

Educational component	Selective Educational component 2.1 «Ukraine in the modern geopolitical map»
Level HE	Second (master) level
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	to know theoretical basis of geopolitics, its main terms, objective laws and concepts, main features of geopolitical map of world formation
What will be studied	preconditions and factors, main historical stages, characteristic features, problematic issues and prospects of development of geopolitics of Ukraine; and place of Ukraine on the geopolitical map of modernity
Why it is interesting / necessary to study	it gives knowledge about the specific features, problems and prospects of the realization of geopolitics of Ukraine, as well as its historical peculiarities of formation and place of Ukraine in the geopolitical map of the world.
Why you can learn (learning results)	objective and subjective fields of geopolitics; the nature of territorial and political organization of society; historical stages of geopolitics of Ukraine development; the contribution of Ukrainian scientists in the formation of scientific and methodological foundations of modern geopolitics; political and geographical position of Ukraine in the world today; preconditions and factors of modern geopolitical and geo-economic interests of Ukraine formation; features of contemporary geopolitical orientation of Ukraine.
How to use the acquired knowledge and skills (competencies)	The acquired knowledge and practical skills can be used for: - implementation of information-analytical work about peculiarities of Ukrainian geopolitics realization; - conducting informational and explanatory campaigns on Ukraine's place in modern geopolitical map of the world (in educational activities) - organization of communicative work of self-government bodies, state authorities and local authorities in the field of Ukraine's geopolitics realization.