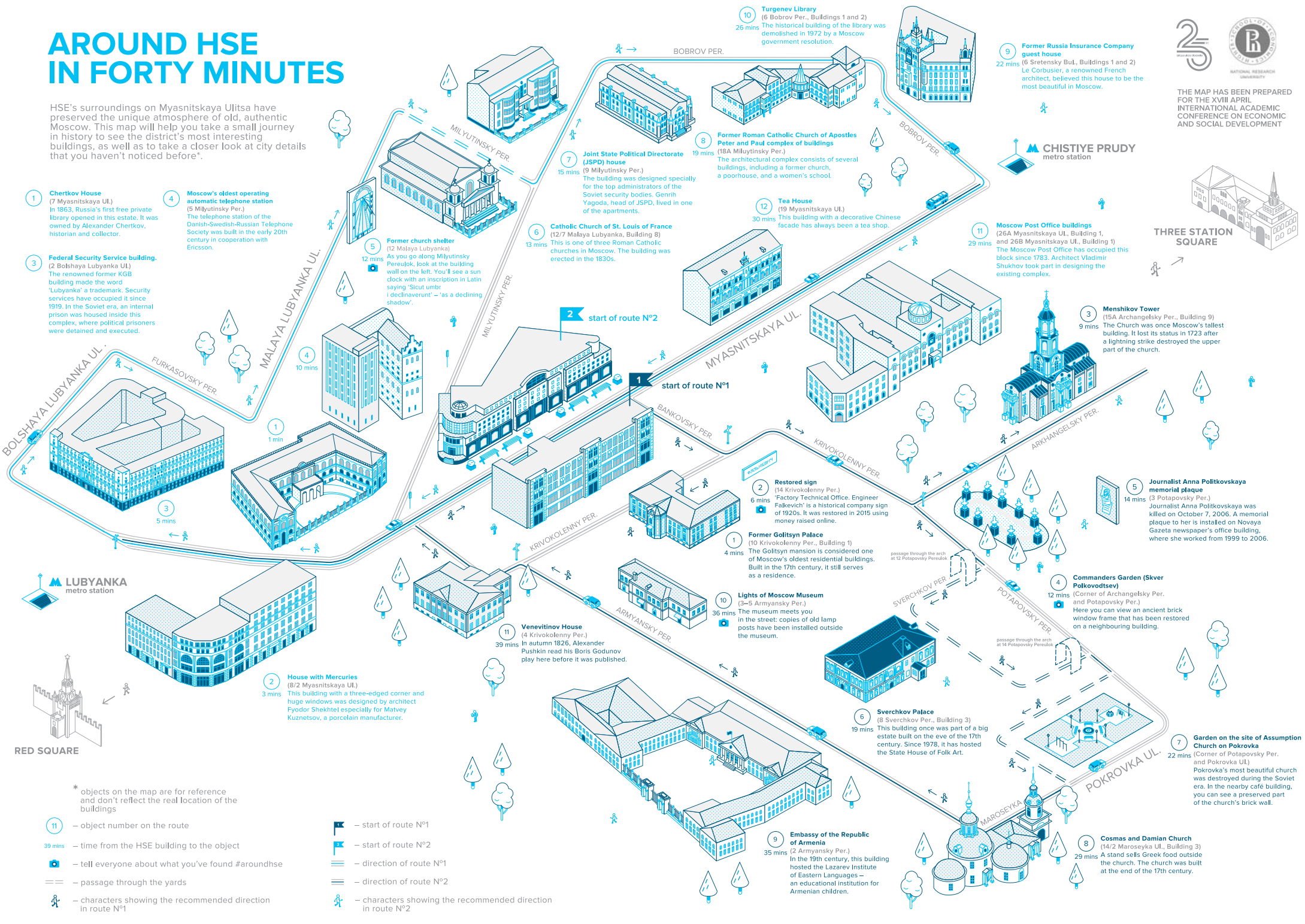


# AROUND HSE IN FORTY MINUTES

HSE's surroundings on Myasnitskaya Ulitsa have preserved the unique atmosphere of old, authentic Moscow. This map will help you take a small journey in history to see the district's most interesting buildings, as well as to take a closer look at city details that you haven't noticed before\*.



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- 1 **Chertkov House**  
(7 Myasnitskaya Ul.)  
In 1863, Russia's first free private library opened in this estate. It was owned by Alexander Chertkov, historian and collector.
- 2 **Federal Security Service building.**  
(2 Bolshaya Lubyanka Ul.)  
The renowned former KGB building made the word 'Lubyanka' a trademark. Security services have occupied it since 1919. In the Soviet era, an internal prison was housed inside this complex, where political prisoners were detained and executed.
- 3 **Moscow's oldest operating automatic telephone station**  
(5 Milyutinsky Per.)  
The telephone station of the Danish-Swedish-Russian Telephone Society was built in the early 20th century in cooperation with Ericsson.

