

## Course card

Course title	<b>Political Relations and International Security in XXI century</b>		
Semester (winter/summer)	Summer	ECTS	
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### Course objectives (learning outcomes)

The course is designed to provide an introduction to international relations issues and the impact of current trends on international security. After mastering the general concepts of international relations, the student will be able to identify the cause-and-effect relationships of relationships between international actors, as well as the causes of disputes and conflicts between them.

### Prerequisites

Knowledge	Basic information on international security
Skills	- The ability to use basic terminology; - The ability to work independently and in groups; - The ability to search for and use sources; - ability to present knowledge
Courses completed	-

### Course organization

Form of classes	W (Lecture)	Group type					
		A (large group)	K (small group)	L (Lab)	S (Seminar)	P (Project)	E (Exam)
Contact hours	15		30				

### Teaching methods:

Lecture and auditoriums conducted in the form of students' own work

Assessment methods:

Other	Written exam	Oral exam	Written assignment (essay)	Student's presentation	Discussion participation	Group project	Individual project	Laboratory tasks	Field classes	Classes in schools	Didactic games	E – learning
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Assessment criteria	Assessment based on activity, students' own work and final exam
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Course content (topic list)

<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. A look at international relations - realism, liberalism, constructivism</li> <li>2. The contemporary state of international relations - from the end of World War II, through the Cold War, the unipolar world, the fight against terrorism to multipolarity</li> <li>3. Globalization and deglobalization and trends in international reality</li> <li>4. International actors - who are the actors in international relations in the 21st century</li> <li>5. Economics and its impact on international security</li> </ol>
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Compulsory reading

<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Baylis, J., Smith, S., <i>The Globalization of World Politics: An Introduction to International Relations</i>, Oxford University Press 2001.</li> <li>2. Feles E., <i>Power in the 21st Century</i>, Springer 2012.</li> <li>3. Fukuyama F., <i>The End of History?</i>, Center for the National Interest, 1989.</li> <li>4. Hough P., <i>International Security Studies: Theory And Practice</i>, Taylor &amp; Francis, 2020.</li> <li>5. Mania A., Grabowski M., Pugacewicz T., <i>Global Politics in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century</i>, International Relations in Asia, Africa and the Americas, Volume 5.</li> </ol>
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Recommended reading