



as of 17 September 2024

VII Global Fishery Forum & Seafood Expo Russia 2024 Business Program
St Petersburg, 17–19 September 2024

General Schedule of Business Program Events	2
• Business Program of the Global Fishery Forum	4
• Business Program of Seafood Expo Russia Events.....	19
• Business Program of the International Educational Forum	26

General Schedule of Business Program Events

17 September (Day 1)				
10:00–11:30 Roundtable “Developing and supporting of fishery product exports” Conference Hall D2	10:00–11:30 Research-to-Practice Seminar “Building an Aquaculture Farm. Risks and Reasonable Decisions” Conference Hall D1	10:00–11:30 Roundtable “International cooperation efforts to promote education and research projects in the fishery industry” Conference Hall G22-24 (Second Floor)	10:15-12:15 Saudi-Russian agri-food investment opportunities Conference Area F3	10:15-13:00 SHIP TECH GLOBAL Roundtable “Import substitution in Russian shipbuilding industry: expectations and reality” Conference Area F1
12:00–13:30 Business Session “Russia – China” Conference Hall D2		12:00–13:30 Roundtable “Professionals Training Program: the driver of cooperation between education providers and employers” Conference Hall G22-24 (Second Floor)	12:40-13:40 Presentation “Fishery and aquaculture sector of Venezuela” Conference Area F3	
13:30–14:00 FishCorr awards ceremony		Main Arena, Passage		
14:00–15:30 Roundtable “Seaweed: what’s getting in the way of great potential” Conference Hall D2	14:00–15:30 Business Session “Russia – India” Conference Hall D1	14:15–15:45 Roundtable “Training future manpower: cooperation between universities and business” Conference Hall G22-24 (Second Floor)	14:00–15:30 “Hot topic: logistics of perishable fish” (event organizer – Volga-Dnepr Airlines) Conference Area F3	13:30-15:30 SHIP TECH GLOBAL Roundtable “Unification in the design of innovative vessels: from theory to practice” Conference Area F1
16:00–16:10 Official opening ceremony of III International Science and Education Forum for Fishery Complex “FISHERY SKILLS” Main Arena, Passage		15:45-16:15 Presentation “Advanced vessels Made-in-China: engineering and construction experience” Conference Area F1		
16:10–16:30 Award ceremony for winners in the qualification round of the “Professionals” championship Main Arena, Passage				
16:00–17:30 Business Session “Russia – Saudi Arabia” Conference Hall D2	16:00–17:30 Roundtable “Fish and seafood logistics” Conference Hall D1	16:30–18:00 Best practices of working with the youth: presentation, discussion, experience exchange Conference Hall G22-24 (Second Floor)	16:00–17:30 Open discussion “2035 is coming. Will Russia succeed in qualitative transformation of aquaculture?” Conference Area F3	16:30–18:00 Roundtable on equipment certification Conference Area F1
19:00 Industry football match		Olimpiets Stadium (Pavlovsk, Gospitalnaya St. 24/1)		

18 September (Day 2)		
10:30–12:00 Presentation of VNIRO expedition “Africa – an ocean of opportunities” Conference Hall G22-24 (Second Floor)	12:00–13:30 Roundtable by Russian Agricultural Bank «There is fish to eat» Conference Hall D1	10:15-12:15 SHIP TECH GLOBAL Roundtable “Fleet maintenance and modernization: increasing the competitiveness of shipbuilding enterprises” Conference Area F1
12:30–13:30 Tour of the exposition		Main Arena, Passage
14:00–15:30 Key event: Plenary session “Fishery in the age of innovation. Technologies of the future”		Conference Hall E8-E12
15:30–17:30 Roundtable “Russian fish: ways to stimulate consumption” Conference Hall D2	16:30–18:00 Roundtable “Industrial support for the fishery industry: new fleet, processing facilities, and storage infrastructure” Conference Hall D1	14:00–18:00 II International Conference “Digital trends, smart technologies, and real innovations in aquaculture” Conference Area F3
17:45–19:15 Key event: Open talk “Look beyond the horizon!” Conference Hall D2	15:45–17:15 Presentation of projects of the Federal Agency for Fisheries Youth Convention Conference Hall G22-24 (Second Floor)	
18:00-18:15 Presentation of Fishery industry B2B platform FishStat Main Arena, Passage		
18:30–20:30 Networking and Reception		Conference Hall E8-E12
19 September (Day 3)		
10:15–11:45 Roundtable “Personal brand: tools and strategies to promote fisheries on social media” Conference Area F3		10:15–14:00 Research-to-practice conference “Current aspects of breeding and keeping of aquatic bioresources in RAS” Conference Area F1
12:00–13:00 Presentation of the FAO flagship report “The state of world fisheries and aquaculture – 2024” (SOFIA) and the outcomes of the 36th session of the FAO committee on fisheries (COFI) Conference Area F3		

Business Program of VII Global Fishery Forum

Table of contents

17 September 2024 (Day 1)	5
10:00–11:30 Roundtable “Developing and supporting of fishery product exports”	5
10:00–11:30 Research-to-Practice Seminar “Building an Aquaculture Farm. Risks and Reasonable Decisions”	6
12:00–13:30 Business session “Russia – China”	7
13:30–14:00 FishCorr awards ceremony	8
14:00–15:30 Business session “Russia – India”	8
14:00–15:30 Roundtable “Seaweed: what’s getting in the way of great potential”	8
16:00–17:30 Business session “Russia – Saudi Arabia”	10
16:00–17:30 Roundtable “Fish and seafood logistics”	10
19:00 Industry football match.....	11
18 September 2024 (Day 2)	11
10:30 – 12:00 Presentation of VNIRO expedition “Africa – an ocean of opportunities”	11
12:00–13:30 Roundtable by Russian Agricultural Bank «There is fish to eat»	12
12:30–13:30 Tour of the exposition	13
14:00–15:30 Key event: Plenary session “Fishery in the age of innovation. Technologies of the future”	13
15:30–17:30 Roundtable “Russian fish: ways to stimulate consumption”	14
16:30–18:00 Roundtable “Industrial support for the fishery industry: new fleet, processing facilities, and storage infrastructure”	15
18:30–20:30 Networking and Reception	16
19 September 2024 (Day 3)	16
12:00 – 13:00 Presentation of the FAO flagship report “The state of world fisheries and aquaculture – 2024” (SOFIA) and the outcomes of the 36th session of the FAO committee on fisheries (COFI)	17

Event name, organizers, moderator, time	Event description, legend, discussion topics, speakers
17 September 2024 (Day 1)	
<p>09:00–10:00 Registration</p>	
<p><i>Conference Hall D2</i></p> <p>10:00–11:30</p> <p>Roundtable “Developing and supporting of fishery product exports”</p> <p>Organizers: Federal Agency for Fisheries; Fishery Shipowners Association</p> <p>Moderator: Alexey Osintsev, President, Fishery Shipowners Association</p>	<p>Event details:</p> <p>Since supplying the domestic market with fishery products remains a priority, development of exports is becoming a key prerequisite for ensuring a stable fishery industry, with exports accounting for almost 70% of the sector's revenues Russian fishery producers are maintaining the rate of production (catch) of aquatic bioresources and the volume of fishery product exports in face of closure of US market for their products, introduction of safeguard import duties by Great Britain and EU member states, and other unfriendly actions. They are expanding supplies to Asia and launching new export lanes. Even so, the sector's financial performance is slowing down, this driving the need for measures both to stimulate fish processors and shore up exporters.</p> <p>Topics to discuss:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Current and target export structure • Efficiency and weight of exports in the sector's financial performance • Export development barriers and government incentives • Promising export destinations <p>Speakers:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Andrey Yakovlev, Deputy Head, Federal Agency for Fisheries 2. Artem Daushev, Assistant to the Head, Rosselkhoz nadzor 3. Alexander Morev, Project Manager for Supporting Agribusiness Exports, Russian Export Center 4. Ilya Strokin, Director, Agribusiness Center of Excellence, KPMG 5. Alexey Buglak, President, Pollock Catchers Association 6. Ilya Rakovsky, Chairman, Karelian Fisheries Union 7. Stanislav Aksenov, Board Member of Russian Fishing Company and Russian Crab Group of Companies 8. Sergey Sennikov, Deputy Director, Norebo Management Company 9. Ivan Fetisov, General Director, Expo Solutions Group
<p><i>Conference Hall D1</i></p>	<p>Event details:</p>

