

Transport Congress 2010 17 March 2010

Taking place alongside Exporail 2010 and INTERtunnel 2010 in Moscow will be an extensive programme of conference sessions and round table discussions that will provide a unique insight into the future direction of the rail industry and tunnel construction market in Russia.

Transport Congress 2010 will feature an opening plenary session with presentations by key figures from the Ministry of Transport and senior representatives of government transport agencies. These presentations will outline Russia's transport strategy and the background legislative environment, as well as the technical challenges faced by the industry. The plenary session will precede the formal opening of the two exhibitions on 17 March. During the afternoon of 17 March, delegates will have a choice of attending in-depth conference sessions and round table discussions covering three specialised main themes:

- Innovations in rolling stock production in CIS countries and the readiness of the rail vehicle construction industry to meet the demands of increased freight volumes
- Transport construction: investments in transport infrastructure, with a particular focus on state-private partnerships (co-organised with the International Transport Academy)
- Design, construction and maintenance of tunnels, including reviews of projects in Moscow and St Petersburg, tunnels under the Bering Strait and the Nevelski Strait, and projects around Sochi linked to the Winter Olympics (co-organised with the Russian Tunnelling Association)

Expected to attract more than 300 delegates and organised with the support of the Ministry of Transport of the Russian Federation, this will be the third Transport Congress to be staged alongside Exporail and INTERtunnel exhibitions. All delegates will have an opportunity to visit the two shows.

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