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BEARR News

BEARR Annual Conference, 15 November 2013. "The Uses and Abuses of Social Networking for Health and Welfare NGOs in the BEARR Region". **Book now!**

<http://www.bearr.org/conference2013>

BEARR Newsletter September 2013

http://www.bearr.org/pdfs/193/BEARRnews61_web_1sept.pdf

"Can Russia Modernise?" Report of BEARR Trust Annual Lecture, 25 June 2013

<http://www.bearr.org/lecture2013>

BEARR Small Grants Scheme 2013. For list of successful bids see

<http://www.bearr.org/SGS2013>

"The Arts and Attitudes to Disability in Eastern Europe", BEARR/CEELBAS Forum, 22 March 2013. Report at <http://www.bearr.org/arts-disability-forum>

News from the region

8m roubles donated for the treatment of seriously ill children

http://www.bearr.org/en/news_items/view/1187/8_million_roubles_donated_for_the_treatment_of_seriously_ill_children

Vladimir Potanin to endow five Russian NGOs

http://www.bearr.org/en/news_items/view/1186/vladimir_potanin_to_endow_five_russian_ngos

Analytical presentation on Russian civil society

http://www.bearr.org/en/news_items/view/1185/analytical_presentation_on_russian_civil_society

Concept of 'social entrepreneur' to be incorporated into Russian legislation

http://www.bearr.org/en/news_items/view/1173/social_entrepreneur_introduced_into_russian_legislation

Research shows NGOs willing but lack expertise to run social services

http://www.bearr.org/en/news_items/view/1172/are_ngos_capable_of_running_social_services

Law signed on additional grounds for ad hoc inspections of NGOs

http://www.bearr.org/en/news_items/view/1163/new_grounds_for_inspection_of_ngos

Putin signs order for state aid for NGOs supporting civil society

http://www.bearr.org/en/news_items/view/1162/state_aid_for_human_rights_ngos

Human Rights Watch presentation on access for people with disabilities

http://www.bearr.org/en/news_items/view/1160/research_on_disabled_facilities

Train to be launched to promote the volunteering movement

http://www.bearr.org/en/news_items/view/1161/launch_of_volunteering_train

NGOs representatives meet Putin to discuss amendments to NGO laws

http://www.bearr.org/en/news_items/view/1151/putin_meets_critics_of_ngo_law

Free autumn study course for Moscow NGOs

http://www.bearr.org/en/news_items/view/1139/free_study_course_for_moscow_ngos

Themes discussed for NGO-initiated Civic Forum, 23 November

http://www.bearr.org/en/news_items/view/1133/themes_and_date_for_civil_forum
<http://komitetgi.ru/news/news/829/>

Subsidies for Moscow youth policy projects

http://www.bearr.org/en/news_items/view/1131/subsidies_for_moscow_youth_policy_projects

Events

30 October. "A Russian View of Today's Russia", lecture by Alexander Kramarenko, GBRS. <http://www.gbrussia.org/lectures.php>

11 November. Lecture by Sir Max Hastings in aid of St Gregory's Foundation
<http://www.eventzilla.net/web/event?eventid=2138987191>

15 November. "Promoting Charity Work in the Russian Mass Media". Lecture (in Russian) by Elena Temicheva, GBRS <http://www.gbrussia.org/lectures.php>

Grants and opportunities

Orthodox competition for projects on family, mother and child.
<http://konkurs.miloserdie.ru/>

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