

### Description of an Optional Academic Component

Academic Component	Optional Academic Component « <b>Information Security of European Countries</b> »
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	4st year, 7 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 <b>Yevhenija Voznyuk</b>
<b>Brief description</b>	
Requirements for starting studies	Basic knowledge of cyber (information) security, information hygiene, international relations.
What will be studied	Fundamentals of cyber (information) security of European countries: legal framework, state and organizational apparatus, current problems, threats, solutions and promising means of security.
Why it is interesting / should be studied?	Cyber (information) security is an extremely pressing issue for the development and protection of citizens at the current stage of the spread of hybrid warfare
What you can learn (results)	The study of the discipline contributes to the formation of students' scientific understanding of the concept and features of cyber (information) security in general, knowledge and basics of information hygiene in practical situations, as well as the level of cyber (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. Know and understand the nature and dynamics of international security, understand the features of its provision at the global, regional and national levels, know the nature and approaches to solving international and internationalized conflicts
How to use the acquired knowledge and skills (competencies)	Ability to apply knowledge in practical situations. Ability to use information and communication technologies. Ability to carry out communication and information-analytical activities in the field of international relations (in Ukrainian and foreign languages). 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, cyber (information) security, public communications. Analyze the structure and dynamics of international public communications, identify its impact on the international system and social institutions.
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