



## Accommodation

There are hotels and apartments close to PGI and farther away, with quite enough capabilities to accommodate the Seminar participants. Search **Apatity** at <http://www.booking.com>. Example search: [here](#).

LOC recommended following hotels in **Apatity**:

1. **Ametist** (<link to booking.com>) — downtown center, 10 minutes to PGI. It is the biggest hotel in Apatity. Please note that most rooms (Standard) are in old Soviet style, but there are also several renovated rooms (Comfort).

If you want to book it but see that all rooms are reserved please contact us, since we have reserved several rooms in advance for the Seminar participants, namely:

Single room (comfort) - 1800 rubles /per night

Single room (standard)- 1440 rubles /per night

Double room (comfort) - 2520 rubles /per night

Double room (standard) - 2016 rubles /per night

2. a small hotel belonging to **Kola Science Center** with about 10 rooms. There are not only single but also double-bed and even triple-bed rooms in it. For booking it you will have to contact the LOC.
3. **Isovela resort** (<link to booking.com>) - slightly away (2.2 km) from the institute but with an indoor pool.

LOC recommended following hotels in **Kirovsk** (30 to 40 min from Apatity by bus, 50 RUR one way):

1. **Severnaya** hotel (<link to booking.com>) — central hotel in Kirovsk, recently modernized.
2. **Tirvas** (<link to booking.com>) — resort situated slightly apart from Kirovsk center. There is an indoor pool with two glass walls looking at beautiful mountains, cross-country-ski stadium is 100 m from the entrance. Meals can be included in the cost of stay. Wonderful place for people who do not mind to spend an hour each way to reach the conference. Buses go to/from Kirovsk several times a day.

**Note that March is a high season in Khibiny, so everyone who intends to participate should book their accommodation soon. This is especially those who wish to stay in Kirovsk.**

**!! In the case you are booking private apartments (not hotels) please do not hesitate to ask the owners whether a proper receipt will be issued and/or whether they accept bank cards.**

Typical nightly costs for hotel range around 2500 RUR but may be even twice cheaper. However, there are also more expensive variants, especially in Kirovsk for high season.

**We will be very much obliged if you inform LOC ([despirak@gmail.com](mailto:despirak@gmail.com)) on your booking as soon as you made it, in order to keep a record of timely accommodation of all participants.**

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