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Read our article to find out what difficulties can arise when you read in Russian, why they arise and how you can overcome them. HED map of Russian universities participating in the project. Read more about the Russian universities, educational programs, and admission requirements.

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A guide to Russian cities: Belgorod, Volgograd, Moscow, Novorossiysk, Pyatigorsk, Saint Petersburg, Chelyabinsk.

Dear friends!

We have done our best to make our magazine interesting and useful, but we can still improve it together! If you want to share your experience and plans for the future or give your feedback, please contact us at improve dir@hedclub.com.























Cultural Code: Russia is a Country of Museums



Russia is huge, diverse and wonderful. And this diversity is not only about natural landscapes and climatic zones but also about national identity, folklore, art, historic heritage of the people living here. We, the HED editorial team, want those coming here to study or build a career to have the opportunity to feel the Russian vibe, see the local beauties for themselves, visit theaters and museums, go sightseeing, read interesting books, and enjoy the taste of national dishes.



2,570 museums

200,000 cultural heritage sites

IN RUSSIA

62 national parks

30 Unesco World Heritage Sites 110 nature reserves

647 active theaters In our Cultural Code column, we plan to familiarize our readers with diversity of Russia, its geography, history, literature, architecture, and cuisine. In this issue, we keep placing beacons on the map of our immense country. Today we focus our attention on the museums.





Darwin Museum

Moscow, Russia

In one of our last issues, we already gave a review of the most popular cultural sites in Moscow, the capital of Russia. Today we want to tell you about the largest natural history museum in Europe – the State Darwin Museum.

The museum's richest exhibition consists of more than 400,000 items and tells us about the evolution theory development history, the diversity of life on Earth, variation and heredity, natural selection and struggle for existence in nature.

Today it is one of the most popular museum complexes in the capital of Russia. More than 600,000 people visit it every year. Now we will tell you how the Darwin Museum was founded and why you should definitely visit it when in Moscow.

STORY BEHIND

The Darwin Museum was founded on October 7, 1907 by biologist Aleksandr Kots. Interestingly, the year when the scientist was invited to teach the Darwinian theory to the attendees of the Higher Women's Courses is considered the date of its foundation. The museum exhibition started with a rich personal collection of rare taxidermied animals that Kots collected from the very beginning of his research.

Aleksandr Kots' wife, zoologist Nadezhda Lodygina shared his passion for science and helped him make and organize the museum collection.

Initially, the Darwin Museum had no building of its own. As the number of exhibits was increasing, the issue of construction of a separate museum building with storage and exhibition rooms was getting more and more pressing. However, the museum managed to implement the construction project only in 1994.

ABOUT THE EXHIBITIONS

The exhibition areas are 5,000 m². The exhibitions presented at the museum cover a huge area of scientific knowledge of the evolution process, the diversity of life on Earth, variation and heredity of species, natural selection and struggle for existence.

Interestingly, the museum collections consist not only of the taxidermied animals and fossil remains of animals, including extinct ones, but also of the works of art by animal painters and sculptors. There is an outstanding collection of natural history books, including rare and unique copies of On the Origin of Species by Charles Darwin and The History of Snakes and Dragons by Ulisse Aldrovandi.

Today the museum makes active use of the interactive multimedia models. Visitors have access to the halls with the moving animal models, audio- and video transmissions, living insects, attractions, and quests. Every week you can attend lectures and meet well-known scientists and travelers at the Darwin Museum venues.





The Russian Museum

Saint Petersburg, Russia

The Russian Museum is the world's largest museum of Russian art, a unique architectural and artistic complex in the historic center of Saint Petersburg.

Russia's first state museum of Russian fine arts was established in 1898 by order of Emperor Nickolas II. To organize exhibitions and collections, the museum was given the Mikhailovsky Palace with the adjacent areas and buildings such as the side wings and garden.

The Russian Museum collection was made up of the objects and works of art handed over from the Winter, Gatchina and Alexander Palaces, the Academy of Arts, and the Hermitage. A good part of the museum collection consisted of the exhibits donated by the private individuals.

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Today the museum collection consists of more than 440,000 exhibits and covers all historic periods and trends in the development of Russian art, main arts and genres, movements and schools over more than 1,000 years.

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- **The Old Russian Art** is represented by the icons of the 12th–15th centuries, the works by Andrei Rublev, Dionysius, Simon Ushakov, and other masters.
- The Collection of Fine Arts of the 18th Century the First Half of the 19th Century is represented by the works by Karl Bryullov, Dmitry Levitsky, Carlo Rastrelli, Orest Kiprensky, Fyodor Bruni, and many others.
- The Second Half of the 19th Century includes the works by worldfamous artists such as Fyodor Vasilyev, Illarion Pryanishnikov, Alexei Savrasov, Alexander Morozov, Ivan Aivazovsky, Ivan Shishkin, Ilya Repin, Viktor Vasnetsov, Vasily Surikov.
- The Collection of the End of the 19th Century the Beginning of the 20th Century comprises the works by Isaac Levitan, Mikhail Vrubel, Valentin Serov, Alexandre Benois, Boris Kustodiev, Nicholas Roerich.
- **The Soviet Art Collection** comprises the works by Kuzma Petrov-Vodkin, Alexander Deineka, Vera Mukhina.
- **The Department of Modern Art** established at the end of the 1980s is dedicated to new arts such as installation, photography, video art.

Today the total museum area is more than 30 ha. The museum complex comprises:

- Mikhailovsky Palace, one of the most beautiful buildings in Saint Petersburg, was erected according to the project of famous architect Carlo Rossi in 1819-1825. The palace was rebuilt to meet the Russian Museum's needs. Today it displays an essential part of the exhibition.
- **Benois Building** was built in 1914-1919 as a pavilion to organize the artistic associations and unions' exhibitions. It locates the permanent exhibitions of the art of the end of the 19th century – the beginning of the 21st century.
- Stroganov Palace a witness to numerous historic events – was built in 1753-1754 by architect Francesco Rastrelli. Today in the halls of this architectural masterpiece you can see the original interiors and admire the richest collection of objects and works of art.
- **Mikhailovsky Castle** the largest architectural monument in Petersburg of the 18th century built by order of Emperor Paul I has been a part of the Russian Museum complex since 1991.
- Mikhailovsky Castle Pavilions
 constitute an impressive architectural
 ensemble with the castle building. In the
 museum pavilions, you can attend online
 lectures and visit multimedia exhibitions.
 It has the Coordination Center of the
 Russian Museum: Virtual Branch project.

- **The Marble Palace** a unique Russian architectural monument of the 18th century in a fine state of preservationis located at the Palace Embankment of the Neva River. The palace has the permanent exhibitions of Saint Petersburg and German collectors.
- **Summer Garden** –Emperor Peter I's favorite garden had been the center of court and social life for most of its history. The picturesque garden is open to the public all year round.
- **Peter I's Summer Palace** is one of the few historic buildings that were not destined to be rebuilt. You can visit the palace from May to September.
- Peter I's House Peter I's wooden house at the Petrograd Side – is a unique architectural monument and the oldest building in Saint Petersburg. The original exhibition is represented by the objects of the time of Peter I.
- Mikhailovsky Garden a rare landmark of landscape architecture of the 18th century – the first third of the 19th century – combines the French and English styles. The garden visitors can go on tours, attend theater performances, festivals and concerts on a regular basis.





State-of-the-art technologies have made the treasures of the Russian Museum closer and more accessible. The museum's virtual branch allows art lovers from all over the world to take a walk around the museum halls and get acquainted with a part of the Russian art collection.





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The Virtual Russian Museum



How to read in Russian

Reading is definitely the best way to replenish your vocabulary and memorize grammar. Teachers of Russian as a Foreign Language recommend going beyond study materials and read original literary works to see how numerous grammar rules are used in the language and really feel it. At the same time, reading remains one of the key challenges for Russian language learners. Today we want to try to gain insight into the reading difficulties that arise, why they arise and how you can overcome them.

READ BOOKS YOU ARE INTERESTED IN

If you read something you are not interested in, you will not get much benefit out of such reading. Be serious about choosing the genre, author and even text length. If you are a fan of a short story genre, don't compromise your integrity. Be pragmatic and rational. Reading for pleasure is your main assistant.

