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Faculty of Global Studies

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Our faculty’s mission is to prepare highly qualified specialists in international relations and global studies, combining broad theoretical training and multicultural education, capable of carrying out comprehensive analysis and developing approaches to the effective management of modern global processes.
Message from the Dean

At the Faculty of Global Studies, you will receive the most modern and professional education in the field of international relations.

With the knowledge that you will get at our faculty, you will become a highly qualified and highly demanded specialist.

The goal of our curriculum is to train specialists who are ready to solve, analyze global development, find solutions to the vast global problems facing the whole world.

The graduate will be competent in conducting negotiations and drawing draft agreements in the Russian and foreign languages, in diplomatic etiquette and protocol.

We will be glad to welcome you to our faculty!

Dean of the Faculty of Global Studies,
Professor Ilya V. Ilyin
Top 10 reasons to choose Global Studies

1. An opportunity to study at the oldest and most respected university in Russia and the world.
2. You will be taught by the most competent lecturers in the country, who provide knowledge that is relevant to our time.
3. The curriculum that immerses you in global issues and international relations.
4. An opportunity to learn Russian one of the languages of the World.
5. Communication with our friendly students, who are fluent in English.
6. You will visit Moscow – the capital and largest city of Russia, one of the most developed cultural, political and economic center.
7. Lots of side activities with lectures, sightseeing, social gatherings, etc.
8. One of the most beautiful and huge campuses in the world with impressive libraries, sports stadiums, astronomical observatory, shops, cafes and more.
9. Ample opportunities of international rotation.
10. A wide range of internships and employment assistance.
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Our campus guide (map)

1. Main building:
   - Rector's Office
   - Administration
   - Museum of Earth Sciences
   - Assembly Hall
   - Dining hall (Ground Floor)
   - Cafe (First Floor)
   - Book shop “Argument”
   - ATM
2. Faculty of Physics
3. Faculty of Chemistry
   - Book shop
4. Computing Center
5. Humanitarian Building 1
   - Cafe
   - Book shop “Argument”
   - ATM
6. Humanitarian Building 2,
   Faculty of Computer Science
   - Book shop “Argument”
   - ATM
7. Faculty of Sociology
   - ATM
8. Faculty of Biology,
   Faculty of Soil Science
   - Dining hall
9. Faculty of Fundamental Medicine
10. Botanic Garden
11. Stadiums
12. Football Stadium
13. Baseball Stadium
14. Track and Field Athletics
15. Gymnasium
16. Dining hall
17. Dining hall (closed in Summer)
18. M.V. Lomonosov Monument
19. Laboratory Building "B":
   Faculty of Bioengineering and Bioinformatics
20. Laboratory of Nonlinear Optics, International Laser Center, Cafe
21. Research Institute of Mechanics, Dining hall (first floor)
22. Department of Low Temperature Physics and Superconductivity
23. Faculty of Global Studies
24. Faculty of Law
25. Polyclinic
26. Laboratory of High Energy Physics, Laboratory of Magnetism
27. Faculty of Economics
28. Laboratory Building "A":
   A.N.Belozersky Institute of Physico-Chemical Biology
   Dining hall and Cafe (ground floor)
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Bachelor’s degree programs (in Russian) – 4 years

- Global Political Processes and Diplomacy
- Global Economy and Management
- Global Energy and International Business
- International Humanitarian Cooperation

ENTRANCE EXAMS

For Bachelor’s degree programs foreign applicants have to pass the following entrance exams online:
- Russian as a Foreign Language
- History of Russia
Master’s degree programs (in Russian) – 2 years
• Global Political Processes and Diplomacy (for Bachelors in International Relations)
• Global Economy and Management (for Bachelors in International Relations)
• Global Energy and International Business (for Bachelors in International Relations)
• Global Political Processes
• Global Economic Processes
• International Educational Cooperation in the Context of Globalization
• Management of Social Transformations

Master’s degree program (in English) – 2 years
• International Relations and Global Studies
• Management of Social Transformations

ENTRANCE EXAMS
For Master’s degree programs foreign applicants have to pass the following entrance exams online:
— International Relations
Our faculty cooperates with the world's leading universities, so students have a unique opportunity to gain additional learning experience in different countries.

Therefore, we attract leading international experts. Our students can take unique and interesting courses and study programs in Russian, English or other languages at our and other faculties.

Available courses – [FGP study programs](#)

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Every year our faculty organizes a model UN, in which students from different cities take part and the students of our faculty help the students to feel the whole process.

They act as: the Chairperson - the person who leads the process itself, the Deputy Chairperson who helps the Chairperson, 2 experts who are also present on the model, as well as several experts who check the pre-declared work of each country and answer the students' questions.

The UN model runs as follows: each country speaks on a previously announced topic and debate about it.

This is a great opportunity for pupils and students to acquire new knowledge and skills in relation to public speaking. And we would like to see you with great pleasure

as our expert or even the chair of the UN model.
A healthy mind lives in a healthy body is one of the mottos of our faculty and we can confirm it with our monthly competitions in basketball, volleyball, football, swimming, gymnastics, rock climbing and many other sports.

Students of our faculty take part in all competitions with great pleasure, and take prize places with even greater pleasure.
Talent competition at the birthday of the faculty and the new year.

- Have you always dreamed of showing your talent on stage, but couldn't find the right moment?
- Our faculty will help you with this: twice a year, on New Years and on the birthday of the faculty, we hold a talent competition among students of our faculty.
- Our students can dance, sing, play musical instruments, even read poems of their own composition. And for us, it is a great pride to understand that such talented people graduate from the walls of our faculty.
Our faculty is engaged in charity within the framework of the Give Life and Give Your Paw a Friend program. These are two programs, the main goal of which is to collect money, basic necessities, clothes, literature and toys for orphanages and food, toys, as well as necessary things for animal shelters and orphanages. If your heart is open to helping the people and animals around you, then we will help you do a good deed.
• Our discussion club brings together students, undergraduates, graduate students seeking to develop the skills of public speaking, critical thinking and independent scientific work.
• The main topics of the discussion club are: politics, jurisprudence, the latest scientific discoveries, ecology and many others.
• It is always interesting to exchange opinions, therefore we are waiting for you in our discussion club.
Digitalization is an All-Russian forum with international participation, held by Lomonosov Moscow State University.

This forum discusses trends and guidelines for digital development in Russia and in the world, new projects are being formed, as well as a platform for networking and the development of international cooperation.

Our faculty helps in organizing such a large-scale project.

If you have new, fresh thoughts that you would like to share with the scientific community, then you can speak at a work fair and if you want to hear the latest research, or just listen to the discussions of the leading minds of Russia and foreign experts, then we invite you to

a lecture that will take place after the fairs.
Our foreign students

The classroom is new and the professors use presentations in their lectures, which is very helpful to foreign students. There are also professors and students who can help even if you are not fluent in Russian. The faculty’s staff are very friendly and they issue our visas on their own.

I liked the emphasis in the training on the acquisition of practical skills and communication with the international community.

Our department is composed of the best professors, and our department building is a new building, so it is very convenient for students to take classes. And because there are many foreign students, it is easy to adjust to school life. And professors also teach foreign students easily.

I am sure that MSU is the best university in Russia, and many programs occupy leading positions in the country. If you decide to get an education in Russia, then this university will be the best option for you.

Student feedback
Will be waiting for you!