



National Research University Higher School of Economics (HSE)

Basic Curriculum

Field of study 41.03.05 International Relations
Educational Programme "International Relations"

Implementing unit: Faculty of World Economy and International Affairs, HSE - Moscow

Years of Study: 2021/2022 - 2024/2025

Length of Programme: 4 years

Mode of Study: Full Time

Degree: Bachelor's degree

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Block Code	Course	Subject type	Credits	Credits by Years				Planned Educational Programme Development Results
				1	2	3	4	
	Degree Programme		240,00	60,00	60,00	60,00	60,00	
	Major		159,00	41,00	37,00	40,00	41,00	
	Core Professional Block (Major)		61,00	23,00	21,00	12,00	5,00	
	Subject Areas		61,00	23,00	21,00	12,00	5,00	
	Economic and Political History		11,00	7,00	4,00			
1	Political and Economic History	C	11,00	7,00	4,00			GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, GPC-6, GPC-7, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5, UC-6
	History of International Relations		3,00		3,00			
1	History of International Relations	C	3,00		3,00			GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, GPC-6, GPC-7, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4, UC-5
	Political Science		3,00	3,00				
1	History of Philosophy	C	3,00	3,00				GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, GPC-7, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4, UC-5
	Regional and Country Studies		11,00	5,00		6,00		
	Экономика и политика страны или региона		6,00			6,00		
1	Economy and Politics of Arab Countries	E	6,00			6,00		GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4, UC-5
2	Economy and Politics of Great Britain	E	6,00			6,00		GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4, UC-5

3	Economy and Politics of Germany	E	6,00			6,00		GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4, UC-5
4	Economy and Politics of Spain and Latin American Countries	E	6,00			6,00		GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4, UC-5
5	Economy and Politics of Italy	E	6,00			6,00		GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4, UC-5
6	Economy and Politics of China	E	6,00			6,00		GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4, UC-5
7	Economy and Politics of the USA	E	6,00			6,00		GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4, UC-5
8	Economy and Politics of France	E	6,00			6,00		GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4, UC-5
9	Japan and Southeast Asia: Economic and Political Development	E	6,00			6,00		GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4, UC-5
10	Economy and Politics of India	E	6,00			6,00		GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4, UC-5
11	Economics and Politics of African Countries	E	6,00			6,00		GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4, UC-5
	Регионоведение		5,00	5,00				
1	Introduction to Regional Studies	C	5,00	5,00				GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, UC-1, UC-5
	International Political Economy		4,00		4,00			
1	International Economic Affairs (offered in a foreign language)	C	4,00		4,00			GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, GPC-7, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-11, UC-2, UC-4, UC-5, UC-9
	Second Foreign Language		26,00	8,00	7,00	6,00	5,00	
	Практический курс иностранного языка		15,00	8,00	7,00			
1	Practical Course of Arabic	E	15,00	8,00	7,00			GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-5, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
2	Practical Course of Chinese	E	15,00	8,00	7,00			GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-5, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
3	Practical Course of Japanese	E	15,00	8,00	7,00			GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-5, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
4	Practical Course of Italian	E	15,00	8,00	7,00			GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-5, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
5	Practical Course of Spanish	E	15,00	8,00	7,00			GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-5, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5

6	Practical Course of German	E	15,00	8,00	7,00			GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-5, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
7	Practical Course of French	E	15,00	8,00	7,00			GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-5, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
8	Practical Course of Portuguese	E	15,00	8,00	7,00			GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-5, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
	Иностранный язык для профессиональных целей		11,00			6,00	5,00	
1	Spanish for Professional Purposes	E	11,00			6,00	5,00	GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-5, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
2	Italian for Professional Purposes	E	11,00			6,00	5,00	GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-5, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
3	German for Professional Purposes	E	11,00			6,00	5,00	GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-5, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-4, UC-5
4	French for Professional Purposes	E	11,00			6,00	5,00	GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-5, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
5	Japanese for Professional Purposes	E	11,00			6,00	5,00	GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-5, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
6	Chinese for Professional Purposes	E	11,00			6,00	5,00	GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-5, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
7	Arabic for Professional Purposes	E	11,00			6,00	5,00	GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-5, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
	Theory of International Relations		3,00		3,00			
1	The Theory of International Relations	C	3,00		3,00			GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-7, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4, UC-5
	Elective Professional Block (Major)		98,00	18,00	16,00	28,00	36,00	
	Дисциплины 1 курса		18,00	18,00				
1	Introduction to International Affairs and World Economy	C	6,00	6,00				GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, UC-1, UC-2, UC-5
2	History of Russian Foreign Policy	C	4,00	4,00				GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-5
3	International Culture	C	4,00	4,00				GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-5
4	Mathematics for Political Decisions Making	C	4,00	4,00				GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, PC-1, PC-2, UC-1, UC-2
	Дисциплины 2 курса		16,00		16,00			
	Дисциплины по выбору 2 курс		8,00		8,00			
1	The Information Dimension of International Relations	E	4,00		4,00			GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, GPC-7, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
2	National and International Security	E	4,00		4,00			GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-10, UC-4, UC-5
3	The History of Political Thought	E	4,00		4,00			GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, PC-1, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-5

