

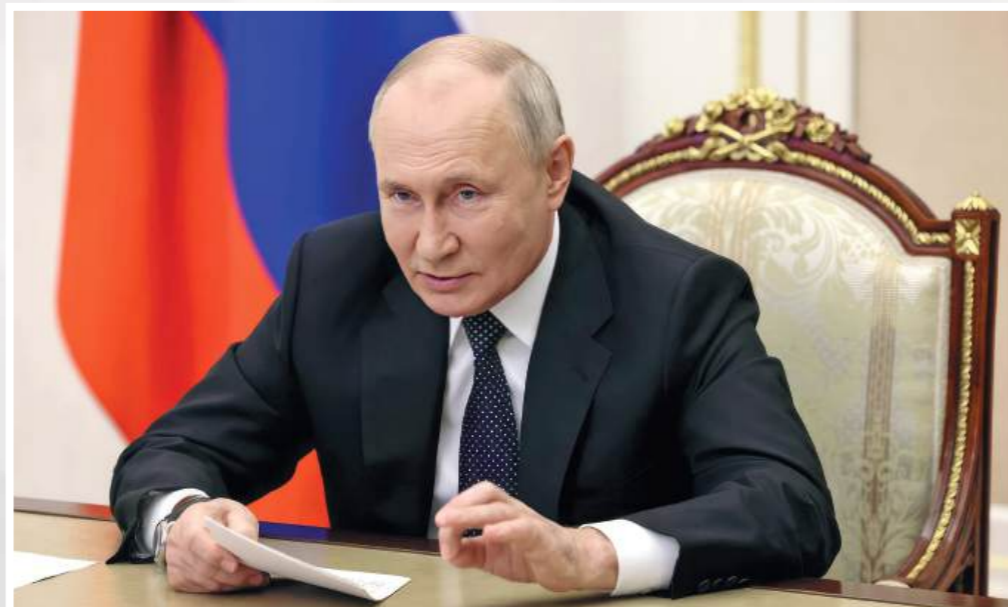


ST. PETERSBURG BRANCH OF THE RUSSIAN ACADEMY OF SCIENCES



LEADERSHIP & CORE MISSION

The St. Petersburg Branch of the Russian Academy of Sciences (SPbB RAS) represents a new chapter in the development of Russian science, established to strengthen the Academy's role in addressing strategic national tasks. Our leadership comprises distinguished scientists who guide our mission.



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We are implementing the development agenda, enhancing our potential under very difficult conditions.

The responsibility of the Academy of Sciences for the results achieved increases manifold in today's conditions.

”

Vladimir Putin
President of the Russian Federation



Gennady Krasnikov

President of the Russian Academy of Sciences,
Academician of the Russian Academy of Sciences,
Doctor of Technical Sciences

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We are counting on the St. Petersburg branch of the Russian Academy of Sciences to successfully address state tasks in the sphere of scientific and technological development and to make a major contribution to the scientific landscape of our country.

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Andrei Rudskoi

Vice President of the Russian Academy of Sciences,
Chairman of the St. Petersburg Branch
of the Russian Academy of Sciences, Academician
of the Russian Academy of Sciences,
Doctor of Technical Sciences

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The development of science and technology is becoming a key factor in ensuring the state's competitiveness. The task of the St. Petersburg Branch of the RAS is to become a driver of development for the entire Northwestern region.

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FACTS & FIGURES

The St. Petersburg Branch brings together the leading scientific organizations of Northern Russia, comprising 33 institutions under our scientific and methodological guidance. Our structure encompasses 12 specialized branches across all fields of science, coordinated through 5 joint scientific councils. The intellectual power of our Branch is represented by 70 Academicians and 107 Corresponding Members of the Russian Academy of Sciences, forming one of the most concentrated scientific elites in the country.