PAY ATTENTION TO TRANSLATED LITERATURE

If you have already read the book by the foreign author in your native language, it pays to start reading the same book in Russian. Getting a general idea of the book content and context will help you easily understand a text written in Russian.



CHOOSE A DIFFICULTY LEVEL THAT SUITS YOU

If your dream is to read *Crime and Punishment* in the original, but your level of Russian is far from being advanced, pay attention to more understandable Russian literature classics. For example, Chekhov is famous for his simple writing style and is a good choice for those who continue learning Russian.

RUSSIAN FAIRY TALES ARE NOT EASY READING

Children's literature is considered easy to read but this cannot be said about Russian fairy tales and folklore. Originality and abundance of Russian fairy tales has its roots in ancient ages. Many words and terms are considered obsolete and are not used in everyday speech today. All of this can become a great obstacle with a mixed result. If you have paid attention to children's books, choose contemporary authors.

GO BEYOND NOVELS

Read short stories, journals, thematic websites and articles. They will provide insight into a variety of genres of the language and styles. Short modern texts will help you intersperse your speech by including new phrases and words in it.

HED Map

of the universities participating in the project



Central Federal District
 Northwestern Federal District
 Southern Federal District
 North Caucasian Federal District
 Ural Federal District
 Volga Federal District
 Siberian Federal District
 Far Eastern Federal District

South Ural State University (National Research University), Chelyabinsk **64**

New constituent entities of the Russian Federation: Donetsk and Lugansk People's Republics, Zaporozhye and Kherson Regions (Federal constitutional laws №5-ФКЗ, №6-ФКЗ, №7-ФКЗ, №8-ФКЗ of October 4, 2022)



Belgorod Belgorod Region, Russia

Belgorod is a multinational advanced city in the south of the Central Russian Upland, the scientific, cultural, economic and spiritual center of the Central Black Earth Region of Russia.

The history of Belgorod has been a matter of dispute for specialists up to the present day. Some historians consider that modern Belgorod stands in place of the ancient settlement of the 10th century, which is supported by some archeological evidence. However, most of them stick to the view that Belgorod was founded in 1596 by order of Tsar Feodor Ioannovich as a defensive fortress. For centuries, the city has been a place of fierce battles a good many times.

Belgorod boasts a great number of tourist attractions, historic sites as well as buildings of the 19th century and early 20th century in a good state of preservation. The most prominent monument is the 22 meter high Monument to Prince Vladimir.

The city has five universities where more than 40,000 students, including foreign citizens, are studying.

YOU CAN GET FROM MOSCOW TO BELGOROD BY

- Plane. Travel time is 3 hours
- Train. Travel time is 8 hours
- Bus. Travel time is 11 hours



THE DIORAMA MUSEUM "THE BATTLE OF KURSK. BELGOROD DIRECTION"

The history of Belgorod, like that of the whole region, is inextricably linked with the dramatic events of war history. The diorama museum is dedicated to the bloody period of the Great Patriotic War (1941-1945), in particular, to the largest tank battle – the Battle of Kursk. The permanent exhibitions include the Military Hall of Fame, the Belgorod Liberation Hall, and the combat equipment exhibition "Weapon of Victory."

CONTACT MUSEUM OF MEDIEVAL MILITARY AFFAIRS

Visitors of the Museum of Medieval Military Affairs can immerse themselves in the atmosphere of the Middle Ages, try on the costumes, and take part in martial entertainments. The Museum was founded in 2019, and it offers a major exhibition of household and military affairs items of the 11-14th centuries.

USPENSKY CATHEDRAL OF ST. NICHOLAS

One of the most beautiful and the oldest active Orthodox church in Belgorod was built in 1703 at the expense of the community and donation from Peter the Great. This church is a perfect example of Russian architecture with its challenging history.

Monument to Vladimir the Great, Belgorod



BELGOROD STATE UNIVERSITY

Founded in 1876

9 institutes

2

research institutes

54 research areas 26,850

2

colleges

21

dissertation

councils

1 branch

56 research centers and laboratories

4,000+ international students from 98 countries The university trains top-class specialists in natural sciences, humanities, engineering sciences, pedagogy, and medical sciences. While studying, students are engaged not only in research but also in commercial projects.

Lifelong learning starts with pre-university training and continues in academic staff development under PhD and doctoral programs.

Tuition fees per year

2,380 - 4,900 USD

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All about admission



38 among top Russian universities



5 disciplines in the premier league



19-47 in Russia

1001-1200 in the world

Belgorod, Belgorod Region, Russia

ADVANTAGES

- Plenty of fields of study and educational programs, highly highly qualified teachers, excellent materials and resources
- Unique world-class research in physics, mathematics, chemistry, biology, medicine, geography, geology, mineralogy, and engineering sciences
- Practice-oriented training, an opportunity to participate in commercial projects
- In-depth study of foreign languages, internships abroad
- Additional rector's scholarships for the best students
- Outstanding sports, creativity, leisure and recreation facilities



RUSSIAN AS A FOREIGN LANGUAGE

- Pre-university training for foreign citizens in Russian (Humanities, Economics, Engineering and Technology, and Medicine and Biology)
- Exchange programs for foreign citizens in joint educational programs
- Courses of Russian as a foreign language (including online courses)
- Professional development programs: Particular Characteristics of Work with International Students Taking into Account their National Peculiarities; Russian as a Foreign Language; Modern Russian Language
- International summer language school

Tuition fees 1,800 USD

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How to apply

STRUCTURE

- Institute of Engineering and Digital Technologies
- Institute of Pharmacy, Chemistry and Biology
- Institute of Law
- Institute of Medicine
- Institute of Pedagogy
- Institute of Cross-cultural Communications and International Relations
- Institute of Earth Sciences
- Institute of Economy and Management
- Institute of Social Sciences and Mass Communications
- Medical college
- Engineering college
- Stary Oskol branch of NRU "BelSU"





ENGLISH-TAUGHT PROGRAMS

Bachelor's degree

- Chemistry
- Biology
- Biotechnology

Specialist degree

- General Medicine
- Pharmacy

Master's programs

- International Relations
- Environmental Studies and Natural Resources Management
- Economics
- Tourism
- Chemistry
- Biotechnology
- Mathematics
- Physics
- Materials Science and Engineering
- Law

DOUBLE DEGREE PROGRAMS

- Belgorod Institute of Food Sciences at Dezhou University, China
- The faculty established jointly with Karshi State University, Uzbekistan ^[1]

POPULAR FIELDS OF STUDY

- General Medicine and Dentistry
- Economics
- Pharmacy
- International Relations
- Pedagogical Education
- Journalism and Media Communications
- Law
- IT and robotics
- Environmental Studies, Applied Geology, Mining Engineering



In the research laboratory of three-dimensional nanostructured materials

ADMISSION TO STATE-FUNDED PLACES

- Within the Russian Government quota
- According to the international agreements with the Russian Federation
- According to the compatriots living abroad support program

DOCUMENTS

- Passport and its copy with certified translation into Russian
- Original academic credentials and their copies with certified translation into Russian
- Foreign education recognition certificate
- Medical certificate 086-У (for applicants applying for some specialties)
- Two 3×4 cm photos

If necessary, academic credentials must be legalized in accordance with the established procedure.

Applying to the university, international students can have their academic credentials recognized at the regional resource center "Expert Center for Evaluation of Foreign Academic Credentials" of NRU "BelSU."

Fee 3,800 RUB

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Avetis Grigoryan, Uzbekistan. The second-year student majoring in English and History at the Faculty of Foreign Languages of the Institute of Pedagogy

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I entered BelSU on my acquaintances' recommendations, and I chose this faculty because I have a good command of English. It trains future teachers, translators and interpreters. We started studying major subjects in the first semester. We have professional and friendly teachers. As to technical facilities, we have everything we need.

I live in dormitory № 1. The living conditions are excellent. Student dormitories at BelSU are among the best in Russia.

The campus has various sports grounds, including a soccer field, a basketball and volleyball court, a sports ground with sports equipment and pull-up bars. BelSU always holds various sports competitions.

