

Russia in 9<sup>days</sup>/<sub>ways</sub> →



## Program Outline

Explore Ural Mountains and the border between Europe and Asia to become closer to Russia and embrace its culture.

Russia has been a cradle of culture for many centuries and became famous for its music, literature, cuisine and history. Ural Mountains are situated right in the middle of Russia and combine cultural and natural diversity in one place.

To add some experience and knowledge into the Camp, there will be lessons of Russian Language and Introduction to Russian Culture provided by qualified lecturers of Ural Federal University - centennial top-ranking university in Russia. There will be a lot of workshops, which will help you not only to observe or taste but also try and make it yourself.

Summer Camp 2020 will become your unique lifetime experience. And of course there are more than 9 ways to discover Russia and you might return for more days in future.

**The Program is Organised together with Rotary Youth Exchange**

## Program Conditions

### Dates and Fees:

- **Dates: July 20 - 28, 2020**
- **Service Fees: 550 Euro\***
- **Application Deadline: March 31, 2020**

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*\*package price includes: accommodation, airport shuttle, culture program and lectures, breakfasts and lunches according to a meal plan*

**Payment Settlement:** the participation fee will be settled upon arrival, you may bring necessary amount in EURO currency and exchange it here in the bank.

**Number Of Participants:** 20

**Accommodation:** Hostel in the Center of Ekaterinburg, 2-3 people per room  
Kitchen zone, Spacious Hall, Female and Male Shower rooms, Laundry and Ironing rooms,  
Free Internet, 10-15 minutes from city center on foot.

**Shuttle:** We have Koltsovo International Airport in Ekaterinburg, so you can search for the tickets directly to our city. You don't have to worry about particular arrival time. The airport shuttle weill be organized

**Schedule:** The Program is organized to get the most benefits for the participant and presented in the below schedule. Please, keep in mind there might be some amendments due to the weather conditions.

<b>Russian History day</b>	July 20 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Arrival and Orientation;</b></li> <li>• <b>Lunch;</b></li> <li>• <b>City tour. Famous "Red line" walking tour in the centre with the stop at all famous landmarks;</b></li> <li>• <b>Visit of the Museum Russia – My History, and Yeltsin Museum to look at Russia from the historical Point of view;</b></li> <li>• <b>Vysotskiy observation deck visit, sunset watch.</b></li> </ul>	<b>Russia by word</b>	July 24 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Breakfast;</b></li> <li>• <b>Introductory course into Russian Language;</b></li> <li>• <b>Lecture about Russian Literature;</b></li> <li>• <b>Lunch;</b></li> <li>• <b>Visit of Literature Square and House of Writer;</b></li> <li>• <b>Workshop on poetry;</b></li> <li>• <b>Poetry slam.</b></li> </ul>
<b>Sounds of Russia</b>	July 21 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Breakfast;</b></li> <li>• <b>Lecture about Russian Composers and Russian Music;</b></li> <li>• <b>Lunch;</b></li> <li>• <b>Visit of Ural Culture centre;</b></li> <li>• <b>Visit of Museum of Ural Rock;</b></li> <li>• <b>Workshop on how to play Russian Folk Instruments;</b></li> <li>• <b>Evening with Russian Music.</b></li> </ul>	<b>Russia by sports</b>	July 25 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Breakfast;</b></li> <li>• <b>River rafting (optional, depends on a weather conditions);</b></li> <li>• <b>Visit of Roping Park at Shartash Lake;</b></li> <li>• <b>Lunch;</b></li> <li>• <b>Ice-skating with instructor.</b></li> </ul>
<b>Russia by faith</b>	July 22 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Breakfast;</b></li> <li>• <b>Trip to Nevyansk: workshop on pottery</b></li> <li>• <b>Visit of Ganina Yama</b></li> </ul>	<b>Russia by taste</b>	July 26 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Breakfast;</b></li> <li>• <b>Russian course on food topic;</b></li> <li>• <b>Lunch;</b></li> <li>• <b>Workshop on Manti;</b></li> <li>• <b>Workshop on Blini;</b></li> <li>• <b>Tea ceremony;</b></li> <li>• <b>Dinner at Russian Restaurant.</b></li> </ul>
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July 28 <b>Departure.</b>			

**About the city:**

Ural Federal University is based in Ekaterinburg – the 3rd biggest city in Russia, which is situated on the Border of Europe and Asia. Thanks to its geographical location Ekaterinburg surrounded by the breathtaking nature of Ural Mountains, this region is ideal for active sport lovers, who enjoy hiking, rafting, camping.



