Educational component	Selective Educational component 2.1 «Information Security of European Countries»
Level HE	Master
Name of specialty / educational-professional program	291 «International Relations, Public Communications and Regional Studies» / «International Relations»
Form of study	Full-time
Course, semester, duration	1st year, 1st semester, 4 credits
Semester control	Credit
Number of hours (total: including lectures / practical)	120 hours, (10 lectures, 14 practical)
Language of instruction	English
Department that provides teaching	Department of International Relations and Regional Studies
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Brief description	
Requirements for the beginning of the study	Basic knowledge of information security, information hygiene, international relations.
What will be studied	Fundamentals of information security of European countries: legal framework, state and organizational apparatus, current problems, threats, solutions and promising means of security
Why it is interesting / necessary to study	Information security is an extremely pressing issue for the development and protection of citizens at the current stage of the spread of hybrid warfare
Why you can learn (learning results)	The study of the discipline contributes to the formation of students' scientific understanding of the concept and features of information security in general, knowledge and basics of information hygiene in practical situations, as well as the level of information security in Europe during the hybrid war. Ability to use information and communication technologies. Ability to analyze international processes in various contexts, including political, security, information, etc.
How to use the acquired knowledge and skills (competencies)	Understand the essence of information security; analyze current threats and identify preventive ways of nondissemination of fakes, misinformation and protection of personal data, especially in social networks; to be guided in the causes and consequences of intensification of cyber-attacks. Solve complex specialized tasks and practical problems in the field of international relations, information security, public communications. Analyze the structure and dynamics of international public communications, identify its impact on the international system and social institutions. Carry out communications and information and analytical activities in the field of international relations (in English).
Information support / Web-link	Syllabus, program of discipline, professional articles / https://vnu.edu.ua/uk/faculties-and-institutes/fakultet-mizhnarodnikh-vidnosin