Moscow – Leningrad – Moscow

ITINERARY FOR AMERICAN DELEGATION TO
SOVIET–AMERICAN CONFERENCE ON THE CURRENT
ISSUES OF THE MIDDLE EAST
November 22, – December 1, 1983

The staff of the Institute of
Oriental Studies welcomes you
and wishes to make your partici-
ipation in the Soviet-American
Conference on the Current Issues
of the Middle East fruitful, en-
joyable and convenient
Tuesday, November 22

6:05 p.m.  
Arrive SCHEREMETIEVO-2 International Airport, Moscow Luftganza Airlines Flight # 342

9:00 p.m.  
Transfer to:
Hotel Russia

Dinner, discussion of agenda

Wednesday, November 23

8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.  
Breakfast

9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.  
At leisure

Luncheon

12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.  
→ Opening Session. Soviet-American Conference on the Current Issues of the Middle East

7 p.m.  
Reception hosted by the Institute of Oriental Studies USSR Academy of Science

Thursday, November 24

8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.  
Breakfast

10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon  
→ Morning session

12:00 noon – 12:30 p.m.  
Coffee break

12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.  
→ Session continued

1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.  
Luncheon

3:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.  
→ Afternoon Session

7:00 p.m.  
Cultural activity: Circus

Visit to the Kremlin Palace of Congresses

Friday, November 25

8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.  
Breakfast

10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon  
Morning session

12:00 noon – 12:30 p.m.  
Coffee break

12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.  
Session continued

1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.  
Luncheon

3:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.  
Afternoon Session

8:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.  
Dinner

At leisure
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| Saturday, November 26 | **Breakfast**  
8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.                                                                 |
|               | **Morning session**  
10:00 a.m. – 11:40 a.m.                                                                 |
|               | **Coffee Break**  
11:40 a.m. – 12:10 a.m.                                                                 |
|               | **Concluding session of the Conference**  
12:10 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.                                                                 |
|               | **Cultural activity: Visit to the Tretyakov Art Gallery**  
4:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.                                                                 |
|               | **Visit to the Moscow State circus**  
7:00 p.m.                                                                 |
| Sunday, November 27 | **Breakfast**  
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.                                                                 |
|               | **Depart Hotel Russia by bus for visit to Zagorsk**  
10:00 a.m.                                                                 |
|               | **Arrival to Zagorsk**  
12:00 noon                                                                 |
|               | **Visit to Troitse-Sergieva Lavra**  
12:00 noon – 2:00 p.m.                                                                 |
|               | **Depart Zagorsk**  
2:00 p.m.                                                                 |
|               | **Luncheon in Skazka restaurant**  
3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.                                                                 |
|               | **Arrive Hotel Russia**  
6:00 p.m.                                                                 |
|               | **Visit to the theatre**  
7:00 p.m.                                                                 |
| Monday, November 28 | **Breakfast**  
8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.                                                                 |
|               | **Meeting with officials in the USSR Ministry of Foreign affairs**  
10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.                                                                 |
|               | **Luncheon**  
1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.                                                                 |
|               | **Meeting in the Institute of U.S.A. and Canada Studies**  
3:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.                                                                 |
|               | **Depart Leningradskii Station for Leningrad by train**  
11:55 p.m.                                                                 |
| Tuesday, November 29 | **Arrive Leningrad**  
8:30 a.m.                                                                 |
|               | **Transfer to Hotel**  
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.                                                                 |
|               | **Breakfast**  
11:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.                                                                 |
|               | **Discussion with Head of the Leningrad Branch of the Institute of Oriental Studies**  
11:30 a.m.                                                                 |
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<td>Leningrad City tour</td>
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<td>1:30 p.m.</td>
<td>Luncheon</td>
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<td>3:00 p.m.</td>
<td>Visit to Hermitage Museum</td>
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<td>5:30 p.m.</td>
<td>Dinner</td>
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<td>7:00 p.m.</td>
<td>Visit to Kirov Opera and Ballet theatre</td>
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**Wednesday, November 30**

