On behalf of the Russian institutes and Universities – members of the SHiP project, we would like to propose the city of Moscow, capital of the Russian Federation, as place for SHiP summer meeting in 2017.

The host organization will be National University of Science and Technology MISiS. We propose for 2017 SHiP collaboration meeting the campus of the University, located in the heart of Moscow. NUST MISiS is one of the most dynamically developing scientific and educational centers of the country. Being among the leaders in technological education in Russia, NUST MISiS is also a successful research center with a rich history of achievements in the field of material science, modeling and development of new materials. We are proud to mention that Professor Alexei Abrikosov, a Nobel Prize winner for discoveries concerning type-II superconductors, headed the Department of Theoretical Physics of the University for many years.

Campus NUST MISiS is conveniently located in the center of Moscow. There are many important cultural sites within a radius of 2 km from the University such as the Kremlin, Red Square, the Bolshoi Theatre, Tretyakov Gallery of Fine Arts, Gorky Park etc. The campus is located on one of the main thoroughfares of the city, 100 meters from the metro station Oktyabrskaya.
There is excellent transport accessibility to the city's three airports Sheremetyevo (SVO), Vnukovo (VKO) and Domodedovo (DME). Travel time by public transport from each airport to the city center and the campus NUST MISiS is about an hour. There are flight connections with all major European cities. Cost of flight from Geneva to Moscow is about 200 euros, price for round trip from Berlin is about 120 euros. Moscow hosts hundreds of international meetings of any kind every year. The city is the central transport hub of Russia, which makes it comfortable to travel around the country. For example, a flight to St. Petersburg will take about 1.5 hours or it takes 4 hours by high-speed train Sapsan. Flight time to Sochi is 2.5 hours, to Kazan is 1.5 hours.

In June, the weather in Moscow is very comfortable, the average temperature is 22-25 degrees.

There are many accommodation options that meet any budget in the area of the campus and the location in central Moscow: hotels within walking distance of the campus from 20 euros / night, standard 4* chain-branded hotel in the center of the city for about € 100 / night, or even luxurious five-star hotels near the Red Square. Hotels of all the major international hotel groups (Radisson, Holiday Inn, Kempinski, Novotel etc) can be found in the city. Accommodation for students is recommended in
the NUST MISiS hostel – one of Russia's best university hostels – at the price of 10 euros / night. It is located just a few minutes away by public transport to NUST MISiS.

The visa support for foreign participants will be provided by the Joint Institute for Nuclear Research (Dubna) – the international organization on Russian territory, having decades of successful experience in this respect.
Welcome to Moscow!