10:00–11:30

**Research-to-Practice Seminar
“Building an Aquaculture Farm.
Risks and Reasonable Decisions”**

Organizers:

Federal Agency for Fisheries;
VNIRO

Moderator:

Arsen Mirzoyan, Deputy
Director, VNIRO; Head, Azov-
Black Sea Branch, VNIRO

The development of both artisanal and high-tech production are among the latest global trends in the aquaculture industry. The proper selection of species composition and scientifically based technological solutions are enhancing the efficiency of production processes and helping to obtain highly profitable products.

Modern methods of genetics, selection, and diagnostics with a system of treatment and preventive measures, as well as the introduction of new feed recipes are contributing to the development of aquaculture on a new technological platform.

The economic realities of the current times, the strategic objectives of the fisheries industry, and current trends in the development of aquaculture production all make it essential to pay increased attention to various aspects of the industry’s activities.

The planned growth in aquaculture production in the coming years has shown a spotlight on such urgent issues as ensuring the sustainable operation of existing and newly created farms, including their needs for planting materials, feed, protecting the health of breeding facilities, and the preservation and proper use of the potential of water bodies. Today, strengthening cooperation between science and the manufacturing sector to accelerate the testing, adjustment, and expanded use of the latest research results is an extremely important issue.

The growth in aquaculture production and high consumer demand inevitably raise the question not only of promising areas for processing products and creating an attractive image, but also of possible environmental problems that could arise when scaling a business.

Topics to discuss:

- Species and technologies. Planning, processing, and implementation. Efficient production.
- Feed: recipes, components, and production.
- Aquaculture diseases: prevention and treatment
- Aquaculture and ecosystem of the regions

Speakers:

1. Nikolay Fedorenko, Director, N.V. Fedorenko Trading House
Modern Trout Farming
2. Ivan Milovanov, Head, Department of Aquaculture, OFI (Organic Foods Investment)
Commercial Sturgeon Aquaculture
3. Sergey Pivnev, Managing Director, Lobster of the Chernozem Region
Australian Red-Clawed Crayfish
4. Alexey Gubaidulin, Co-founder, Alfish
Rosenberg Shrimp
5. Robert Harvey Stubblebine, President, Russian Seafood
Black Sea Mariculture
6. Denis Yankov, Head, Extruded Feed Sales Department, MELKOM-Market

	<p>7. Margarita Goncharova, Head, Department of Aquaculture, AVZ <i>Veterinary Drugs: The Market, Offerings, Problems, and Their Solutions</i></p> <p>8. Viktoria Barinova, Head, Department of Aquaculture Technology and Regulation, VNIRO; Candidate of Agricultural Sciences <i>Current Issues in Aquaculture Ecology</i></p> <p>9. Oleg Knyazkov, Head, Center of Industry Expertise, Russian Agricultural Bank <i>Development of Russian Aquaculture and its Comparative Analysis with Fishery Industry regarding the aspect of effectiveness</i></p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Conference Hall D2</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">12:00–13:30</p> <p>Business session “Russia – China”</p> <p>Organizers: Federal Agency for Fisheries; Expo Solutions Group</p> <p>Moderator: Alexander Morev, Project Manager for Supporting Agribusiness Exports, Russian Export Center</p>	<p>Event details:</p> <p>China remains the primary market for Russian fish and seafood suppliers. Both countries take an interest in increasing supplies and expanding the share of highly processed products, but those who want to enter the Chinese market with their product must meet a number of requirements and follow procedures the participants learned about at Seafood Expo Russia last year. The exhibition in Qingdao and festivals in Shenyang and Dalian confirmed the steadily growing popularity of crab and other fishery products. China has something to offer Russia, as well. First and foremost, these are technologies enabling development of shipbuilding, equipment manufacture and aquaculture. These topics will be among the key agenda issues of the “Russia–China” business session.</p> <p>Exporters and importers of fishery products, equipment and technologies from both countries are invited to contribute to the business dialogue.</p> <p>Speakers:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Andrey Yakovlev, Deputy Director, Federal Agency for Fisheries 2. Mr. Wang Xueguang, Vice President and Secretary General, China Aquatic Products Processing and Marketing Alliance (CAPPMA) 3. Mr. Lyu Daqiang, Chairman, Liao Yu Group Co. 4. Oleg Moskvina, Commercial Director, Russian Fishery Company 5. Dmitry Gusev, Commercial Director, Okeanrybflot 6. Igor Zakharov, Production Director, Volga-Dnepr Airlines
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Main Arena, Passage</i></p>	<p>FishCorr is a competition for publishers, representatives of Russian media outlets and authors (including bloggers) who write and broadcast about the development of the fishery industry, restoration of aquatic bioresources, and environmental issues.</p> <p>The competition, sponsored by the Federal Agency for Fisheries, has been held since 2019.</p>

<p>13:30–14:00</p> <p>FishCorr awards ceremony</p> <p>Organizers: Federal Agency for Fisheries; Glavrybvod</p>	
<p><i>Conference Hall D1</i></p> <p>14:00–15:30</p> <p>Business session “Russia – India”</p> <p>Organizers: Federal Agency for Fisheries; Expo Solutions Group</p> <p>Moderator: Dr. M. Karthikeyan, Director, Marine Products Export Development Authority (MPEDA)</p>	<p>Event details:</p> <p>Russia and India are leaders in the global fishery industry, their cooperation extending beyond BRICS. Even though Russia outstrips India in catch volume, the latter has made considerable gains in both production and export of farmed fishery products. Continued development of the sector is increasing India's demand for fishmeal used in feed production, which can be supplied by Russian exporters. These issues and the opportunities for cooperation in technology transfer will be the focus of the agenda for the “Russia–India” business session.</p> <p>Exporters and importers of fishery products, equipment and technologies from both countries are invited to contribute to the business dialogue.</p> <p>Speakers:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Andrey Yakovlev, Deputy Head, Federal Agency for Fisheries 2. Kumar Gaurav, Consul General of India in St Petersburg 3. Andrey Grechkin, General Director, Dalreftrans (FESCO Transportation Group) 4. Alexey Dolgushin, Executive Director, Development center of the Indian branch of Sberbank
<p><i>Conference Hall D2</i></p> <p>14:00–15:30</p> <p>Roundtable “Seaweed: what’s getting in the way of great potential”</p> <p>Organizers: Federal Agency for Fisheries,</p>	<p>Event details:</p> <p>In recent years, Russia has seen a growth in algae production and consumption. Algae are increasingly used in a number of industries, including pharmaceuticals, medicine, cosmetology, agriculture, animal feed production and the food industry, as well as in environmental protection and improvement.</p> <p>Even so, Russia's algae industry has not been able to unlock its immense potential fully. Speakers at the session will look into the key challenges algae producers are facing, discuss possible solutions to these and share best practices and technologies for growing, harvesting and producing algae.</p> <p>Questions to discuss:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Current situation on the Russian seaweed market

