

# National Research University – Higher School of Economics



Year of foundation: **1992**



Total students: **40 300** / Foreign students: **3 500**



Faculties: **33**



Teachers: **3 700**

Professors  
**482**

Associate Professors  
**893**

Doctors of Science  
**739**

Candidates of Science  
**1 754**

Foreign teachers  
**120**



Main educational programmes for foreigners: **303**

Bachelor's programme  
**79**

Master's programme  
**168**

Specialist programme  
**1**

Training of highest qualification personnel  
**55**



Additional educational programs for foreigners: **7**

Pre-university training programmes  
**6**

Russian as a foreign language  
**1**

Short programmes

Other programmes

The HSE University is a national research university located in Moscow with branches in St. Petersburg, Perm and Nizhny Novgorod. HSE University offers a wide range of educational programmes from Bachelor's and Master's Programmes to MBA, DBA and vocational professional education.

The fundamental nature of the education provided at HSE University and the opportunity to take part in academic projects and research alongside with distinguished academics from Russia and around the world enables HSE University graduates to achieve professional success even from their first year of studies.

The HSE University was the first Russian state university to hire foreign lecturers. Today over 100 lecturers from 25 countries work at the university.

HSE University students regularly complete internships at leading international companies. The school's Career Development Centre provides career advice and support, while every year the business incubator holds a competition for start-ups, one of the largest in Russia.

## Student successes

HSE University graduates include numerous exceptional individuals working in various spheres of public life.

## Famous graduates

<b>Anton Inyutzyn</b>	Deputy Minister of Energy of Russia
<b>Maksim Oreshkin</b>	Minister for Economic Development of Russia
<b>Oleg Fomichev</b>	Secretary of State, Deputy Minister of Economic Development of Russia
<b>Aleksandr Maslennikov</b>	Head of Department for Development of Economic Sectors of the Ministry of Economic Development of Russia
<b>Konstantin Noskov</b>	Head of Analytical Centre for the Government of Russia
<b>Yuri Zubarev</b>	Secretary of State, Deputy Minister of Finance of Russia
<b>Maksim Yakovenko</b>	Deputy Head of Russian Federal Service for Hydrometeorology and Environmental Monitoring
<b>Dmitry Pegov</b>	Head of the Moscow Metro
<b>Andrey Vorobyov</b>	Governor of Moscow Region
<b>Leonid Neganov</b>	Minister of Energy of Moscow Region
<b>Ilya Azar</b>	Journalist
<b>German Klimenko</b>	Internet entrepreneur
<b>Anastasia Volochkova</b>	Ballet dancer
<b>Roman Dobrokhoto</b>	Political activist

## Positions in international ratings

YEAR	RATING	POSITION
2021	THE World University Rankings	251-300
2021	Ranking «QS - World University Rankings by subject»: Art & Design	101-150
2021	Ranking «QS - World University Rankings by subject»: Philosophy	51-100
2021	Ranking «QS - World University Rankings by subject»: History	51-100
2021	Ranking «QS - World University Rankings by subject»: Mathematics	95
2021	Ranking «QS - World University Rankings by subject»: Economics & Econometrics	76
2021	Ranking «QS - World University Rankings by subject»: Sociology	50
2021	Ranking «QS - World University Rankings by subject»: Politics & International Studies	45
2021	Ranking «QS - World University Rankings by faculty»	48
2020	Ranking «ShanghaiRanking's Global Ranking of Academic Subjects»: Business Administration	301-400
2020	Ranking «ShanghaiRanking's Global Ranking of Academic Subjects»: Economics	201-300
2020	Ranking «ShanghaiRanking's Global Ranking of Academic Subjects»: Sociology	151-200
2020	Ranking «ShanghaiRanking's Global Ranking of Academic Subjects»: Political Sciences	101-150
2020	Ranking «ShanghaiRanking's Global Ranking of Academic Subjects»: Mathematics	101-150
2020	Ranking «QS - World University Rankings by faculty»: Natural Sciences	401-450
2020	Ranking «QS - World University Rankings by faculty»: Arts & Humanities	145
2020	Ranking «QS - World University Rankings by faculty»: Social Sciences & Management	59
2020	Ranking «QS Top 50 Under 50»	31