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<td>10:00 a.m.</td>
<td>Excursion to Pushkino</td>
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<td>2:00 p.m.</td>
<td>Luncheon</td>
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<td>3:30 p.m.</td>
<td>Visit to the Russian Museum</td>
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<td>5:00 p.m.</td>
<td>Art Gallery</td>
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<td>Depart for Moscow by train</td>
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**Thursday, December 1**

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<td>Transfer to Hotel Russia</td>
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<td>Breakfast</td>
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<td>11:00 a.m.</td>
<td>Meetings to be arranged according to participants' requirements</td>
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<td>3:00 p.m.</td>
<td>Luncheon</td>
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<td>4:30 p.m.</td>
<td>Depart hotel by bus for Scheremetievo-2 International Airport, Depart on Luftganza Airlines Flight # 341</td>
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*Note: All expenses on Yours Stay will be paid by the Institute of Oriental Studies*
SOVIET—AMERICAN CONFERENCE ON CURRENT
ISSUES OF THE MIDDLE EAST

Moscow
November 22 — 25, 1983

Wednesday, November 23, 1983

2:00 p.m. Opening Session. Introduction by
Academician E.M. Primakov

Problems of the Middle East Settlement
in the present-day context

Prof. D. Pipes

American Debate Over the
Middle East

Dr. S.M. Rogov

Some Particularities of the American—
Israeli Alliance

Prof. N. Safran

Dimensions of the Middle East Problem

3:35 — 5:15 Discussion

Thursday, November 24, 1983

10:00 a.m. Morning session

Prof. J.C. Hurewitz

The Superpowers and the Arab—Israeli
Dispute, 1947 — 1973: the Politics of Mutual Denial

Prof. E.D. Pyrlin

The Middle-East Settlement in the
Context of the Soviet—American
Relations

Prof. H.F. Elits

The Arab—Israeli Conflict and the
Superpowers Since 1973

Dr. A.K. Kislov

Soviet and American Approaches to
the Overall Settlement in the Middle
East
11:20 a.m. – 12:00 noon Discussion
12:00 noon – 12:30 p.m. Coffee break
12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. Discussion
1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Luncheon break
3:00 p.m. Afternoon Session

Prof. D.A. Rustow
Dr. V.I. Nosenko

Friday, November 25, 1983

10:00 a.m. Morning session
Prof. I.P. Belyaev
Dr. O.V. Kovtunovich
Prof. M.K. Hudson
Prof. A.M. Vasiliev

11:20 a.m. – 12:00 noon Discussion
12:00 noon – 12:30 p.m. Coffee break
12:30 p.m. – 3 p.m. Discussion

SOCIO–ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL PROCESSES IN THE MIDDLE AND NEAR EAST

Political Processes in the Arab States: the Camp-David Lessons
The Problem of Arab Unity
Socio–Economic and Political Developments in the Arab States Today
The Model of Dependent Capitalist Development: Contradictions and Perspectives
3 p.m. Afternoon session

Prof. B. Lewis
Prof. N.A. Ivanov
Prof. Yu.V. Gankovsky
Prof. N.R. Keddie

4:20 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

6:00 p.m.

Saturday, November 26, 1983

10:00 a.m. Morning Session

Dr. R.N. Andreasyan
Dr. I.P. Ivanova
Dr. A.O. Filonik

11:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon

12:00 noon - 12:30 p.m.

12:30 p.m.

Prof. Grose

Dr. I.D. Zvyagelskaya

1:10 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Islamic Political Movements

Some Notes on their Historical Background

Social Aspects of Fundamentalism and Traditional Islam

Changes in Social Structure of Afghan Society after the April Revolution of 1978

Fundamentalism in Iran: the Phases of the Khomeini Revolution

Discussion

Oil Factor in the Middle East: Aspects of Socio-Economic Development in Oil Producing Arab States

Structural Shifts and Rates of Social Reproduction in the Arab States at the end of the 1970s.

Some Aspects of the Agrarian Evolution in the Middle East Countries

Discussion

Coffee break

Political and Social Changes in Israel

The Role of the Army in Israel's Political life

Discussion. Conclusions on Topic Two and Summary

Conference closed

Note: Time limit: 20 min. for reporters.
              10 min. for comments in discussions
Soviet-American Conference Delegation List

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Los Angeles

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