



National Research University Higher School of Economics (HSE)

Basic Curriculum

Field of study 41.04.04 Political Science

Educational Programme "Politics. Economics. Philosophy"

Trajectories: "Politics. Economics. Philosophy", "Public Policy Analysis", "Russian Studies: Russian Politics and Society in Comparative Perspective"

Implementing unit: Faculty of Social Sciences, HSE - Moscow

Years of Study: 2023/2024 - 2024/2025

Length of Programme: 2 years

Mode of Study: Full Time

Degree: Master's degree / MBA

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Vice Rector

ROSHCHIN S.Y.

Signed with EDS

Block Code	Course	Subject type	Credits	Credits by Years		Planned Educational Programme Development Results
				1	2	
	Degree Programme		120,00	60,00	60,00	
	Public Policy Analysis (General track)		120,00	60,00	60,00	
	Key Seminars		18,00	9,00	9,00	
1	Research Seminar "Public Policy Analysis" (offered in a foreign language)	C	12,00	6,00	6,00	GPC-4.POL, GPC-7.POL, PC-1, PC-2, PC-5, UC-1, UC-3
2	Key Seminar "Public Policy Analysis" (offered in a foreign language)	C	6,00	3,00	3,00	GPC-2.POL, GPC-4.POL, GPC-7.POL, PC-3, PC-4, UC-1, UC-4
	Internship		24,00	9,00	15,00	
	Project Internship		6,00	3,00	3,00	
1	Project (offered in a foreign language)	E	3,00	3,00		GPC-1.POL, GPC-7.POL, PC-1, PC-6, UC-2, UC-5
2	Project	C	3,00		3,00	GPC-1.POL, GPC-7.POL, PC-1, PC-6, UC-2, UC-5
	Professional Internship					
	Research Internship		18,00	6,00	12,00	
1	Term Paper (offered in a foreign language)	C	6,00	6,00		GPC-4.POL, PC-1, PC-2, PC-5, UC-2
2	Graduation Thesis (offered in a foreign language)	C	12,00		12,00	GPC-2.POL, GPC-3.POL, GPC-4.POL, GPC-7.POL, PC-1, PC-2, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-3, UC-6
	Major		60,00	33,00	27,00	
	Compulsory Courses		24,00	18,00	6,00	

1	Global Actors in Public Policy	C	6,00		6,00	GPC-2.POL, GPC-6.POL, PC-1, PC-2, UC-1, UC-3
2	Data Analysis in the Social Sciences (offered in a foreign language)	C	6,00	6,00		GPC-3.POL, PC-4, UC-4
3	Foundations of Public Policy (offered in a foreign language)	C	6,00	6,00		GPC-1.POL, GPC-2.POL, PC-2, PC-5, UC-1, UC-6
4	Policy analysis in theory and practice (offered in a foreign language)	C	6,00	6,00		GPC-1.POL, GPC-2.POL, PC-3, PC-4, UC-1, UC-6
	Methodology and Research Methods of Political Science		6,00	6,00		
1	Methodology and Research Methods of Political Science and Economics (offered in a foreign language)	E	6,00	6,00		GPC-3.POL, PC-4, PC-5, UC-4
2	Methodology and Research Methods of Political Science (offered in a foreign language)	E	6,00	6,00		GPC-2.POL, GPC-3.POL, GPC-4.POL, PC-4, PC-5, UC-4
	Дисциплина по выбору		3,00	3,00		
1	Law, Religion and Governance (offered in a foreign language)	E	3,00	3,00		GPC-2.POL, GPC-3.POL, PC-2, PC-3, UC-1, UC-4, UC-5
2	Political Science (offered in a foreign language)	E	3,00	3,00		GPC-3.POL, PC-3, UC-6
	Дисциплина по выбору		6,00	6,00		
1	Comparative Social Policy Analysis (offered in a foreign language)	E	6,00	6,00		GPC-4.POL, GPC-6.POL, GPC-7.POL, GPC-8.POL, PC-1, PC-2, UC-1, UC-3
2	Social entrepreneurship and social innovations (offered in a foreign language)	E	6,00	6,00		GPC-2.POL, GPC-4.POL, PC-1, PC-2, UC-1, UC-5
	Elective Courses		18,00		18,00	
1	Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR): business and state	E	6,00		6,00	GPC-1.POL, GPC-4.POL, GPC-8.POL, PC-1, PC-2, UC-1, UC-4
2	Anti-corruption and compliance in contemporary public policy	E	6,00		6,00	GPC-1.POL, GPC-4.POL, GPC-5.POL, GPC-8.POL, GPC-9.POL, PC-1, PC-2, UC-1, UC-4
3	Education and Innovation Policy	E	6,00		6,00	GPC-1.POL, GPC-4.POL, GPC-8.POL, PC-1, PC-2, UC-1, UC-4
4	Humanitarian Actions	E	6,00		6,00	GPC-1.POL, GPC-4.POL, GPC-8.POL, PC-1, PC-2, UC-1, UC-4
	Elective Courses		3,00		3,00	
1	Think Tanks and Policy Advice (offered in a foreign language)	E	3,00		3,00	GPC-1.POL, GPC-4.POL, GPC-8.POL, PC-1, PC-2, UC-1, UC-4
2	Non-Government Organizations as Development Agents (offered in a foreign language)	E	3,00		3,00	GPC-1.POL, GPC-4.POL, GPC-8.POL, PC-1, PC-2, UC-1, UC-4
	Magolego		15,00	9,00	6,00	
1	All-university Pool MAGOLEGO Courses (offered in a foreign language)	C	15,00	9,00	6,00	GPC-2.POL, PC-2, PC-4, PC-6, UC-1, UC-5, UC-6
	Final State Certification (FSC)		3,00		3,00	

