Political Science: Russian and Comparative Studies

Peoples' Friendship University of Russia

Degree or qualification is awarded: Postgraduate course

Language of study: English
Mode of study: full-time
Duration: 3 years
Availability of free education: yes
Price: 405 730 RUB per year for CIS students; 5 460 US $ for international students

Programme curator: Yuriy Mikhailovich Pochta
Tel.: +7 495 936 85 28
E-mail: pochta_yum@rudn.university

The aim of the program “Political Science: Russian and Comparative Studies”. 41.06.01 «Political science and regional studies» is preparing high-quality employees (PhD). The study of political systems, political processes and the political consciousness of regions and countries, their specifics and the methodology of their diverse research and comparative analysis. Disclosure of the nature and essence of the Russian state companies on the basis of a broad spectrum of research approaches. Developing skills of analytical and prognostic activities of the students, abilities to apply them in practical research activities and educational process.

The Objects of professional activity of the graduates who have completed the graduate program are:

- political, economic, social and demographic processes at the local, regional, national and international levels;
- international relations and foreign policy;
- political expertise and political advice;
- problems of political development;
- processes in the sphere of mass communications, as well as culture, ethnicity, language and religion.

Core subjects:

1. Political regionalism: Russian and international specifics
2. Organization of scientific activity in The Russian Federation

3. History and philosophy of science

4. Philosophy, theory, history and methodology of political science

5. Pedagogy of higher education

Program benefits: The program is in English, classes are in English. The use of modular principle where the content of the basic educational program and building a curriculum. Significant emphasis on scientific research. The involvement of students in the educational and research processes.

Job prospects / career: Graduates of the program could work in state and municipal administration in foreign countries, political organizations, commercial and non-commercial structures, consulting and analytical centers, mass media, academic and research organizations.

Specializations within this programme