	Research seminar		4,00		4,00		
1	Research Seminar "Effective Academic Writing Skills"	C	4,00		4,00		GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-5, GPC-7, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4
	Прочие дисциплины		4,00		4,00		
1	International Law	C	4,00		4,00		GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4, UC-5
	Дисциплины 3 курса		28,00		28,00		
	Дисциплина по выбору 3 курс 1 и 2 модуль		4,00		4,00		
1	The Economy of Military-Industrial Complex and Military-Economic Analysis	E	4,00		4,00		GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, PC-1, PC-2, UC-1, UC-2
2	Grand Strategies of Great Powers	E	4,00		4,00		GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, GPC-7, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
3	International Energy Policy	E	4,00		4,00		GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-5
	Дисциплина по выбору 3 курс 1 и 2 модуль		4,00		4,00		
1	International Political Economy (offered in a foreign language)	E	4,00		4,00		GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4, UC-5
2	Institutional Economics	E	4,00		4,00		GPC-2, GPC-5, PC-2, UC-1, UC-2, UC-3
3	International Organizations and Regimes	E	4,00		4,00		GPC-1, GPC-3, GPC-4, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-3, UC-4
	Дисциплина по выбору 3 курс 1 и 2 модуль		4,00		4,00		
1	The Problems of Asian Security	E	4,00		4,00		GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
2	The Problems of European Security	E	4,00		4,00		GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, UC-1, UC-2, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
3	Russia in Eurasian Security Architecture (offered in a foreign language)	E	4,00		4,00		GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, UC-1, UC-2, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
	Дисциплина по выбору 3 курс 3 и 4 модуль		4,00		4,00		
1	Foreign Policy Analysis	E	4,00		4,00		GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, GPC-7, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
2	Environmental Economics and Politics	E	4,00		4,00		GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-7, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-3, UC-4
3	International Conflicts, Peacekeeping and Peacebuilding	E	4,00		4,00		GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
	Дисциплина по выбору 3 курс 3 и 4 модуль		4,00		4,00		

1	Introduction to International Business (offered in a foreign language)	E	4,00			4,00	GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, GPC-6, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
2	Digital Economy (offered in a foreign language)	E	4,00			4,00	GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, GPC-6, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-3, UC-4
3	International Practices of Startups and Venture Investment (offered in a foreign language)	E	4,00			4,00	GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, GPC-6, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
	Прочие дисциплины		4,00			4,00	
1	English for International Affairs & Business (offered in a foreign language)	C	4,00			4,00	GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-5, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
	Research seminar		4,00			4,00	
1	Research Seminar "International Analytics"	E	4,00			4,00	GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, GPC-7, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
2	Research Seminar "Research Methods in International Studies"	E	4,00			4,00	GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
	Дисциплины 4 курса		36,00			36,00	
	Дисциплины по выбору 4 курс		28,00			28,00	
1	Modern energy markets (offered in a foreign language)	E	4,00			4,00	GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4
2	Russia in the World Economy	E	4,00			4,00	GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4
3	EEU Law	E	4,00			4,00	GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4
4	International Conflicts and Peacemaking	E	4,00			4,00	GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4
5	Nuclear Factor in International Relations	E	4,00			4,00	GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4
6	Business and Business Strategies in Asia	E	4,00			4,00	GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4
7	Business and Business Strategies in Europe and USA	E	4,00			4,00	GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4
8	Russia's Current Foreign Policy	E	4,00			4,00	GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4

