

International Natural Sciences Tournament

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Dear colleagues,

Every year bright young scientists gather at the International Natural Sciences Tournament to generate new ideas and assert them in the course of dynamic scientific polemics. The Tournament helps to form collaborations among participants, scientific experts, and industry.

International Natural Sciences Tournament (INST) is a team competition for current undergraduate, graduate students and students getting Bachelor's or Master's degrees in 2020. Students should be studying one of the following specializations: Chemistry, Material Science, Physics, Biology, Medicine, Pharmaceuticals, Engineering, or related areas. The team should be supported by a coach: a person with a completed Master's degree (not later than in 2019) or higher. The main goal of the competition is to teach students how to apply their knowledge to solve current practical scientific and industrial problems.

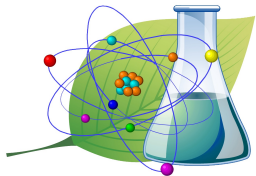
Since 2010, the Tournament attracts new participants from different countries every year. In 2020, we reached more than 25 countries and 4 continents, which participated in INST. We would appreciate if your University could provide a team of 3–5 people to participate in the Tournament. The official language of the Tournament is English.

The Tournament consists of the Extramural round and Grand final. In each round, the team will solve a number of current industrial and scientific problems. To participate in the Extramural round, the team should try its best and present clear and outstanding solutions to 2 of 3 the Extramural round problems in suggested formats. The deadlines for this year Extramural round are **September 30, 2020** (first wave) and **November 1, 2020** (second wave). The best teams will be selected for the participation in the Grand final. The Grand final of the XI INST will be held on **February, 2021**. The venue of the Tournament will be announced later.

Please, remember the following notes:

- participation in the Extramural round is free of charge;
- participation fee for the Grand final for participants of the first and second waves will be announced later. The organizing fee will provide a team of 5 members and its coach accommodation for the Grand final days of the Tournament; the fee does not include meals.

The Extramural round problems are now available on the website. Please, register your team online on the website www.scitourn.com/account and submit your solutions before



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11.59 p.m. (GMT+3) September 30, 2020 (first wave) or before 11.59 p.m. (GMT+3) November 1, 2020 (second wave).

If you have any questions in regard to the presented information, please, do not hesitate to contact us again via:

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The contacts refer to Teams' Coordinator, Ms. Polina Lavrik.

Yours sincerely,

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Director of XI INST International Organizing committee

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