Today, the Department comprises 14 divisions:

- General Psychology
- Developmental Psychology
- Social Psychology
- Ergonomics and Engineering Psychology
- Special Needs Psychology
- Political Psychology
- Education Psychology
- Medical Psychology and Psychophysiology
- Professional Activity Psychology
- Ontopsychology
- Social Adjustment and Psychological Interventions
- Psychology of Personal and Professional Development
- Psychology of Behavior and Behavioral Deviations
- Psychology of Crisis and Critical Situations

Academic and Research Staff: About 250 (including 30 professors, 30 research staff members)

Students:
- Undergraduate: up to 1800
- Postgraduate: more than 200
- International students: 120 from 19 countries

Psychological Centre:
- Personal and group psychological counseling
- Occupational counseling for schoolchildren and adults
- Organizational consulting for governmental and commercial organizations

Laboratories:
- IT in educational process
- Psychophysiology

Annual conferences:

- Ananyevskie chteniya (scientific conference named by the founder of the Department) – Fall Semester
- Winter Psychological School (international venue where the professional psychologists share their experience with the students) – Spring Semester
- Psychology of the XXI century (international student conference) – Spring Semester

Educational programs are

Bachelor, Specialist and Masters programs in Psychology, including 3 Bachelor modules:
- Psychology in Health Services
- Psychology at the Enterprise
- Psychology in Education

5 Masters programs:
- General Psychology and Psychology of Personality
- Developmental and Educational Psychology
- Social Psychology
- Mental Health
- Organizational Psychology and Psychology of Management

and the Specialist program in Clinical Psychology that takes 6 years for the students and includes practical courses, counseling and supervision.

Postgraduate programs include the following directions:

- General psychology, psychology of personality, history of psychology
- Psychophysiology
- Industrial psychology, engineering psychology, ergonomics
- Medical psychology
- Social psychology
- Educational psychology
- Psychology of special needs
- Political psychology
- Developmental psychology, acmeology
- General pedagogy, history of pedagogy and education
- Theory and methodology of education and upbringing
- Theory and methodology of professional education

The Department of Psychology was founded in 1966. We succeed the traditions of Leningrad-St. Petersburg psychological school and follow the ideas of Ivan Pavlov, Vladimir Bekhterev, Vladimir Myasischev, Boris Ananyev, Lev Vekker.
International research projects

A number of international research projects are carried out at the Department (including NIH (USA) funded: fetal alcohol syndrome prevention intervention research; early intervention and de-institutionalization of infants and young children).

The joint research with the Center for the Psychology of Abilities, Competencies, and Expertise, Yale University. PI: Robert Sternberg, Yale, USA. Project coordinator: Yanina Ledovaya.

Grant N00014-08-1-0731, USA. PI: Dr. Mikhail Zotov.

2009 - 2010: Contract between the United Nations Office at Vienna (UNOV) and St. Petersburg State University for the provision of regional school survey in Northwest Russia.
UNOV Contract No. 09.575, OBPS-1867. Coordinator: Dr. Larissa Tsvetkova.

International visitors

Since 2003 the Department hosted the respected lecturers: Prof. Robert Sternberg (Yale University, Tufts University, Oklahoma University); Prof. Philip Zimbardo (Stanford University); Prof. Christina Maslach (University of California, Berkeley); Dr. Elena Grigorenko (Yale University, Columbia University, Moscow University); Prof. Howard Gardner (Harvard University); Prof. Ellen Winner (Boston College, Harvard Project Zero); Prof. Michael Eysenck (University of London, Roehampton University); Prof. Todd Lubart (University of Paris V); Prof. Sylvie Tordjman (University of Paris V, University of Rennes); Prof. Henri Cohen (University of Quebec, University of Paris V); Prof. Eric Sieroff (University of Paris V); Prof. Michael Leiter (Acadia University), Prof. Robert Heimer (Yale University) and others.

Supported by NIH/Fogarty Center. Brain Disorders NIH Fogarty International Center grant R21TW006745. PIs: Barbara Bonner, USA, Tatiana Balachova, USA. Co-PIs: Dr. Larissa Tsvetkova, Dr. Galina Isurina.

