

National Research University Higher School of Economics (HSE)

Curriculum
Field of study 41.03.04 "Political Science"
Educational Programme "Political Science and World Politics"

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Length of Programme: 4 years
Years of Study: 2018/2019 - 2021/2022
Mode of Study: Full Time
Degree: Bachelor's Degree

Number of Students: 106
Number of Groups: 4

Block Code	Course	Department	Credits	Total Academic Hours	Contact Hours	Allocation of Contact Hours				Additional Information
						1	2	3	4	
Total Academic Hours of Educational Programme			60	2480	790	124	140	180	172	
General Programme Part				200	196	36	40	60	60	
1	Physical Training	Department of Physical Training		200	196	36	40A	60	60A	
Professional Programme Part (Major)			36	1368	428	50	58	78	70	
Basic Components			10	380	120	26	26	38	30	
2	Comparative Politics (offered in English)	Department of Political Science and International Affairs	5	190	52	26	26A			
3	Introduction to Policy Analysis (offered in English)	Department of Political Science and International Affairs	5	190	68			38	30A	
4	Independent English Language Test	Office of Curriculum Support			3				3A	
Basic Components of the Educational Track			6	228	136	24	32	40	40	
Foreign Language (2)			6	228	136	24	32	40	40	
5	Second Foreign Language (Chinese) (offered in English)	(!)	6	228	136	24	32	40	40A	
6	Second Foreign Language (German) (offered in English)	(!)	6	228	136	24	32	40	40A	
7	Second Foreign Language (French) (offered in English)	(!)	6	228	136	24	32	40	40A	
8	Second Foreign Language (Portuguese) (offered in English)	(!)	6	228	136	24	32	40	40A	
Elective Components of the Educational Track			4	152	40					

	Regional Specialization		4	152	40					
9	Politics and Societies in the European Countries (offered in English)	Department of Political Science and International Affairs	4	152	40	20	20A			
10	Politics and Societies in the BRICS States (offered in English)	Department of Political Science and International Affairs	4	152	40	20	20A			
11	Politics and Society in Post-Soviet States (offered in English)	Department of Political Science and International Affairs	4	152	40	20	20A			
.	Elective Courses		16	608	132					
	Elective Courses		4	152	40					
12	Education Policy in a Comparative Perspective (offered in English)	Department of Political Science and International Affairs	4	152	40			20	20A	
13	Language Policy in a Comparative Perspective (offered in English)	Department of Political Science and International Affairs	4	152	40			20	20A	
14	Migration Policy in a Comparative Perspective (offered in English)	Department of Political Science and International Affairs	4	152	40			20	20A	
15	Natural Resources Governance: Policymaking, Economic Growth and Transnational Cooperation (offered in English)	Department of Political Science and International Affairs	4	152	40			20	20A	
	Elective Courses		4	152	40					
16	Civil Society in a Comparative Perspective (offered in English)	Department of Political Science and International Affairs	4	152	40	20	20A			
17	Human Rights (offered in English)	Department of Political Science and International Affairs	4	152	40	20	20A			
18	Politics & Media (offered in English)	Department of Political Science and International Affairs	4	152	40	20	20A			
19	Ethnicity, Religion and Politics (offered in English)	Department of Political Science and International Affairs	4	152	40	20	20A			
	Elective Courses		4	152	40					
20	Constitutionalism and Democracy (offered in English)	Department of Political Science and International Affairs	4	152	40			40A		
21	Comparative authoritarianism (offered in English)	Department of Political Science and International Affairs	4	152	40			40A		
22	Electoral Process in Non-Democracies (offered in English)	Department of Political Science and International Affairs	4	152	40			40A		
23	The Strategy of Anti-Corruption Policy in a Comparative Perspective (offered in English)	Department of Political Science and International Affairs	4	152	40			40A		

	Elective Courses		4	152	12					
24	Health and Healthcare in Transition: Dilemmas of Governance (offered in English)	Department of Political Science and International Affairs	4	152	12				12A	
25	Drugs, drug use, drug policy and health (offered in English)	Department of Political Science and International Affairs	4	152	12				12A	
.	Extra Profile (Minor)		10	380	120	28	32	32	28	
26	Minor		10	380	120	28	32A	32	28A	
.	Internships, Projects and/or Research Activity		14	532	46	10	10	10	14	
27	Research Seminar (offered in English)	Department of Political Science and International Affairs	2	76	40	10	10	10	10A	
28	(!)		4	152	2				2A	
	Term Papers		5	190	2					
29	Term Paper		5	190	2				2A	
30	Term Paper (offered in English)		5	190	2				2A	
	Internships		3	114	2				2	
	Educational Internship		3	114	2				2	
31	Educational Internship		3	114	2				2A	
32	Educational Internship (offered in English)		3	114	2				2A	

A Interim assessment