

# Theoretical and Applied Ethics: Traditions and Perspectives — 2025

XVII International Conference

“Moral Progress: Lessons of the Past & Challenges of the Present”

November, 20-22 (2025)

Young Scholars Conference

November, 22 (2025)

Discussions about the existence of moral progress and its nature have been debated by thinkers since the emergence of ethics. Today, the scope of moral analysis continues to expand: the ethical status of animals, nature, and artificial moral agents regularly become subjects of ethical debates. Current trends in the development of the capitalist system highlight the need for business structures to seek an updated ethical framework. Concepts of education and interpersonal relationships are also transforming. The current state of social, scientific, technological, and cultural development necessitates analysis within classical ethical approaches and the further evolution of philosophical thought.

The international scientific conference “Theoretical and Applied Ethics: Traditions and Prospects” has been held since 2007. The geography of the conference covers all parts of the world: China, Japan, Brazil, USA, EU countries, Argentina, Russia, Belarus, Serbia, Turkey, Iran, Kuwait.

The Young Scholars Conference allows students not only to engage more closely with the academic world but also to demonstrate creative approaches to solving socially significant problems.

## Papers may address following topics

- Contemporary Reflections on Classical Moral Questions
- The Logic and Argumentation of Morality
- Corporate Social Responsibility in Business
- Problems of Environmental Ethics
- Ethical Education: Current Approaches
- Applied Ethics and the Challenges of Modern Society
- Ethical Issues in Breakthrough Technologies
- Value Conflicts and Their Role in Moral Progress
- Moral Reasoning in the Legal System
- Political Ethics and Ethics for Politics

## Information

The conference is held both **in person and online**

**Languages** of the conference: Russian, English

The proceedings of the conference with ISSN are indexed in Russian Science Citation Index (PIHL)

We invite participants to submit full text of the papers in academical journal «[Discourses of Ethics](#)» (ISBN, RSCI)

**Registration fee:** 1300 rub.

(500 rub for the young scholars' conference)

Payment's instructions are sent to participants after the finalization of the conference program

## Dates

**July, 1st (2025)**

Deadline for submitting workshop proposals

[Application Form](#)

**September, 15<sup>th</sup> (2025)**

Deadline for submitting applications and papers for participating in the conference and in the proceedings

[Application form](#)

**October, 25<sup>th</sup> (2025)**

Finalization of the conference program, sending invitations to participants

 [Website of the Conference](#)

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