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BEARR News

14 November 2014. BEARR Trust Annual Conference. "Stormy Outlook? Challenges facing health and welfare NGOs and their international links"
<http://www.bearr.org/the-bearr-trust-2014-annual-conference/>

BEARR Newsletter No 63, September 2014, now available.
<http://www.bearr.org/what-we-do/newsletter/>

BEARR Trust Annual Lecture. Prof Archie Brown on "The Myth of the Strong Leader in Russia". Report at <http://www.bearr.org/annual-lecture-2014/>

BEARR Small Grants Scheme 2014. For outcome see <http://www.bearr.org/small-grants-scheme-2014/>

News from the Region

Ombudsman (Commissioner) needed for Rights of People with Disabilities?
<http://www.bearr.org/new-commissioner-needed-for-people-with-disabilities/>

Results of the 2nd Presidential Grants contest
<http://www.bearr.org/results-of-the-2nd-presidential-grants-contest/>

Private philanthropy in Russia's regions
<http://www.bearr.org/private-philanthropy-in-russia-s-regions/>

Results of survey of charitable giving in Russia
<http://www.bearr.org/results-of-survey-of-charitable-giving-in-russia/>

Yandex Money creates on-line facility for donations to charities and NGOs
<http://www.bearr.org/yandex-money-creates-on-line-facilities-for-donations-to-ngos/>

Values, fairness and professionalism in the charity sector
<http://www.bearr.org/charities-value-fairness-over-professionalism/>
<http://www.bearr.org/pr-and-values-in-the-charity-sector/>

Bill to support social entrepreneurship goes to the Duma
<http://www.bearr.org/bill-to-support-social-entrepreneurship-goes-to-duma/>

Putin hears at Human Rights Council that Russia needs a new NGO Law
<http://www.bearr.org/russia-needs-a-new-ngo-law/>

NGOs urge improvement of statistics on new-born infants
<http://www.bearr.org/better-statistics-needed-on-abandoned-new-borns/>

Proposed reduction in minimum fines for breaches of 'foreign agent' law
<http://www.bearr.org/reduced-minimum-fines-for-foreign-agent-ngos/>

Possible changes in support for disabled children
<http://www.bearr.org/possible-changes-in-support-for-disabled-children/>

Corporate donations can help solve social problems
<http://www.bearr.org/corporate-donations-can-help-solve-social-problems/>

NGOs in danger of 'governmentalisation'
<http://www.bearr.org/ngos-in-danger-of-governmentalisation/>

Distinguishing between bogus and bona fide volunteers
<http://www.bearr.org/distinguishing-bogus-and-bona-fide-volunteers/>

Penal work camps not to be replaced by European-style prisons
<http://www.bearr.org/penal-work-camps-to-remain/>

Some social services may not qualify for official support
<http://www.bearr.org/some-social-services-to-miss-out-on-official-support/>

Recommendations on the prevention of abandonment of new-born children
<http://www.bearr.org/preventing-the-abandonment-of-new-born-babies/>

Experts see the future of corporate social responsibility in social enterprise
<http://www.bearr.org/the-future-of-csr-lies-in-social-enterprise/>

Report on plight of disabled children in state homes, urging more family care
<http://www.bearr.org/hrw-on-disabled-children-in-russia/>
<http://www.bearr.org/plight-of-disabled-children-in-state-homes/>

Grants and opportunities

Competition for National Prize for Social Communications and Charity. Deadline: 31 December. <http://www.luchnik.ru/premium/>

Appointments

EHRAC is looking for a full-time case and projects officer. Deadline: 17 November
<http://www.mdx.ac.uk/about-us/work-for-us/job-vacancies>

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