



**Institute of Oriental Studies**  
Russian Academy of Science

**International Conference**  
***“The Current Situation of the Conflict in the South China Sea”***  
**31 October 2018**  
***17 bldg. 1, Neglinnaya St., Moscow, Hotel “Peter I”,***  
***Hall “Apraksin”, 4<sup>th</sup> floor***

10:00-10:30 Registration of the participants

10:00-10:30 Morning coffee (4<sup>th</sup> floor, lobby)

**10:30-10:40 The opening ceremony**

**10:40-12:20 Workshop Session 1.**

10:40-11:00 **Dmitry Mosyakov**

*China is winning competition with US in relation with ASEAN*

11:00-11:20 **Jin Canrong**

*The Chinese Stance on the South China Sea Dispute*

11:20-11:40 **Pavel Gudev**

*Political and Legal Aspects of the US Maritime Policy in the Asia-Pacific region*

11:40-12:00 **Grigory Lokshin**

*The Code of Conduct in the South China Sea is an Illusion or a Maneuver?*

12:00-12:20 **Discussion**

12:20-12:50 **Coffee Break** (1<sup>st</sup> floor, restaurant)

**12:50-14:10 Workshop Session 2.**

12:50-13:10 **Erik Franckx**

*Some Noteworthy Legal Developments Since the Award in the South China Sea Arbitration of 2016*

13:10-13:30 **Vladimir Kolotov**

*The Influence of the System of Arcs of Instability on Territorial Disputes in the SCS in the Context of the Internal Political Situation in Vietnam*

13:30-13:50 **Julia Luong Dinh**

*Code of Conduct in the South China Sea (Vietnam’s Eastern Sea) - Toward Building an ASEAN-led Concert of Power in Southeast Asia*

13:50-14:10 **Discussion**

14:10-15:10 **Dinner** (1<sup>st</sup> floor, restaurant)

**15:10-16:40**

**Workshop Session 3.**

**15:10-15:30**

**Evgeny Kanaev, Anastasiya Sigutina**

*Geopolitics and Energy Business in the South China Sea*

**15:30-15:50**

**Elena Fomicheva**

*The Thai Canal Project as element of Asia-Pacific region policy*

**15:50-16:10**

**Probal Ghosh**

*The South China Sea Problem within the Larger Indo Pacific Region and the Evolving Strategic Power Dynamics (Great Game) due to the SCS Imbroglia*

**16:10-16:30**

**Discussion**

**16:30-16:40**

**Closure of the Conference**

**16:40-17:10**

**Coffee Break (1<sup>st</sup> floor, restaurant)**