



St Petersburg
University

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS (IN ENGLISH)

Level of education:	Master programme
Type of instruction:	Full-time
Duration:	2 years
Language of instruction:	English



BENEFITS OF THE PROGRAMME

- The programme targets Russian and international students with an ambition to become experts in world politics, to work as diplomats, members of international organisations and national government agencies.
- The programme is designed to develop a new generation of leaders who combine traditional knowledge of international relations with specific and profound understanding of both Russian domestic and foreign affairs.
- The majority of graduates are working at international organisations, Ministries of Foreign Affairs, non-governmental international and local organisations, think-tanks, universities, and etc. being unique specialists in both world politics and Russia.
- The core distinctive aspect of the programme is providing the students with the ability to make analysis referred to both Russia, its politics and international relations.
- The programme prepares graduates for the challenges of the digitalization of international relations through including courses on big data analysis and providing the students with the skills in the area of social media analysis.
- SPbU School of International Relations is a member of Association of Professional Schools of International Affairs.
- The programme has gained international accreditation by ZEvA.
- A wide range of partner-universities for academic exchange.
- The majority of students on the programme come from the USA, Mexico, France, Germany, Slovakia, Great Britain, Turkey, China, Morocco, Brazil, South Korea, Japan, Sri Lanka, Indonesia, and many other countries.
- The academic staff involved in the teaching have completed training and internships at U.S., European and Asian universities. They have PhDs from European universities, or hold Russian degrees of Candidate of Sciences and/or Doctor of Sciences, and actively publish textbooks for the students of the programme.



KEY SKILLS

- Skills in the analytical work referred to the foreign policy of Russia and international relations
- Skills to use notional/conceptual apparatus applied by experts in the field of diplomatic practice and international relations
- Skills to prepare reports, papers, memos and etc. for submitting to governmental and expert community
- Skills to follow legal and normative documents in the field of the future profession, including an ability to utilize national variances in normative documents relative to international relations
- Skills to effectively arrange analytical work in the field of international multilateral contacts
- Soft communications skills
- Data science skills

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Graduates join government bodies, universities, international organisations, mass media offices and businesses as public officials, international relations consultants, specialists, political technologists, etc.

Key positions

- Public officials
- Staff at the UN, embassies
- International relations consultant for business community
- Political experts
- Researchers at think tanks
- International and regional organisations staff

PROGRAMME OVERVIEW:

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