<p>VNIRO, Strategy Partners</p> <p>Moderator: Kirill Kolonchin, Director, VNIRO</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Main challenges and reasons why the industry is underdeveloped • Technologies of harvesting and cultivating, scientific research and development • Potential and vectors of development for the seaweed market in Russia • Key drivers of success • International experience <p>Speakers in presidium:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ilya Shestakov, Head, Federal Agency for Fisheries 2. Inna Golfand, Independent Expert <i>Seaweed: market analysis</i> 3. Alexey Baitaliuk, Deputy Director – Head of the Pacific branch of VNIRO (TINRO) <i>Development and challenges standing in the way of seaweed industry</i> 4. Tatyana Puchkova, Chairwoman of the Board, Russian Perfume and Cosmetic Association (RPKA) <i>Peculiarities of seaweed usage in cosmetology, development potential, tendencies and trends</i> 5. Michael Liu, Manager, Export Division, Dalian Sijihong Food Co Ltd <i>Peculiarities of seaweed usage in Chinese food industry</i> 6. Anatoly Khitrov, owner of NPO Biomedical Innovative Technologies LLC <i>State and business partnership regarding seaweed production and processing</i> <p>Speakers in the first row:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Victor Averin, General Director, Divia-Farm <i>Innovations in production technologies. Russian-Chinese bio-cluster</i> 2. Orisha Peltzer, General Director and Owner, University Innovation Company “Littoral”, Candidate of Biological Sciences, Nutritionist, Biohacking specialist <i>Preventive Marine Medicine: Implementation of Innovative Methods of Using the World Ocean's Bioresources. 30 Years of Science and Practice. Experience of the University Innovation Company “Littoral”</i> 3. Artemy Prokopenko, Algotec Founder <i>Market and products made from seaweed</i> 4. Anna Osinina, Head, Fishery Department, Arkhangelsk Region <i>Problems of seaweed gathering in the White Sea and ways to overcome obstacles</i>
<p><i>Conference Hall D2</i></p>	<p>Event details:</p> <p>Saudi Arabia is a new market for Russian fishery producers, but the excellent quality and competitive prices of Russian products have already made them popular with local retail chains. The high purchasing power of local consumers allows exporters to increase their sales margin, while logistics account for most of the costs. A collaborative</p>

<p style="text-align: center;">16:00–17:30</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Business session “Russia – Saudi Arabia”</p> <p>Organizers: Federal Agency for Fisheries; Expo Solutions Group</p> <p>Moderator: Andrey Yakovlev, Deputy Head, Federal Agency for Fisheries</p>	<p>approach to handling this challenge can help optimize delivery routes, significantly expanding the product mix available for sale on the local market and for re-export. In addition, the parties have a significant potential for joint development of aquaculture and its provision with relevant resources.</p> <p>Exporters and importers of fishery products, equipment and technologies from both countries are invited to contribute to the business dialogue.</p> <p>Speakers:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Andrey Yakovlev, Deputy Head, Federal Agency for Fisheries 2. Dr. Ali Alshaikhi, Assistant Deputy for Livestock and Fisheries, Ministry of Environment & Water and Agriculture 3. Natalia Stepanova, Leading Sales Manager, Russian Crab 4. Alexey Buglak, President, Pollock Catchers Association
Conference Hall D1	
<p style="text-align: center;">16:00–17:30</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Roundtable “Fish and seafood logistics”</p> <p>Organizers: Federal Agency for Fisheries</p> <p>Moderator: Nadezhda Malysheva, Development Director, PortNews Information and Analytical Agency</p>	<p>Event details:</p> <p>Logistics are an area of strategic importance for development of the fishery complex. Certain aspects of foreign policy have changed the flows of Russian cargos, fish being no exception. Changes in the fishery product supply chain have led to infrastructure shortages. Who will make up for these shortages? What are the options for diversifying fishery product transport: make big shipments in refrigerated vessels or use mobile containers? How will fish be delivered to a processing factory or a distribution chain? How will regulatory changes impact on logistics parks and transport fleets as investment obligations?</p> <p>Topics to discuss:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Options for delivering fish cargos via Russian sea ports. Public and private port infrastructure. Investment in logistics parks • Fish transportation by rail: expansion of subsidies, rail traffic capacity and competition with road transport and shipments via the Northern Sea Route • Warehouse and refrigeration parks and container sites: shortages, seasonal factors and investor burdens <p>Speakers:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Andrey Mikhalevich, Head, Economics and Investment Department, Federal Agency for Fisheries 2. Andrey Grechkin, General Director, Dalreftrans (FESCO Transportation Group) 3. Vladimir Valter, General Director, Terminal Seroglazka 4. Alexey Osintsev, President, Fishery Shipowners Association 5. Andrey Borodin, General Director, Murmansk Sea Fishing Port 6. Dmitry Batenkin, Deputy Director of Commerce, Ingenium

<p><i>Olimpiets Stadium (Pavlovsk, Gospitalnaya St. 24/1)</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">19:00</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Industry football match</p> <p>Organizers: Federal Agency for Fisheries, Expo Solutions Group</p>	<p>The first day of the VII Global Fishery Forum & Seafood Expo Russia is to be followed by the industry football match. The teams of organizing and participating parties will meet each other on the field for the first time within the official program.</p> <p>The organizers' team is to be led by Ilya Shestakov, the Head of the Federal Agency for Fisheries, while the participants' team – by Eduard Klimov, the Chairman of the Board of Directors, Fishnews.</p> <p>Famous football players, who have earlier been representing the Russia national football team, will join the game, while Vladimir Saburov, a professional sports commentator, will cover the event.</p> <p>The game will be played like professionals do it: the match will consist of the two halves, 45 minutes each.</p> <p>We encourage the exhibitors and the visitors of the VII Global Fishery Forum & Seafood Expo Russia to root for any of the teams or just enjoy a beautifully played game!</p> <p>The transfer leaves at 18:15 from the Expoforum convention and exhibition centre. Boarding on the shuttle and access to the tribunes is provided upon presenting of a badge of any category.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">See you at the game!</p>
18 September 2024 (Day 2)	
<p style="text-align: center;">09:00–10:00 Registration</p>	
<p><i>Conference Hall G22-24 (Second Floor)</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">10:30 – 12:00</p> <p>Presentation of VNIRO expedition “Africa – an ocean of opportunities”</p> <p>Organizers: Federal Agency for Fisheries; VNIRO</p> <p>Moderator: Konstantin Bandurin, Deputy</p>	<p>Event details:</p> <p>At present, the main Russian fishing areas in Africa are the exclusive economic zones of Morocco and Mauritania, where the annual catch is around 100,000 tonnes. Over the previous decade, Russian fishermen have caught over 200,000 tonnes in the Central-Eastern Atlantic (CEA fishing area per FAO classification) each year. There are real prerequisites for restoring the fisheries to their previous volume and even increasing them. The amount of fish caught by Russian organizations in other areas along the African coast, including in the Indian Ocean, is negligible.</p> <p>VNIRO’s major African expedition of 2024-2025 will encompass vast areas of the West African coast from Morocco to Angola, as well as the western Indian Ocean. The coastal waters of northwest Africa are of greatest interest, as this area is among the most productive in the World Ocean. The biomass values and numbers of fish and crustaceans will be estimated for this region as well as other, less explored areas (Southeast Asia and the Western Indian Ocean), and the features of their biology, distribution, stocks, ecosystem, and food supply will be studied. Counting the number of juvenile fish will help assess fishing prospects for Russian fishermen.</p> <p>Topics to discuss:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scientific research: the foundation for the success of fisheries in Central Asia • VNIRO’s major African of 2024-2025: high expectations

