
(NMgr) Programme: International Economic and Political Studies (NP_IEPS)

Study programme N0312A250001: International Economic and Political Studies

Academic year 2019/2020

Description of the two-year IEPS Master at
CHARLES UNIVERSITY, FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL STUDIES (IEPS)

International Economic and Political Studies (IEPS) is a post-graduate master's study modelled on the principles of the Oxford-style PPE (Philosophy, Politics and Economics) programmes that are historically and currently among the most favoured educational concepts in social sciences. Their popularity comes from subsequent successes of their graduates in labour markets throughout the world. See http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Philosophy,_politics,_and_economics. IEPS, taught in English, is open to three specialisation tracks: economics/finance, politics and humanities/philosophy. It aims towards an interdisciplinary understanding of social phenomena by developing skills useful for analysis and management in a wide range of careers and activities. It allows students to explore the foundations of domestic and international politics and economics in a manner that is underpinned by philosophical rigour and communication skills. The programme emphasizes courses which foster critical thinking for social developments in the world, increase sensitivity to ethical challenges in decision-making and policy design in an environment marked by cultural diversity, economic inequality, and differing political interests and requirements in decision-making. Students deal with the nature of economic and political agents, including the emergence of conflicts and attempted cooperation. They are expected to master the principles of modern non-conventional economic and political thinking, and be able to apply it in decision-making at the level of supra-national institutions, states, regional governments, corporations, firms, political parties and citizens.

As the economic and cultural integration in the world accelerates after the fall of Communism, **the demand for changing the way societies are organised calls for new analytical competences and unconventional dynamic thinking, which IEPS aims to demonstrate and instill in its students.**

Study prerequisites

Applicants to the IEPS Programme come from a variety of undergraduate backgrounds. It is not necessary to have previously studied politics or economics. Admission may be granted also to students whose previous studies were in the humanities, commerce, law, or even mathematics, technical, or natural sciences. Although a background in mathematics is not formally required for admission, it is an advantage for IEPS applicants to have an aptitude for maths and statistics, especially those students who wish to specialise in economics and finance. All students must have a good command of the English language in order to successfully complete all of the course requirements, including the ability to write presentations, essays and discuss specialised topics. Language of instruction: English.

You can find more information about this study on <https://fsv.cuni.cz/en/ieps>

INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL STUDIES - study programme options for 2019/2020

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Course structure:

8 compulsory classes (I):	53 credits
Elective courses in Module #0 (microeconomic theory)	at least 6 credits
Elective courses in Module #1 (economics/finance)	at least 10 credits
Elective courses in Module #2 (political science)	at least 10 credits
Elective courses in Module #3 (humanities & policies)	at least 15 credits
Required credits from all four elective modules (II):	55 credits
Remark to electives: the difference between (6+10+10+15) and 55 credits must be filled by courses picked freely from any of the three modules #1,#2 and #3.	
Remaining optional courses (III)	12 credits

TOTAL CREDITS	120 credits
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Having reached at least 120 credits in the required structure, the students are qualified for taking the concluding Final State Examination and defending the Master's Thesis.

Their successful passing is a condition for getting conferred the master's degree equivalent to M.A. It is expected that the studies are concluded in two years. The maximum length of the study is 5 years. Standard duration: 2 years.

Composition of the final state examination:

(JDIP01) Defence of the Diploma Thesis

(JSZ485) Economics - oral examination

(JSZ486) Political Science - oral examination

The list of COMPULSORY CLASSES/COURSES - J#0360

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Code	Course title	Course leader	Semester	Hours per week	Course assessment	ECTS credit points
JEM164	Public Finance - IEPS	Janský Palanský	SS	2/0	Examination	5
JEM166	Master's Thesis Seminar - IEPS	Havránková Semerák	SS	0/2	Examination	4
JEM209	History and Methodology of Economics	Doležalová Baxa	WS	2/0	Examination	6
JEM212	International Political Economy	Havránková Semerák	SS	2/1	Examination	7
JPM116	Global Political Philosophy	Benáček Salomon	SS	2/1	Examination	7
JPM314	Theories of International Relations (IEPS)	Kazharski	SS	2/0	Examination	6
JPM324	Geography and Politics in Europe within Global Regionalism	Riegl	WS	2/2	Examination	9
JSM518	Public Policy	Potůček	WS	2/1	Examination	9

Total number of credits: 53

WS = Winter Semester (Oct. - Feb.)