1	Final Graduation Thesis	C	3,00		3,00	GPC-1.POL, GPC-2.POL, GPC-3.POL, GPC-4.POL, GPC-5.POL, GPC-7.POL, GPC-8.POL, GPC-9.POL, PC-1, PC-2, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5, UC-6
	Politics. Economics. Philosophy (General track)		120,00	60,00	60,00	
	Key Seminars		18,00	9,00	9,00	
1	Research Seminar	C	6,00		6,00	GPC-2.POL, GPC-3.POL, GPC-4.POL, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-4, UC-6
2	Research Seminar (offered in a foreign language)	C	6,00	6,00		GPC-2.POL, GPC-3.POL, GPC-4.POL, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-4, UC-6
3	Mentor's Seminar. An Economist's Perspective (offered in a foreign language)	C	3,00	3,00		GPC-2.POL, GPC-3.POL, GPC-4.POL, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-4, UC-6
4	Mentor's Seminar. Philosopher's Perspective (offered in a foreign language)	C	3,00		3,00	GPC-2.POL, GPC-3.POL, GPC-4.POL, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-4, UC-6
	Internship		27,00	9,00	18,00	
	Project Internship		6,00	3,00	3,00	
1	Project (offered in a foreign language)	E	3,00	3,00		GPC-6.POL, GPC-7.POL, GPC-8.POL, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-2, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
2	Project	C	3,00		3,00	GPC-6.POL, GPC-7.POL, GPC-8.POL, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-2, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
	Professional Internship					
	Research Internship		21,00	6,00	15,00	
1	Term Paper (offered in a foreign language)	C	6,00	6,00		GPC-2.POL, GPC-3.POL, GPC-4.POL, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-6
2	Graduation Thesis	C	15,00		15,00	GPC-2.POL, GPC-3.POL, GPC-4.POL, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-6
	Major		57,00	39,00	18,00	
	Compulsory Courses		39,00	27,00	12,00	
1	State and Economy	C	6,00		6,00	GPC-2.POL, GPC-3.POL, PC-2, PC-3, UC-1, UC-6
2	Philosophy of New Social Movements	C	6,00		6,00	GPC-1.POL, GPC-2.POL, GPC-3.POL, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, UC-1, UC-5, UC-6
3	Data Analysis in the Social Sciences (offered in a foreign language)	C	6,00	6,00		GPC-3.POL, PC-4, UC-4