<p>Director, VNIRO; Head, Atlantic Branch, VNIRO</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CEA and SEA: taking a more active position • East Africa: should fishing be resumed in the Indian Ocean? <p>Speakers:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Vasily Sokolov, Deputy Head, Federal Agency for Fisheries <i>Arrangements and preparations for VNIRO's Great African Expedition 2024-2026</i> 2. Grigory Maslyankin, Head of the Centre for Aquatic Bioresources of the World Ocean, Atlantic Branch, VNIRO <i>From the history of Russian research and fishing in the Central-Eastern Atlantic to VNIRO's Great African Expedition 2024-2026 (AtlantNIRO)</i> 3. Sergey Leontyev, CSc (Bio.), VNIRO <i>Going more proactive in East Africa</i> 4. Viktor Popov, Head of the Russian Agency for Fisheries Representative Office in the Islamic Republic of Mauritania <i>"Mauritania – Russia's strategic partner" or "Prospects for cooperation between Russia and Mauritania"</i> 5. Elie Beibu, Research Program Manager, Mauritanian Institute of Oceanographic Research and Fisheries <i>Research cooperation between Mauritania and Russia</i> 6. Ruslan Telenkov, CEO, Magadanpromflot LLC <i>The role of the Great African Expedition in the context of opportunities and prospects for the Russian fisheries industry</i>
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Conference Hall D1</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">12:00–13:30</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Roundtable by Russian Agricultural Bank «There is fish to eat»</p> <p>Organizers: Russian Agricultural Bank</p> <p>Moderator: Alexey Litvyakov, Head of RSHB-TV, JSC Rosselkhozbank</p>	<p>Event details:</p> <p>The issues of popularizing fish consumption among the population are a priority for the state. RSHB, as a support bank for the agro-industrial complex, will bring together experts from the gastronomic and media industries at the forum to discuss how to improve the image of fish restaurants and increase loyalty to fish consumption among the population.</p> <p>During the dialogue we will answer key questions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is the situation considering fish consumption in Russia? • What should we do to increase fish consumption? • How to preserve quality of fishery products? • How to keep freshness of products during transportation? • How to attract more attention to fish consumption among our population? • What should we do to preserve quality and taste during transportation? • How to provide stores with freshly caught fish?

	<p>Speakers:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Vasily Sokolov, Deputy Head, Federal Agency for Fisheries 2. Oleg Knyazkov, Head, Center of Industry Expertise, Russian Agricultural Bank 3. Inna Sokolovskaya, Head, Product Supervision Department, Rospotrebnadzor Administration for St. Petersburg 4. Alexander Panin, Chairman, Fish Union 5. Andrey Zyryanov, Director of Government Relations, Vkusno i Tochka 6. Maxim Arefyev, Director, Legal Support, X5 Retail Group 7. Dmitry Goldfarb, Managing Partner, Stroganov Group LLC 8. Alena Melnikova, gastro producer, co-founder of the Crevette Bistrot restaurant 9. Anna Cheban, Editor-in-Chief of the Information Service, Avtoradio, St. Petersburg
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Main Arena, Passage</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">12:30–13:30</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Tour of the exposition</p>	<p>An invitation to take part is extended to event organisers and participants, representatives of Russian ministries and departments, foreign delegations, heads of associations and unions, fishing and fish-processing companies</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Conference Hall E8-E12</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">14:00–15:30</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Key event: Plenary session “Fishery in the age of innovation. Technologies of the future”</p> <p>Organizers: Federal Agency for Fisheries</p> <p>Moderator: Ilya Shestakov, Head, Federal Agency for Fisheries</p>	<p>Event details:</p> <p>Development of the future global fishery complex drives the demand for innovation and promotes mainstreaming of advanced technologies in all domains. For example, the need to reduce incidental catch and minimize the impact on non-target species is resulting in development of more selective fishing gear. Rising fuel costs and the need for higher operating efficiency are strong incentives to improve fishing vessel and navigation system design, with fully automated and unmanned systems now becoming a reality.</p> <p>The growing aquaculture production also drives innovation and brings new species and multi-trophic fish farming, improvements in RAS technology, giant floating aquafarms and aquaponics, biotechnology applications to improve productivity and species quality, business process automation solutions, robots and artificial intelligence.</p> <p>Technologies for fishery product deep processing and improvements in logistics will help fill the gap in the global consumer market. A commitment to increasing transparency and improving traceability in supply chains driven by the demand for environmentally safe seafood has spurred innovations in data acquisition and management technologies.</p> <p>What may appear fantastical today will soon be the norm, not only for the fisherman and the fish farmer, but also to the ordinary consumer – the very reason the global fisheries complex exists.</p> <p>Topics to discuss:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Global experience and development trends in the fisheries industry

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New technologies and fishing equipment for the proper exploitation of the bioresources of the World Ocean • Deep processing. What will reduce the share of waste? • Is aquaculture possible without problems? • Are biotechnologies changing the rules of the game? • Algae – are we growing future market leaders? • Fish products: What are we going to but, where and how? <p>Speakers:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Dmitry Patrushev, Deputy Chairman, Government of the Russian Federation 2. German Zverev, President, All-Russian Association of Fisheries Enterprises, Entrepreneurs and Exporters (VARPE) 3. Sergei Dankvert. Head of the Federal Agency for Veterinary and Phytosanitary Supervision 4. Sakti Wahyu Trenggono, Minister of Marine Affairs and Fisheries, Indonesia 5. Saveliy Karpukhin, Director General, Russian Fishery Company 6. Irina Zhachkina, First Deputy Chairman of the Board, Russian Agricultural Bank 7. Vladimir Solodov, Governor of the Kamchatka Territory
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Conference Hall D2</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">15:30–17:30</p> <p>Roundtable “Russian fish: ways to stimulate consumption”</p> <p>Organizers: Federal Agency for Fisheries, Autonomous Non-Profit Organization «Agency for promotion of Fish Products», Fish Union</p> <p>Moderators: Georgy Reshetnikov, Director General, Autonomous Non-Profit Organization «Agency for</p>	<p>Event details:</p> <p>Increasing the share of healthy foods made from Russian fish in the market basket of every Russian citizen across the country is a new strategic objective for the fisheries industry.</p> <p>Since 2013, the share of highly processed foods in the total production of fish and seafood has been growing by an average of 0.5% a year, reaching 30% by 2023. The key mission is to boost production of highly processed foods by 2030, retaining a focus on changing consumer demand.</p> <p>Manufacturers are constantly looking for effective ways to promote their fish products. Moreover, most of them work on their own these days, issuing targeted ads and not sharing a common marketing strategy with their industry peers.</p> <p>Guests to this roundtable will discuss ways to build a consolidated strategy for promoting domestic fish and seafood, as well as fish promotion best practices for market players.</p> <p>Topics to discuss:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The situation in the industry today, new challenges and solutions • Consumer tastes in Russia: what is bought and where • Growth of Russian fish consumption: key drivers and barriers • Reaching out to consumers “at the counter”: how to spark their interest in buying fish. The effectiveness of different sales formats, special offers at the outlet and management of layout and packaging