I'd advise future first-year students to progress in the areas they like. Don't follow other people's advice on where you should go and what you should do, if that's not interesting to you!

ADMISSION OFFICE

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The Motherland Calls, Volgograd

hedclub.com

The population is 1,025,662

people



Volgograd Volgograd Region, Russia

Volgograd – a hero city with a glorious and difficult fate – is located in the southeast of European Russia. The city history dates back to 1589 – the time of foundation of the permanent observation fortress Tsaritsyn. In 1925, Tsaritsyn was renamed Stalingrad. During the Second World War, it became a place of one the bloodiest battles in the history of mankind. The outcome of the Battle of Stalingrad determined the war outcome to a great extent. In 1961, the city was renamed Volgograd.

Today Volgograd is a major industrial, educational and scientific center that stretches for 100 kilometers as a narrow strip along the Volga River bank. More than 20 universities and branches in the city train specialists in higher education and postgraduate education. 57,000 students are studying at the Volgograd universities.

The city boasts numerous historical sites related to the events of the Civil War and the Great Patriotic War. A great number of sights attract thousands of tourists every year.

YOU CAN GET FROM MOSCOW TO VOLGOGRAD BY

- Train. Travel time is 18 hours
- Plane. Travel time is 5 hours
- Bus. Travel time is 17 hours

MAMAYEV KURGAN

It is the memorial complex located at the 102.0 meter hill where the cruelest battles were fought for control of Stalingrad. Ascension to the memorial alleys, near the monuments and landmarks leaves a lasting impression in every visitor's heart.

THE MOTHERLAND CALLS

The immense monument at the top of the Mamayev Kurgan is so extraordinary and moving that it inevitably attracts all eyes. Making a 85-meter sculpture became a challenging engineering task. It is the first monument completely made from reinforced concrete. The sword in the statue's hands was made from steel using the aviation technology.

THE BATTLE OF STALINGRAD PANORAMA MUSEUM

The museum complex was built in the historical place where the 13th guards rifle division of Major General A. I. Rodimtsev landed in September 1942. The museum halls and depository are located at the two levels of the complex. The permanent exhibition of military equipment items is located in the central square of the museum.





VOLGOGRAD STATE TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY

Founded in 1930

102 bachelor's programs

7 specialist's programs 88 master's programs

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13 PhD programs 20,000+ students 1,400+ international students from 56 countries VSTU is a large scientific center in the south of Russia and one of the country's leading technical universities. It creates the macroregion's education and engineering center for chemical engineering, materials science, mechanical engineering, urban planning, transport, natural resource management and environmental protection.

- www.vstu.ru
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- youtube.com/user/vstuTV/videos



Tuition fees per year

Full-time studies 130,000 – 200,000 RUB Part-time studies 44,500 – 60,000 RUB Extramural studies 43,750 – 60,000 RUB





Volgograd, Volgograd Region, Russia



1001-1200 Overall ranking



801-1000

Engineering



351-400 Developing economies

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ADVANTAGES

- The large information and library center
- Research and production facilities
- Multimedia classrooms
- Laboratories with state-of-the-art equipment

Classes are conducted in Russian and English. Students undertake work placements at the top enterprises in the region and abroad.





Faculty for Foreign Students' Training

Entrance exam schedule, programs and samples





ADMISSION

Required documents

- Notarized translation of passport into Russian (it is valid for at least two years)
- Document confirming complete secondary education or higher education translated into Russian and legalized at the Russian embassy

Entrance exams

Based on the results of entrance exams, applicants from the CIS countries can be enrolled at the university in the places funded by the Russian Government.

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Russian language. Main faculties

STUDYING

FIELDS OF STUDY

- Mechanical Engineering
- Automation of Technological Processes and Production and Robotics
- Chemical Engineering and Food Technology
- Computer Sciences
- Architecture and Construction
- Technical Operation of Vehicles and Transport Logistics
- Economics, Finance and Management

AUTOMATION OF TECHNOLOGICAL PROCESSES AND PRODUCTION AND ROBOTICS

- Automation of Technological Processes and Production in the Oil and Gas Industry
- Tooling Systems for Machinery
 Production
- Automated Control Systems in Digital Production
- Automation and Control Systems and Equipment

CHEMICAL ENGINEERING AND FOOD TECHNOLOGY

- Chemical Engineering of Organic Substances
- Chemical Engineering of Polymers and Composite Materials Processing, Additive Technologies
- Chemical Engineering of Natural Energy Carriers and Carbon-Based Materials
- Milk and Dairy Product Technology
- Meat and Meat Product Technology

COMPUTER SCIENCES

- Computer-Aided Design of Cyber Physical Systems
- Automated Data Processing and Management Systems
- Computing Machines, Complexes, Systems and Networks
- Computer-Aided Design Systems
- Information Systems and Technologies in Construction
- Applied Informatics in Economics
- Software and Information Systems Engineering

ARCHITECTURE AND CONSTRUCTION

- Architectural Design of Buildings
- Motor Road Bridges and Tunnels
- Highways
- Urban Environment and Interior Design
- Manufacturing of Building Materials, Products and Structures
- Industrial and Civil Engineering
- Construction of Oil and Gas Facilities
- Heat, Water and Gas Supply and Ventilation
- Technical Operation of Housing and Public Utilities

More than 1,400 international students from 56 countries of Southeast and Central Asia, Latin America, Europe, Africa, the Middle East, the CIS countries are studying at the university.



Network Institute of Architecture and Civil Engineering







CAREER GUIDANCE COUNSELING

- Online fairs
- Offline education fairs
- Presentation of the university abroad
- Online and offline testing for international applicants
- Offline and online meetings of the university staff members with international applicants



CHOICE MOTIVES

- Over 60 years' experience in training of specialists for foreign countries
- A wide range of popular educational programs
- Rich historical heritage of the Volgograd Region
- Well-developed comfortable infrastructure of the region and its logistics accessibility
- Graduates' successful career







The cultural capital review

THE R. P. LEWIS CO., LANSING MICH.

The population is

13,104,177

people



Moscow

Moscow, Russia

Moscow is the capital of the Russian Federation, one of the world's largest metropolitan cities, the center of political, business and cultural life. Moscow is a European cosmopolitan city, livable, with well-developed transport infrastructure, and safe. A great number of sights, theaters, museums, parks, entertainments and events leave no room for boredom.

Moscow is ranked among the best student cities. It has many prestigious universities that open their doors to hundreds of thousands of international students every year.

The Moscow Metro is one of the deepest and the most beautiful in the world. Every day 10,000 trains carry nine million passengers, which is highest number in the world. Each station is a work of engineering genius and art.

MOSCOW KREMLIN

It is the largest active fortress in Europe and is considered one of the world's largest museums. The city's oldest part occupies an area of 27 ha and strikes with the beauty of towers, cathedrals and palaces. Red Square lies east of the Kremlin.

VOROBYOVY GORY (SPARROW HILLS)

It is the main observation deck in the Russian capital. From the top of the hill, a picturesque view of the forest and park area opens up, and architectural buildings, facilities and churches can be seen. There is a conservation park with an ecological path, a ropeway working all year round, ski slopes with springboards and a chair lift at Vorobyovy Gory.

VDNKH National Economy Achievement Exhibition

It is one of the most amazing tourist attractions in the Russian capital and ranks among the world's top 50 largest exhibition centers. There are plenty of architectural masterpieces in the territory of the Exhibition – 49 VDNKh facilities have the status of cultural heritage landmarks.

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AVERAGE EXPENSES

1,000-2,220 RUB	Travel card for all kinds of urban public transport
from 400 RUB	Café lunch
350-800 RUB	Museum ticket



AND GAS "GUBKIN UNIVERSITY" (NATIONAL RESEARCH UNIVERSITY)

Founded in 1930

11 faculties 20 Bachelor's programs 14 Master's programs

Specialist's programs

14 PhD programs

11,000 students 2,200 foreign students

2 branches The university provides training in all areas of the oil and gas industry: from exploration, extraction, transportation, processing of oil and gas, creation of technology and information support for engineering processes to studying economic and international aspects of the oil and gas market.