4	Modern Political Science (offered in a foreign language)	C	6,00	6,00		GPC-2.POL, GPC-3.POL, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, UC-1, UC-6
5	Political Ethics (offered in a foreign language)	C	3,00	3,00		GPC-2.POL, GPC-3.POL, PC-2, PC-3, UC-1, UC-5, UC-6
6	Contemporary Economics (offered in a foreign language)	C	6,00	6,00		GPC-2.POL, GPC-3.POL, PC-2, PC-3, UC-1, UC-6
7	Intellectual History (Economic, Social, and Political Thought) (offered in a foreign language)	C	6,00	6,00		GPC-2.POL, GPC-3.POL, PC-2, PC-3, UC-1, UC-6
	Methodology and Research Methods of Political Science		6,00	6,00		
1	Methodology and Research Methods of Political Science and Economics (offered in a foreign language)	E	6,00	6,00		GPC-2.POL, GPC-3.POL, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, UC-1, UC-6
2	Methodology and Research Methods of Political Science (offered in a foreign language)	E	6,00	6,00		GPC-2.POL, GPC-3.POL, GPC-4.POL, PC-4, PC-5, UC-4
	Дисциплина по выбору		3,00	3,00		
1	Psychology of Thinking and Reasoning (offered in a foreign language)	E	3,00	3,00		GPC-2.POL, GPC-3.POL, PC-2, PC-3, UC-1, UC-6
2	Off the Centre: Introduction to the Radical Political Thought (offered in a foreign language)	E	3,00	3,00		GPC-2.POL, GPC-3.POL, PC-2, PC-3, UC-1, UC-6
	Дисциплина по выбору		6,00		6,00	
1	Explaining Contemporary Russian Politics: Institutions and Practices	E	6,00		6,00	GPC-1.POL, GPC-3.POL, GPC-9.POL, PC-2, PC-4, PC-5, UC-4, UC-5
2	Transformations of Post-Soviet Space: Politics, Societies, Economies (offered in a foreign language)	E	6,00		6,00	GPC-2.POL, GPC-3.POL, PC-2, PC-3, UC-1, UC-6
3	The EU–Russia Politics of Global Strategy (offered in a foreign language)	E	6,00		6,00	GPC-2.POL, GPC-3.POL, PC-2, PC-3, UC-1, UC-6
	Дисциплина по выбору		3,00	3,00		
1	Political Science (offered in a foreign language)	E	3,00	3,00		GPC-3.POL, PC-3, UC-6
2	Mathematics (offered in a foreign language)	E	3,00	3,00		GPC-3.POL, PC-3, UC-6
3	Economic Theory (offered in a foreign language)	E	3,00	3,00		GPC-3.POL, PC-3, UC-6
	Magolego		15,00	3,00	12,00	
1	All-university Pool MAGOLEGO Courses (offered in a foreign language)	C	15,00	3,00	12,00	GPC-5.POL, PC-3, PC-5, UC-6
	Final State Certification (FSC)		3,00		3,00	
1	Final Graduation Thesis	C	3,00		3,00	GPC-1.POL, GPC-5.POL, GPC-7.POL, PC-5, UC-1, UC-4, UC-6
	Russian Studies: Russian Politics and Society in Comparative Perspective (General track)		120,00	60,00	60,00	
	Key Seminars		18,00	9,00	9,00	
1	Research Seminar	C	6,00		6,00	GPC-2.POL, GPC-3.POL, GPC-4.POL, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-4, UC-6

2	Research Seminar (offered in a foreign language)	C	6,00	6,00		GPC-2.POL, GPC-3.POL, GPC-4.POL, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-4, UC-6
3	Mentor's Seminar (offered in a foreign language)	C	6,00	3,00	3,00	GPC-2.POL, GPC-3.POL, GPC-4.POL, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-1, UC-4, UC-6
	Internship		27,00	9,00	18,00	
	Project Internship		6,00	3,00	3,00	
1	Project (offered in a foreign language)	E	3,00	3,00		GPC-6.POL, GPC-7.POL, GPC-8.POL, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-2, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
2	Project	C	3,00		3,00	GPC-6.POL, GPC-7.POL, GPC-8.POL, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-2, UC-3, UC-4, UC-5
	Professional Internship					
	Research Internship		21,00	6,00	15,00	
1	Term Paper (offered in a foreign language)	C	6,00	6,00		GPC-2.POL, GPC-3.POL, GPC-4.POL, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-6
2	Graduation Thesis	C	15,00		15,00	GPC-2.POL, GPC-3.POL, GPC-4.POL, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, PC-4, PC-5, UC-1, UC-2, UC-6
	Major		57,00	39,00	18,00	
	Compulsory Courses		42,00	30,00	12,00	
1	Russia in the Global World: International Relations and Foreign Policy of Russia	C	6,00		6,00	GPC-1.POL, GPC-2.POL, GPC-4.POL, PC-3, PC-4, UC-1, UC-4, UC-5
2	Confessions, Churches, Diasporas: Religions and Religiosity in Modern Russia	C	6,00		6,00	GPC-1.POL, GPC-3.POL, GPC-4.POL, GPC-9.POL, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-4, UC-5
3	Modern Political Science (offered in a foreign language)	C	6,00	6,00		GPC-2.POL, GPC-3.POL, PC-1, PC-2, PC-3, UC-1, UC-6
4	Regional Dimension of Russian Politics (offered in a foreign language)	C	6,00	6,00		GPC-3.POL, GPC-4.POL, PC-2, UC-1, UC-5
5	Explaining Contemporary Russian Politics: Institutions and Practices (offered in a foreign language)	C	6,00	6,00		GPC-1.POL, GPC-3.POL, PC-2, UC-5
6	Russian Media System (offered in a foreign language)	C	6,00	6,00		GPC-1.POL, GPC-2.POL, GPC-5.POL, GPC-9.POL, PC-2, PC-3, PC-5, UC-4
7	Data Analysis in the Social Sciences (offered in a foreign language)	C	6,00	6,00		GPC-3.POL, PC-4, UC-4
	Methodology and Research Methods of Political Science		6,00	6,00		

