

# **Mid-Atlantic - Russia Business Council**

**Pennsylvania-Russia Business Council**

## **Schedule The 4<sup>th</sup> Semi-Annual Biotechnological Russian-American Innovation Technology Week (RANIT – BIO) Philadelphia – Chicago April 6-12, 2006**

### **Thursday, April 6 Philadelphia**

Organizational meeting

Visit to the oldest and largest city technology park in the USA in Philadelphia

### **Friday, April 7 Philadelphia**

Business program within the framework of RANIT-BIO

**Official opening of the 4<sup>th</sup> Semi-Annual Russian-American Innovation Technology Week (RANIT) in the Mayor's Reception Room at Philadelphia City Hall (starts at 1:00 pm)**

Meeting with Pennsylvania state officials

“Invention to Venture” workshop at Temple University

Roundtable with members of Mid-Atlantic region biotechnology associations

Seminar with venture funds specializing in the field of biotechnology

Visit to the Franklin and Dashkova exposition and reception at Independence Hall held in celebration of the 300-year anniversary of the birth of Benjamin Franklin, the first American member of the Russian Academy of Sciences

### **Saturday, April 8 Philadelphia – Chicago**

Travel from Philadelphia to Chicago

Registration at the International Forum “BIO 2006”

Start setup of the exposition of the Russian delegation

Organizational meeting

### **Sunday, April 9 Chicago**

Business program within the framework of the International Forum “BIO 2006”

Set up the exposition of the Russian delegation

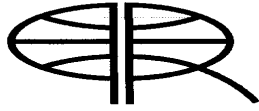
**Country Seminar on Russia - presentation on the Russian biotechnology industry (starts at 2:30 pm in Room S404D at the South Building of the McCormick Place Convention Center)**

Evening: Ceremonial reception – opening of the convention

### **Monday, April 10 Chicago**

Business program within the framework of the International Forum “BIO 2006”

Work the Russian exposition at “BIO 2006”



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## **Tuesday, April 11 Chicago**

Business program within the framework of the International Forum “BIO 2006”

Work the Russian exposition at “BIO 2006”

**Seminar “Issues in International Biotechnological Technology Transfer: Russia”**

Evening: Gala-reception

## **Wednesday, April 12 Chicago**

Business program within the framework of the International Forum “BIO 2006”

Work the Russian exposition at “BIO-2006”

Official closing of the 4<sup>th</sup> Semi-Annual Russian-American Innovation Technology Week (RANIT)

Ceremonial closing of “BIO 2006” reception

For additional information about the Russian-American Innovation Technology Week, please contact Val Kogan, Mid-Atlantic – Russia Business Council, at: (215)708-2628 or email: [val@ma-rbc.org](mailto:val@ma-rbc.org). Please visit the Council’s website at [www.ma-rbc.org](http://www.ma-rbc.org).