<p>promotion of Fish Products»</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Building new “fisherman – processor – distributor” cooperation formats • Different regions’ experience of extraterritorial promotion of their products • Saturating the market with delicious and diverse foods • Making Russian fish trendy and popular • Prospects for concerted action by market players <p>Speakers:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ilya Shestakov, Head, Federal Agency for Fisheries <i>Increasing domestic consumption of Russian fish products for the period until 2030: Agency for promotion of Fish Products, road map</i> 2. Evgeny Batyashin, Head, Research and Development, Sbermarketing 3. Vladimir Solodov, Governor of the Kamchatka Territory <i>Experience of promoting Kamchatka fish to the domestic market</i> 4. Saveliy Karpukhin, Director General, Russian Fishery Company <i>On organizing the promotion of pollock products to the domestic market. Joint project with Perekrestok and Agama</i> 5. Alexandra Sukhareva, Head, Departments of Fruits and Vegetables and Ultra-Fresh category, Perekrestok <i>About the system of long-term contracts</i> 6. Denis Kostornoy, Deputy Head, Department of Commerce and Services, Government of Moscow 7. Alexander Panin, Chairman, Fish Union <i>On the balance of raw materials in the domestic market and development of continental processing in B2C segment</i> 8. Alexey Buglak, President, Pollock Catchers Association
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Conference Hall D1</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">16:30–18:00</p> <p>Roundtable “Industrial support for the fishery industry: new fleet, processing facilities, and storage infrastructure”</p> <p>Organizers: Federal Agency for Fisheries;</p>	<p>Event details:</p> <p>Today, Russia is proceeding with its persistent efforts to retrofit its fishing fleet, renovate processing facilities and build new coastal factories and logistics parks. The investment quotas initiative helped kick-start these processes, and its participants are seeking to optimize the timing and localize the manufacture of equipment used so that their customers – fishing companies – might start using the renovated infrastructure as soon as possible to increase the volume and efficiency of catch and processing of aquatic bioresources.</p> <p>An open and constructive dialogue between all parties involved, including but not limited to the customer and shipyards, must be established to ensure business continuity on a mutually beneficial basis. Manufacturers and vendors of shipboard equipment and systems play a major role in the construction, outfitting and maintenance of the shipping fleet. They are starting to pay greater attention to contracts in the fishery industry and the opportunities that the sector brings for commercial shipbuilding.</p>

<p>Ministry of Industry and Trade of the Russian Federation; Expo Solutions Group</p> <p>Moderator: Andrey Mikhalevich, Head, Economics and Investment Department, Federal Agency for Fisheries</p>	<p>Speakers:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ilya Orsik, Deputy Head, Agriculture, Food and Road-building Machinery, Ministry of Industry and Trade of the Russian Federation 2. Vasily Boitsov, Advisor to the General Director of the United Shipbuilding Corporation <i>Experience of Experience in developing design documentation and building fishing vessels by enterprises of the United Shipbuilding Corporation</i> 3. Roman Petrov, Director, Automation of Civilian Ships and Vessels Research and Production Centre, Aurora Scientific Production Association Concern 4. Oleg Pshenichny, General Director, MSC Group 5. Alexey Chistyakov, Head, Marine equipment Projects Development, JSC V.V. Tikhomirov Scientific Research Institute of Instrument Design (JSC Concern VKO “Almaz-Antey”) 6. Sergey Shishkin, Deputy General Director, Russian Maritime Register of Shipping 7. Oleg Martens, General Director, Adomat 8. Alexey Osintsev, President, Fishery Shipowners Association 9. Dmitry Batenkin, Deputy Director of Commerce, Ingenium 10. Oleg Konstantinov, sales director, Korolan 11. Viktor Dorovskikh, Director, Sudorybtekh mash
<p><i>Conference Hall E8-E12</i></p> <p>18:30–20:30 Networking and Reception</p>	<p>Reception for event participants. Admission subject to approval by the organizers</p>
19 September 2024 (Day 3)	
<p>09:00 – 10:00 Registration</p>	
<p><i>Conference Area F3</i></p>	<p>Event details:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The State of World Fisheries and Aquaculture (SOFIA) is the FAO’s biennial flagship report aimed at government officials, scientists, fishers and fish farmers, representatives of the fishing industry and trade networks, civil society and consumers, provides up-to-date information, evidence and scientific perspectives on challenges and opportunities, as well as practical advice on innovative solutions affecting the current state of the sector and its future. The State of World Fisheries and Aquaculture – 2024 with the main theme of ”Blue Transformation in action” provides

12:00 – 13:00

Presentation of the FAO flagship report “The state of world fisheries and aquaculture – 2024” (SOFIA) and the outcomes of the 36th session of the FAO committee on fisheries (COFI)

Moderator:

Oleg Kobiakov, Director, FAO Liaison Office with the Russian Federation

examples of activities and initiatives coordinated by FAO in collaboration with Member states, partners and key stakeholders, which are aimed at better mainstreaming aquatic foods in the field of ensuring global food security and sustainability, enhancing policy advocacy, scientific research and capacity building, disseminating sustainable practices and technological innovations, and supporting community involvement.

The document outlines the role of FAO and its partners in encouraging the transformations needed to expand and intensify aquaculture, effectively develop global fishery resources and enhance the efficiency of aquatic product value chains. It specifically addresses the challenges and opportunities associated with the untapped potential of using fish processing by-products to improve food security and nutrition, describes the role of aquatic food systems in finding critical climate, biodiversity and environmental solutions, and specifies the importance of integrating them into national and regional processes.

The report gives an outlook on trends up to 2032 based on improved data collection approaches and updated tools and methods of analysis and evaluation, making it possible to present the most up-to-date overview of the production and use of global fisheries and aquaculture products.

2. Established by the FAO Conference in 1965, the Committee on Fisheries (COFI) is the only inter-governmental forum to hold consultations and develop recommendations on technical and policy aspects related to global fisheries and aquaculture and on FAO work in this area.

The Committee provides global recommendations to regional fishery bodies, civil society organizations, representatives of the private sector and the international community. COFI has fostered the development and adoption of a number of binding and advisory documents that have transformed the approach of the fishery sector to work in the interests of resource sustainability and biodiversity conservation.

The 36th session of the Committee adopted the Guidelines for Sustainable Aquaculture (GSA), which provides a comprehensive framework for aquaculture management and its sustainable development, aimed at supporting FAO Members and other stakeholders in the implementation of the 1995 Code of Conduct for Responsible Fisheries. The document sets forth specific recommendations for enhancing technical cooperation, building partnerships, providing financial assistance, developing institutional capacity, and exchanging knowledge and experience to promote sustainable expansion and intensification of aquaculture at the global level.

The important role of aquatic foods in global food security and nutrition, their high potential as a solution to climate change, and the contribution of effective management to achieving long-term biodiversity goals were noted. Additionally, solutions to address pressing challenges confronting aquatic food systems, such as plastic pollution of the aquatic environment, were explored. In particular, the first results of FishMIP 2.0, a global initiative forecasting the impact of climate change on future marine ecosystems and fisheries under different scenarios, were presented, which will support the formulation of climate-resilient food security policies.

Objectives:

Key highlights of the State of World Fisheries and Aquaculture – 2024 flagship report and the outcomes of the COFI 36th session will be presented at the round table, with a special focus on approaches and recommendations for addressing pressing issues in aquatic food systems.

The Blue Transformation concept of FAO is based on facilitating sustainable aquaculture growth to meet the increasing demand for aquatic foods; ensuring effective fisheries management for healthier fishery stocks and equitable livelihoods; and upgrading of aquatic food value chains to guarantee their social, economic and environmental sustainability.

Aquatic foods remain one of the most traded food commodities in the world, involving over 230 countries and territories

and generating a record USD 195 billion in total revenue from their sales. As a result, the consumption of aquatic animal foods per capita amounted to 20.7 kg, according to FAO estimates. This constituted about 15% of the animal protein supply, reaching over 50% in some countries in Asia and Africa.