> Tuition fees per year 358,000 – 415,000 RUB



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14 Engineering and Technology **10** by demand for graduates



23 in Russia

553 in the world



Orenburg, Russia Tashkent, Uzbekistan

Video about the university



Faculties' Virtual Doors Open Days

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ENROLLMENT CAMPAIGN

- Those who apply within the Russian Government quota take an exam in the Russian language
- Those who apply on a fee-paying basis take exams in mathematics and the Russian language

The admission regulations can change. Follow the news on **gubkin.ru**



Doors Open Days are held annually on the last Sunday of November and March.

Admission of foreign citizens

Join us online on the university website www.gubkin.ru

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

The language of instruction is Russian

You can study Russian at

- the university's Preparatory Department
- you can get a Russian language certificate at TORFL testing centers in your country of residence



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FACULTIES

- Petroleum Geology and Geophysics
- Oil and Gas Field Development
- Design, Construction and Exploitation of Pipeline
- Transport Systems
- Mechanical Engineering
- Automation and Computer Engineering
- Integrated Security of the Fuel and Energy Complex
- Chemical and Environmental Engineering
- Economics and Management
- International Energy Business
- Law
- Faculty of Humanities



PREPARATORY DEPARTMENT

- Bachelor's programs
 Russian language, Mathematics, Physics
 (Chemistry), Informatics
- Master's and PhD programs Russian language, Further Mathematics, Informatics

After graduates of the Preparatory Department successfully pass their final exam, they are admitted to entrance exams for the first year of Bachelor's/Specialist's/ Master's/PhD studies.

Duration 1 year

Tuition fee 220,000 RUB

International Students Office

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POPULAR FIELDS OF STUDY

- Oil and Gas Engineering
- Chemical Engineering
- Economics
- Management
- Informatics and Computer Engineering





A tour around the university's oil and gas facilities



OIL AND GAS ENGINEERING

Bachelor's programs

- Drilling of Oil and Gas Wells (full-time)
- Operation and Maintenance of Oil Production Facilities (full-time)
- Operation and Maintenance of Gas and Gas Condensate Production Facilities and Underground Storages (full-time, part-time)
- Construction and Repair of Gas and Oil Pipelines and Storage Facilities (fulltime, part-time)
- Operation and Maintenance of Transport and Storage Facilities for Oil, Gas and Refined Products (full-time, part-time)
- S Experimental work at the department laboratories
- Work on onshore and offshore drilling simulators

Career prospects

- Drilling supervisor, process engineer
- Manager
- Assistant driller, driller, well service operator, oil and gas production operator, operator of booster and cluster pump stations, water and oil pretreatment plants
- Production submanager at oil and gas companies
- Positions at design, engineering and research organizations

Most international students are sought after by oil and gas companies all over the world.
ARRIVAL

Visitors are taken from the airport to the city by

- Aeroexpress trains from 470 RUB
- 🦐 Taxi 1,500 RUB on average

Metro is the fastest and the most comfortable transport in the city. The fare is 50–75 RUB per trip.

It is easy to get to the university, so students arriving in Moscow are met at the university at the address: **65, Leninsky Prospekt, bld. 1, Moscow**. The Akademicheskaya metro station.

Upon arrival, foreign citizens receive comprehensive visa support, but they must get health insurance themselves.

All foreign students are accommodated in the university campus – the comfortable dormitories. Each room accommodates 2-3 persons. The accommodation fee is around 20,000 RUB per year.

The Week of National Cultures is an annual event aiming to improve the relationship between the university's ethnic groups. The program includes a photo show of the unique sights of various nations, a quest game, the Guess a Movie contest, an exhibition of national costumes, national cuisines, and a gala concert.

CAMPUS

- 5 dormitory buildings, over 4,000 places
- A gym, a skiing center, a football field with workout areas, basketball and volleyball courts
- Dance, instrumental, drama studios, a chess club, a movie club, an art studio and a recording studio



INTERNATIONAL FRIENDSHIP CLUB

The social youth organization familiarizes students with the culture and creativity of various peoples in Russia and foreign countries. The Club works with 22 fellow countrymen associations established at the university. At the beginning of an academic year, they find "their" guys on the list of enrollees and help first-year students adapt to the university and Russia.







PIROGOV RUSSIAN NATIONAL RESEARCH MEDICAL UNIVERSITY

Founded in 1906

13 Bachelor's, Specialist's, Master's programs 59 residency programs 6 PhD programs

1,400

international

students

Pirogov RNRMU is a leading medical university in the Russian Federation that trains physicians, pharmacists, clinical psychologists, social workers, and research staff.

Training is provided at the university clinics established at the leading medical centers in Moscow and at the clinical departments that are a part of the university.

RNRMU is the only Russian medical university that was assigned a category of National Research University.

2,700 residents and PhD students

10,000 students pursuing Bachelor's, Specialist's and Master's degrees

11,500 students pursuing advanced training programs **13,000** school students participating in preuniversity training programs

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APPLICANT GUIDE

EXAMS

Foreign citizens can apply to the university based on the results of the Unified State Exams. as well as the results of entrance exams held by the university.

Entrance exams for Bachelor's, Specialist's and Master's programs are held in the form of computer testing offline or using distance technologies and online proctoring.

All tests (except for entrance tests in a foreign language and tests for those applying for English-taught programs) are conducted in Russian.



Bachelor's. Specialist's, Master's programs



Residency programs

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- For admission to the first year of study in Bachelor's or Specialist's programs, you should submit the document confirming at least secondary general education or secondary vocational education recognized in Russia
- For admission to Master's programs, you should submit the document confirming a higher education degree of any level recognized in Russia
- For admission to **residency** programs, you should submit the document confirming at least higher education (Specialist's degree, Master's degree) recognized in Russia
- For admission to PhD programs, you should submit the document confirming at least higher education (Specialist's degree, Master's degree) recognized in Russia

DEPARTMENT OF ADMISSION **TO HIGHER PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS**

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FIELDS OF STUDY

- Healthcare and Medical Sciences
- Health Science and Preventive Medicine
- Sociology and Social Work
- Biological Sciences
- Social Sciences



Tuition fees per year

Bachelor's and Specialist's programs 300,000 – 500,000 RUB Master's programs 250,000 – 340,000 RUB Residency programs 520,000 – 600,000 RUB PhD programs 375,000 – 405,000 RUB



PREPARATORY DEPARTMENT

Every year the preparatory courses of our university bring together attendees from more than 30 countries.

They study the Russian language, physics, chemistry, and biology.

Tuition fee

38

160,000 RUB crash course **320,000 RUB** complete course

DOORS OPEN DAYS

Doors Open Day is the most important event for applicants, which allows them to learn more about the university and its life, choose a study program, have a talk with the dean of the chosen faculty, as well as get competent advice on admission from the admission office staff.

CHEM*BIO*PLUS SCHOOL

The school offers supplementary educational programs for high school students in chemistry, biology, physics, and mathematics.

The programs are developed by the university teachers on the basis of many years of experience in the classes of Pirogov RNRMU partner schools. Besides preparation for final attestation (State Final Exams, Unified State Exams), the school prepares school students for participation in Moscow, interregional and all-Russian Olympiads.

- Training is provided on a contract (fee-paying) basis
- Classes are conducted in the evening and on Saturdays. The school uses the semester training system
- Classes are conducted in the form of lectures, colloquia, computer tests and practical classes in the university laboratories
- When the semester is over, parents get the student's reference with grades and teachers' recommendations



SCHOOL OF THE YOUNG SURGEON

- The superteam of teachers and doctors
- Immersion in the atmosphere of applied medicine that will allow students to practice medicine, test their ability to be a doctor, or just develop an interest in self-fulfillment in medicine
- Acquiring practical skills on diagnostic and surgical equipment, getting acquainted with innovative solutions in medicine, getting competencies of surgeon, diagnostician, developer of new medicines and treatment technologies, and medical equipment
- Getting acquainted with the aspects of various medical specialties

The First Aid Center offers additional paid educational services for adult attendees.

