



RECOMMENDATIONS
of the 5-th International Symposium
for Railroad Universities in Europe and Asia
“Harmonization and Integration of Education Systems
of Transport Universities in Europe and Asia»
and
of the General meeting of the
International Association of Transport Universities
of Asian-Pacific Regions Members

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Being aware of common problems and the urgent demand for the joint efforts of the higher educational institutions, research institutions, enterprises of the railway industry and other organizations concerned, the General Meeting Universities-participants of the 5-th International Symposium for Railroad Universities in Europe and Asia and members IATU APR adopts the following **RESOLUTION**:

1. To develop and maintain cooperation among all the participants of the Symposium, members of the International Association of Transport Universities APR in the sphere of education and science;

2. To establish and develop contacts with related international and National railway organizations in other countries in the field of education and science, to provide the results publication of the joint scientific works in the reputable scientific journals;

3. To create permanent Committees at the IATU APR in order to unite research and educational potentials of the member universities which work on specific directions as well as those members interested in participation in development of cooperation projects in the following spheres: scientific research, education, etc.; sharing experience; organization of joint research within the frameworks of the Association; organization of seminars, symposia, advanced professional development courses and trainings; joint development and realization of projects; development and realization of joint educational programs, and short-term programs for students:

- 1) Committee for Education and Research;
- 2) Committee for Logistics and Development of Eurasian Transport Corridors;
- 3) Committee for High Speed Traffic;
- 4) Committee for Geotechnical Research.

4. In order to ensure the successful work of the committees to elect a Chairmen for each Committee and to approve the working plan for the next calendar year in working order.

5. To consider the following objectives as priorities in the joint work of the Participants of the Symposium and members of IATU APR:

1) the active promotion of development of transport corridors including the prospective Asia-North American corridor, Trans-Siberian, Turksib and other transport corridors in the APR countries;

2) monitoring and development of the principles for construction and operation of railways under the conditions of the North, geotechnical research;

3) development and elaboration of the transport-distribution network in Northeast Asia and securing of cooperation between railway and sea transport.

5. To accept the following universities as new members of the IATU APR:

1) Shijiazhuang Tiedao University (China);

2) Siberian State Transport University (Russia).

7. To create a common system of education quality control, promoting uniting of the efforts of academic communities, to establish a Network University for Transport and Logistics of the APR countries at the IATU APR in order to form an integrated educational sphere among IATU member-countries and to provide opportunities for "actual transference" and actual training participants of the educational process:

1) to form an Expert Council of the Network University for Transport and Logistics of the APR countries, to appoint a Chairman of the Expert Council in working order;

2) to appoint the Far Eastern State Transport University as the Coordinator on establishing of the Network University for Transport and Logistics of the APR countries.

8. To assign the Korea National University of Transportation (Korea) as the main University for conduction of the VI International Symposium for Railroad Universities in Europe and Asia as well as the regular Meeting of members of IATU APR, and the Siberian State Transport University (Russia) as the reserve University. The planned term is - March-April 2013, which will be clarified in working order.

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