## Aleksej Popel's Report 2014

The CSAR Student Award given to me this year allowed me to cover living expenses over my stay at the Division of Radiochemistry at Lomonosov Moscow University in March to April 2014 to conduct experimental work for my PhD. I was fortunate that during my visit the International Lomonosov Conference for Young Scientists took place at the University. I was able to take part in the Conference, where I presented my results on characterisation of irradiated and unirradiated single crystal thin films of UO2, and even managed to get a Conference award for this work. Apart from my work, I took this opportunity to enjoy the cultural heritage of Moscow.