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PRACTICAL INFORMATION FOR THE PARTICIPANTS OF THE **19th UNICA EduLAB meeting**

**The Role of Universities in developing
human capital for a new economy**



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Public transport & taxi services

Tickets

In order to use every kind of public transport (metro, monorail, buses, trolleybuses and trams) you can buy «Troika» smart-card. You can recharge the card with any amount of money (one ride costs **36 rubles**). The card itself costs **50 rubles** that you leave as a deposit to buy it (you can recover these money if you return the card at the ticket office of any Metro station or leave the card as a souvenir from Moscow).

Metro

The Moscow Metro is the city's largest transit system, it starts work at 06.00 a.m., but stations open at 05.30-05.40 a.m. At 01.00 a.m. the entrances close and passengers must complete their transfers. Last train leaves also at 01.03 a.m.

Moscow metro map



You can use interactive map from Yandex. Metro [website](#) or download it as an app from [Google Play](#) or [App Store](#).

Taxi services

There are a lot of taxi services in Russia.

Most common are:

Yandex Taxi: +7 (495) 999 99 99, [App Store](#), [Google Play](#)

Uber: [App Store](#), [Google Play](#)

Gett Taxi: [App Store](#), [Google Play](#)

English speaking taxi services:

1. **[Angel Taxi](#)**: +7 (495) 956 08 00 (or skype *angel-taxi.com*)
English and French-speaking drivers, flat rates, accepts cash or Visa/MasterCard;
2. **[Lingo Taxi](#)**: +7 (495) 204 21 34
Taxi and airport transfer service in Moscow and St. Petersburg with fixed fares, accepts cash, credit cards/PayPal. English, German, Spanish speaking drivers;
3. **[Welcome Taxi](#)**: +7 (499) 553 01 58 (or skype *welcometaxi*)
Taxi and transfer service for foreign visitors and in Moscow. English-speaking phone operators (English, German, French, Spanish, Italian speaking drivers), accepts cash, credit cards online, bank transfer;
4. **[Moscow Taxi](#)**: +7 (499) 995 06 54
English speaking taxi and transfers from any Moscow airport. Fixed prices, accepts cash or Visa/MasterCard,