SS = Summer Semester (Feb. - June)

Prerequisites, corequisites, alternative and incompatible courses

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Code	Course title	Pre-requisite	Co-requisite	Interchangeability	Incompatibility
JEM164	Public Finance - IEPS			JPM249	JEB025 JPM249
JEM166	Master's Thesis Seminar - IEPS			JPM057 JPM194	JPM057 JPM194
JEM212	International Political Economy				JEM165 JPM325
JPM116	Global Political Philosophy				JPM323 JPM398
JPM314	Theories of International Relations (IEPS)				JPM935 JPM945

JPM324	Geography and Politics in Europe within Global Regionalism				JPM094 JPM113
JSM518	Public Policy				JSM588 JSM699

The list of ELECTIVE CLASSES/COURSES

MODULE #0 - MICROECONOMIC THEORY J#0361

(Provider: Institute of Economic Studies)

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Kód	Název předmětu	Garant předmětu	Semestr	Rozsah výuky	Kontrola studia	Kredity
JCM020	Mikroekonomie I	Steiner	ZS	4/2	Zk	9
JCM021	Mikroekonomie II	Steiner	LS	4/2	Zk	9
JEB108	Microeconomics II	Chytílová	ZS	4/2	Zk	6
JEM163	Principles of Microeconomics	Janský Palanský	ZS	2/2	Zk	8
JEM175	Intermediate Microeconomics I	Chytílová	LS	4/2	Zk	6
JEM176	Intermediate Microeconomics II	Chytílová	ZS	4/2	Zk	6

Minimal number of required credits: 6

Prerequisites, corequisites, alternative and incompatible courses

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Kód	Název předmětu	Prerekvizity	Korekvizity	Zámennosti	Neslučitelnosti
JCM021	Mikroekonomie II	JCM020			
JEB108	Microeconomics II	JEB104			
JEM163	Principles of Microeconomics			JEB101 JPM322	JPM322 JEB101

MODULE #1 - ECONOMICS - J#0362

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Code	Course title	Course leader	Semester	Hours per week	Course assessment	ECTS credit points
JEB020	Economic Policy	Dlouhý Janský	SS	2/0	Examination	5
JEB022	Institutional Economics	Schwarz	WS	2/0	Examination	5
JEB039	International Trade	Semerák	WS	2/2	Examination	8
JEB050	International Finance	Semerák	SS	2/0	Examination	5
JEB053	Labour Economics	Mysíková	SS	2/0	Examination	5
JEB102	Principles of Economics II	Horváth	SS	2/2	Examination	6
JEB111	Advanced Data Analysis in MS Excel	Polák	WS/SS	0/2	Examination	3

JEB112	<u>Strategic Management</u>	Balcar	SS	2/2	Examination	6
JEB117	<u>Mathematics for Economists</u>	Ba	SS	2/2	Examination	6
JEB118	<u>Mathematics I</u>	Minakov	WS	4/4	Examination	7
JEB122	<u>Introductory Mathematics</u>	Minakov	WS	2/0	Course credit	4
JEB126	<u>Introductory Banking</u>	Pečená	SS	2/0	Examination	5
JEB133	<u>Global Economic History</u>	Doležalová	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JEB135	<u>Economics of Global Business</u>	Semerák	WS	2/2	Examination	6
JEB136	<u>Topics in Industrial Organization</u>	Schwarz	WS	2/0	Examination	3
JEB142	<u>Introductory Statistics</u>	Červinka	SS	1/1	Examination	3
JEB147	<u>Behavioral Economics</u>	Chytílová Bauer	WS	2/0	Examination	5
JEB153	<u>Introductory Banking</u>	Pečená	SS	2/2	Examination	6
JEM007	<u>Applied Microeconometrics</u>	Pertold-Gebicka	SS	2/2	Examination	6
JEM020	<u>Ethics and Economics</u>	Cahlík	WS	2/2	Examination	6
JEM032	<u>Banking and Risk Management</u>	Geršl Pečená	WS	2/2	Examination	6
JEM034	<u>Corporate Finance</u>	Geršl	WS	2/2	Examination	6
JEM035	<u>Financial Markets Instruments I</u>	Dědek	WS	2/2	Examination	6
JEM062	<u>Introductory Econometrics</u>	Baruník Kukačka	WS	2/2	Examination	6
JEM092	<u>Asset Pricing</u>	Čech	SS	2/2	Examination	6
JEM100	<u>Corporate Governance</u>		SS	0/2	Examination	4
JEM101	<u>Health Economics</u>	Votápková	SS	2/2	Examination	6
JEM115	<u>Environmental Economics</u>	Ščasný	SS	2/0	Examination	5
JEM116	<u>Applied Econometrics</u>	Horváth Baruník Kukačka	SS	2/2	Examination	6
JEM123	<u>Development Economics</u>	Bauer	WS	2/2	Examination	6
JEM131	<u>Antitrust Economics</u>	Vacek	SS	2/0	Examination	5

