



POLITICAL PROBLEMS OF THE GLOBALIZING WORLD

MASTER'S DEGREE PROGRAMME



- The Master's program is aimed at making international level specialists in the field of Political Science.
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STUDYING PROCCESS

120 credits.

Including lectures, practical classes and independent work, professional practice, research work.

RUSSIA FACING THE CHALLENGES OF GLOBAL AND REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT (IN RUSSIAN)

- Global studies as the science about globalization.
- -• Global development. Regionalization.
- -• Globalization and fragmentation.
- -• The paradigm of international relations.
- World order.
- -• Modernization and economic development.
- -• Eurasian Economic Union.
- -• Foreign policy and diplomacy of Russia.
- -• Russia in the system of modern international relations.
- -• Russia and the CIS.
- -• Russia and "Greater Europe".
- -• Russia and the USA.
- -• Russia and China.
- -• Russia and the Middle East.
- -• National interests of Russia.
- -• National and international security of the Russian Federation.

MODERN TECHNOLOGIES OF EFFECTIVE POLICY (IN RUSSIAN)

- -• Political technologies.
- The use of political technologies in Russia.
- Public Administration Political Administration.
- Information and infobase.
- Political risks.



- -• Management and forecasting of political risks.
- -• Forecast and forecasting.
- -• Lobbying.
- -• Political Communication.
- -• Government Relation (GR).
- -• Public Relation (PR).
- -• Selective technologies.
- -• Political campaign.
- -• Technology of political leadership.

PROBLEMS OF POLITICAL STABILITY IN THE MODERN WORLD (IN RUSSIAN)

- Political stability.
- -• Political regime and political system.
- -• The stability of the political regime.
- -• The stability of the political system.
- -• International stability.
- -• Globalization.
- -• Information Revolution.
- Political stability forecasting.

EUROPEAN UNION AND RUSSIA: POLITICAL AND SOCIOCULTURAL DIMENSION (IN RUSSIAN)

- European Union as a model of regional integration.
- European idea.
- Schengen process.
- -• Maastricht Treaty.
- -• Theory of the "Three Pillars".
- EU Citizenship Institute.



- Institutional structure of the EU.
- -• EU Constitution.
- -• EU Migration Crisis.
- Brexit.
- -• The European Union as a political actor in international relations.
- -• Relations between Russia and the EU.
- -• "The Northern Dimension" of EU-Russia Cooperation.
- ATP problem.
- -• Energy dialogue between Russia and the EU.
- Relations between the EU and the Russian Federation in the context of anti-Russian sanctions.

POLITICAL CULTURE: RUSSIA - THE WEST - THE EAST (IN RUSSIAN)

- --- Political culture.
- -• Concepts of G. Almond and S. Verba.
- -• Types of political culture: Parochial, Subject, Participant.
- -• The culture of "citizenship."
- -• Market political culture.
- -• Etatist political culture.
- -• Totalitarian and democratic political culture.
- -• Civilization.
- Values.
- -• "The West and The East".
- The political culture of Russian society.



CHINA AND RUSSIA IN THE NEW WORLD ORDER (IN ENGLISH)

- International relations as a world system.
- The contours of the new world order.
- -• Unipolar and multipolar world: points of stability and destabilization.
- Intercivilizational interaction in the modern world.
- -• The shift of the center of world politics to the East and the Asia-Pacific Region (APR).
- Problems of political relations of the Asia-Pacific countries.
- -• The status of Russia and China in the new world order: global or regional powers?
- Cooperation between Russia and China as a factor in the development of the world order.
- The forms of interaction between Russia and China integration formats (SCO, BRICS, etc.).

MIGRATION AND HUMAN CAPITAL (IN RUSSIAN)

- -• International migration.
- -• Migration crisis.
- -• Global Migration Management.
- -• Causes of population migration.
- Socio-economic and demographic consequences of migration.
- Adaptation and socialization of migrants.
- -• Labour migration.
- Educational migration and brain drain.
- Human capital. Migration policies.





👃 DIANA ANARBEKOVA, KYRGYZSTAN

I am a final year student of the Master's program "Political Problems of a Globalizing World" at the Department of Comparative Politics of RUDN University.

The faculty staff is strong, always supports and helps with the curriculum and more than that. The material is presented quite interestingly, with great emphasis on independent work. I like that, along with professors, postgraduate students are involved in the seminars, they share their observations and give valuable advice.

The department frequently organizes lectures with the participation of foreign and other experts, and also holds round tables where each student can present his theses, subsequently correct it and write a scientific work/article. This is a very good opportunity for students who want to develop in the scientific community.

What pleased us when studying on this master's program was the level of intelligence of our classmates, which always contributed to an easy and interesting discussion of any topic covered. International programs are also a big plus, for example, at one lecture / seminar we could sit with students from France and China, which was very interesting, since everyone shared their views, which could radically differ from those of the Russianspeaking students.