Venues & Addresses

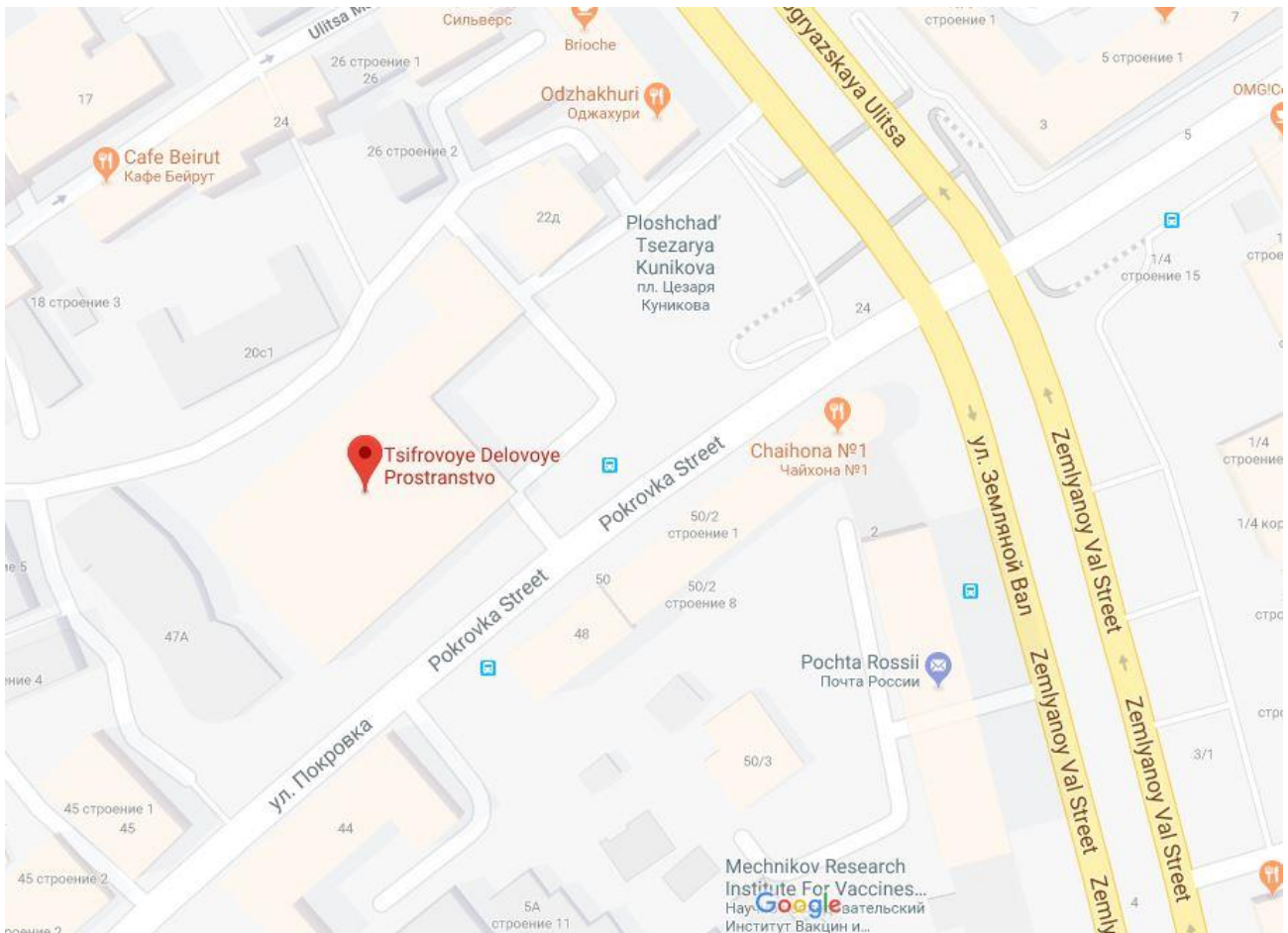
Wednesday, 5-6 December 2018

eLearning Stakeholders and Researchers Summit 2018



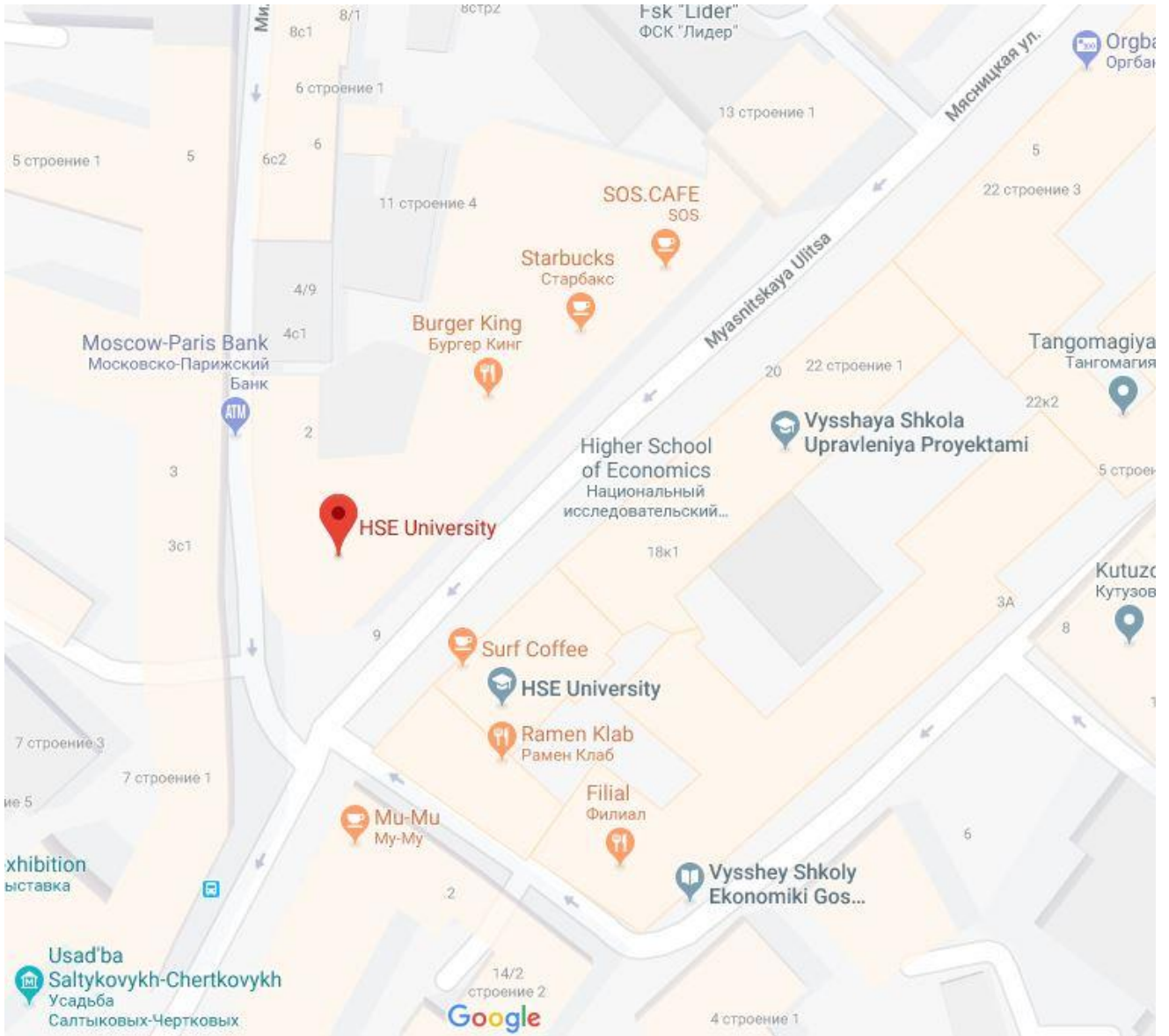
EduLAB 2018 is combined with eSTARS 2018, 5-6 December 2018. The participants in the EduLAB have the opportunity to attend eSTARS – **eLearning Stakeholders and Researchers Summit 2018**, the international research conference dedicated to academic and applied aspects of online education, The participation in eSTARS is free of charge for representatives of UNICA member universities.

Address of the 1st conference day: Digital Business Hub, 47, Pokrovka street (nearby metro stations – Krasnye Vorota, Kurskaya)



Map 1.

Address of the 2nd conference day: HSE building, 11, Myasnitckaya (nearby metro stations – Kitai Gorod, Lubyanka, Teatralnaya)