YEAR	RATING	POSITION
<b>2020</b>	Ranking «QS – World University Rankings by subject»: History	51-100
<b>2020</b>	Ranking «QS – World University Rankings by subject»: Economics & Econometrics	51-100
<b>2020</b>	Ranking «QS – World University Rankings by subject»: Sociology	51-100
<b>2020</b>	Ranking «QS – World University Rankings by subject»: Politics & International Studies	48
<b>2020/2021</b>	Ranking «QS World University Rankings»	298
<b>2019</b>	QS – World University Rankings by subject: Physics & Astronomy	551-600
<b>2019</b>	QS – World University Rankings by subject: Psychology	201-250
<b>2019</b>	QS – World University Rankings by subject: Communication & Media Studies	151-200
<b>2019</b>	QS – World University Rankings by subject: Economics & Econometrics	51-100
<b>2019</b>	QS – World University Rankings by subject: Sociology	51-100
<b>2019</b>	QS – World University Rankings by subject: Politics & International Studies	51-100
<b>2019</b>	QS – World University Rankings by subject: Accounting & Finance	101-150
<b>2019</b>	QS – World University Rankings by subject: Mathematics	101-150
<b>2019</b>	QS – World University Rankings by subject: Business & Management Studies	101-150
<b>2019</b>	QS – World University Rankings by subject: Computer Science & Information Systems	201-250
<b>2019</b>	QS – World University Rankings by subject: Philosophy	101-150
<b>2019</b>	QS – World University Rankings by subject: History	101-150
<b>2019</b>	QS – World University Rankings by subject: Linguistics	101-150
<b>2019</b>	QS – World University Rankings by subject: Law	151-200

YEAR	RATING	POSITION
2019	QS – World University Rankings by subject: Education	101-150
2019	QS – World University Rankings by subject: Modern Languages	151-200
2018	QS – World University Rankings by subject: Sociology	51-100
2018	QS – World University Rankings by subject: Politics & International Studies	51-100
2018	QS – World University Rankings by subject: Economics & Econometrics	101-150
2018	QS – World University Rankings by subject: Mathematics	101-150
2018	QS – World University Rankings by subject: Philosophy	101-150
2018	QS – World University Rankings by subject: Accounting & Finance	151-200
2018	QS – World University Rankings by subject: Business & Management Studies	151-200
2018	QS – World University Rankings by subject: History	151-200
2018	QS – World University Rankings by subject: Linguistics	151-200
2018	QS – World University Rankings by subject: Law	201-250
2018	QS – World University Rankings by subject: Modern Languages	201-250
2018	QS – World University Rankings by subject: Computer Science & Information Systems	251-300
2018	QS – World University Rankings by subject: Education	251-300
2018	ShanghaiRanking's Global Ranking of Academic Subjects: Sociology	51-75
2018	ShanghaiRanking's Global Ranking of Academic Subjects: Mathematics	76-100
2018	ShanghaiRanking's Global Ranking of Academic Subjects: Political Sciences	151-200
2018	ShanghaiRanking's Global Ranking of Academic Subjects: Economics	151-200

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2018	ShanghaiRanking's Global Ranking of Academic Subjects: Management	401-500
2018	THE Young University Rankings	84
2018	QS World University Rankings	343
2018	QS Top 50 Under 50	38
2018	U.S.News & World Report Best Global Universities by Subject: Social Sciences and Public Health	343
2018	U.S.News & World Report Best Global Universities by Subject: Mathematics	181
2017	QS Top 50 Under 50	48
2017	THE World University Rankings	351-400
2017	THE Young University Rankings	96
2017	QS - World University Rankings by faculty: Social Sciences & Management	155
2017	QS - World University Rankings by subject: Education	201-250
2017	QS - World University Rankings by subject: Law	201-250
2017	QS - World University Rankings by subject: Communication & Media Studies	151-200
2017	QS - World University Rankings by subject: Linguistics	151-200
2017	QS - World University Rankings by subject: History	151-200
2017	QS - World University Rankings by subject: Philosophy	151-200
2017	QS - World University Rankings by subject: Computer Science & Information Systems	351-400
2017	QS - World University Rankings by subject: Business & Management Studies	151-200
2017	QS - World University Rankings by subject: Mathematics	151-200

