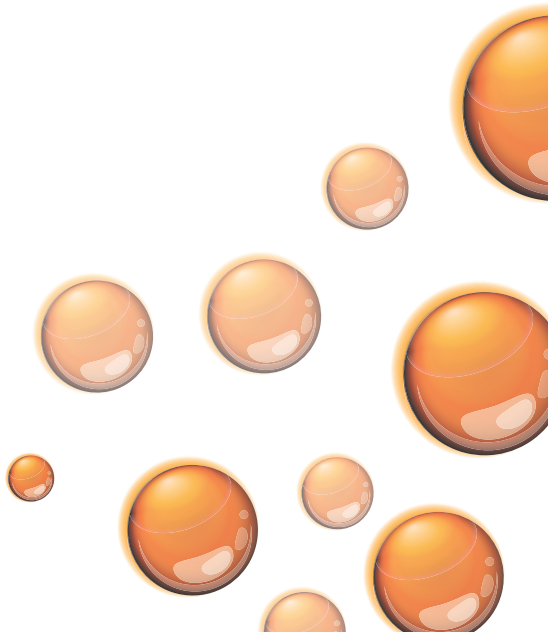
CORROSION PROTECTION

THE 28TH INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION AND CONGRESS

CONVENTION PROGRAM

APRIL 22–24, 2026



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APRIL 22, WEDNESDAY

TIME	EVENT
09:00–18:00 REGISTRATION DESKS Nos. 48–51	REGISTRATION OF PARTICIPANTS FOR CORROSION PROTECTION INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION & CONGRESS
09:15–11:00 MICROPASSAGE, LEVEL 1	WELCOME COFFEE
10:00–18:00 PAVILION F	OPERATION OF THE EXPOSITION DURING CORROSION PROTECTION EXHIBITION & CONGRESS AND SIDE EVENTS: MUNICIPAL HOUSING COMPLEX OF RUSSIA EXHIBITION, POWER & ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING EXHIBITION, PIPELINE VALVES. PUMPS EXHIBITION, WATER RESOURCES CONFERENCE AND EXHIBITION
10:30–15:00 CONFERENCE HALL OF PRESS CENTRE, LEVEL 2	ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION **EFFECTIVE MEANS OF CORROSION PROTECTION BASED ON INNOVATIVE TECHNOLOGIES** ORGANISERS: • ExpoForum International; • Engineering Technological Centre Alliance of Welders of St. Petersburg and North-West Region **POWERED BY:** • AIR LIQUIDE; • Krylov State Research Centre; • Rubin Central Design Bureau for Marine Engineering; **MODERATOR:** • **Ivan Ter-Mateosyants,** Executive Director, Scientific & Industrial Valve Manufacturers Association **SPEAKERS:** • **Ekaterina Ponurova,** Expert, Zink Development Center **Report: Prevention arrangements and economics in corrosion protection** • **Vladislav Polkin,** Ph. D. in Engineering, CEO, Zink Development Center **Report: Zink and corrosion protection. Markets and technologies** • **Pavel Orlov,** Senior Specialist, AIR LIQUIDE **Report: Corrosion-proof shield: part of industrial gases in protection of metal structures** • **Maria Stepanova,** Ph. D. in Physics and Mathematics, Expert, AIR LIQUIDE **Report: Industrial gases by AIR LIQUIDE for laser technologies**

- **Alexander Perestoronin,**
  Ph. D. in Engineering, Head of Promising Laser Equipment and Technologies Projects, VPG Laserone
  Report: How cleaning metal surfaces from common pollution types depends on main parameters of impulsive laser sources

- **Konstantin Zershchikov,**
  CEO, Constanta-2
  Report: Liquid gumming compositions used to protect against corrosion steel and concrete storage and transportation tanks for medium and highly corrosive media

- **Vitaly Ivanov,**
  Head of Project Sales, AZOS
  Report: Using composite materials, fibreglass coatings to protect process pipelines and equipment that contact aggressive environments