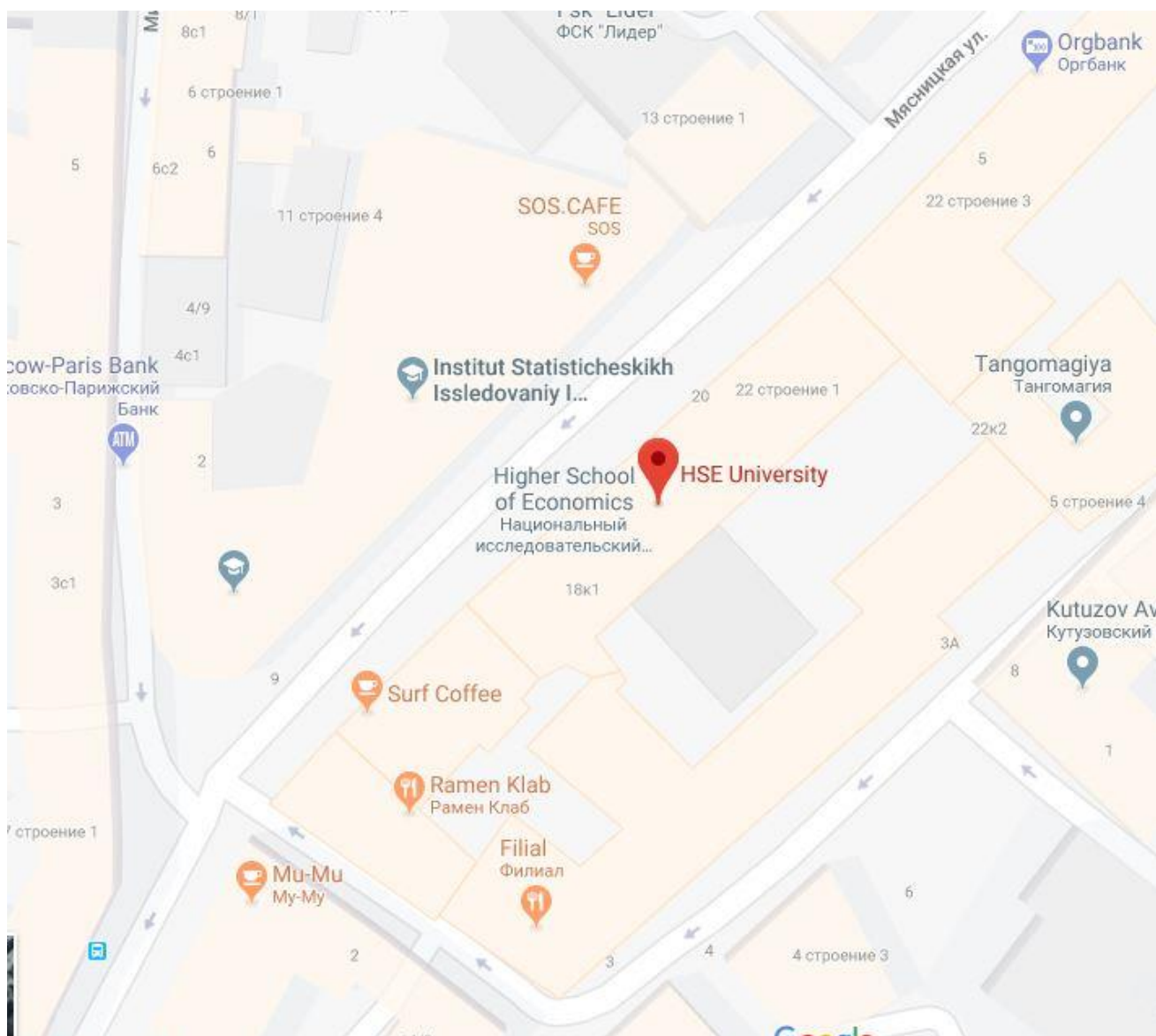


Map 2.

Thursday, 6 December 2018

Welcome dinner (19:30-22:00)

Address: HSE building, Professors' Club (room 300), 20, Myasnitskaya (nearby metro stations – Kitai Gorod, Lubyanka, Teatrnaya)



Map 3.

Friday, 7 December 2018

19th UNICA EduLAB meeting 2018

Address: HSE building, 11, Myasnitskaya (nearby metro stations – Kitai Gorod, Lubyanka, Teatrnaya)

See *Map 2* for the details.

What to see in Moscow

Parks & city sights

(for those who are brave enough to take a walk in the beginning of Russian winter)

Kremlin and Red Square



In spite of being one of the most obvious Moscow sights, Kremlin and Red Square are still worth visiting. The very founding site of the city (and arguably, the country), the Kremlin and Red Square lie at the heart of Moscow – historically, geographically and spiritually.

On the Red Square you can marvel at St Basil's Cathedral build in XVI century to mark the 1552 capture of Kazan from Mongol forces. It opens daily from 11.00 to 17.00 and closes on Tuesdays, so you have a good chance to see what's inside this gorgeous building.