The study programs and courses include lectures and practical classes. During practical classes, under the guidance of experienced professors, associate professors and teachers at the Department of Disaster Medicine, attendees acquire strong practical first aid skills using modern training devices, manikins, simulators, visual aids and necessary training equipment.











Mikhail Kutuzov Museum Ship, Novorossiysk

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THE REPORT OF THE



Novorossiysk

Krasnodar Territory, Russia

The population is **251,000** people

Novorossiysk is the largest Black Sea port in Russia, an important transportation hub, industrial center and picturesque resort. It is a part of the Krasnodar Territory. The city is located on the shore of the deep-water Tsemes Bay and surrounded by the North Caucasus mountains. The geographical location ensures a warm subtropical climate.

The first references to the settlements in the place of present-day Novorossiysk date to the 1st–3rd centuries AD. In different periods of history, the territory belonged to Ancient Greece and the Ottoman Empire. In 1829, according to the Treaty of Adrianople, Turkey ceded it to Russia. The convenient location at the confluence of trade routes has made Novorossiysk participate in numerous dramatic historic events.

Today it is a city with well-developed modern infrastructure and a lot of curious locations to visit and relax.

YOU CAN GET FROM MOSCOW

- By train, directly from Moscow to Novorossiysk
- With transfers: by plane to the airports in Sochi or Mineralnye Vody and then by train or bus to Novorossiysk

MIKHAIL KUTUZOV MUSEUM SHIP

The light gun cruiser under 68-bis project was set afloat on November 29, 1951. Until 1988, the cruiser was a part of the combat ships of the Black Sea Fleet, and it became a museum in 1998. Today the museum ship is open to the public. Anyone interested can take a walk along the deck of the ship that won honor in battle and has a remarkable history, look into the chief cabin and visit an exhibition dedicated to the events of the Second World War.

YURI GAGARIN PLANETARIUM

The planetarium has been open to the public since 1961. It was named after the first man in space. Today at the planetarium you can look at the stars on the domical ceiling, visit the exhibitions of the interactive cosmonautics museum, and attend a wide variety of events held at the planetarium venues.

RESERVE MUSEUM OF REGIONAL STUDIES

The Novorossiysk Reserve Museum unites several cultural and historical objects and displays around 150,000 exhibits. The museum exhibitions tell us about the history, culture and nature of Novorossiysk as well as the history of the territory and everyday life of local residents in ancient times.



ADMIRAL USHAKOV MARITIME STATE UNIVERSITY

3 institutes

faculties

6 Specialist's programs

2

colleges



10

scientific schools

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10,000+ students

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Bachelor's

programs

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PhD programs

Admiral Ushakov Maritime State University is a major water transport university and the only university in the South of Russia that trains marine specialists for shipping companies, shipbuilding and ship repair yards, water transport enterprises, ports, and transport terminals.

Founded in 1975

Starting from 2013, the university is annually awarded the Leader of Industry title by the Federal Agency for Maritime and River Transport.





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2 branches:

- Rostov-on-Don
- Sevastopol

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Top 500 National Aggregate Ranking – 2023

- Ranking of Universities for Engineering and Technology of the Krasnodar Territory – 3 out of 10
- Ranking of Transport Universities of the Krasnodar Territory – 1 out of 5

• Novorossiysk, Krasnodar Territory, Russia

ADMISSION CAMPAIGN

Bachelor's and Specialist's programs

- June 20 July 15 applications dates for those applying based on the results of entrance exams
- June 20 July 25 applications dates for state-funded places based on the results of the Unified State Exams
- June 20 August 20 applications dates for fee-paying places based on the results of the Unified State Exams

Master's programs

- June 20 August 10 applications dates for full-time and extramural studies
- August 11–20 entrance exams

REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

- Academic credential
- Document proving identity and citizenship with notarized translation
- Academic credential nostrification, if necessary
- Russian language course certificate
- Health insurance
- Legalization, if necessary
- 4 photos







Doors Open

Day

About the university

Virtual tour

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CENTER FOR ONLINE PROFESSIONAL RETRAINING

Retraining courses:

- Translator in the Field of Professional Communication
- Theory and Methodology of Teaching Foreign Languages
- Foreign Economic Activity Specialist
- Foreign Economic Activity Manager
- Commercial Agent
- Technosphere Safety Specialist
- Preschool Teacher. Psychological and Pedagogical Support for Child Development during Implementation of the Federal State Education Standards

Online courses:

- English for Everyone
- English for Stewards
- Russian as a Foreign Language

Face-to-face courses:

- English for Beginners
- Spoken English
- Business English
- IELTS Preparation
- Preparation for an Interview

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS DEPARTMENT

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POPULAR FIELDS OF STUDY

- Land Transport Technology
- Operation and Maintenance of Transport Radio Equipment
- Operation of Ship Power Plants
- Operation of Ship Electrical Equipment and Automation Equipment
- Navigation
- Customs Affairs
- Information Systems and Technologies
- Technosphere Safety
- Technology of Transport Processes
- Operation of Transport and Technological Machines and Complexes
- Water Transport Management and Hydrographic Support of Shipping
- Shipbuilding, Ocean Engineering and Systems Engineering of Maritime Infrastructure Facilities
- Economics
- State and Municipal Management
- Law

INSTITUTES AND FACULTIES

- Faculty of Water Transport Operation and Navigation
- Faculty of Marine Engineering
- Institute of Maritime Transport Management, Economics and Law
- Faculty of Secondary Vocational Education and Pre-University Training
- Faculty of Extramural Studies
- Research Institute
- Advanced Training Institute



INFRASTRUCTURE

- Four educational buildings, the educational and laboratory building "South" and three dormitories
- More than 500 laboratories and classrooms, an electronic reading room, the library with a book collection containing around 400,000 items
- Modern marine equipment simulators, including a ship navigation and manoeuvring simulator and communications and digital mapping simulators
- University history museum
- Navigation school
- Military training center
- Legal clinic

STUDENT LIFE

- 20 sports clubs
- The KVN Club (the Club of the Funny and Inventive)
- The Media Club comprising a thematic video channel "Compass"
- Psychological Game Club "Day and Night"
- History and Politics Club "Loco fermissimo"
- Photography Club "Paradox"
- Cybersport tournaments
- Movie Club "The Last Showtime"
- Literary creative salon
- Anime Club
- On-stage performance groups
- Volunteering Club "Transport Volunteers Center"



INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION

- The university has concluded 35 agreements with the universities in Europe, Asia, and Latin America
- The university enrolls students from former USSR countries and other foreign countries such as Azerbaijan, Armenia, Belarus, Georgia, Egypt, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Cameroon, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, Peru, Syria, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan, Ukraine, and other countries
- The university cadets undertake navigation internships on the ships of foreign companies such as Baltic Group International, Columbia Shipmanagement Ltd., Alpha Marine, Epsilon Hellas, Wilhelmsen Marine Personnel, Marlow Navigation, Thome Ship Management Ltd., STENA, and others







Ship repair internship at the Shipping Engineering Center

EMPLOYMENT PROMOTION CENTER

- Consulting and information services for students, graduates, and employers
- Providing information on job openings and events via the center website, information stands, and multimedia
- Employment of graduates in their degree field
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Pyatigorsk
Stavropol Territory, Russia

The population is 213,745 people

Pyatigorsk is the oldest spa and mud cure resort of federal importance in Russia located in the central part of Fore-Caucasus. The city was founded in 1780 as Konstantinovskaya fortress that was a part of the Azov-Mozdok system of defensive fortifications after the Russo-Turkish War. In 1803, Emperor Alexander I officially recognized the state significance of the Caucasian Spas region, and the famous resort began to develop.

Pyatigorsk is called a natural museum of mineral waters. More than 100 mineral springs with different chemical composition are used for curative and recreational purposes.

Today it is a scientific, cultural and tourist center with well-developed infrastructure and a great number of sights. The city has 18 universities and branches where around 20,000 students, including foreign citizens, are studying.