- **Valery Krivorotov,**
  Ph. D. in Engineering, Senior Project Specialist, VPG LaserONE
  Report: Specifics of training, retraining, and advanced training for welding specialists working with laser-based technologies

- **Lyubov Yurchenko,**
  CEO, Integratsiya Plus
  Report: Digital radiographic control of samples after laser corrosion protection depositing of stainless steel over carbon steel

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11:00–18:00
PAVILION F

BUSINESS MATCHMAKING CENTRE: INDUSTRIAL DAYS
B2B MEETINGS FOR CUSTOMERS AND SUPPLIERS IN THE INDUSTRY

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- ExpoForum International

12:00–12:30
INTER-PAVILION AREA, GATES N°51, PAVILION F

WORKSHOP
ZINC-RICH COATING TECHNOLOGIES

ORGANISER:
- Zinker

Demonstrating the technological procedure for application of Zinker class compositions: ensuring the best result with all the regulations observed.

SPEAKER:
- **Vasily Bocharov,**
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13:00–14:00
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LUNCH

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OPEN CONFERENCE HALL N°1, PAVILION F

ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION
HARBOR OPERATIONS. NAVIGATION. SHIP BUILDING FROM UPGRADES TO COMPONENTS
AS PART OF WATER RESOURCES CONFERENCE EXHIBITION

ORGANISER:
- ExpoForum International

DISCUSSION:
The event focuses on current concerns related to use of waterways as part of the transportation corridors being developed — West-East and North-South. The focus will be on analysis of the expected cargo flows and the required infrastructural development, including harbors, waterways, transportation means, multimodal hubs, as well as ship building and ship repairing enterprises. Representatives of federal and regional state authorities, business, research, and design companies, along with the interested members of the public are invited to join.

ISSUES TO BE DISCUSSED:
- Water, railway, and motor transport – competitors or partners? To what extent the infrastructure of waterways (harbors, flood-gates, depths etc.) is ready to serve the expected cargo flow (ship flow)?
- What fleet do we need? Where to build and repair it, and how to upgrade it?
- Seasonality of river routes — is it forever or are there options?
- Can intensive navigation through water areas go along with careful preservation of water ecosystems?

MODERATOR:
- **Vitaly Chernov,**
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- **Sofya Katkova,**
  Specialist in town planning, marine spatial planning, design of harbor and nearshore infrastructure; expert at Non-resource Non-energy Export Development Foundation; member of Union of Consumers concerned about activities of Rosmorport

- **Roziya Mikhailenko,**
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- **Marina Kazmina**,
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- **Artyom Lavrentyev,**
  Head of Support Group, Neftegazkompleks EKhZ
  Report: Cathodic corrosion shield for offshore and nearshore infrastructure: opportunities offered by Neftegazkompleks EKhZ

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  Report: Innovative structures of dams from especially lean pressed concrete and prospects of their introduction in Russia

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OPEN CONFERENCE HALL N°1, PAVILION F

ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION
CORROSION PROTECTION OF HYDROTECHNICAL FACILITIES AND WATER TRANSPORT
AS PART OF WATER RESOURCES CONFERENCE EXHIBITION