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<b>2017</b>	QS – World University Rankings by subject: Accounting & Finance	101-150
<b>2017</b>	QS – World University Rankings by subject: Politics & International Studies	51-100
<b>2017</b>	QS – World University Rankings by subject: Sociology	51-100
<b>2017</b>	QS – World University Rankings by subject: Economics & Econometrics	51-100
<b>2016</b>	THE World University Rankings	401-500
<b>2016/2017</b>	QS World University Rankings	411-420
<b>2016</b>	QS Top 50 Under 50 Young Universities Rankings	51-60
<b>2016</b>	QS WU Rankings by Subject: Computer Science & Information Systems	401-500
<b>2016</b>	QS WU Rankings by Subject: Mathematics	251-300
<b>2016</b>	QS WU Rankings by Subject: Accounting & Finance	151-200
<b>2016</b>	QS WU Rankings by Subject: Philosophy	151-200
<b>2016</b>	QS WU Rankings by Subject: Politics & International Studies	101-150
<b>2016</b>	QS WU Rankings by Subject: Business & Management Studies	151-200
<b>2016</b>	QS WU Rankings by Subject: Sociology	101-150
<b>2016</b>	QS WU Rankings by Subject: Economics & Econometrics	101-150
<b>2016</b>	QS BRICS & Emerging Economies Rankings	62
<b>2016</b>	QS Emerging Europe & Central Asia Rankings	35
<b>2015</b>	Popularity Rankings sites of higher education institutions 4 International Colleges & Universities	469

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2015	Rankings 1 500 economics departments and research centers Social Sciences Research Network	109
2015	Webometrics Ranking	1 444
2015	QS WU Rankings by Subject: Sociology	151-200
2015	QS WU Rankings by Subject: Economics and Econometrics	151-200
2015	QS WU Rankings by Subject: Social Development Studies	51-100
2015	QS WU Rankings by Subject: Philosophy	151-200
2015	U-Multirank	1
2015	BRICS & Emerging Economies Rankings	63
2015	QS World University Rankings	501-550
2015	QS Emerging Europe & Central Asia Rankings	37
2014	Rating universities in the countries of BRICS QS University Rankings: BRICS	58
2014	Global ranking of Master's programs Eduniversal Best Masters Ranking (MBA-Strategic management in fashion industry)	27
2014	Global ranking of Master's programs Eduniversal Best Masters Ranking (Strategic Management and Corporate Governance)	8
2014	Global ranking of Master's programs Eduniversal Best Masters Ranking (Finance)	13
2014	Webometrics Ranking	781
2014	Global ranking of Master's programs Eduniversal Best Masters Ranking (Marketing)	6
2014	Global ranking of Master's programs Eduniversal Best Masters Ranking (Project Management)	6
2014	QS World University Rankings	501-550



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2014	Global ranking of Master's programs Eduniversal Best Masters Ranking (Human Resource Managemet)	1
2014	Popularity Rankings sites of higher education institutions 4 International Colleges & Universities	438
2013	Popularity Rankings sites of higher education institutions 4 International Colleges & Universities	463
2013	QS World University Rankings	500-550
2013	Rating universities in the countries of BRICS QS University Rankings: BRICS	50
2012	Popularity Rankings sites of higher education institutions 4 International Colleges & Universities	700
2012	QS World University Rankings	500-550
2011	QS World University Rankings	551-600
2010	QS World University Rankings	451-500
2009	QS World University Rankings	501-600

### Positions in Russian ratings

YEAR	RATING	POSITION
2015	RePEc ranking of Russia's top educational and research centres in the field of Economics	1
2015	The best Russian universities by demand for graduates, Expert RA	5
2015	Superjob.ru ranking by salary level of young professionals employed in the field of Economics and Management	3
2015	Webometrics Ranking	14