YOU CAN GET FROM MOSCOW TO PYATIGORSK BY

- Plane to Mineralnye Vody and then by bus. Time travel is 7 hours
- Train. Time travel is 19 hours
- Bus. Time travel is 20 hours

MIKHAIL LERMONTOV STATE RESERVE MUSEUM

The literary and memorial complex was created based on the house where Mikhail Lermontov spent the last months of his life. It is here that the poet's body was brought after the duel. The permanent exhibition of the museum consists of four parts: Lermontov House, Lermontov and the Caucasus, Mikhail Lermontov in Fine Arts, and Alyabyev's House.

TSVETNIK PARK

The oldest park in the city was created in 1828 according to the drawings made by the architects, the Bernardazzi brothers, in the place of the wasteland near the Nicolaevsky baths. Today it consists of numerous picturesque alleys, bowers, grottos, architectural monuments and sculptures.

CABLE CAR TO THE TOP OF MOUNT MASHUK

Being a unique example of engineering thought, the cable car in Pyatigorsk is one of the most popular tourist attractions. From the top of Mount Mashuk, you can enjoy the breathtaking views of the city and its precincts and the Caucasus Mountain Range.



Founded in 1939

78 Bachelor's and Specialist's programs

28 Master's programs

77 PhD programs

17

research and

education centers and laboratories

g institutes and higher schools

26

5 research institutes

60 +scientific schools research areas

5 000+ students, including 211 international students

PSU trains linguists, philologists, and specialists who have a good command of foreign languages and cross-cultural communication skills in various areas such as economics, management, law, journalism, tourism, psychology, architecture, design, etc. The university offers 24 foreign languages including Russian as a foreign language.













PSU video

Doors Open Days

Pyatigorsk, Stavropol Territory, Russia

International students are talking about PSU



2020

72 in Russia

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88 in Russia



among Russian universities for humanities

INSTITUTES

- Foreign Languages and International Tourism
- International Relations
- Translatology, Russian Studies, and Multilingualism
- Roman and Germanic Languages, Information and Humanitarian Technologies
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Extramural studies, information technologies, and online projects.

Training of highly qualified personnel.

HIGHER SCHOOLS

- Design and Architecture
- Management

Foreign citizens coming to Russia from visa countries for studying must get an invitation from the university. They must submit a scanned copy of their passport and completed application form to the Office of International **Relations and Academic** Programs via email ums@pgu.ru.







Information for international applicants

pdf PSU booklet in English

OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS AND ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

Head Victor Mishin





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INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION

- European Diploma Supplement in English
- Academic exchange programs: Erasmus+, Mevlana
- Double degree programs (Linguistics; Crosscultural Communication; Tourism and Hospitality; Advertising and Public Relations) with partner universities in Austria ____, Italy , France , and Spain 🔼
- Internships and study placements abroad
- Summer schools

PREPARATORY DEPARTMENT

Intensive program for foreign citizens: Russian language, Russian history, and social science

Duration 1 year Tuition fee 98.000 RUB

RUSSIAN LANGUAGE COURSES

Experienced teachers familiarize course participants with grammar, lexis, and speaking and writing standards of the Russian language.

The tuition fee includes

- Educational program 102,960 RUB for 1 academic year (12 academic hours of Russian language per week, and an option to pay for extra hours)
- Registration fee 3,500 RUB
- Transfer (if necessary) 2,100 RUB
- Dormitory 3,000 RUB per month

The department also conducts intensive summer courses in July.

Center of International Education

Head Irina Fedotova 🖂 fedotova@pgu.ru

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LET'S GO TO PYATIGORSK FROM MOSCOW

- Plane: several daily flights, travel time is 2 hours, the fare is 4,866 RUB and more
- Train: travel time is 24 hours, the fare is 3,597 RUB and more

INFRASTRUCTURE

- 9 educational buildings, 5 dormitories
- One of the largest libraries in the south of Russia (with a total stock of 850,000+ items)
- 15 language and cultural centers, the business school, the legal clinic, the PROFI-SOTSI-LINGVA volunteer center, the media center
- The Damkhurts health and fitness center, health-improvement facilities on the Black Sea coast



Pdf A reminder for

foreign citizens

PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND SPORTS

There are sports centers with table tennis, halls for aerobics and bodybuilding, gyms. Football, tennis, and volleyball are the most popular sports among students.

The university mountaineering club is the best one in the south of Russia. The PSU corporate banner was taken to the peaks of Mount Ararat in Turkey, Kilimanjaro in Africa, Pico de Orizaba in Mexico, Olympus in Greece, East and West summits of Elbrus, Demavend in Iran, Mount Kazbek, Ojos del Salado on the border of Chile and Argentina, Kala Patthar in Nepal, Vesuvius in Italy.





DORMITORY

The university offers foreign citizens 2-3-person comfortable dormitories on campus. Also, they can rent an apartment outside the campus on their own. The landlord must register the foreign citizen in the rented apartment.

The well-designed security system includes electronic access cards to enter the university buildings and dormitories, a video surveillance system, 24-hour security guard services.

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS DEPARTMENT

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- Consultations for applicants and assistance in admission to PSU
- Meeting at Mineralnye Vody airport or the railway station in Pyatigorsk (Mon.–Fri., 09:00– 17:00), transfer to the university campus, accommodation in the dormitory
- Comprehensive support in preparing visa, registration, medical, and other documents required to stay in Russia

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Russian universities. PSU

ADAPTATION PROGRAMS

- Familiarization with the city and its neighborhood
- Explanation of Russian laws
- Familiarization with the cultural characteristics of Russia
- Assistance in solving everyday problems
- The university has the Socio-Cultural Adaptation Club PSU TALK

PSYCHOLOGICAL SUPPORT PROGRAMS

- Original programs for personal development and self-enhancement
- Workshops aimed to develop creativity, confidence, and leadership skills
- Professional development workshops, time management
- Learning process adaptation workshops

TUTORING AND ADVISING PROGRAMS

- Comprehensive tutoring support in exchange education: individual work and teamwork. individual support in the educational environment, ensuring optimal teacherstudent interaction
- Institute of advisors of academic groups and courses: assistance in solving study problems that arise

EVENTS

- The Annual Friendship Festival "Russia is Our Common Home" including presentations of national dishes, traditions, culture, and performing arts by the university's multinational students
- University contests for first-year students "Green Apple," weeks of languages, days of institutes of higher schools
- Festive events and concerts of graduates







The Festival "Russia is Our Common Home"



he Festival "We are Different, but We are Together



Saint Petersburg

Saint Petersburg, Russia

The population is **5,600,044** people

Saint Petersburg is one of the most beautiful metropolitan cities in the world. It is the second largest city in Russia (more than 5 million people). It is located on the shore of the Gulf of Finland, 720 km from Moscow. It has many unofficial names and titles, such as the City on the Neva, St. Pete, Northern and Cultural capital of Russia, the cradle of the revolution, the city of white nights... It is famous for its numerous rivers and canals connected by bridges, architectural monuments, and plenty of tourist attractions. It has a rich history and is one of the symbols of Russian statehood in general.

Saint Petersburg and some territories in the Leningrad Region are known for their creative spaces, loft projects, roof tours, and other popular entertainments and art locations.

Almost all cultural institutions in Saint Petersburg provide considerable discounts for students. On certain days of the week, you can get free admission to most museums, in particular, the State Hermitage Museum, the State Russian Museum and its branches, the Puppet Museum, the State Museum of the History of Religion, the Russian Museum of Ethnography, the Kunstkamera Museum, and the Suvorov Museum.

SAINT ISAAC'S SQUARE

This is one of the most beautiful and main squares in Saint Petersburg. The square ensemble comprises St. Isaac's Cathedral, Monument to Nickolas I, the Mariinsky Palace, administrative buildings, hotels, and the Blue Bridge over the Moika River. The square is included in the UNESCO World Heritage List.

PALACE SQUARE

Several historical and architectural landmarks at once are concentrated here. Among them are the former residence of Russian emperors – the Winter Palace as well as Small and New Hermitages, the General Staff building with the Triumphal Arch, the Alexander Column dedicated to the victory of Russia in the Napoleonic War. The square is included in the UNESCO World Heritage List.

SENATE SQUARE

This is one of the oldest architectural centers in Saint Petersburg. On the north side, it is opened to the Neva River, and we can see St. Isaac's Cathedral behind Alexander Garden to the south. On the west side are the Senate and Synod buildings. To the east is the Admiralty building. The Bronze Horseman, a monument to Russian Emperor Peter I, is a calling card of the square and a symbol of the city.