9	Etnopolitical and etnoreligious crises of the XX century	E	4,00				4,00	GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4
10	Political History of USA	E	4,00				4,00	GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-5
11	Political History of China	E	4,00				4,00	GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-4, UC-5
12	International Mediamarkets (offered in a foreign language)	E	4,00				4,00	GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4, UC-5
13	Ideology and Propaganda in International Relations	E	4,00				4,00	GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, GPC-6, GPC-7, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4, UC-5
	Research seminar		5,00				5,00	
1	Research Seminar "International Research Seminar"	C	5,00				5,00	GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, GPC-7, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
	Прочие дисциплины		3,00				3,00	
1	English through Global Debate	C	3,00				3,00	GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-5, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
	Internship		36,00	3,00	8,00	10,00	15,00	
	Professional Internship		5,00				5,00	
1	Graduation Internship	C	5,00				5,00	GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, GPC-6, GPC-7, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-3, UC-4, UC-6, UC-7, UC-8
	Project Internship		18,00	3,00	4,00	6,00	5,00	
1	Исследовательский проект	E	2,00	2,00				GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, GPC-6, GPC-7, PC-1, PC-2, PC-4, UC-1, UC-2, UC-3, UC-4, UC-6
2	Сервисный проект 1 курс	E	1,00	1,00				GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-5, PC-2, PC-4, UC-2, UC-3, UC-4, UC-7, UC-8
3	Проектная работа	C	15,00		4,00	6,00	5,00	GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, GPC-6, GPC-7, PC-2, UC-1, UC-2, UC-3, UC-6
	Research Internship		13,00		4,00	4,00	5,00	
1	Term Paper	C	8,00		4,00	4,00		GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, GPC-7, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4
2	Preparation of Graduation Thesis	C	5,00				5,00	GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, GPC-7, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4
	General Courses		14,00	13,00	1,00			
	Core General Courses		2,00	1,00	1,00			

1	Safe Living Basics	C	1,00	1,00			GPC-2, UC-2, UC-3, UC-6, UC-7, UC-8
2	Physical Training	C	1,00		1,00		GPC-6, UC-1, UC-3, UC-6, UC-7
	Optional General Courses		12,00	12,00			
1	Legal Literacy	C	4,00	4,00			GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, GPC-6, GPC-7, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4, UC-5
2	Economics	C	4,00	4,00			GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, UC-1
3	History	C	4,00	4,00			GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4, UC-5
	Minor		20,00		10,00	10,00	
1	Minor	E	20,00		10,00	10,00	GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, UC-1, UC-2, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
	English		1,00				1,00
	Examinations		1,00				1,00
1	Independent English Exam (offered in a foreign language)	C					GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-5, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
2	Project Proposal	C	1,00				1,00 GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, GPC-7, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4
3	English Language Integrative Exam (offered in a foreign language)	C					GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-5, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
	Optional Courses						
1	English	O	8,00	8,00			GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-5, GPC-7, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
2	Academic English Writing	O	2,00				2,00 GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-5, GPC-7, UC-1, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
3	English	O	6,00		6,00		GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-5, GPC-7, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
	Data Culture		7,00	3,00	4,00		
1	Independent Digital Literacy Test	C					GPC-2, GPC-3, UC-1, UC-2
2	Independent Programming Test. Intermediate	C					GPC-2, GPC-3, UC-1, UC-2
3	Programming in Python	C	3,00	3,00			GPC-2, GPC-3, UC-1, UC-2
4	Independent Data Science Test. Intermediate	C	1,00		1,00		GPC-2, GPC-3, UC-1, UC-2
5	Basics of Data Analysis in International Relations	C	3,00		3,00		GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, GPC-6, GPC-7, PC-1, PC-2, UC-1, UC-2, UC-5
	Final State Certification (FSC)		3,00				3,00
	Thesis Work		3,00				3,00
1	Presenting of Graduation Thesis	C	3,00				3,00 GPC-1, GPC-2, GPC-3, GPC-4, GPC-5, GPC-7, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-4

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