

National Economies of Foreign Countries

B.1.2.5.1.4

Degree: Bachelor

Year: 2

Semester: 4

General workload: 3 ECTS credits, 108 hours

Goals and objectives of the course

To acquire in-depth knowledge of economies of developed and developing countries.

Key didactic units

1. National economies and the global economic system;
2. The US economy;
3. The economy of the leading EU countries (Germany, Great Britain, France and Italy);
4. The economy of Japan;
5. The economy of China;
6. The economy of Latin American countries (Argentina, Brazil, Mexico and Chile);
7. Transition economies and the global economy.

Place of the discipline within the curriculum

This is an elective.

Upon completing the course, the students should:

Know: the way countries are engaged in the world trade of goods and services, international capital flow, international exchange and financial operations;

Be able to: examine and observe the key trends in foreign countries' economies and identify the way they participate in international economic relations;

Have: skills and knowledge necessary for independent examination of the most important trends in the foreign countries' economic development, their role in the global economy and interaction between Russia and foreign countries.

Course structure: lectures, practicals and seminars

Summative assessment: pass / fail examination