33

leading scientific organizations of St. Petersburg



12

branches across all fields of science



5

joint scientific councils



70

academicians of the Russian Academy of Sciences

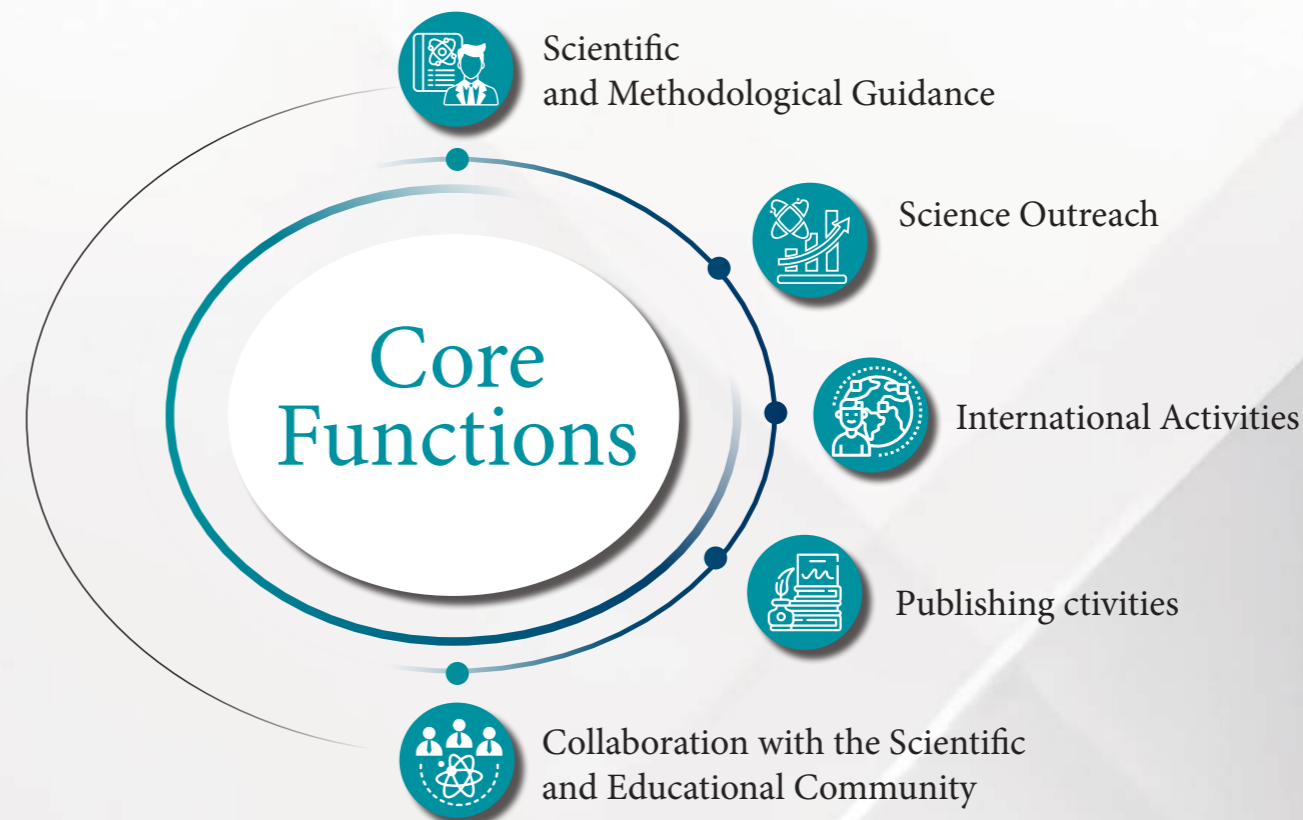


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corresponding members of the Russian Academy of Sciences

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The Branch serves as the coordinating center for scientific life in St. Petersburg, focusing on five key areas: providing scientific and methodological guidance to research institutions; promoting science outreach and public engagement; fostering international scientific cooperation; supporting publishing activities; and strengthening collaboration with the scientific and educational community.



LEADERSHIP STRUCTURE

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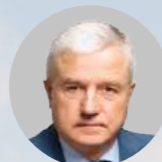


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Associate Professor

SCIENTIFIC COORDINATION STRUCTURE

UNITED SCIENTIFIC COUNCILS (USC)

The scientific coordination at the St. Petersburg Branch is built upon a framework of five specialized United Scientific Councils (USCs). These councils are instrumental in fostering interdisciplinary collaboration. This includes setting priorities and providing scientific and methodological leadership. Each USC brings together the expertise of leading academicians and directors from our flagship institutes, creating a powerful engine for innovation in their respective fields.

UNITED SCIENTIFIC COUNCIL ON APPLIED SCIENCES AND TECHNOLOGICAL DEVELOPMENT OF INDUSTRY (USC AS&TDI)



Chairman – Scientific Supervisor of the "Electropribor" Central Research Institute, Academician Vladimir Peshekhonov

USC on Applied Sciences and Technological Development focuses on energy, materials science, mechanical engineering, and information technologies, driving innovation in industrial sectors.

UNITED SCIENTIFIC COUNCIL ON LIFE SCIENCES (USC LS)



Chairman – Rector of the First St. Petersburg State Medical University named after Academician I.P. Pavlov, Academician Sergey Bagnenko

USC on Life Sciences oversees research at the Zoological Institute, Botanical Institute, and Human Brain Institute, advancing knowledge in biological and medical sciences.

UNITED SCIENTIFIC COUNCIL ON HUMANITIES (USC H)



Chairman – Director of the State Hermitage Museum, Academician Mikhail Piotrovsky

USC on Humanities coordinates research across prestigious institutions including the State Hermitage Museum, Institute of Russian Literature (Pushkin House), and the Museum of Anthropology and Ethnography (Kunstkamera).

UNITED SCIENTIFIC COUNCIL ON NATURAL SCIENCES (USC NS)



Chairman – Director of the A.F. Ioffe Physical-Technical Institute, Corresponding Member Sergei Ivanov

USC on Natural Sciences coordinates fundamental research at institutions such as the Ioffe Physical-Technical Institute, Pulkovo Astronomical Observatory, and the St. Petersburg Department of the Steklov Mathematical Institute.

