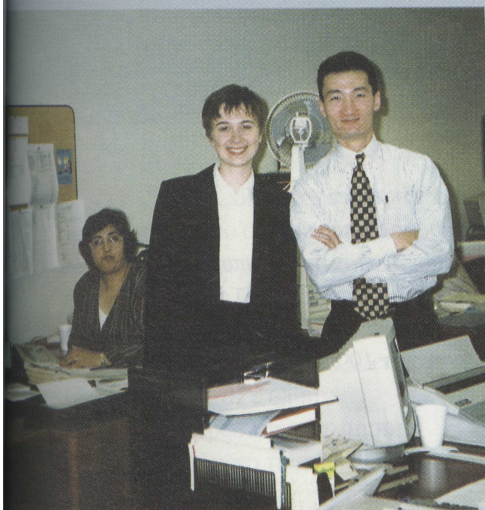


Within the framework of the individual educational program of Russian-American Center we have got the opportunity to take part in the educational program "International Management Program". The program was prepared by international college "Aspect" located in city of San Francisco, USA, together with the international Shiller University. For the successful acceptance in the program the language level of the participants should be not less than 550 marks by TOEFL scale and 85 % when passing the Michigan Test, and it was neces-



sary to write the composition on the offered themes. The language preparation in RAC helped us to execute all necessary requirements easily.

The program for nine months included a number of disciplines, such as international business, principals of marketing and advertising, basics of manufacture organization, business dialogue and information systems in business. International Shiller University has a good stuff of lecturers. So, the basics of marketing and advertising were taught by John Duram, professor of

Californian University, an employee of a marketing service of the Coca-Cola company; international business - by professor Robert Newman from City college. The program also included professional training in local firms. According to our speciality "Computer Science and management in banking" we have passed training in the "Trans Pacific National Bank" and in the "First National Bank of Northern California". For the practical of training it was necessary for participants to prepare the summary and to be ready to an interview in the company. The received basic economic knowledge in RAC helped us to cope with this work successfully. The participants of the program have arrived from different places of the world: France, Spain, Brazil, Switzerland, Morocco, Japan. Learning in such an international environment we have understood that our academic preparation is not behind, but in many respects even surpasses preparation of the students in the whole world. Certainly being trained in RAC, the students have possibilities to study a wide spectrum of subjects. Therefore, at once it is felt a wide profil of our preparation.

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