Welcome speech:

Andrey Yakovlev, Deputy Head, Federal Agency for Fishery (FFA)

Speakers:

1. Kirill Kolonchin, Director, VNIRO
2. Nikolay Mochalov, Analyst, Fish Union
On the state and current trends of global trade in fish and fish products
3. Haydar Fersoy, FAO Senior Fishery and Aquaculture Officer for Europe and Central Asia
Highlights of the State of World Fisheries and Aquaculture – 2024 flagship report
4. Igor Shpakov, Senior consultant, FAO Liaison Office with the Russian Federation
Outcomes of the COFI 36th session

Business Program of Seafood Expo Russia

17 September 2024 (Day 1)

17 September 2024 (Day 1)	
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Conference Area F1</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">10:15 – 13:00</p> <p style="text-align: center;">SHIP TECH GLOBAL Roundtable “Import substitution in Russian shipbuilding industry: expectations and reality”</p> <p>Organizers: Ministry of Industry and Trade of the Russian Federation, Media Deck, United Shipbuilding Association, Expo Solutions Group</p>	<p><i>The event will be held in Russian</i></p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Conference Area F3</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">10:15-12:15</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Saudi-Russian agri-food investment opportunities</p> <p><i>The event is accompanied by Russian-English-Arabic simultaneous translation</i></p>	<p>Event details:</p> <p>The Kingdom of Saudi Arabia's fishing sector is actively participating in this year's Global Fishery Forum and Seafood Expo Russia.</p> <p>In addition to the business session "Russia – Saudi Arabia", which will take place on September 17 at 16:00, key persons from the guest country will hold an additional road show dedicated to Enhancing Collaboration between Saudi Arabia and Russia on Food Security and Global Supply Chain Resilience.</p> <p>Road show objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meeting foreign investors and enhancing investment cooperation between the two countries. • Promoting investment opportunities in the aquaculture sector in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia • Enhancing trade and investment exchange between the two countries • Meeting with governmental sectors and government officials to discuss ways of cooperation and partnership

	<p>between the two countries.</p> <p>We invite everyone to actively participate! The event is open to the audience without additional registration.</p> <p>Agenda:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Mohammed Alaohly, Ministry of Investment (MISA) <i>Welcoming</i> 2. Dr. Ali Alshaikhi, Ministry of Environment, Water and Agriculture <i>Opening speech</i> 3. Mohammed Alaohly, Ministry of Investment (MISA) <i>Invest in Saudi</i> 4. Mr. Philippos Papageorgiou, National Livestock & Fisheries Development Program (NLFDP) <i>Current status of seafood industry in KSA & investment opportunities</i> 5. Sarah Alkhamash, Senior Corporate Communication Specialist, Agriculture Development Fund <i>Foreign investment financing</i> 6. <i>Closing remarks</i>
<p><i>Conference Area F3</i></p> <p>12:40-13:40</p> <p>Presentation “Fishery and aquaculture sector of Venezuela”</p> <p><i>The event is accompanied by Russian-English simultaneous translation</i></p>	<p>Event details:</p> <p>For the first time, a detailed overview of the fisheries and aquaculture sector of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela will be presented to all participants and guests of the event as part of the business agenda of the Global Fishery Forum and Seafood Expo Russia.</p> <p>The presentation will cover the issues of industrial catch of fish and seafood, aquaculture production (with a focus on shrimp farming), processing, logistics infrastructure, as well as peculiarities of local legislation. Special attention will be paid to the issues of fish products export.</p> <p>Participants and guests of the event will have a unique opportunity to personally meet with the first persons of the Venezuelan fishing industry and establish direct contacts for the development of further cooperation.</p> <p>We invite everyone to actively participate, questions from the audience will be welcomed! The event is open for attendance without additional registration.</p> <p>Speakers:</p> <p>Marcos Medina, Deputy Director of the Office of Integration and International Affairs, People's Ministry of Fishing and Aquaculture</p>

<p><i>Conference Area F1</i></p> <p>13:30 – 15:30</p> <p>SHIP TECH GLOBAL Roundtable “Unification in the design of innovative vessels: from theory to practice”</p> <p>Organizers: Media Deck, United Shipbuilding Association, Expo Solutions Group</p> <p>Sponsored by: DCB "Petrobalt"</p> <p>Moderator: Ilya Sherbakov, General Director, DCB "Petrobalt"</p>	<p><i>The event will be held in Russian</i></p>
<p><i>Conference Area F3</i></p> <p>14:00–15:30</p> <p>“Hot topic: logistics of perishable fish” (event organizer – Volga- Dnepr Airlines)</p> <p>Organizers: Volga-Dnepr, Expo Solutions Group</p> <p>Moderator:</p>	<p><i>The event will be held in Russian</i></p>

<p>Vasily Evseev, Deputy Marketing Director, VD-Express</p>	
<p><i>Conference Area F1</i></p> <p>15:45 – 16:15</p> <p>Presentation “Advanced vessels Made-in-China: engineering and construction experience”</p> <p>Organizers: Skipatekh</p>	<p><i>The event will be held in Russian</i></p>
<p><i>Conference Area F3</i></p> <p>16:00 – 17:30</p> <p>Open discussion “2035 is coming. Will Russia succeed in qualitative transformation of aquaculture?”</p> <p>Organizers: JSC MELKOM Group of Companies, VNIRO</p> <p>Moderators: Roman Artemov, Director, Department of Applied Research of mixed feeding and scientific support for business activities, VNIRO</p> <p>Viktoria Barinova, Head, Department of Aquaculture Technology and Regulation,</p>	<p><i>The event will be held in Russian</i></p>

VNIRO	
<p><i>Conference Area F1</i></p> <p>16:30–18:00</p> <p>Roundtable on equipment certification</p> <p>Organizers: Media Deck, United Shipbuilding Association, Expo Solutions Group</p> <p>Sponsored by: Russian Maritime Register of Shipping</p>	<p><i>The event will be held in Russian</i></p>
18 September 2024 (Day 2)	
<p><i>Conference Area F1</i></p> <p>10:15 – 12:15</p> <p>SHIP TECH GLOBAL Roundtable “Fleet maintenance and modernization: increasing the competitiveness of shipbuilding enterprises”</p> <p>Organizers: Media Deck, United Shipbuilding Association, Expo</p>	<p><i>The event will be held in Russian</i></p>

<p>Solutions Group</p> <p>Moderators: Sergey Smirnov, Director, Arkhangelsk Region Shipbuilding Cluster</p> <p>Vasily Shaitanov, Director, Kimek Murmansk</p>	
<p><i>Conference Area F3</i></p> <p>14:00–18:00</p> <p>II International Conference “Digital trends, smart technologies, and real innovations in aquaculture”</p> <p>Organizers: Expo Solutions Group; Fogstream</p>	<p>Visit the II International Conference “Digital trends, smart technologies and real innovations in aquaculture” to explore the best practices in automation and digitalization of aquaculture farms.</p> <p>This event will bring together leading experts, innovators and industry representatives to share their experience and discuss burning issues and real cases of successful aquaculture projects.</p> <p>Learn more about the conference at aquaconf.ru</p> <p><i>The event will be held in Russian</i></p>
<p><i>Main Arena, Passage</i></p> <p>18:00-18:15</p> <p>Presentation of Fishery industry B2B platform FishStat</p> <p>Organizers: FishStat</p>	<p><i>The event will be held in Russian</i></p>

19 September 2024 (Day 3)

<p><i>Conference Area F1</i></p> <p>10:00–14:00</p> <p>Research-to-practice conference “Current aspects of breeding and keeping of aquatic bioresources in RAS”</p> <p>Organizers: Expo Solutions Group; Aquaterix</p>	<p><i>The event will be held in Russian</i></p>
---	---



**Business Program of
III International Science and Education Forum for the Fishery Complex
“FISHERY SKILLS”
St. Petersburg, 17–19 September 2024**