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10:00–13:00 CONFERENCE HALL OF PRESS CENTRE, LEVEL 2	**INTERNATIONAL SCIENTIFIC-PRACTICAL CONFERENCE** **TOPICAL ISSUES OF CORROSION PROTECTION** ORGANISER: • ExpoForum International **OPENING SPEECH:** • **Viktor Olekseychuk,** Chief of Branch of Department, Gazprom **SPEAKERS:** • **Ruslan Igoshin,** Senior Engineering, Branch of Department, Gazprom **Report: Gazprom's experience with special coatings for mechanical impact protection in pipelines installed trenchlessly** • **Alexey Borzov,** Head of Mechanical Integrity Group, Analytical Reliability Branch, Reliability Office, Gazpromneft ONPZ **Report: Modelling degradation processes and predicting residual life with a corrosion continuous monitoring system** • **Rustam Khabibulin,** Deputy Head of Corporate Science and Technology Centre, Production Facilities Technical Condition and Integrity Division, Gazprom VNIIGAZ **Report: Sacrificial protection for a marine gas pipeline: experience of design and tracking of repair works** • **Andrey Valyushok,** Senior Researcher at Corrosion Protection Laboratory, Transneft R&D Institute **Report: Inspection and repair of insulation coatings for better reliability of main pipeline facilities operation** • **Alexander Latyshev,** Senior Researcher, Laboratory of Protection and Heat Insulating Coatings, Corporate Science and Technology Centre, Production Facilities Technical Condition and Integrity Division, Gazprom VNIIGAZ **Report: New polyethylene compositions based coating systems applied by the flame spraying method**

- **Ivan Golubev,**
  Ph. D. in Engineering, Deputy Head of Promising Projects, New Technologies and Materials Research and Development Complex, Peter the Great St. Petersburg Polytechnic University
  Report: Predictive analysis for corrosion conditions of industrial pipelines used to transport unprocessed gas

- **Maxim Korobchuk,**
  Senior Specialist, Scientific-Technical Office, Gazprom 335
  Report: Current matters of corrosion and biofouling protection for subsea mining equipment

- **Artyom Lavrentyev,**
  Head of Support Group, Neftegazkompleks-EKhZ
  Report: Unique electrochemical protection systems by Neftegazkompleks-EKhZ for the offshore and nearshore infrastructure

- **Sergey Kusmartsev,**
  2nd Class Engineer, Chief Mechanical Engineer's Office, LUKOIL-Nizhnevolzhsneft
  Report: Organising corrosion monitoring at offshore facilities run by LUKOIL-Nizhnevolzhsneft

- **Ivan Lygin,**
  Senior Structural Engineer and Head of Electrochemical Protection Design Bureau, Energomera Electrotechnical Factories
  Report: Key areas of focus pursued at Energomera to enhance reliability and efficiency of corrosion protection in hydraulic engineering structures

- **Alexey Volkov,**
  1st class Engineer, Chief Power Engineer's Department, Transneft - Baltika
  Report: Current challenges in corrosion protection supervision for underground oil and oil products pipeline transportation facilities

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PAVILION F

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LUNCH

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WORKSHOP NO. 1

EFFECTIVE PROCESSES TO ENSURE BARRIER CORROSION PROTECTION BASED ON INNOVATIVE LASER TECHNOLOGIES

ORGANISER:
- AIR LIQUIDE

POWERED BY:
- ExpoForum International ;
- VPG LASERONE;
- Integratsiya Plus

The workshop will include:
- welding of zinked materials;
- laser depositing of stainless steel over carbon steel;
- laser surface treatment before application of protective, painting, preserving and other coatings.

MODERATOR:
- **Vitaly Cheremensky,**
  Project Engineer, VPG LASERONE

WORKSHOP NO. 2

DIGITAL RADIOGRAPHIC QUALITY CONTROL FOR WELDED JOINTS MADE WITH LASER AND HYBRID LASER ARC WELDING

ORGANISER:
- AIR LIQUIDE

POWERED BY:
- ExpoForum International ;
- VPG LASERONE;
- Integratsiya Plus

MODERATOR:
- **Lyubov Yurchenko,**
  CEO, Integratsiya Plus

14:00–15:30
CONFERENCE HALL OF PRESS CENTRE, LEVEL 2

INTERNATIONAL SCIENTIFIC-PRACTICAL CONFERENCE
TOPICAL ISSUES OF CORROSION PROTECTION

ORGANISER:
- ExpoForum International

SPEAKERS:
- **Vasily Bocharov,**
  CEO, Zinker (official partner of the Exhibition & Congress)
  Report: Extending the life of metal structures up to 30 years - benefits of zinc-rich coating

- **Igor Sidelnikov,**
  Deputy Head of Production Corrosion Protection, Gazprom Transgaz St. Petersburg