JEM142	<u>Banking and Financial Regulation</u>	Tůma Dvořák	SS	2/2	Examination	6
JEM161	<u>Private Equity</u>	Fencl	SS	1/1	macc	4
JEM167	<u>Comparative Economics</u>	Semerák	SS	2/2	Examination	6
JEM168	<u>European Economic Integration</u>	Komárek Macháček	WS	2/2	Examination	6
JEM203	<u>Public Economics</u>	Janský Palanský	SS	2/1	Examination	6
JEM211	<u>Philosophy, Economics and Politics: Current Debates</u>	Baxa Semerák	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JEM218	<u>Environmental Economics and Behavior</u>	Ščasný Zvěřinová	SS	2/0	Examination	6
JEM229	<u>Treasury Management</u>	Ranostaj	SS	2/0	Examination	5
JTB300	<u>Central Europe and China: Economic and Political Relations</u>	Kopecký	SS	1/1	Examination	6

Minimal number of required credits: 10

Prerequisites, corequisites, alternative and incompatible courses

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Code	Course title	Pre-requisite	Co-requisite	Interchangeability	Incompatibility
JEB020	Economic Policy	J#R048			JPB337
JEB022	Institutional Economics	J#R048			JPB331
JEB039	International Trade	J#R048			JEM328 JPB354
JEB050	International Finance				JPB335
JEB053	Labour Economics	J#R049			
JEB102	Principles of Economics II			JEB004	JEB004 JPB330 JPB098
JEB111	Advanced Data Analysis in MS Excel				JEM331
JEB118	Mathematics I			NMMA711	NMMA711
JEB122	Introductory Mathematics			NMMA713	NMMA713
JEB126	Introductory Banking				JEB153
JEB133	Global Economic History				JPB332
JEB135	Economics of Global Business				JPB334

JEB136	Topics in Industrial Organization	J#R048			
JEB142	Introductory Statistics				JEB132
JEB147	Behavioral Economics	JEB104			
JEB153	Introductory Banking				JEB126
JEM020	Ethics and Economics				JPB338
JEM034	Corporate Finance			JEM187 JEM188 JEM189	
JEM092	Asset Pricing				JEM186
JEM100	Corporate Governance				JEM188
JEM115	Environmental Economics				JEM218
JEM161	Private Equity				JEM336
JEM167	Comparative Economics			JPM312	JEB103 JPM312
JEM168	European Economic Integration				JEB026 JPM511
JEM211	Philosophy, Economics and Politics: Current Debates				JEM180 JPM156 JPM610
JEM218	Environmental Economics and Behavior				JEM115

MODULE #2 - POLITICAL SCIENCE - J#0363

(Provider: Institute of Political Studies)

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Code	Course title	Course leader	Semester	Hours per week	Course assessment	ECTS credit points
JPM100	Methods in Geopolitics I	Riegl Kofroň	WS	2/1	Course credit	6
JPM102	Security Systems in the 21st Century	Landovský	WS	1/1	Examination	4
JPM153	Politics of Security in Northeast Asia	Karásková	WS	2/0	Examination	4
JPM155	Geopolitics of Great Powers: China	Karmazin	WS	2/0	Examination	4
JPM198	Contemporary Latin America	Krausz Hladká	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JPM300	Geopolitics of sovereignty, state failure and	Riegl	WS	2/0	Examination	6

