Call for papers

We invite you to participate in the 8th International Conference "Topical Issues of International Political Geography" (TIPG 2026), December 25-26, 2026, St. Petersburg

TIPG 2026 will address the main issues of contemporary political geography and international relations. The Conference provides a platform for discussion and collaboration of experts in the fields of Political Geography, Geopolitics, International Relations, International Law and other related areas of inquiry.

TIPG 2026 invites **paper submissions** and **speakers** on **topics**: Political Geography, Human Geography, Urban Studies, Demography & Population Studies, Migration Politics, Natural Sources Politics, International Organizations and Integration, Conflicts & Security, International Law.

The conference includes **six panels**:

Panel 1: Migration and socio-demographic processes.

Panel 2: Ideologies of regionalism and globalization in historical context. Philosophy of politics.

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Panel 5: International Relations.

Panel 6: Sustainable Development.

Announcements of the results of comparative studies are especially welcome. **Selected** papers will be submitted for publication (with indexing in Scopus).

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English is the language of the conference and of all submissions.

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IMPORTANT DATES

- Deadline for Abstract Submissions: December 1, 2026
- Notification of Abstract Acceptance: December 10, 2026
- Deadline for Full Paper Submissions: February 15, 2027
- Notification of Full Paper Acceptance: March 15, 2027
- Final Paper Submission: March 29, 2027
- Fee Payment: April 4, 2027
- Conference: December 25-26, 2026

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