And The Moscow Kremlin State Historical and Cultural Museum and Heritage Site incorporates the Armoury Chamber, monuments of the architectural ensemble of the Cathedral Square, including the Assumption, Archangel and Annunciation cathedrals, the Church of Laying Our Lady's Holy Robe, the Patriarch's Palace with the Twelve Apostles' Church and the Ivan the Great Bell-Tower complex, as well as the exhibition halls in the Assumption Belfry and Patriarch's Palace. [Here](#) you can see its visiting hours and buy tickets to visit its museums.

Address: m. Teatralnaya/Okhotnyi Ryad/Ploshchad Revolyutsii, Moscow, Russia

Zaryadye



Zaryadye is a new park and cultural centre near the Kremlin and Red Square created by an international team of architects, engineers, landscape designers and other experts. The park features an interactive archaeology museum, a floral greenhouse, installations from leading cultural institutions, and a large open-air amphitheater. 70 meters long River Overlook above the Moscow River opens the best in the city view of the Kremlin and Red Square.

The park is open 24/7 (its pavilions, however, works from 10 a.m.-8 p.m. on Tuesdays till Sundays and from 2 p.m.-8 p.m. on Mondays. [Here](#) you can learn more about the park and what it has to offer.

Address: m. Kitay-Gorod. Varvarka Street 6, Moscow, Russia

Gorky Park



Gorky Park is the capital's central park, with more than 40 000 visitors on weekdays and 250 000 on weekends and public holidays. Designed in the 1920s by avant-garde architect Konstantin Melnikov as a piece of communist utopia, these days it showcases the enlightened transformation Moscow has undergone in the recent past. Since 2011 the park has been setting new standards, becoming Russia's first world-class park and space for recreation, sport, dance and outdoor games.

The entrance is free. [Learn](#) what to see and do in the park and don't forget to visit [Garage Museum](#) situated right in the park.

Address: m. Oktyabr'skaya/m. Park Kul'tury. Krymsky Val 9, Moscow, Russia

Rivers & Skies



You also have a wonderful opportunity to see Moscow from unusual point of view. First, you can escape from traffic jams with [Radisson cruise](#) and enjoy stunning views and main attractions of historical Moscow from water.

Second, you can visit the highest building in Europe – Ostankinskaya tower – and marvel at the views from almost impossible heights. Tickets cost no more than 21\$ can be bought [here](#).

Art & Performance

Bolshoi Theater



The Bolshoi Theatre is a symbol of Russia for all time. It was awarded this honor due to the major contribution it made to the history of the Russian performing arts. This history is ongoing and today Bolshoi Theatre artists continue to contribute to it many bright pages. It stages operas and ballets and is home to the best-known dance company in the world. The Bolshoi Ballet and Bolshoi Opera are amongst the oldest and most renowned ballet and opera companies in the world. It is by far the world's biggest ballet company, with more than 200 dancers. You can check if this laudatory description is true. [Tickets](#) prices depends on

performances' stage and time and varies from 10\$ to 260\$.

Address: m. Teatralnaya/m. Okhotnyi Ryad. Teatralnaya ploshchad 1, Moscow, Russia

The State Tretyakov Gallery



The Tretyakov Gallery is the main museum of Russian national art, reflecting its unique contribution to world culture. The museum consists of two galleries in two separate locations and houses the best examples of Russian art from before and after the revolution. In the old Tretyakov gallery you can see more than 1300 works of Russian art from the 11th till the early 20th century, beginning from pre-Mongolian icons and mosaics and ending with landscape, portrait and historical painting and masterpieces, including works of the great artists V.I.Surikov, V.V.Vereshchagin, I.E.Repin, V.A.Serov and others are represented in different sides. The new Tretyakov gallery showcases all the main Russian art periods that followed the revolution. To see the greatest examples of Russian art with your own eyes, go to the museum [site](#) and buy tickets.

Address: Lavrushinsky per. 10 (Tretyakovskaya m.s.) and Krymsky Val 10 (Park Kultury/Oktyabr'skaya m.s.), Moscow, Russia