

MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AND SCIENCE OF UKRAINE
Lesya Ukrainka Volyn National University
Department of International Relations and Regional Studies

SYLLABUS
of normative courses
"REGIONALISTICS"

Training level Bachelor

Area of knowledge 29 "International Relations"

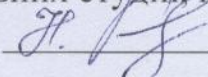
Specialty 291 "International Relations, Public Communications and Regional Studies"

Educational program "International Relations"

The syllabus is developed on the basis of the Program of normative discipline "Regionalistics", the Standard of high education of Ukraine for *bachelors of a specialty 29 "International relations, public communications and regional studies"*.

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SYLLABUS

SUBJECTS	Regionalistics
ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE	Department of International Relations and Regional Studies, Faculty of International Relations
COURSE REALIZATION PERIOD	II semester of 2021-2022 academic year
LECTURER	Mrs Ilona Balak
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LECTURER COMPETENCIES AND INFORMATION ABOUT	PhD in Economics, Associate Professor of International Relations and Regional Studies. Research topics: modern international relations, development of international tourism, European cross-border cooperation and development of productive forces of European countries. Knowledge of foreign languages: English (B2 certificate), Russian, German, Polish.
FORM OF IMPLEMENTATION	Lecture - 30 hours, seminars - 22 hours
ECTS CREDITS	6 credits
FORM OF CONTROL	Credit
METHODS AND FORMS OF STUDENTS 'WORK EVALUATION (CRITERIA AND FORMS OF COURSE' CREDIT OBTAINING EVALUATION)	Modul test: 60 minutes, 30 questions.
EDUCATIONAL DYSTSPLINE' POLICY	The answers to the questions should be based on the student's own vision of the problem, if the results of other people's researches are used, its' authors and sources should be indicated. Write-off is not allowed. Delays can occur if they are not regular and do not interfere with the lesson. Omissions of seminars with the possibility of working off are allowed in case of a student's illness. Maximum number of spaces allowed without justification causes - 3 testing are possible in a team discipline platform Microsoft Teams in the form of photos, videos, presentations. Communication during classes should be based solely on respect for respondents, regardless of age, gender, religion, race, political views. If on-line learning is held, students must use with the video mode.
PURPOSE AND TASKS AND COURSE	<p>The aim of the course is to examine the basic processes and phenomena of economic life of the regional community, to cover the question of functioning of cooperation between the different regions at the present stage of the development. An important place in the course structure is the analysis of structural parts of regional economy, peculiarities of cooperation between regions.</p> <p>The main objectives of the course are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – to determine of the basic characteristic and the structure of the regional economy; – to give the estimation of state regulation of regional economy; – to analyze the place of region in state economy; – to characterize the role of European cross border cooperation in the regional economy;

- to identify the peculiarities of the natural resources of the region;
- to analyze the role of the regional labor market;
- to argue own views on prospects for Ukrainian regions' economies development.

COURSE DESCRIPTION

THE COURSE IS DIVIDED INTO 14 THEMES DURING THE SEMESTER

No.	TOPIC
1.	Regionalistics and regions.
2.	Regional economic problems. Individual location decisions.
3.	Theoretical foundations of cross-border cooperation research.
4.	State regulation of economy.
5.	Foreign economic relations and international trade role in economic regional system
6.	The location of people in Regionalistics.
7.	Natural resources and their influence on the regions development.
8.	Regional development of the industrial complexes in Ukraine.
9.	Central regions of Ukraine
10.	Donetsk regions of Ukraine.
11.	Western region
12.	Dnipro region economy.
13.	Black sea coast region.
14.	Economy of Kharkiv region.

RECOMMENDED REFERENCES

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2. Регіоналістика: географічні основи регіонального розвитку і регіональної політики. Навч. посіб. / О. Г. Топчієв, Д. С. Мальчикова, В. В. Яворська. – Херсон: ОЛДІ-ПЛЮС, 2015. – 372 с.
3. Чумаченко М. Проблеми регіонального управління в Україні / М. Чумаченко // Регіональна економіка. – 1996. – № 1–2. – С. 39–49.

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3. Балак І. О. Фінансовий розвиток регіонів у ЄС: досвід для України // Територіальні фінансові ресурси Західного прикордонного регіону України: історія, сьогодення, перспективи: кол. моногр. / А. В. Кулай, В. А. Гром, О. М. Карліна та ін.; за ред. М. І. Карліна. – Луцьк: Вежа, 2015. – С. 53–68.

EFFECTS OF LEARNING

Competences	Effects	The corresponding criterion code
	Ability to analyze and predict international relations in various contexts, including political, security, legal, economic, social, cultural and informational	SC5
	Ability to identify and analyze features of development countries and regions, modern global, regional and local processes, and places in them of Ukraine.	SC9
Skill	Effects	The corresponding criterion code
	Prepare analytical reports, reports and other documents on the state of international relations, foreign policy, public communications and regional studies.	RL09
Knowledge	Effects	The corresponding criterion code
	Formulate modeling tasks, create and research models of objects and processes of international relations, foreign policy, public communications and regional studies.	RL12

METHODS OF WORK AND LOADING

ECTS credits (1 ECTS = 25-30 hours of student work)	6
Total (hours)	180
Lectures	30
Seminars	22
Consultations	10
Elements of student work	Number of hours
reading literature for classes	15
constant review of the press and other media	20
conducting research	11
designing a research tool	10
data collection	10
data analysis and interpretation	10
preparation for IT classes	10
doing assignments and doing homework	10
group work outside the classroom	10
final test	1
preparation of a report / presentation	10
preparation of a written report	1
Total number of hours	118