Preface

We are pleased to present this collection of scholarly articles of the international scientific conference “FIRST CONFERENCE ON SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT: INDUSTRIAL FUTURE OF TERRITORIES (IFT2020)”. The conference was held in Ural State University of Economics, Yekaterinburg, Russia, on September 28-29, 2020.

The key topics of the Conference were:

- Environmental aspects of sustainable development of territories
- Energy for sustainable development
- Sustainable economy
- Sustainable cities and society
- Transport and tourism in sustainable development of territories
- Sustainable development legislation and policy
- Corporate sustainability and corporate social responsibility
- Management of sustainable development of territories
- Sustainable education

The Conference participants are representatives of science, business, public organizations, state and local authorities, and heads of enterprises in the real sector of economy. IFT aims to discuss the findings of scientific research, conclusions and recommendations on the sustainable development of the Russian and world territories.

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