	<u>unrecognized states</u>					
JPM423	<u>Geopolitical Importance of Central Europe</u>	<u>Just</u>	SS	2/0	Examination	6
JPM426	<u>Geopolitics of the Middle East</u>	<u>Anselmo Vieira Doboš</u>	SS	2/0	Examination	6
JPM428	<u>Global Economic Governance (II)</u>	<u>Parízek</u>	SS	0/1	macc	4
JPM450	<u>Electoral Systems</u>	<u>Collini</u>	WS	2/0	Examination	6
JPM530	<u>EU-China Relations</u>	<u>Karásková</u>	SS	2/0	Examination	6
JPM543	<u>International Institutions: Design and Performance</u>	<u>Karlas</u>	SS	0/1	macc	4
JPM553	<u>From Anti-Semitism to Anti-Zionism</u>	<u>Kubátová</u>	WS	1/1	Course credit	6
JPM604	<u>Geopolitics and Geostrategy I</u>	<u>Romancov</u>	WS	2/0	Course credit	4
JPM606	<u>Global Governance and Global Cooperation (II)</u>	<u>Makariusová</u>	SS	0/1	macc	4
JPM611	<u>Cyber Security</u>	<u>Střítecký Erkomaishvili</u>	WS/SS	1/1	Examination	6
JPM620	<u>Geopolitical Thought</u>	<u>Doboš</u>	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JPM628	<u>Researching International Politics: Quantitative Methods</u>	<u>Parízek</u>	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JPM687	<u>Astropolitics</u>	<u>Doboš</u>	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JPM690	<u>Liberalism in International Relations (TIR)</u>	<u>Karlas</u>	WS	0/1	macc	4
JPM701	<u>European and Transatlantic Security</u>	<u>Karásek Kazharski</u>	WS/SS	2/0	Examination	6
JPM704	<u>Approaches to Conflict and Violence</u>	<u>Karásek</u>	WS/SS	2/0	Examination	6
JPM706	<u>Terrorism and Counterterrorism</u>	<u>Bureš Kazharski</u>	WS/SS	1/1	Examination	6
JPM711	<u>Russian and Post-Soviet Security</u>	<u>Aslan Laryš</u>	WS/SS	1/1	Examination	6
JPM715	<u>Geopolitics of Violent Non-State Actors</u>	<u>Doboš</u>	SS	1/1	Course credit	4

JPM717	<u>Continental Philosophy and IR (TIR)</u>	Ditrych	WS	0/1	macc	4
JPM723	<u>Internship (personal) - IEPS</u>	Brunclík Hájek	WS/SS	0/4	macc	4
JPM744	<u>Political Risk Analysis</u>	Doboš	SS	1/1	Examination	4
JPM745	<u>Geopolitics of Great Powers: China</u>	Karmazin	WS	2/0	Examination	4
JPM769	<u>Justice in Politics and International Relations</u>	Salamon	WS	2/0	Examination	6
JPM818	<u>Trust and Deliberation: In Search for a Way to Reduce Polarization</u>	Halamka	SS	1/1	Examination	4
JTM014	<u>Political Systems of East Central European Countries</u>	Kubát	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM322	<u>Israel: Politics and Society</u>	Kalhousová	WS	1/1	Examination	6

Minimal number of required credits: 10

Prerequisites, corequisites, alternative and incompatible courses

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Code	Course title	Pre-requisite	Co-requisite	Interchangeability	Incompatibility
JPM300	Geopolitics of sovereignty, state failure and unrecognized states				JPM734
JPM423	Geopolitical Importance of Central Europe				JPM115
JPM426	Geopolitics of the Middle East				JPM746
JPM543	International Institutions: Design and Performance			JPM416	JPM937
JPM628	Researching International Politics: Quantitative Methods				JPM157
JPM687	Astropolitics				JPM747
JPM706	Terrorism and Counterterrorism			JPM554	JPM554
JPM711	Russian and Post-Soviet Security				JMM065

JPM744	Political Risk Analysis				JPM662
JPM745	Geopolitics of Great Powers: China				JPM155 JPM664
JPM769	Justice in Politics and International Relations				JPB595
JTM014	Political Systems of East Central European Countries				JMM095 JTM139

MODULE #3 - INTERNATIONAL STUDIES AND HUMANITIES - J#0364

(Main providers: remaining three institutes of FSV UK)

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Code	Course title	Course leader	Semester	Hours per week	Course assessment	ECTS credit points
JEM159	<u>International Commercial Dispute Resolution</u>	Hülle	SS	2/0	Examination	4
JJM233	<u>Intercultural Communication Management</u>	Lütke Notarp	WS/SS	1/1	Examination	6
JJM234	<u>Media and Society: An Introduction</u>	Jirák	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JJM240	Cultural studies	Soukup	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JKM137	<u>Intercultural Communication Management</u>	Lütke Notarp	WS/SS	1/1	Examination	5
JPM070	<u>Current Topics in Political Theory</u>	Franěk	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JPM085	<u>World Religions in the Global Age: Interdisciplinary Perspectives</u>	Salamon	SS	2/0	Examination	6
JPM104	<u>China after the Treaty of Nanjing (1842)</u>	Bejkovský	SS	2/0	Examination	6
JPM548	<u>Public International Law</u>	Landovský	SS	1/1	Examination	7
JPM647	<u>Global Ethics and Global Justice</u>	Salamon	WS	2/0	Examination	6
JPM649	<u>European Political Philosophy: Freedom, Equality, Solidarity</u>	Salamon	SS	2/0	Examination	6

