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# Mathematics Opportunities

## News from the Euler Institute

The Euler International Mathematical Institute (EIMI) has operated since January 1996 as a part of the St. Petersburg Division of the Steklov Mathematical Institute (PDMI) of the Russian Academy of Sciences.

In the coming months, EIMI will hold two workshops: "Boundary Control and Inverse Problems," to be held July 29–August 10, 1996, and organized by C. Bardos (University of Paris VII) and M. Belishev (Steklov Mathematical Institute, St. Petersburg); and "Free Boundaries with Viscous Flows," to be held September 4–7, 1996, and organized by V. V. Puhachev (M. A. Lavrent'ev Institute of Hydrodynamics, Novosibirsk). For information, send e-mail to [admin@euler.pdmi.ras.ru](mailto:admin@euler.pdmi.ras.ru) or consult the World Wide Web page, <http://www.pdmi.ras.ru>.

EIMI also announces a new ongoing program of scientific collaboration, *Tête-à-Tête* in Russia. The goal of this program is to provide facilities for western and Russian mathematicians (not necessarily from St. Petersburg) to meet for joint work. Such meetings of two or more colleagues could last from several days to several months.

In view of the present difficult economic situation, it is assumed that visitors will find the required funds from other sources. For its part, EIMI will provide offices, (modest) computer facilities (including TeX and Internet connections), and access to the libraries of EIMI and PDMI. Vis-

itors are welcome to participate in the regular mathematical seminars of PDMI and the University as well as in the meetings of the St. Petersburg Mathematical Society. EIMI will issue invitations as required for obtaining Russian visas and will help in finding (reasonably inexpensive) accommodation.

If you and your colleague(s) in Russia are interested in participating in this program, you may request more information by sending a message to: [admin@euler.pdmi.ras.ru](mailto:admin@euler.pdmi.ras.ru).

Acceptance of an application is subject to demand and to events in other EIMI programs. For more information about EIMI activities see our page on the World Wide Web, <http://www.pdmi.ras.ru>.

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