Supported by Centers for Disease Control and Prevention CDC/AUCD I-RTOI 2005-999-01. PIs: Barbara Bonner, USA, Tatiana Balachova, USA. Co-PIs: Dr. Larissa Tsvetkova, Dr. Galina Isurina.

Supported by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), National Center on Birth Defects and Developmental Disabilities (NCBDDD) through a cooperative agreement with the Association of University Centers on Disabilities (AUCD), Research Grant AUCD RTOI 2007-999-02 to Tatiana Balachova, OUHSC. Consortium with University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center and St. Petersburg State University, St. Petersburg, Russia. PI: Tatiana Balachova, USA. Co-PIs: Dr. Larissa Tsvetkova, Dr. Galina Isurina.

Supported by Research Grant #1R01AA016234-01A1. National Institutes of Health / Fogarty International Center/ NIAAA/Fogarty Center. Consortium with St. Petersburg State University, St. Petersburg Russia and Nizhny Novgorod State Pedagogical University. PI: Tatiana Balachova, USA. Co-PI: Dr. Larissa Tsvetkova. Supervisors: Dr. Alla Shaboltas, Dr. Galina Isurina, Dr. Irina Grandilevskaya.
The Department is also involved in the following projects:

Supported by the National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH). The joint research with Medical College of Wisconsin, and The Biomedical center, Russia. PIs: Dr. Jeff Kelly, Medical College of Wisconsin, Prof. Andrei Kozlov, The Biomedical center, Russia. Intervention group coordinator/investigator: Dr. Alla Shaboltas. Assessment group coordinator: Dr. Juliana Granskaya.

Supported by the National Institutes of Health. The joint research with the University of North Carolina and The Biomedical center, Russia. PIs: Prof. Andrei Kozlov, The Biomedical center, Russia, Dr.Irving Hoffman, The University of North Carolina. Project coordinator: Dr. Alla Shaboltas. Field group coordinator: Dr. Roman Skochilov. Community Advisory Board coordinator: Dr. Olga Bogolyubova. Investigator: Julia Batluk.

2003 - 2008: Randomized Control Trial of Russian IDU Peer Network HIV Prevention Intervention, NIDA 1 R01 DA0616142-01.
Supported by the National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA). The joint project of The John Hopkins University and The Biomedical Center, Russia. PIs: Dr.Carl Latkin, The John Hopkins University, Prof. Andrei Kozlov, The Biomedical Center, Russia. Intervention coordinator: Dr. Alla Shaboltas. Field group coordinator: Dr. Roman Skochilov. Investigator: Julia Batluk.

2008 - 2009: A Pilot Project to Determine the Feasibility of Introducing Individual Case Management (ICM) to a Drug Abuse and HIV Treatment Program for Injection Drug Users (IDU) in St.Petersburg, Russia, PEPFARE/DAIDS-ES ID 1049.
Supported by the National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA). The joint research with the University of North Carolina and The Biomedical center, Russia. PIs: Dr.Irving Hoffman, The University of North Carolina, Prof.Andrei Kozlov, The Biomedical Center, Russia. Project coordinator: Dr. Alla Shaboltas. Field group coordinator: Dr. Roman Skochilov.

Supported by the National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA). The joint research with the Yale University and The Biomedical Center, Russia. PI: Dr. Alla Shaboltas. Investigator: Dr. Roman Skochilov.

The joint research of Yale University and the Biomedical Center, Russia. Supported by the National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (NIAAA). PIs: Dr. Nadia Abdala, Yale University, Prof.Andrei Kozlov, The Biomedical center, Russia. Project coordinator: Dr. Roman Skochilov. Investigator: Dr. Alla Shaboltas.

The joint research with the Pittsburg University Office of Child Development (USA). PI: Prof. Rifkat Mukhamedrakhimov.

2008-2013: Risk consumption of alcohol, violent behavior and perceived health in groups of female young adults.
Supported by Swedish Institute. The joint research with Stockholm University/Karolinska Institute. PI: Dr. B af Klinteberg Stockholm University/Karolinska Institute. Co-PI of Russian group: Dr. Juliana Granskaya.

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