HIGHER SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS

Founded in 1992

48 English-taught programs

61 double degree programs delivered jointly with foreign universities

116 Bachelor's programs **195** Master's programs

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20 PhD student schools

51,000+ students and PhD students

5,500+

international students Higher School of Economics is a leading research university in Russia. Its expert and project activities cover a wide variety of fields, from economics and management to design and technology. The university's commitment to an interdisciplinary approach to education allows our graduates to become valuable personnel for the world academic and professional community.





Tuition fees per year

Bachelor's programs – from 2,500 USD Master's programs – from 2,500 USD PhD programs – from 8,500 USD





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POPULAR FIELDS OF STUDY

- Mathematics and Mechanics
- Political Sciences and Regional Studies
- Economics and Management
- Social Sciences
- Law
- Mass Media and Information and Library
 Science
- Psychological Sciences

ASPECTS OF THE LEARNING PROCESS

- Individual learning path: elective and optional courses
- Minor is an additional specialization supplementing the major (MagoLego for Master's studies)
- Compulsory subjects related to digital literacy and the English language; practical training and project activities
- The opportunity to spend one or two semesters at a foreign university under the international academic mobility program

INTERNATIONAL PREPARATORY PROGRAMS CENTER

The center provides comprehensive training for foreign citizens to prepare them for Bachelor's and Master's programs in Russian

- Russian language courses (basic, intensive, online/offline)
- Language of the major (study areas: humanities, economics, engineering and technology)
- Studying general subjects
- Preparation for TORFL

Admission requirements

- Age 18 years old and over
- Complete secondary education

Tuition fee – from 1,400 USD

Foreign citizens who have been awarded the Russian Government scholarship are eligible for tuition-free education. For this purpose, they should specify in their selection application form that they need



a preparatory Russian language course.

THE WAYS TO ENROL AT HSE UNIVERSITY

2,000 state scholarships from the Russian Government for foreign citizens

State scholarships are awarded by the HSE University selection board based on the recommendations of educational programs. It covers 100% of the tuition fee.

- For Bachelor's degree applicants based on the results of entrance exams
- For Master's degree applicants based on the portfolio competition results

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Olympiads

- HSE International Olympiad for Bachelor's degree applicants
- Open Doors: Russian Scholarship Project – for Master's degree applicants

Successful participation gives international applicants the right to study at the university for free in a chosen field of study using the Russian Government scholarship.

Partial grants for foreign citizens

The grants covering 25-70% of the tuition fee are awarded to foreign citizens based on their total score in the entrance exams or the portfolio competition.

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Applying through Rossotrudnichestvo

You can get a quota place if you apply on the website education-in-russia.com and undergo selection at the Russian House in your country.

Nota bene! To get a quota place at HSE University, you should also pass entrance exams at the university.

To apply for participation in the HSE University's competition, you should register in the International Applicant's Personal Account and upload the document package. You can take entrance examinations online and offline.

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COMFORTABLE LIVING AND STUDY ENVIRONMENT

- International students having a state scholarship from the Russian Government are accommodated in HSE University's dormitories
- The university provides assistance in choosing accommodation options to students who study on a contract basis or have partial study grants
- HSE University has very comfortable educational buildings with up-to-date infrastructure, including libraries, canteens, cafés, coworking spaces

Extracurricular student life at HSE University offers:

- Language and national clubs, cultural festivals
- Case study clubs, the business incubator, debate clubs
- The student council, advisors, scientific communities, and many other things

WE CARE ABOUT YOUR CAREER

HSE University's Career Center holds individual career consultations with students helping them get their first job or internship.

The Center specialists unite students and employers by posting job openings, organizing internships and holding various events such as career marathons and fairs, meetings and workshops.



HSE University is ranked among the Top 250 of QS Graduate Employability Rankings 2022, which shows high demand for graduates







EMPEROR ALEXANDER I ST. PETERSBURG STATE TRANSPORT UNIVERSITY

Founded in 1809

29 Bachelor's programs

24 Specialist's programs

22 research centers and laboratories

13,000+

students

30+ scientific schools

2,000+

international students from

26 countries

Tuition fees per semester

Bachelor's programs – from 40,700 RUB

Specialist's programs – from 41,700 RUB Master's programs – from 42,300 RUB PhD programs – from 143,700 RUB

PhD programs for research and academic staff

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Master's programs

Emperor Alexander I St. Petersburg State Transport University is the first transport higher education institution in Russia. The university trains personnel in the following fields:

- Transport and Logistics
- Civil Engineering
- Industry
- Power Engineering
- Information Technologies
- Economics and Management
- Psychology



Over 98.5% of graduates are employed by the time they get their degree

PGUPS students get scholarships from the Russian President, the Russian Government, the Saint Petersburg Government, CEO – Chairman of the Executive Board of JSC Russian Railways.





PGUPS is ranked in the top 10% of the Global Aggregate Ranking

• Saint Petersburg, Russia

STUDENT LIFE

- Work in scientific circles and research laboratories under the supervision of the university's leading researchers
- Increased scholarships for successful research, sports, cultural and social achievements
- Student research grant competition
- 7 types of volunteering
- 16 student brigades, 4 of which work all year round

30+

200+ events annually

10+

creative associations and studios

100+ winners and prize-winners of contests, Olympiads, competitions



Eurasian Network University of High-Speed Railways is an open international educational project implemented in cooperation with many top technical universities in Europe and Asia.

Graduates include railway transport ministers, political figures, heads of major transport, construction, industrial and research enterprises, well-known scientists, cultural workers.

INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATIONS



FACULTIES

- Automation and Intelligent Technologies
- Transport Construction
- Railway Operation and Logistics
- Industrial and Civil Engineering
- Transport Systems and Power Engineering
- Economics and Management
- Part-Time Studies

TOP 5 POPULAR FIELDS OF STUDY AND MAJORS AMONG INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

- Electric Power and Electrical Engineering
- Railway Rolling Stock
- Railway Operation
- Transport Business and Logistics
- Economics





PGUPS RUSSIAN LANGUAGE CENTER

- Supplementary Russian language study programs for foreign citizens (applicants)
- Individual short-term courses
- Special courses for international attendees in cultural studies, literature, stylistics, business communication, the language of mass media
- Summer and winter Russian language schools

Tuition fee per month 180 € and more

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- ⊠ rlc@pgups.ru





DOUBLE DEGREE PROGRAMS

Jointly with the leading universities in former USSR countries and other foreign countries, PGUPS delivers the double degree programs in the following fields of study: **Civil Engineering; Management; Economics; Land Transportation and Technological Complexes; Business Informatics; Electric Power Engineering and Electrical Engineering**, and others.

Jointly with Beijing Jiaotong University and other leading Chinese universities, PGUPS delivers the double degree programs in **Chinese:**

- Construction of Railways, Bridges and Transport Tunnels
- Railway Operation
- Railway Rolling Stock
- Train Traffic Support Systems
- Technosphere Safety
- Electric Power Engineering and Electrical Engineering

PARTNERS



INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS DEPARTMENT

Provides migration and visa support to international students, and helps them handle organizational problems.

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INFRASTRUCTURE

- 15 buildings, 8 dormitories
- Geology and geodesy facility
- Physical Culture House. The sports center with a swimming pool, a gym, halls for team sports, wrestling
- The clinic
- Culture and Recreation Center including a theater studio, a video studio, a vocal studio, KVN team (a famous Russian team comedy competition), fine arts studio, various style dance studios, etc.
- Volunteering center

SECURITY

PGUPS cares about student security. All university buildings, including the dormitories, are guarded by the security team 24/7 and equipped with video surveillance systems.

PARENTS BRIDGE

Parent's Account for getting the information on attendance, academic progress, academic, scientific, sports, and other achievements of a student.



PGUPS INTERNATIONAL

It provides up-to-date information about PGUPS's international activities: study abroad, double degree programs, shortterm internships, lectures of foreign professors, and many other things.