Event name, organizers, moderator, time	Event description, legend, discussion topics, speakers
17 September 2024 (Day 1)	
<p align="center">09:00–10:00 Registration</p>	
<p><i>Conference Hall G22-24 (Second Floor)</i></p> <p align="center">10:00–11:30</p> <p>Roundtable: “International cooperation efforts to promote education and research projects in the fishery industry”</p>	<p>Event details: Global political transformations offer universities a new trajectory for international cooperation in research and education projects. Exchange of existing and creation of new technological knowledge, fundamental research efforts in response to global and local challenges, and training of young professionals in some essential skills and expertise for resolving future problems remain highly relevant for training skilled workers for the industry.</p> <p>This roundtable session is the first open dialogue between universities interested in building and expanding global cooperation in fishery industry education and research projects. Its participants will share their experience of new international project formats, discuss the problems they face during such projects and ways to address them.</p> <p>The event will kick-start the building of a new model of international research and education cooperation in training staff for the fishery sector in Asia-Pacific.</p>

Organizers:

Federal Agency for Fisheries;
Astrakhan State Technical
University

Moderator:

Elena Chertina, CSc (Tech.Sc.),
Associate Professor; Director,
Science and Education Centre
for Professional Competencies,
Astrakhan State Technical
University

Gury Kushner, CSc (Tech.Sc.),
Associate Professor; Head of
Watercraft Electrical
Equipment and Automation
Department, Astrakhan State
Technical University

Topics to discuss:

1. The competitive edge of Russian fishery education
2. Research project experience of the Eurasian Economic Union's member states
3. Export of Russian fishery education: opportunities and prospects
4. Different aspects of grant support for international research and education projects

Speakers:

1. Fatima Camara, Minister of Fisheries and Maritime Economy of the Republic of Guinea
2. Irina Kvyatkovskaya, Vice-Rector for Academic Affairs at Astrakhan State Technical University; DSc (Tech.Sc.), Professor
3. Konstantin Shumsky, Head of Ichthyology and Fish Farming Department, Belarusian State Agricultural Academy; CSc (Agr.Sc.)
4. Saparmyrat Annamammedov, Head of the Department of Animal Husbandry, Turkmen Agricultural University named after S.A. Niyazov
5. Alexey Kozyr, Senior Lecturer, Department of Aquaculture and Environmental Design, Polesie State University
6. Oleg Novozhilov, Director, Fishery and Aquaculture Institute, Kaliningrad State Technical University; CSc (Bio.Sc.)
7. Alexey Abramchuk, Head of Aquatic Bioresources and Aquaculture Department, Kuban State University; CSc (Agr.Sc.), Associate Professor
8. Anna Volkova, Head of Animal Science, Fish Farming, Agronomy and Land Management Department, Petrozavodsk State University; CSc (Bio.Sc.), Associate Professor
9. Alexander Chekalin, Director, Higher School of Fishery and Marine Technologies, Northern (Arctic) Federal University
10. Eduard Bubunets, Aquaculture and Beekeeping Department, Russian State Agrarian University – Moscow Timiryazev Agricultural Academy; DSc (Agr.Sc.), Associate Professor

Invited to discussion:

1. Oleg Kobayakov, Director, FAO Russia Liaison Office
2. Georgy Nikitin, Vice-Rector for Research and International Relations, St Petersburg State University of Veterinary Medicine; CSc (Vet.Sc.), Associate Professor
3. Maxim Lebedev, Deputy Dean of the Faculty of Aquatic Bioresources and Aquaculture of the Federal State Budgetary Educational Institution of Higher Education “Saint Petersburg State University of Veterinary Medicine”
4. Abdullajon Khamrakulov, Executive Director, Branch of Astrakhan State Technical University in Tashkent

	<p>region of the Republic of Uzbekistan, PhD in Engineering 5. Vepa Mamiev, Professor, Department of Animal Husbandry, Turkmen Agricultural University named after S.A. Niyazov</p>
<p><i>Conference Hall G22-24 (Second Floor)</i></p> <p>12:00–13:30</p> <p>Roundtable: “Professionals Training Program: the driver of cooperation between education providers and employers”</p> <p>Organizers: Federal Agency for Fisheries; Kaliningrad State Technical University</p> <p>Moderator: Vladimir Volkogon, Rector, Kaliningrad State Technical University</p>	<p>Event details: The Professionals Training Program is a new form of cooperation between education providers and employers in the format of education-to-industry clusters united by shared training programs seeking to cover the employer’s specific HR needs and with its direct involvement.</p> <p>Topics to discuss:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A new form of cooperation between education providers and employers • New training programs • Modern facilities and resources that comply with the Federal State Education Standard for Secondary Professional Education and meet employers’ needs • Development of evaluation resources for demo examination • Internship and employment <p>Speakers:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Anna Sheveleva, General Director, Baltiysky Bereg Trading House 2. Sergey Levchenko, General Director, Vestrybflot 3. Denis Treshev, Head, Vocational education Department, Committee on education of Saint Petersburg 4. Sergey Karpovich, Head, Kaliningrad Marine Fisheries College, Kaliningrad State Technical University 5. Sergey Losyakov, Director, St. Petersburg Sea Fishing College, a branch of Kaliningrad State Technical University 6. Inna Titova, developer of demonstration assessment materials
<p><i>Conference Hall G22-24 (Second Floor)</i></p> <p>14:15–15:45</p> <p>Roundtable: “Training future manpower: cooperation between universities</p>	<p>Event details: The current renovation of the industry's business assets involves building new ships (including transport refrigerators), processing factories and logistics parks, which simply cannot be operated without qualified staff. To supply qualified personnel, sector-specific universities have initiated collaboration with associations of major fishing companies. Yet, some problems remain to be discussed. Hands-on training is an important aspect of staff training, especially in relation to sailing internship. Shipowners are often reluctant to hire trainees, especially minors. Moreover, trainees are offered sailing internships in disciplines that are not their main specializations.</p>

<p style="text-align: center;">and business”</p> <p>Organizers: Federal Agency for Fisheries; Fishery Shipowners Association</p> <p>Moderator: Vladimir Volkogon, Rector, Kaliningrad State Technical University</p>	<p>Amendments to Federal Law No. 273-FZ “On Education in the Russian Federation” dated 29 December 2012, which came into effect on 1 May 2024, could constitute a turning point in resolving the given issues. These amendments allow fishing companies that have held this status for at least three years an opportunity to act as customers of employer-sponsored university training programs at public expense to the extent of a fixed quota, to provide training to non-graduate individuals.</p> <p>Such individuals can enter into an employer-sponsored training contract within a secondary professional or higher education program.</p> <p>Topics to discuss:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Key issues associated with sailing internship • New opportunities for employer-sponsored training • Prospects for expanding practical training • Special aspects of sailing internship for minors <p>Speakers:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Irina Yarovaya, Deputy Chairwoman of the State Duma 2. Vasily Sokolov, Deputy Head, Federal Agency for Fisheries <i>Peculiarities of cooperation between fishery industry and universities of Federal Agency for Fisheries based on amendments in the Russian Federation legislation</i> 3. Alexey Osintsev, President, Fishery Shipowners Association <i>Targeted training for fishery industry</i> 4. Evgeny Masyutkin, Rector, Kerch State Marine Technological University <i>On the organization of navigation practice at Kerch State Marine Technological University. Problematic issues</i> 5. Natalia Savchenko, HR Director, Russian Crab Group of Companies <i>Experience of cooperation between Russian Crab Group of Companies and maritime schools and colleges of the Primorye territory</i> 6. Oleg Sheshenya, HR Director, YAMSy
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Main Arena, Passage</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">16:00–16:10</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Official opening ceremony of the III International Science and Education Forum for the</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ilya Shestakov, Head, Federal Agency for Fisheries* 2. Vladimir Volkogon, Rector, Kaliningrad State Technical University 3. Kirill Kolonchin, Director, VNIRO

