The Symposium will present the International Project "Chess for Overall Development" based on the principles of cultural and historical psychology and the reflexive and activity approach. As part of this project, an original approach to chess lessons aimed at the overall development was created, and a computer program for individualizing the learning process was developed. Participants will also discuss the possibility of correcting developmental disorders via chess.

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Speakers:
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Chess for Overall Development: Reflexive-Activity Approach
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Longitudinal Study of the Impact of Chess Lessons on the Cognitive Development in Students under the Project "Chess for Overall Development"
Oksana V. Glukhova, Psychologists of the Chess Club “Vertikal”, Chelyabinsk Oblast, Satka (Russia)

The Original Computer Training Program "Chess for Overall Development"
Alexey A. Chernysh, psychologist, co-author of the computer program "Chess for Overall Development" (Russia)

Cognitive and Personal Development of Students In the Process of Getting Help In Overcoming Educational Difficulties
Irina A. Nikolaevskaya, Associate Professor of the Moscow State University of Psychology and Education under the Ministry of Education of the Russian Federation (Russia)

Subject Position of the Child In Relation to Educational Activities and Its Role in Development
Dr. Yury V. Zaretsky, PhD (Psychology), Associate Professor of the Department of Counseling Psychology and Psychotherapy at the Moscow State University of Psychology and Education under the Ministry of Education of the Russian Federation (Russia)

About Results of the All-Russian Competition "Chess Universal Education in Russia 2018"
Alexander N. Kostiev, PhD (Pedagogy), Secretary of the Commission “Chess and Education” at the European Chess Union (Russia)
Sergey B. Klimov, Head of the Chess Club “Severny”, Moscow (Russia)

Chess Lessons in Schools in Kazakhstan
Bayan Esengabylova, Chess Federation of Kazakhstan, Astana (Kazakhstan)

Supporting the Translation of Experience of Teaching Chess in School for Overall Development
Matthias Dräger, Director General of the Publishing House “Otto Reichel”, Lübeck (Germany)

Symbolic Representation of the “Other” in the Conscious of a Child as Condition of Healthy Mental Development
Dr. Alexey M. Polyakov, Ph.D (Psychology), Associate Professor of the Department of Psychology of the Faculty of Philosophy and Social Sciences at the Belorussia State University, Minsk (Republic of Belarus)

Factors of Cognitive Well-Being in Old Age
Prof. Marina V. Ermolaeva, Psy.D, Professor of the Department of School Psychology at the Faculty of Psychology of Education in the Moscow State University of Psychology and Education under the Ministry of Education of the Russian Federation (Russia)

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Experience of the Center of Habilitation Pedagogy In Work with Children with Multiple Disabilities
Alexey I. Borozdin, Head of the Borozdin Center for Habilitation Pedagogics, Novosibirsk (Russia)

Experience of the “Visiting “Neznalka”, Center In Work with Orphans with Disabilities and Severe Somatic Disorders"
Lina Z. Saltykova, Daria Zelenova, Olga Lizunova, Charity Foundation “Children.moscow.ru” (Russia)

13.00 Wrap-up Discussion of the Declaration “Mental Health and Education”