



DECR chairman meets with hierarchs of Serbian Patriarchate



On 12 December 2014, Metropolitan Hilarion of Volokolamsk, chairman of the Moscow Patriarchate's Department for External Church Relations, rector of Ss Cyril and Methodius Theological Institute for Post-Graduate Studies, met with the hierarchs of the Serbian Orthodox Church, Bishop Irinej of Bačka and Bishop Jeronim of Jegar, who had arrived in Moscow to take part in the 2nd International Theological Patristic Conference 'St. Simeon the New Theologian and His Spiritual Heritage', organized by Ss Cyril and Methodius Theological Institute for Post-Graduate Studies. Taking part in the meeting was also Mr. Andrei Khoshev, a staff member of the DECR Secretariat for Inter-Orthodox Relations.

Metropolitan Hilarion of Volokolamsk told the guests about the activities of Ss Cyril and Methodius Theological Institute, in particular, about its plans to organize international theological conferences.

The participants in the meeting discussed various issues of mutual interest, such as inter-Orthodox cooperation and joint projects of the Russian and the Serbian Orthodox Churches.

