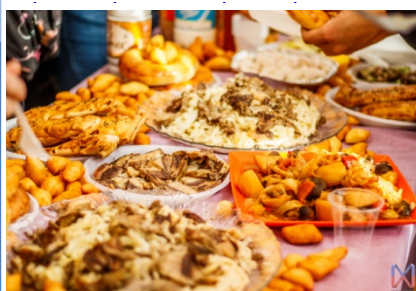
"The Day of Nationalities" continues to be a must-see event at MISIS. Now, the International Office will soon be organizing again their next excursion **#ArtMISIS** for international students in mid-May. We will visit some new places which will look more beautiful in summer. So be prepared to join us for one more beneficial excursion with us.
Details:
<https://vk.com/club144322646w>



NUST MISiS will be hosting the second annual "**African Union Day**", a collaborative event, organized through the collaboration of the KID and the African Union student clubs on May 19, 2017. More details about the activities and schedule connected to this year's event will be posted on the organizers' VKontakte page: **Details:**
<https://vk.com/club144322646>



On April 21, 2017, NUST MISiS hosted a battle of young scientists - **Science Slam MISiS** - in the Center of the Engineering Prototype of High Complexity. On stage in front of the audience, five students performed in a Stand Up format. It was a unique opportunity to see one of the most anticipated events of this spring. **Details:** <https://snomis.timepad.ru/event/476984/>



Every month, the International Office at NUST MISiS tries its best to provide the latest updates about ongoing events at MISiS and in the greater Moscow community. In addition to thriving academically, we want to see students actively participate in and enjoy their lives at the university and around Moscow. 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@misis.ru

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Attention:

Visa & Registration: Please take extra care of your visa, registration card, and passport while travelling. If you lose any of the documents, please go to room G-370.

Details: <http://en.misis.ru/campus-life/regulations/>

Dormitory: If you are leaving Moscow over the summer, you need to pay your dormitory fees for at least 3 months in advanced. Otherwise, your registration will be cancel.



Every semester, MISIS arranges lectures/seminars presented by post-doctorates and visiting professors from different countries. This is a wonderful opportunity for students to listen to leading research, explore new topics, ask questions, and share ideas.

Details: <http://science.misis.ru/en/events/>

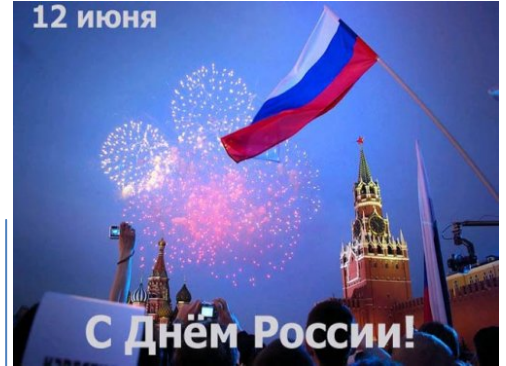


Spring New Year Comes to NUST MISIS. NUST MISIS recently celebrated New Year the Persian way. On the day of the Spring Equinox, students from 69 countries celebrated the International Holiday, Nowruz.

Details: <http://en.misis.ru/university/news/life/2017-03/4573/>



Пасха [Paskha] is even more important than Christmas in the Orthodox Christian traditions. Faithful and atheists, kids and adults, city dwellers and country folk go to church to attend the Easter Mass. It brings peace, joy, and hope. And, of course, the **Russians** are looking forward to a happy family feast with lots of special Easter food like Easter bread, traditional cheese cake "**Paskha**", Easter eggs, and other tasty treats. **Details:** <http://www.ruslandjournal.de/en/russia/national-holidays/easter/>



Victory Day is a national holiday in Russia. Public offices, schools, and most businesses are closed for the celebrations. Victory Day is celebrated in a grand way in Moscow with lavish ceremony and military parades on and around Red Square. The ceremony is usually attended by several prominent world leaders and the occasion ends with a firework display. **Details:** <https://publicholidays.ru/victory-day/>



Soviet Russia celebrated **May 1st** ("Labor Day") as a day of working people while people themselves saw in it a good occasion to go out and spend a nice spring day together, walking and singing on the streets. They usually started the day marching across Red Square with flags and banners displaying a slogan "**Peace, Labour, May.**" **Details:** <http://www.rusevents.ru/prazdnik/prazdnik-vesny-i-truda-pervomay/>

Thought of the Month:

"The first of April is the day we remember what we are the other 364 days of the year."

Student Services Hours: Have something to discuss or want 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.