YEAR	RATING	POSITION
2015	20 best universities in Russia by salary level of young professionals working within the field	3
2015	Expert RA rating of Russian universities	5
2014	RePEc ranking of Russia's top educational and research centres in the field of Economics	1
2014	Webometrics Ranking	5
2014	Expert RA rating of Russian universities	6
2014	Quality of students accepted to Russian universities (with a focus on Economics)	2
2014	The best Russian universities by demand for graduates, Expert RA	8
2014	Interfax Ranking	10
2014	Expert RA reputational rating of Russian universities in the field of Economics and Management	2
2013	The best Russian universities by demand for graduates, Expert RA	11
2013	Expert RA rating of Russian universities	6
2013	Interfax Ranking	15
2012	Interfax Ranking	17
2012	Expert RA rating of Russian universities	5
2012	The best Russian universities by demand for graduates, Expert RA	10
2011	Interfax Ranking	21-22
2010	Interfax Ranking	31-35

## International partnership

- Over 600 partnership agreements with international universities and organisations
- Over 120 student exchange programmes

- Over 55 double degree programmes with major foreign universities
- English language programmes: 44 Master's and 8 Bachelor's, including double degree programmes

### Major foreign partner universities:

- Erasmus University, Netherlands
- Higher School of Commerce, Europe
- Kyoto University, Japan
- London School of Economics and Political Sciences, UK
- Bologna University, Italy
- Fudan University, China
- Humboldt University of Berlin, Germany
- Indiana University at Bloomington, USA
- Universite Paris 1 Pantheon-Sorbonne, France
- Kyonggi University, South Korea
- University of Kent, Canterbury, Great Britain
- University of Leeds, Great Britain
- George Mason University, USA

## Olimpiads

	<a href="#"><u>Global Scholarship Competition</u></a>	<b>Annually, from 26 October to 1 November</b>	High school students (aged 13 and above), as well as applicants under 30 permanently residing outside Russia can take part in the competition.
	<a href="#"><u>Highest Order Academic Competition</u></a>	<b>Annually, December-February</b>	Students from the CIS and Baltic states can take part in the competition. The competition is held in 2 stages: the extramural stage is held in December and the intramural in February.
	<a href="#"><u>Open Doors: Russian Scholarship Project</u></a>	<b>Annually, December - March</b>	The Open Doors International Olympiad: Russian Scholarship Project is held annually with the support of the Ministry of Science and Higher Education of the Russian Federation and the Federal Agency for the Commonwealth of Independent States Affairs, Compatriots Living Abroad, and International Humanitarian Cooperation (Rossotrudnichestvo) for foreign citizens, stateless persons and Russians living abroad.

## Preparatory department for foreign applicants

### Other types of training

#### HSE University Centre of Preparatory Programmes for International Students

Preparatory programmes for international students are an excellent opportunity to learn Russian and prepare for training on Russian-taught undergraduate and graduate programmes at HSE University or other Russian universities chosen by the applicant. The Centre admits foreigners with basic or no knowledge of Russian. Training can be provided to scholarship and self-funded students; the latter have to [submit an application](#).

Self-funded training options:

#### Basic course

*Application deadline:* August 15th

*Period of study:* October - July (two semesters)

*Tuition fee:* 174,000 rubles

### **Basic online course (blended format)**

*Application deadline:* September 15th

*Period of study:* October - July (two semesters: 1 semester online, 2 semester on-campus)

*Tuition fee:* 174,000 rubles

### **Intensive course**

*Application deadline:* November 15th

*Period of study:* February - July (one semester)

*Tuition fee:* 96,600 rubles

### **English Preparatory Programme in Economics**

*Application deadline:* November 15th

*Period of study:* February - July (one semester)

*Tuition fee:* 173,000 rubles

Details are [here](#).

Graduates of the preparatory program receive a 50% discount on bachelor's and master's degree programs when they enroll in the HSE University.

At the Center of HSE University International Preparatory Programmes, you can pass a certified exam in Russian as a foreign language (TRKI, levels A1-C2).

Details are [here](#).

### **Support of foreign students**

The HSE University Directorate for Cooperation with the CIS and Baltic Countries provides support to the students from neighbouring countries, while the International Student Recruitment Centre supports students from countries further abroad. Employees of these departments help with documents required for admission and resolve administrative and everyday issues.