- vk.com/interpgups
- t.me/interpgups



Ivan Kornilaev, Kazakhstan

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I entered PGUPS in 2018. At that time, many of my acquaintances and friends from Aktau were going to apply for studies in Saint Petersburg, and I decided to go with them.

At that time, I didn't know yet what university I would apply to. After walking around many universities, I decided on PGUPS. The Yusupov Palace made me fall in love with itself and gave no chances to other universities.

I am a fourth-year student now. I am writing my graduation thesis. Besides studying, I am involved in extracurricular activities, I entered the Top 100 students of the university, which didn't go unnoticed by the teachers.





The population is **1.182.517**

people



Chelyabinsk

Chelyabinsk Region, Russia

Chelyabinsk is a major European-type metropolitan city located at the geological boundary of Ural and Siberia, on the eastern slope of the Ural Mountains. The city was founded in 1736 as a Chelyabinsk fortress at the intersection of flourishing trade routes. In the Soviet period, Chelyabinsk became one of the country's largest industrial centers. It boasts around 150 major enterprises of metallurgy, mechanical engineering and metalworking production, instrument engineering, chemical, light and food industries.

Chelyabinsk is ranked among the Top 3 Russian metropolitan cities with the most developed internal transport infrastructure. It holds a great number of cultural and sports events. The city boasts plenty of museums, theaters, festival venues, recreation parks.

The city has 16 universities and branches where more than 70,000 students, including foreign citizens, are studying.

YOU CAN GET FROM MOSCOW TO CHELYABINSK BY

- Plane. Travel time is 4 hours 30 minutes
- Train. Travel time is 32 hours
- Bus. Travel time is 31 hours

GAGARIN CENTRAL PARK OF CULTURE AND LEISURE

The most beautiful park in the city is adjacent to a real pine forest in the center of Chelyabinsk. The central park holds the brightest cultural events of the city, including festivals, musical parties, sports events, various shows. Here you can take a walk, go for a bike ride and take amusement rides as well as play tennis and paintball.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

The oldest church in Chelyabinsk was erected in the 1760s. The first church mentioned in the historical accounts was wooden. The construction of a modern redbrick building began in 1911. The church was built in neo-Russian style, and a shipboardtype layout creates an image of the ark of salvation.

CHELYABINSK METEORITE

On February 15, 2013, a meteorite fell on the territory of the Chelyabinsk Region. While falling, it was destructed in a dense atmosphere and exploded with a power of 300-500 kilotons. The event did not go unnoticed all over the world and was covered in mass media and social media. The largest meteorite fragment called "Chelyabinsk" is displayed at the State Museum of the South Ural History.



SOUTH URAL STATE UNIVERSITY (NATIONAL RESEARCH UNIVERSITY)

Founded in 1943

250+ Bachelor's and Specialist's programs

20

research and

education centers

12 international laboratories

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3 research institutes

82

PhD programs

46 small innovative enterprises laboratories

25,000

students

150

Master's programs

2,500 international students from 56 countries

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801+

TOP 15







801+



versities Most In-Demand Universities in Russia

Chelyabinsk, Chelyabinsk Region, Russia

South Ural State University is one of the Russian higher education leaders, the region's center for innovative development in Digital Industry, Material Science, and Ecology.

The university's advantage is high-quality education at affordable prices.

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Tuition fees per year ≈ 1,800 – 2,800 USD



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International students who have **compatriot status** (former USSR countries) may apply for the state-funded courses on equal terms with Russian citizens. Applicants should pass SUSU's internal entrance exams.

Applicants **from non-CIS countries** have the opportunity to get the Russian Government scholarship.

ADMISSION

The languages of instruction are **Russian** and **Russian**

To pursue Russian-taught programs, international students can take a one-year preparatory course throughout the year to master Russian and special subjects in Russian as part of the SUSU Foundation Program.

DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FOR ADMISSION to Bachelor's and Master's programs

- International passport
- Document confirming previous education
- Translations of documents into Russian

Entrance exams are held in test format or individually in interview format



FOUNDATION PROGRAM FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

The course of Russian as a Foreign Language and major disciplines

Starting level is A0

Study areas

- Engineering sciences engineering, information technology, car manufacturing, civil engineering, architecture
- Humanities law, history, linguistics, psychology
- Medical sciences sport and health research
- Economic sciences economics, management, marketing, business administration, econometrics
- Natural sciences biology, physics, chemistry, nanotechnologies

Tuition 99,000 RUB ≈ 1,400 USD

HOW TO APPLY?

Send your documents to ⊠ applicant@susu

Fill in the application form and pay for your enrollment contract

Get an invitation to enter Russia

Application closing date is August 1

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT SUPPORT

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- 🖂 applicant@susu.ru



POPULAR PROGRAMS

Bachelor's programs, 4 years

- Fundamental Computer Science and Information Technology. Informatics and Computer Science
- Mechatronics and Robotics. Mechatronics
- Food Technology and Catering. Functional Foods and Nutrition
- Economics. International Economics and Trade

Master's programs, 2 years

- Mathematics. Partial Differential Equations
- Applied Mathematics and Physics. Biophotonics and Physical Methods for Human Beings
- Chemistry. Chemistry for Environmental Engineering
- Construction. Digitalization in Architecture and Construction
- Heat and Power Engineering. Heat Power Engineering
- Power Engineering and Electrical Engineering. Electrical Power Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering. Welding Engineering
- Technological Machinery and Equipment. Hydraulic Machines, Hydraulic Drives and Hydraulic and Pneumatic Control Systems
- Mechatronics and Robotics. Mechatronics
- Biotechnology. Industrial and Environmental Biotechnology
- Economics. International Business
- Management. Strategic and Innovation
 Marketing
- Finance and Credit. Financial Markets and Institutions
- Law. Law and Digital Technologies
- Journalism. Media Communications
- Philology. Theory and Practice of English

PARTNER EMPLOYERS

Kaspersky Lab, Sberbank, Magnitogorsk Iron and Steel Works, KAMAZ, Roscosmos and Rosatom State Corporations, and many others.



Synthesis and Analysis of Food Ingredients Laboratory

NEW Bachelor

FUNCTIONAL FOODS AND NUTRITION English taught program

This program will describe functional foods and nutraceuticals, including their health benefits, development, and regulation. Functional foods provide health benefits beyond our basic nutrient requirements. These benefits improve the quality of life by promoting optimal health and reducing the risk of chronic diseases.

It has a multidisciplinary emphasis providing a broad base of knowledge and understanding of the wide role of nutrition in sustaining health and preventing diseases. It introduces students to most advanced aspects of food and nutrition to serve public nutrition, sports nutrition, understand genetically modified food, functional foods etc.

Program manager El-Sohaimy Sobhy Ahmed

Professor of Food Biochemistry



Russian universities. SUSU (NRU)

STRUCTURE

- Institute of Architecture and Construction
- School of Medical Biology
- School of Economics and Management
- School of Electronic Engineering and Computer Science
- Institute of Linguistics and Intercultural Communications
- Institute of Media, Social Sciences and Humanities
- Institute of Natural Sciences and Mathematics
- Institute of Sport, Tourism and Service
- Institute of Engineering and Technology
- Institute of Law

For foreign citizens

- Visa support is free of charge
- Execution of documents is free of charge
- Meeting at the airport is free of charge
- Guaranteed accommodation in the dormitory ≈ 20 USD per month

After admission to any Russian university, students **must undergo**

- Medical examination ≈ 75 USD per year
- Medical certification ≈ 100 USD one-time payment





Alexander Vagner, SUSU Rector

Today South Ural State University is one of the leaders in modern Russian education! We honor our history and the university's traditions and make progress responding to the challenges of our time.



SUSU campus is one of the best and the largest in Russia. The dormitory buildings are within walking distance of the educational buildings. The campus is located in the center of Chelyabinsk and comprises nine dormitories. It is located near the vast urban woodland with the culture and recreation park, the student medical center, a swimming pool, gyms, and the shopping center.

AISA

The South Ural Association of International Students and Alumni is the biggest association of international students in the region.

This is a team of friendship, mutual assistance and support for those who have chosen the university in the Chelyabinsk Region to live their eventful student life!

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