JPM767	<u>Advanced Seminar in Social and Political Ethics</u>	Salamon	SS	2/0	Examination	6
JPM768	<u>Moral Philosophy and Value Theory</u>	Salamon	WS	2/1	Examination	6
JPM929	<u>Philosophy of Cosmopolitanism</u>	Salamon	SS	2/0	Examination	6
JSM301	<u>Elites in Society</u>	Frič	WS	1/1	Examination	9
JSM406	<u>Introduction to Data Analysis</u>	Soukup Petrůšek	WS/SS	1/1	Examination	8
JSM421	<u>Contemporary Social Theory</u>	Balon	WS	2/0	Examination	9
JSM437	<u>Civil Society in Central Europe</u>	Frič	SS	2/0	Examination	8
JSM602	<u>Health Policy</u>	Kotherová	SS	1/1	Examination	8
JSM657	<u>Policy Process, Political Parties and the Welfare</u>	Novotný	WS	1/1	Examination	8
JSM685	<u>Educational Policy</u>	Kohoutek	WS	1/1	Examination	8
JSM691	<u>Policy Analysis</u>	Veselý	WS	2/1	Examination	9
JSM703	<u>Current Issues in Public Policy</u>	Veselý	WS	1/0	Examination	4
JSM704	<u>Theoretical Approaches to the Policy Process</u>	Novotný	SS	1/1	Examination	8
JSM781	<u>Educational Policy</u>	Pýchová Veselý	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM032	<u>Government in United States</u>	Sehnálková	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM034	<u>The Transatlantic Link: Understanding America from Europe</u>	Hornát	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM035	<u>U.S. Legal Culture</u>	Kozák	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM036	<u>Major Problems in Political Economy in North American Context</u>	Fiřtová	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM041	<u>European Comparative Politics and Society</u>	Rovná	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM052	<u>Concepts and Interpretations of Central</u>	Vykoukal	SS	1/1	Examination	6

	<u>European History</u>					
JTM252	<u>Issues in United States National Security Policy</u>	Raška	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM254	<u>Promoting democracy abroad: the US and the EU in third countries</u>	Hornát	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM267	<u>Economy and Politics in the 20th Century Eastern Europe</u>	Svoboda	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM275	<u>Post-Soviet Central Asia</u>	Horák Jordanová	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM285	<u>Cohesion Policy of the EU in Central and East European Countries</u>	Hauser	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM294	<u>Political Geography</u>	Kozák	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM318	<u>Grand Debates of European Integration</u>	Kasáková	SS	0/2	Examination	6
JTM321	<u>Ethnic Issues and Territories in Eastern, East Central and Southeastern Europe</u>	Vykoukal	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM323	<u>Legal Framework of the European Union</u>	Šlosarčík	SS	1/1	Examination	6

Minimal number of required credits: 15

Prerequisites, corequisites, alternative and incompatible courses

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Code	Course title	Pre-requisite	Co-requisite	Interchangeability	Incompatibility
JJM233	Intercultural Communication Management				JKM137
JJM234	Media and Society: An Introduction				JKM126
JJM240	Cultural studies				JKM127
JKM137	Intercultural Communication Management				JJM233
JPM085	World Religions in the Global Age: Interdisciplinary Perspectives				JPB164 JPM767

JPM548	Public International Law				JPM675 JPM742
JPM767	Advanced Seminar in Social and Political Ethics				JPB164 JPM085
JPM768	Moral Philosophy and Value Theory				JPB158
JSM685	Educational Policy			JSM739	
JSM691	Policy Analysis				JSM726
JSM781	Educational Policy				JSM685
JTM032	Government in United States				JMM345
JTM035	U.S. Legal Culture				JMM016
JTM036	Major Problems in Political Economy in North American Context				JMM529
JTM041	European Comparative Politics and Society				JTM750
JTM267	Economy and Politics in the 20th Century Eastern Europe				JMM143
JTM275	Post-Soviet Central Asia				JMM361 JMM703
JTM285	Cohesion Policy of the EU in Central and East European Countries				JMMZ042
JTM323	Legal Framework of the European Union				JMM047 JMM251

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