

Curative Education and Social Therapy work in Russia,

Case study: Blagoe Delo NGO Verkh - Neivinsk, Ural Region



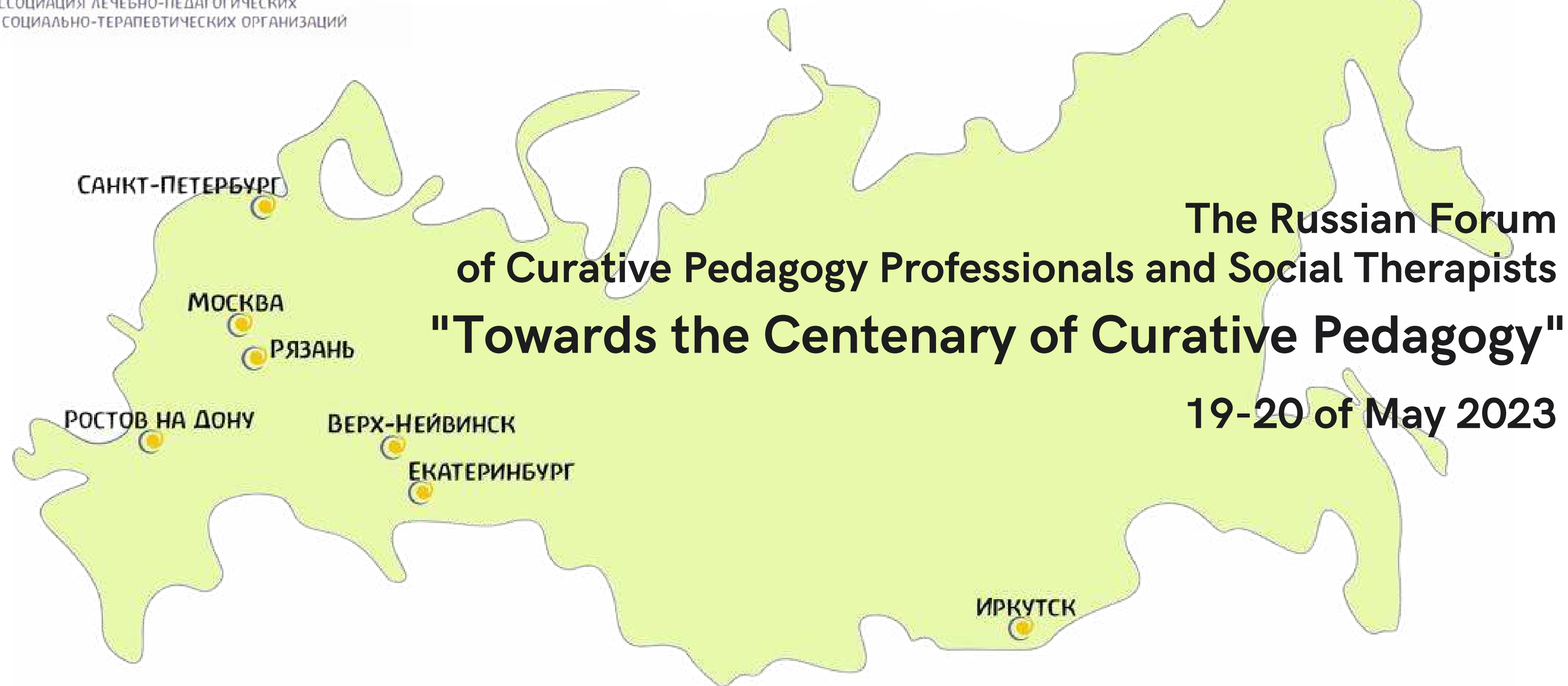
15 organizations from Russia

- Irkutsk;
- Ekaterinburg;
- Moscow;
- Sankt Petersburg;
- village "Swetlana";
- Rostov on Don;
- Verh Nejvinsk;
- Ryazan

Sodruzhestvo National Curative Pedagogy and Social Therapy Association

Social therapy centers, Camphills,
training centers, schools using
curative pedagogy methods







BLAGOE DELO NGO

Founded in 2005 Based in Verh Neivinsk, Ural Region

8 workshops, 7 art studios, 5 apartaments for supported living (11 residents)
65 adults and teenagers with disabilities, 25 skilled professionals as coworkers



SOCIOPOLIS

a comprehensive initiative for support of people with disabilities and their inclusion in the local community through work, accommodation (supported living), art and culture.

Implemented since 2019



Individual level	Will	Feelings	Thinking	I, Biography work, motives
Institutional level	Workshops	Art studios	Education, lifelong learning	Collegium
Society level	Sharing of ecological products	Inclusive Cultural events	Research and educational projects	Public councils
	Brotherhood	Equality	Freedom	Basic values





Direction of work

- Cooperation and collaboration between staff and people with disabilities;
- Integration of production, art, and education for people with disabilities and staff;
- Research and development-oriented work;
- Lobbying in the social sphere;
- Various projects at home and abroad;
- All activities linked to one organisation in a local community.



Cooperation between Blagoe Delo NGO, Institute for Social Therapy (Norway) and international partners, for the implementation of the UN CRPD

-  2011-2012 – Further education of managers of various institutions in Sverdlovsk region
-  2012 – Developing a Further Higher Education Course in Social Pedagogy according to EU standards 60 ECTS
-  2012–2015 - Implementation of the accredited Course for senior staff at "permanent residence institutions for psycho-neurological patients" and Social services in Sverdlovsk region





2014 – Russia-Norway university cooperation (1 year) for the senior staff at "permanent residence institutions for psycho-neurological patients" practice based education, study visits



2016 – the Norwegian EURASIA Program "Building bridges for the development of practice based higher education in Social Pedagogy in Armenia and Georgia, for social and cultural inclusion of persons with mental and intellectual disabilities."



2017 – First World Congress for Persons with Disabilities, co-organised by the Germany based NGO Worldwide Congresses, Nordic Association for Curative Education and Social Therapy and the Ministry for Social Policy in Sverdlovsk region.



-  2018-2021- EURASIA Program “Building bridges for the development of practice based higher education in Social Pedagogy as a tool for social reforms and inclusion of persons with disabilities in Armenia, Georgia, Kyrgyzstan and Norway.”
-  2021-“PIRR- Promoting Inclusion in Russian Regions” With Anthropoi Bundesverband, Germany, and Institute for Social therapy, Norway
-  2021-2022 –Education in Social Pedagogy for Kyrgyzstan- study visits and training course for NGOs in Manas Social village
-  2022- collaboration with Universities and NGOs of Kyrgyzstan in partnerships with Institute for Social therapy, Norway



Plans for the future:

- 1.To promote the social pedagogy profession in Russia and Central Asian countries (Kyrgyzstan, Kazakhstan, Uzbekistan, Tadzhikistan)
- 2.To disseminate the concept of Sociopolis
- 3.To apply for Erasmus+ Capacity Building program 2024 in collaboration with Institute for Social therapy, Norway and accredited European universities



Thank you for the attention!



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