Economic Political Science

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**Degree:** Bachelor

Year: 2018-2019 academic year

Semester: Fall

General workload: 3 ECTS credits, 108 hours

**Goals and objectives of the course**

* To examine the patterns in relations between the political and economic systems, the characteristics of the pattern in relations between political and economic systems in modern Russia;
* To acquire knowledge of political institutions of the modern world and Russia, their relations with other social sectors, the ability to apply the knowledge to professional practice;
* To acquire the ability to study independently, awareness of ethical standards of interpersonal professional communication;
* To shape civic stance by identifying priorities in the social groups’, public institutions’ and individuals’ operations.

**Key didactic units**

Subject of economic political science. Politics and economics as components of community life. Political conditions of economic operations. 'Sectional' and the 'non-sectional' concepts of power. The institute of the state. Modern political regimes. Civil society and the state. The electoral process. The establishment in politics and economics. Modern types of political consciousness. Political culture and political participation. Political and economic systems. Modern political communications. Lobbyism. Political and economic changes. Social conflicts in the modern world. Interethnic relations in the modern world. World political and economic system.

Place of the discipline within the curriculum

The course is part of the general training module.

Upon completing the course, the students should:

Know:

* The key theoretical approaches to the origin of the state, types, forms, and functions of the state;
* Types of, the main sources of and development of mass social movements, social interactions, factors in society development, types and structure of community organizations;
* The Russian economy’s key features, its institutional structure, areas of public economic policy;
* The basic patterns of interaction between political and economic systems;
* The basics of business communication;
* The patterns in and stages of the historical process;
* The key areas of modern Russian politics.

Be able to:

* Examine political and economic processes, assess political governance efficiency, and goal achievement through the use of resources;
* Arrange the negotiation process, including through the use of modern means of communication;
* Know various patterns of political and economic systems’ interaction;
* Examine processes going on and phenomena existent in a global, multipolar world;

*Have:*

* Skills in examining the political and economic sectors of a society;
* Skills of teamwork, personal time management, independent study;
* Business communication skills.

Course structure: Lectures (16 hours), practicals (18 hours)

Summative assessment: pass/fail examination