<p>Fishery Complex “FISHERY SKILLS”</p>	
<p><i>Main Arena, Passage</i></p> <p>16:10–16:30</p> <p>Award ceremony</p> <p>Organizers: Federal Agency for Fisheries</p>	<p>Award ceremony for winners in the qualification round of the “Professionals” championship</p>
<p><i>Conference Hall G22-24 (Second Floor)</i></p> <p>16:30–18:00</p> <p>Best practices of working with the youth: presentation, discussion, experience exchange</p> <p>Organizers: Federal Agency for Fisheries; Federal Agency for Youth Affairs; Youth Councils of Federal Executive Authorities</p> <p>Moderator: Nikolay Zimagorov, Chairman, Youth Council of the Federal Agency for Fisheries</p>	<p>Event details: The Youth Council of the Federal Agency for Fisheries was established in early 2024 based on a decision by the agency’s director. It is in charge of implementing corporate and personnel policies, developing the potential of young employees, and recruiting young people to work in the industry. At the council meeting, they will hold discussions with representatives of other agencies about some of the most pressing issues concerning the development of young people in the Russian Federation and the fishery industry in particular.</p> <p>Topics to discuss:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Youth policy in Russia and where to find personnel for the industry • International and intersectoral cooperation among young specialists from the executive authorities • Corporate culture at federal executive bodies: challenges and opportunities • The structure of modern grand politics in the country <p>Speakers:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yegor Litvinenko, Adviser to the Director of the Russian Federal Agency for Youth Affairs 2. Ekaterina Seromakha, Youth Policy Coordinator, VNIRO 3. Ksenia Rozinko, Head, Legal Department №2, Department for Control over State Order; Chairwoman, Youth Council of Federal Antimonopoly Service (FAS Russia) 4. Nikolay Baykovsky, Chairman, Youth Council of the Ministry of Culture of the Russian Federation 5. *Representative, State Duma Committee on Youth Policy (TBD)

18 September 2024 (Day 2)

<p>09:00–10:00 Registration</p>	
<p><i>Conference Hall G22-24 (Second Floor)</i></p> <p>15:45–17:15</p> <p>Presentation of projects of the Federal Agency for Fisheries Youth Convention</p> <p>Organizers: Federal Agency for Fisheries</p> <p>Moderator: Nadezhda Kononenko, Expert, Russian Presidential Academy of National Economy and Public Administration; Business Coach; Director, State HR Program</p>	<p>Event details: Young Russians are getting involved in the work of the industry. Over the course of three days, the most pressing issues of the development of the fisheries industry will be raised at the general meeting of young people in the industry. Students from fishing industry universities and colleges, young scientists, and employees of subordinate organizations, regional agencies, and the central office of the Federal Agency for Fisheries, under the guidance of the best moderators from the Russian Presidential Academy of National Economy and Public Administration, will prepare projects for the development of the industry. The meeting participants will present the results of their work to their colleagues – chairmen of the youth councils of the federal executive bodies, experts, and industry management.</p> <p>Project themes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Security for the industry’s personnel • Industry corporate culture • Changing the eating culture: the way to increase fishery products consumption • Promotion of the fisheries industry in Russia and around the world <p>Experts:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Andrey Yakovlev, Deputy Director, Federal Agency for Fisheries 2. Yegor Litvinenko, Adviser to the Director of the Federal Agency for Youth Affairs 3. Elizabeth Trishina, Head of Communications, Presidential Platform “Russia is a country of opportunities” 4. Vladimir Volkogon, Rector, Kaliningrad State Technical University 5. Samin Fatullaev, Head, Division of Analytics, Planning and Modern HR Technologies, Functional Activities Management Department, The Pension and Social Insurance Fund of the Russian Federation (SFR) 6. Marina Pryneva, Chairwoman, Youth Council of the Federal Tax Service
<p><i>Conference Hall D1</i></p> <p>17:45–19:15</p>	<p>Event details: The country’s fishing industry is faced with a shortage of young specialists. Modern training programs at universities specializing in fisheries should be preparing qualified personnel, but few of the graduates end up working in related businesses or scientific institutes after graduation. Why would one want to work in the fishing industry or</p>

<p>Key event: Open talk “Look beyond the horizon!”</p> <p>Organizers: Federal Agency for Fisheries, VNIRO</p> <p>Moderator: Nikolay Zimagorov, Chairman of the Youth Council, Federal Agency for Fisheries</p>	<p>academia? What does the future of the fishing industry in this country look like? “Look beyond the horizon!” is an event where the industry’s best people come to meet students from universities specializing in fisheries on equal terms. The winners of university competitions held in January–June 2024 will defend their projects and maybe even receive offers directly from those with the power to make them.</p> <p>Experts:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ilya Shestakov, Head, Federal Agency for Fisheries 2. German Zverev, President, All-Russian Association of Fisheries Enterprises, Entrepreneurs and Exporters (VARPE) 3. Vladimir Volkogon, Rector, Kaliningrad State Technical University 4. Kirill Kolonchin, Director, VNIRO 5. Elizabeth Trishina, Head of Communications, Presidential Platform “Russia is a country of opportunities” 6. Natalia Mendus, Managing Director of the Venture Studio of Rosselkhozbank <p>Participant projects:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Artyom Boyko, Student, Kamchatka State Technical University <i>“Freeze-Dried Molded Pollock Technology”</i> 2. Alexandra Kolesnikova, Master’s Student, Kaliningrad State Technical University <i>“Developing a program product to support a complex research of krill biology”</i> 3. Pavel Polukhin, Graduate Student, Astrakhan State Technical University <i>“Marine robotics for the fishing industry”</i> 4. Albina Makarenko, Student, Kerch State Marine Technological University <i>“Innovative production technologies for minced molluscs with vegetable additives”</i> 5. Ksenia Bogdanovskaya, Student, Dalrybvtuz <i>“Developing technology for the industrial cultivation of macroalgae Ulva lactuca”</i>
<p>19 September 2024 (Day 3)</p>	
<p>09:00–10:00 Registration</p>	
<p><i>Conference Area F3</i></p> <p>10:15–11:45</p> <p>Roundtable:</p>	<p>Event details:</p> <p>In the modern world, nothing can be promoted without social media. The younger generation gets information by watching news feeds, short videos, or pictures. News is becoming shorter and the best advertising found its way to the Internet a long time ago. In addition, the online image of an organization, and even its employees, is becoming more important every day. Applicants choose universities, customers choose products, and young specialists choose</p>

“Personal Brand: Tools and Strategies to Promote Fisheries on Social Media”

Organizers:

Federal Agency for Fisheries, Russia – The Country of Opportunities

Moderator:

Marina Girnyk, brand director of RTBSape, member of the ARIR and RAEC associations, Lecturer at the Moscow State Polytechnical University

jobs often not based on a huge number of little-known indicators for the average person, but based on the image of the organization and its brand. The roundtable experts will talk and share their experience about how to create your own personal brand on the Internet, regardless of who you are: a student, company owner, or government employee. Your digital avatar is how the world views you today.

Topics to discuss:

- What are the most effective tools for promoting a personal brand on social media?
- What are the basic principles of creating quality content for your personal brand?
- What personal branding strategies can be used depending on your goals and resources?
- How can you create a unique and memorable image for your personal brand?
- What trends in promoting personal brands are currently important?

Speakers:

1. Dmitry Tumansky, Athlete fisherman, winner of Big Fish Day, organizer of the Fish Day fishing festival
2. Ilya Shabalin, Marketing Director of the MOSOBLREKLAMA Group of Companies
3. Yulia Komissarova-Safina, Development Director of Media Connect Group (360 advertising agency), Sales and communications expert, speaker at industry conferences dedicated to advertising and marketing
4. Anastasia Komissarova, founder, head of the communications agency "This is August", teacher of the author's course on strategic communications for RUDN students