Also, a great plus is the opportunity to carry out the professional practice in the field of most interest to you. I went through practice at the Eurasian Economic Commission and I am sure that the practical experience gained is necessary to build a successful career in the future.

👃 SYED MOHAMMAD FAIZA, AFGHANISTAN

The Political Problems of Globalized World programme combines the best from political science and international relations studies. It provides an insight into a large array of diverse issues on both domestic and international politics. We had lectures on the Russian civilization, religion and particularly Islam in politics, EU-Russia relations, comparative politics and much more. We also did lots of research, the professors helped us in writing articles and preparing speeches for conferences, we were encouraged to take part in all sort of scientific activities, which made the studying process even more interesting.



& MARCO JORGE CALDERON VERDUGA, ECUADOR

- Admission to RUDN University was both an honor and a challenge for me, since I was not the first of my family to enter this university. My uncle is a graduate of Peoples' Friendship University after Patrice Lumumba. Considering various specialties, I made a choice in favor of Political Science. I took a Graduate Course at the Department of Comparative Politics.
 - The "Political Problems of a Globalizing World" program gave me new knowledge in the field of global and regional development and the interaction of civilizations.
 - I would especially like to note the role of the supervisor associate professor of the department Daria B. Kazarinova. Her help throughout the studying period is difficult to overestimate.

👃 MAIHAN AZADA, AFGHANISTAN

- I am immensely grateful to fate that I had the opportunity to study at RUDN University.
 - In 2018, I graduated from the Master's studies with a degree in Political Science. With my graduation work on the participation of women in Afghanistan's politics, I tried to convey that we are all equal, despite various kinds of prejudices. Thanks to the Department of Comparative Politics, I was able to reach my potential.
 - Now I work for an Afghan non-governmental organization that advocates for women's rights.



HEAD OF THE PROGRAMME

MARIA M. MCHEDLOVA



Doctor of Political Sciences, Professor; Head of the Department of Comparative Politics, RUDN University; Chief Researcher at the Research Center "Religion in Modern Society" of the Federal Research Sociological Center of the Russian Academy of Sciences.

Ph.D. thesis topic: "Analysis of the problems of civilization in the French socio-philosophical theory: history and modernity" (1994).

Doctoral dissertation topic: "The place of religion in the socio-political process: civilizational foundations and modern trends" (2011).

SCIENTIFIC INTERESTS:

theory, philosophy and epistemology of politics, sociocultural factors of the political process, Russian civilization, religion and politics, religion and society.

Member of the Board of the Russian Association

of Political Science; Member of the Russian Society of Political Scientists; Member of the Federal UMO in Higher Education in the Enlarged Group of Specialties and Training 41.00.00 – Political Science and Regional Studies; Member of the Expert Council of the Higher Attestation Commission of the Russian Federation for Political Sciences; Expert of the Russian Academy of Sciences; Expert of the RFBR; Member of the Expert Council of the Russian Association for the Protection of Religious Freedom; member of the Working Group on the implementation of the Strategy of the State National Policy of the Russian Federation for the period until 2025; head of the expert group "Political Science, Philosophy, Ethics, Religion" of the open competition in the framework of the Decree of the Government of the Russian Federation of April 9, 2010 No. 220 for receiving grants from the Government of the Russian Federation for state support of scientific research conducted under the supervision of leading scientists (mega grants); Expert of the Commission on harmonization of interethnic and interreligious relations of the Public Chamber of the Russian Federation.

The author of more than 250 published works, including 30 monographs (collective and individual), has more than 30 trained candidates and doctors of science.

HEAD OF THE PROGRAMME

Has experience in organizing sociological studies at the federal level, expert surveys, is one of the leading domestic experts in the field of political science, state-confessional relations, interdisciplinary research on the issue of identity and intercultural interaction, the religious factor in politics.

Chairman of State Attestation Commissions for Political Science, International Relations, Advertising and Public Relations, Religious Studies at leading scientific and educational institutions of Russia and the world: MGIMO (University), Higher School of Economics, Russian-Armenian University (Armenia), Moscow State University, RANEPA under the President of the Russian Federation.

Member of dissertation councils on political science at RUDN University (since 2019 - Chairman), RANEPA under the President of the Russian Federation, Moscow State University, MGIMO (University), St. Petersburg State University, takes part in jury meetings for awarding PhD degrees in French universities.

Supervises and takes part in many projects, including: "Religion in modern Russia: from a social role to political meanings", "Modern migration processes in the context of exacerbation of religious, ethnic and interregional contradictions", "Religion and education: social and political context"; "The dynamics of the social transformation of modern Russia in the socio-economic, political, sociocultural and ethno-religious contexts"; "The role of religious organizations in social consolidation in Russia"; "Religion against terrorism", etc.