International students at the HSE University quickly adapt to life in Russia, thanks to the student organisation HSE University Buddies. It organises meetings, trips, excursions and other events contributing to cultural exchange and the formation of a single international community of HSE University students.

### **Everyday life of foreign students**

For students admitted to state-funded places, i.e. with a 100% scholarship from the Russian government ('quotas'), the distribution model will not change. These students will be accommodated in the HSE dormitories as before. The average dormitory fee is 2,000 Russian rubles per month.

Full scholarship recipients will be able to find information about their HSE University dormitory assignment in their online [Bachelor's](#) or [Master's](#) accounts no earlier than August 16, 2021.

Students who come to HSE University on academic mobility programmes will also be accommodated in one of HSE

dormitories.

Fee-paying students and students with partial grants will be able to participate in the new student housing programme, which will provide assistance with finding an apartment or room for rent, and, if necessary, roommate pairing. [Details are available on the My HSE House website.](#)

## Leisure and sport events

Students of the HSE University lead active and rich lives outside their studies. At the university there are over 50 associations including singing, drawing and dance schools, KVN team, theatre, choirs, debating clubs, sports clubs, travel clubs and many more.

## Employment of foreign graduates

Graduates of HSE University work at international public organisations as well as at global companies such as Ernst&Young, PricewaterhouseCoopers, Deloitte, PepsiCo, Accenture, Citi, L'Oreal, McKinsey&Company, IBM, Google, KPMG and Microsoft.

## Events

	<b>Educational Fair</b>	<b>February, 2020</b> Minsk (Belarus)
	<b>Days of the Higher School of Economics</b>	<b>February, 2020</b> Bishkek, Jalal-Abad (Kyrgyzstan)
	<b>Days of the Higher School of Economics</b>	<b>February 2020</b> Tashkent (Uzbekistan)
	<b>Mega Career &amp; Study Fair</b>	<b>February-March 2020</b> Kuala Lumpur (Malaysia)
	<b>Russian Educational Exhibition 2020</b>	<b>February, 2020</b> Ulaanbaatar (Mongolia)
	<b>Days of the Higher School of Economics</b>	<b>February, 2020</b> Chisinau, Tiraspol (Moldova)
	<b>Days of the Higher School of Economics, the Exhibition "Education and Career EXPO2020"</b>	<b>March, 2020</b> Yerevan, Vanadzor (Armenia)
	<b>37th IEFT Turkey Fairs Spring 2020</b>	<b>March, 2020</b> Istanbul (Turkey)
	<b>Days of the Higher School of Economics</b>	<b>March, 2020</b> Chisinau, Balti, Comrat, Tiraspol (Moldova)
	<b>Days of the Higher School of Economics</b>	<b>April, 2020</b> Minsk, Vitebsk, Brest, Gomel (Belarus)

	<b>Days of the Higher School of Economics</b>	<b>April, 2020</b> Tashkent, Samarkand (Uzbekistan)
	<b>International Fair "Russian Education. Dushanbe 2020"</b>	<b>April, 2020</b> Dushanbe (Tajikistan)
	<b>Days of the Higher School of Economics</b>	<b>April-May, 2020</b> Bishkek, Jalal-Abad (Kyrgyzstan)
	<b>Days of the Higher School of Economics</b>	<b>April, 2020</b> Tashkent (Uzbekistan)
	<b>Days of the Higher School of Economics</b>	<b>June, 2020</b> Chisinau, Tiraspol (Moldova)
	<b>Days of the Higher School of Economics</b>	<b>July, 2020</b> Almaty (Kazakhstan)
	<b>Days of the Higher School of Economics</b>	<b>July, 2020</b> Tashkent (Uzbekistan)
	<b>Days of the Higher School of Economics</b>	<b>July, 2020</b> Dushanbe (Tajikistan)
	<b>Days of the Higher School of Economics</b>	<b>July, 2020</b> Bishkek, Jalal-Abad (Kyrgyzstan)
	<b>Days of the Higher School of Economics</b>	<b>August, 2020</b> Tashkent (Uzbekistan)

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