

European Governance

Brief introduction of the program:

The program provides specialized education in the field of European governance. The training program goes through courses in political development, the institutional system and European Union law, governance of the international financial system, regional and foreign policy of the European Union, global governance and its political process. Extracurricular learning modes include projects and research on European integration and public policy, European foreign and security policy.

The program is developed and provided by teachers from Center "Jean Monnet" European Policy NBU.

Specialty and professional qualification:

Specialty: Political Science

Qualification: Master in European Governance

Practices:

The program offers practices in state institutions, local authorities, NGOs and others.

International mobility:

The program was created as a result of consultation and cooperation within the Jean Monnet network and offers mobility within the cooperation network, and similar programs from Western universities.

As of today, the program has contracts for student exchange with the following universities:

University of Athens, Greece

University of Cyprus

University of Wroclaw, Poland

Tor Vergata University in Rome, Italy

University of Messina, Italy

University of Malta

University of Marseille, France

Free University of Brussels, Belgium

University of Brescia, Italy

Skills and competences upon graduation:

Graduates have knowledge and skills in the following areas:

- The institutional structure of the European Union;
- The political structure of the European Union;
- Mechanisms of economic policy management in the European Union;
- Institutional model and functioning of the common policies of the Union;
- The place and the role of Bulgaria and the European Union in a changing world.

Graduation:

Completion of the Master program is achieved by a Master's thesis defense or through the State examination after successfully collecting the requisite number of credits.

The conditions of graduation are in accordance with the "Standard for the completion of degree" "Bachelor" or "Master" in NBU".

Professional realization and possible occupation:

Graduates of the program can successfully apply for positions in the institutions of the European Union, the Bulgarian state institutions, state and local government, media, NGOs, consultancy organizations and structures and others.

The program is proposed by department:**Political Science****Program Director:**

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MD European governance

Professional field: Political Science

Major: Political Science

Professional Qualification: Master in European Governance

COURSE PROGRAM

Catalogue 2014/2015

FIRST YEAR

FIRST SEMESTER

Audience lecture courses (credits)

POLM401 Political development of the European Union

Doc. Dr. Natalya Hristova

POLM403 European Union Law: Cases and Procedures

George Stoimenov

POLM406 Institutional system of the European Union: Debates and Realities

Prof. Dr. George Bliznashki

POLM433 European integration strategies

Ch.As. Dr. Ivan Nachev

POLM434 European economic governance

Doc. Dr. Margarita Shivergeva

POLM435 European public administrations and common administrative space

Doc. Dr. Tatyana Tomova

POLM436 Basics of European governance

Dr. Kiril Avramov

Extracurricular learning models (credits)

POLM407 Seminar: European integration - political and legal aspects

Ch. As. Dr. Ivan Nachev

POLM408 Seminar: Public Policies in the European Union

Doc. Dr. Tatyana Tomova

POLM409 Seminar: Markets, Politics and Economics in the European Union

Doc. Dr. Margarita Shivergeva

POLM410 Project: the European political process

Doc. Dr. Margarita Shivergeva

POLM411 Project: European political integration in the 21st century

Ch. As. Dr. Ivan Nachev

SECOND SEMESTER

Audience lecture courses (credits)

POLM404 Policy-making in the European Union

Doc. Dr. Tatyana Tomova

POLM405 Global governance and political process in the EU

Dr. Kiril Avramov

POLM412 Methods of decision-making: Topography of power resources in the EU
As. Lyubomir Stefanov

POLM413 Principles and Development of the Economic and Monetary Union
Doc. Dr. Margarita Shivergeva

POLM416 Dynamics of European Security and Defence
Prof. Dr. Hristo Georgiev

POLM418 Management of the labor market: the European social dialogue
As. Dr. Jivko Minkov

POLM428 Mechanisms for political lobbying in the European Union
As. Hristo Panchugov

Extracurricular learning models (credits)

POLM419 Seminar: European Foreign and Security Policy
Prof. Dr. Hristo Georgiev

POLM420 Seminar: European integration - economic aspects
Doc. Dr. Margarita Shivergeva

POLM421 Seminar: Social and cultural perspectives of European integration
As. Hristo Panchugov

POLM422 Project: The debate over the future of the European Union
Ch. As. Dr. Ivan Nachev

POLM423 Project: New Neighbourhood Policy
Doc. Dr. Margarita Shivergeva

THIRD SEMESTER

Audience lecture courses (credits)

POLM414 Models of representation in the European Union
Ch. As. Dr. Katya Hristova – Valcheva

POLM424 Single customs union and customs
Boyko Petev

POLM425 Principles of European competition policy
Ivaylo Tiholov – Franz

POLM426 Banking systems in the European Union. Mechanisms for decision-making
Doc. Dr. Ninel Nesheva – Kioseva

POLM427 Regional policy and management of EU funds
Dessislava Bileva

POLM430 Foreign Policy of the European Union
Krasimir Kostov

POLM432 Place and role of Bulgaria in the European Union
Ch. As. Dr. Ivan Nachev

Extracurricular learning models (credits)

POLM431 Internship
Ch. As. Dr. Ivan Nachev