First Consultation Meeting of National Committees for the UNESCO Information for All Programme

Moscow, 7-8 December 2009

Programme

6 December	Arrival of participants
(Sunday)	

19:00 *Dinner*

7 December (Monday)

9:30 Opening and welcome addresses:

- Russian Commission for UNESCO
- Ministry of Culture of the Russian Federation
- IFAP Chair
- UNESCO
- Others
- Presentation of the objectives of the Meeting
- Adoption of the Programme of the Meeting

10:15-18:00 **Plenary session**. Current situation of IFAP:

Coffee break:: 11:30-11:50

Introductory presentation by Russian IFAP Committee

- Brief presentation of activities by the participants
- Identification of major problems and challenges
- Presentation and discussion on the Guidelines for the establishment and operation of a National IFAP Committee

13:30-14:30 Lunch

14:30-18:00

- Defining a procedure by which the Bureau can recognize the National IFAP Committee that best contributes to implementing IFAP goals and promote Information for All
- Continuation of the discussion

19:00-20:00 Concert classical music

20:00–22:00 Reception by the Russian IFAP Committee and Xerox Corporation

8 December (Tuesday)

09:30-13.00 **2 Working groups:**

 Implementing the Template for National Information Society Policy

Coffee break: 11.30-11.50

- Prospects for new synergies and enhanced multilateral collaborations in the framework of IFAP
- Publicity and visibility
- Funding

13:30-14:30 Lunch

15:00–18:00 **Plenary session:** Reporting back from the 2 working groups and Proposals for improvement of the existing collaboration and IFAP implementation

18:00 Closure of the Meeting

19:00 *Dinner*

9 December Departure of participants (Wednesday)