- 4 **Former church shelter**  
(12 Malaya Lubyanka)  
As you go along Milyutinsky Pereulok, look at the building wall on the left. You'll see a sun clock with an inscription in Latin saying 'Sicut umbr i declinat verum' – 'as a declining shadow'.
- 5 **Catholic Church of St. Louis of France**  
(12/7 Malaya Lubyanka, Building 8)  
This is one of three Roman Catholic churches in Moscow. The building was erected in the 1830s.
- 6 **Joint State Political Directorate (JSPD) house**  
(9 Milyutinsky Per.)  
The building was designed specially for the top administrators of the Soviet security bodies. Genrih Yagoda, head of JSPD, lived in one of the apartments.
- 7 **Former Roman Catholic Church of Apostles Peter and Paul complex of buildings**  
(18A Milyutinsky Per.)  
The architectural complex consists of several buildings, including a former church, a poorhouse, and a women's school.
- 8 **Tea House**  
(19 Myasnitskaya Ul.)  
This building with a decorative Chinese facade has always been a tea shop.
- 9 **Former Russia Insurance Company guest house**  
(6 Sretensky Bul., Buildings 1 and 2)  
Le Corbusier, a renowned French architect, believed this house to be the most beautiful in Moscow.

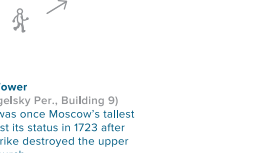
- 10 **Turgenev Library**  
(6 Bobrov Per., Buildings 1 and 2)  
26 mins  
The historical building of the library was demolished in 1972 by a Moscow government resolution.
- 11 **Moscow Post Office buildings**  
(26A Myasnitskaya Ul., Building 1, and 26B Myasnitskaya Ul., Building 1)  
The Moscow Post Office has occupied this block since 1783. Architect Vladimir Shukhov took part in designing the existing complex.
- 12 **Menshikov Tower**  
(15A Archangelsky Per., Building 9)  
The Church was once Moscow's tallest building. It lost its status in 1723 after a lightning strike destroyed the upper part of the church.

- 1 **Restored sign**  
(14 Krivokolenny Per.)  
6 mins  
Factory Technical Office. Engineer Falkevich's is a historical company sign of 1920s. It was restored in 2015 using money raised online.
- 2 **Former Golitsyn Palace**  
(10 Krivokolenny Per., Building 1)  
4 mins  
The Golitsyn mansion is considered one of Moscow's oldest residential buildings. Built in the 17th century, it still serves as a residence.
- 3 **Journalist Anna Politkovskaya memorial plaque**  
(3 Potapovskiy Per.)  
14 mins  
Journalist Anna Politkovskaya was killed on October 7, 2006. A memorial plaque to her is installed on Novaya Gazeta newspaper's office building, where she worked from 1999 to 2006.
- 4 **Commanders Garden (Skver Polkovodtsev)**  
(Corner of Archangelsky Per. and Potapovskiy Per.)  
12 mins  
Here you can view an ancient brick window frame that has been restored on a neighbouring building.
- 5 **House with Mercuries**  
(8/2 Myasnitskaya Ul.)  
3 mins  
This building with a three-edged corner and huge windows was designed by architect Fyodor Shekhtel especially for Matvey Kuznetsov, a porcelain manufacturer.
- 6 **Lights of Moscow Museum**  
(3-5 Armyansky Per.)  
36 mins  
The museum meets you in the street: copies of old lamp posts have been installed outside the museum.
- 7 **Garden on the site of Assumption Church on Pokrovka**  
(Corner of Potapovskiy Per. and Pokrovka Ul.)  
22 mins  
Pokrovka's most beautiful church was destroyed during the Soviet era. In the nearby café building, you can see a preserved part of the church's brick wall.
- 8 **Cosmas and Damian Church**  
(14/2 Marosevka Ul., Building 3)  
29 mins  
A stand sells Greek food outside the church. The church was built at the end of the 17th century.
- 9 **Sverchkov Palace**  
(8 Sverchkov Per., Building 3)  
19 mins  
This building once was part of a big estate built on the eve of the 17th century. Since 1978, it has hosted the State House of Folk Art.
- 10 **Embassy of the Republic of Armenia**  
(2 Armyansky Per.)  
35 mins  
In the 19th century, this building hosted the Lazarev Institute of Eastern Languages – an educational institution for Armenian children.

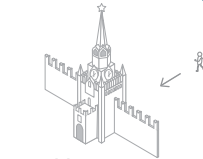
\* objects on the map are for reference and don't reflect the real location of the buildings

- 11 – object number on the route
- 39 mins – time from the HSE building to the object
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## THREE STATION SQUARE



## RED SQUARE



## LUBYANKA metro station