- **Leonid Bogdanov,**
  CEO, Communication & Telecommunication Systems
  Report: Remote monitoring of cathodic protection stations and drainage protection plants with the use of data acquisition and transmission device for cathodic protection stations. Experience of their introduction in the facilities run by Gazprom Transgaz St. Petersburg

- **Pavel Glazov,**
  Director of Engineering Centre, Pipeline Systems and Technologies
  Report: New vectors of development in remote corrosion monitoring equipment and software by TST

- **Maria Titova,**
  Director of Sales, PSS Corporation
  Report: Electrochemical protection: Practical aspects of design. Structure and use of telemetry in electrochemical protection

- **Maria Koryagina,**
  Senior Researcher, Laboratory of Corrosion Protection Systems Condition Analysis and Forecasts, Corporate Science and Technology Centre, Production Facilities Technical Condition and Integrity Division, Gazprom VNIIGAZ
  Report: Advanced training for corrosion protection specialists in Gazprom VNIIGAZ

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CONFERENCE HALL OF PRESS CENTRE, LEVEL 2

PLENARY SESSION
AS PART OF THE TOPICAL ISSUES OF CORROSION PROTECTION INTERNATIONAL SCIENTIFIC-PRACTICAL CONFERENCE

ORGANISER:
- ExpoForum International

The plenary session is dedicated to science-based analysis of the current state of the corrosion protection systems and prospects of their development. The event focuses on performance evaluation of existing and promising methods and systems designed for corrosion protection in real operation environments, but also integration of corrosion engineering in practical management of reliability and the life cycle of critically essential infrastructure.
In particular, the spotlight will be turned on digitalization of corrosion protection activities, introduction of smart protection systems concept, use of monitoring technologies in real time, and compliance with sustainable development objectives. Moreover, standardization issues (as usual) will be considered, too.

WELCOME SPEECH:
- **Vyacheslav Mikhalenko,**
  Member of Management Committee, Head of Department, Gazprom

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OPENING SPEECH:

- **Alexander Kaydash,**
  Deputy Head of Department, Gazprom

SPEAKERS:

- **Viktor Olekseychuk,**
  Chief of Branch of Department, Gazprom
  Report: Up-to-date trends and current tasks of technological development of corrosion protection systems

- **Rustam Valiakhmetov,**
  Head of Pipeline Operation Support Office, Ufa Affiliate of RN-Proektirovanie Dobycha, Head of Specialized Institute for Operation Reliability Enhancement and Industrial Pipelines Engineering at Rosneft Oil Company (Research Centre of Rosneft Oil Company)
  Report: Making corrosion protection of industrial pipelines more efficient. Challenges and prospects

- **Dmitry Zapevalov,**
  Head of Corporate Research and Development Centre for Corrosion Monitoring and Corrosion Protection, Gazprom VNIIGAZ (Research Centre of Gazprom)
  Report: More energy efficient corrosion protection systems for gas production and transportation facilities: enhancement vectors

- **Andrey Goncharov,**
  Deputy Head of Corrosion Protection Laboratory, Transneft R&D Institute (Research Centre of Transneft)
  Report: Studying the effect that cathodic potentials have on the corrosion state of underground pipelines: research results

- **Andrey Svinin,**
  Head of Oil-field Chemistry, Mining Engineering Office, Izhevsk Oil Research Centre (Research Centre of Rosneft Oil Company)
  Report: Analysing and managing corrosion processes. Ensuring better protection and operation of oil production, transportation, and treatment facilities

- **Pavel Stepanov,**
  Development Director - Head of Employees Certification Department, Russian Register Certification Association
  Report: Practices to guarantee top quality of corrosion protection in the fuel and energy sector: standardisation, certification and inspection. Developing the regulatory framework

18:10–21:30 CONFERENCE HALL ALFA-BANK D2	**GALA EVENING*** * Access by invitation only

APRIL 24, FRIDAY

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