

Earth Observation From Space Contest

From February 1 to September 30, 2010 the second contest of tutorials on the application of Earth observation images for school children training called "Round about" is to take place. The contest organisers, NGO Transparent World and the ScanEx RDC, invite teachers to participate. This contest is aimed to broaden the pedagogical experience and to make ideas of using space images popular among the educational community.

All contest participants will be awarded with commemorative diplomas. Winners and runners-up in each nomination will get a set of materials on using space images in education, as well as certificates that can be used at winner's discretion on getting space images from the ScanEx RDC archive, software (ScanMagic®) or on training courses.

1 place - 90,000 rubles worth certificate
2 place - 45,000 rubles worth certificate
3 place - 20,000 rubles worth certificate

The main contest prize is the notebook. It will be given to the one whose work will be acknowledged as the best one in all contest nominations.

Registration of participants is ongoing from February 1 until May 1. Studies for contest are accepted until September 30. Results will be announced on November 1.

More information about the contest terms and requirements can be found by addressing to Yekaterina Voronina at teacher@transparentworld.ru or by phone +7(495)739-73-85.

in 2009 22 teachers from 21 settlements from Kaliningrad to Sakhalin participated in the "Round about" contest final. The main prize (notebook) and the first place in "Preparation of tutorial in geography based on scholar training using space images" went to a teacher of geography and informatics of the high school #6 of Kholmsk, Sakhalin Region, Marina Martyshkova.

The contest jury consisted of the Moscow State University Department Head professor of the Russian Academy of Public Service Nizami Mamedov (honored jury chairman), teachers of pedagogical institutes of Moscow, teachers of Moscow schools, specialists of NGO Transparent World and ScanEx RDC.