*(The border of Europe and Asia)*



*(“Ural Mars”, asbestos carrier got its name for the red colour that looks like the soil of Mars)*



(Nature Reserve "Deer Springs")



("Devil's mould")



(River rafting)

However, the city lifestyle will suit anyone who enjoys vibrant life, over the summer Ekaterinburg has many outdoor festivals, open markets, and cultural events right in the city center. For the past 4 years Ekaterinburg has its own festival *Ural Music Night*, when it becomes a big music stage for bands from all over the world of different genres.



(Outdoor "BBQ fest" in the city centre)

Ekaterinburg is the "must visit" destination for those who wants to know more about Russian history. It stores important facts about the Romanov *dynasty*, *2nd World War* and the *Period of 90s*.



*(Museum of Boris Yeltsin)*

There is a historical part right in the city center with the Museum complex – previously the plants for Monetary making and Iron production. Ekaterinburg is famous for its Metallurgy and it is known that The Statue of Liberty were made of Ural copper.



*(Keyboard Monument near the riverwalk)*

In the *Museum of the First President of Russia B.N. Yeltsin* you will see a lot of information about the end of the USSR and establishment of the Russian Federation. Ekaterinburg *Museum of Military Equipment* has one of the biggest collections of military techniques which was used during WWII, next to it is the *Museum of retro cars*, where apart of retro classic is presented the collection of Soviet Cars and Motorbikes.



*(Museum of Military Equipment)*

Apart of Ekaterinburg we organize trips to the towns nearby and visit some of the important landmarks there: Nevyansk is the city 60 miles away from Ekaterinburg has the Leaning

tower – previously monetary plant, which one of the oldest plants with interesting architecture technique and interesting history, in the village nearby is situated pottery workshop, where you can try yourself in pottery making. Kamensk-Uralsky is only 40 miles from Ekaterinburg, this little town play very important role in the World: for centuries the little family company Pyatkov&Co produces bells for churches, in summer the city invite everyone for annual “Bells Melody Festival” which creates unforgettable atmosphere.



*(Nevyansk Leaning Tower)*



*(Bell Melody festival)*



*(Pottery workshop)*



Ekaterinburg offers a big variety of Russian national cuisine, there are many places that serve traditional Russian dishes, we want you to not only try Russian food, but also to know how to make it.



*(cooking workshop)*

People in Ekaterinburg are very friendly and helpful. In 2014 Ekaterinburg hosted 4 matches of FIFA Soccer World Cup and International guests were charmed by the hospitality of the citizens.

### **About the Buddy Support:**

Our *Buddy System* support also proves it. During Summer Program we have 24-hour Buddy Support. These are last year School students and University students who know the city, always ready to go extra mile for the participants and join you for all the cultural activities. Among them we also have some international students who study at UrFU and want to share their love for the city and help you to adapt to a new environment.



*(international students with the volunteers)*

### **About the University:**

The partner and organizer of this Program is Ural Federal University - one of the largest higher educational institutions in Russia. In October 2020 UrFU turns 100 years old. Within this century The University has achieved top positions in the World Rankings.



*(Main Campus of UrFU)*

During our lectures we will be visiting the Campus.

### **About the Accommodation:**

During Summer Program students will be staying in the Hostel, near the Campus and City Center. The will have kitchen facilities for cooking and a great recreation zone for the great evening together.



*(Recreation zone, bedroom and kitchen)*

### **About the lectures:**

All our courses are taught by qualified professors who are the experts in their area of study. Within the Summer Camp 2020 the participants will study Russian language and will have few introduction classes to Russian history and culture. The Lectures will be delivered by experienced professors in Russian as a foreign language and Russian history.



### **About the weather:**

The weather in Urals can be unpredictable. Normally in summer it is pleasantly warm and can be up to 25-28 degrees. However, it could be rainy and chili period too. We would advise you to check the weather forecast closer to your arrival. But be prepared to experience something between +15 up to +25.



### **About the clothes:**

Prepare for the warm summer, but also pack some warm clothes and a raincoat.

Based on our activities, we prepared the checklist for you:

- A sweater;
- Sweatpants or any other comfortable pants;
- Trainers or some other comfortable shoes;
- A raincoat;
- A cap;
- Swimsuit, Slippers for the hostel or Flip Flops;
- Backpack.

The other clothes is up to your choice.

Other Items:

- Russia uses European plug with two round pins. Bring the adapter in case you use different plug;
- Water bottle to save the environment from plastic and yourself from thirst;
- Power bank to always stay connected.

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## CAUTION

### Requirements:

Age of participants: 19-23

Number of Applications per Country: 2 (1 male, 1 female)

Total Number of participants: 24

### Program cost\*:

550 Euro

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- Tea ceremony;
- Dinner at Russian Restaurant.

Russia by dance

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- Workshop on Russian Folk Dance;
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