Description of an Optional Academic Component

Academic Component	Optional Academic Component «Information Terrorism & international Security»
Level of HE	Education Level Bachelor
Title of specialty / educational and professional program	291 International Relations, Public Communications and Regional Studies / International Information and Public Communication.
Form of education	Full-time
Year, semester, duration	4th year, 8 semester, 5 credits
Semester control	Credit
Number of hours (total: including lectures / practical)	150 hours: lectures – 10 hours, practical – 20 hours.
Language of instruction	English
Department that provides teaching the academic component	International Communications and Political Analysis Department
Instructor	Candidate of Political Sciences, Associate Professor **Vozniuk Yevheniia Vasylivna**
Brief description	
Requirements for starting studies	basic knowledge of ensuring information security, international relations, and the basics of international security.
What will be studied	the concept of cyber (information) terrorism and security in the theory of international relations; determinants and systemic nature of cyber (information) terrorism and hybrid warfare; trends and problems of the cyber (information) terrorism spreading and problems of world cyber (information) security; challenges and threats of cyber (information) terrorism for international security; cyber (information) terrorism in Ukraine and threats to the state from the Russian Federation, etc.
Why it is interesting / should be studied?	the development of the information sphere is accompanied by the appearance of fundamentally new threats to the interests of the individual, society, the state and its national security. Cyber (information) security has become extremely important today, in the era of cyber (information) terrorism and the comprehensive use of information and communication technologies.
What you can learn (results)	to know and understand the nature and dynamics of international security, to understand the peculiarities of its provision at the global, regional and national levels, to know the nature and approaches to solving international and internationalized conflicts. To conduct a professional discussion on the problems of

	international relations, international communications, regional studies, foreign policy activities, to argue one's position. To understand and defend the national interests of Ukraine in international activities. To single out non-military methods of conducting modern information warfare and trace the peculiarities of their implementation in the countries of the world; monitor modern challenges, threats of cyber (information) terrorism for international security; to determine the trends and problems of the cyber (information) terrorism spreading and cyber (information) security of the world; to analyze manifestations cyber (information) terrorism in Ukraine and threats to the state from the Russian Federation.
How to use the acquired knowledge and skills (competencies)	to know the subject area, understand the basics of professional activity. Work in an international context. To use information and communication technologies. To analyze international processes in various contexts, including political, security, and informational. To identify trends and problems of the information (cyber) terrorism spreading and i cyber (information) security of the world; to use countermeasures skills if necessary to create international countermeasures and prevent global informational countermeasures; to analyze modern manifestations of cyber (information) terrorism in Ukraine.