UNITED SCIENTIFIC COUNCIL ON AGROBIOTECHNOLOGIES AND FOOD SECURITY (USC AFS)



Chairman – Head of the Pesticide Regulation Center of the All-Russian Institute of Plant Protection, Academician Vladimir Dolzhenko

USC on Agrobiotechnologies and Food Security addresses critical challenges in plant science, veterinary medicine, genetic technologies, and agricultural engineering.

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RAS DIVISIONS	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nanotechnologies and Information Technologies Energy, Mechanical Engineering, Mechanics, and Control Processes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Biological Sciences Physiological Sciences Medical Sciences
ORGANIZATIONS	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Institute of Problems in Mechanical Engineering of the RAS St. Petersburg Federal Research Center of the RAS Institute of Analytical Instrumentation of the RAS Research and Technology Center of Microelectronics and Submicron Heterostructures of the RAS N.S. Solomenko Institute of Transport Problems of the RAS Institute of Electrophysics and Electric Power of the RAS St. Petersburg Scientific Center of the RAS 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Institute of Cytology of the RAS Zoological Institute of the RAS V.L. Komarov Botanical Institute of the RAS I.M. Sechenov Institute of Evolutionary Physiology and Biochemistry of the RAS N.P. Bechtereva Institute of the Human Brain of the RAS I.P. Pavlov Institute of Physiology of the RAS Institute of Experimental Medicine D.O. Ott Research Institute of Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductology

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RAS DIVISIONS		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Historical and Philological Sciences Social Sciences Global Issues and International Relations 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mathematical Sciences Physical Sciences Earth Sciences Chemistry and Materials Sciences 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Agricultural Sciences
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SCIENTIFIC LIFE OF THE UNIFIED COUNCILS



Attendees at the inaugural RUSBMT Congress, a landmark event for gene and cell therapy in Russia. St. Petersburg, September 18-20, 2025. [USC LS]



International Conference "Spin Physics, Spin Chemistry, and Spin Technology" at the St. Petersburg Department of the Russian Academy of Sciences. [USC NS]



International Conference "Modern Methods for the Preservation of Cultural Heritage Objects" at the State Hermitage Museum, St. Petersburg. The forum brought together restorers, scientists, and specialists from Russia, France, Turkey, Serbia, Italy, Myanmar, and other countries. [USC H]



Participants of the international conference "Plant Immunity, Biotechnology, and Breeding" discuss modern challenges in plant science. St. Petersburg. [USC AFS]



Academician Vladimir Dolzhenko, Head of the Pesticide Regulation Center (All-Russian Institute of Plant Protection), addresses the audience at a scientific conference in St. Petersburg. [USC AFS]



Delegates and participants of the IBRR-2025 conference in St. Petersburg, a key forum on cybersecurity and information policy since 1999. [USC AS&TDI]



INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION

Our global outreach continues to expand, with 2024 marking the signing of a Cooperation Agreement with the National Academy of Sciences of Armenia, followed by a 2025 agreement with the National Academy of Sciences of Belarus. We are systematically develop-

ing scientific partnerships with countries across the CIS, BRICS nations, the Middle East, and Africa, positioning St. Petersburg as a hub for international scientific dialogue.

Key International Partnerships

2023

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2024

2025

Establishment of the St. Petersburg Branch of the Russian Academy of Sciences



Cooperation Agreement with the Shanghai Branch of the Chinese Academy of Sciences (CAS)

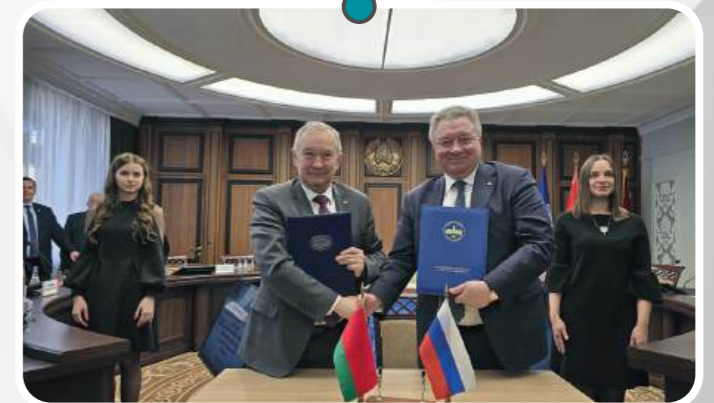


Global Engagement:

- Participation in the BRICS+ Forum
- Developing scientific partnerships with CIS countries, BRICS nations, the Middle East, and Africa



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CONNECT WITH US

We welcome opportunities for scientific collaboration and dialogue with partners worldwide. For information about international cooperation, please contact our dedicated team.

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