
(NMgr) program: IMESS - Politics and Security

Program N0312A200010: International Masters in Economy, State and Society (NP_IMESS) - specialism Politics and Security

Academic year 2019/2020

- International Masters in Economy, State and Society aka IMESS is a double-degree programme based on cooperation of the School of Slavonic and East European Studies (University College of London), which is the main coordinator of the programme, and seven other universities: University of Belgrade (Serbia), Charles University (Czech Republic), Corvinus University of Budapest (Hungary), Helsinki University (Finland), Higher School of Economics (Russia), Jagiellonian University (Poland), University of Tartu (Estonia).
- The programme, with the first year spent at School of Slavonic and East European Studies (University College of London) and the second year at one of the seven mentioned universities, concentrates on the area of Central, Eastern and South-Eastern Europe and Eurasia. IMESS is divided into four specialisms: Economy & Business; Politics & International Economy with an emphasis on Economics or Politics; Politics & Security; History & Society. Each specialism focuses on language training, research methods and on selected and important issues of the area according to teaching and scholar orientation of the each of the mentioned universities. Successful graduates will be given a double degree (UCL and one selected university) and a diploma supplement issued by the IMESS consortium.

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<h2 style="font-size: 1.5em; color: blue">Politics & Security specialism: course structure</h2>

Compulsory courses	42 ECTS
Research methods module	12 ECTS
Language module	12 - 24 ECTS
P & S electives	42 - 54 ECTS
Optional courses	0 - 12 ECTS
Total	120 ECTS
Master's thesis defence	

(Optional courses see article 4 para 10 of Consolidated University Code of Study and Examination of Charles University in Prague)

Politics & Security specialism - compulsory courses **J#0558**

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Code	Course title	Course leader	Semester	Hours per week	Course assessment	ECTS credit points
JTM108	M.A. Thesis Seminar I (IMESS)	Vykoukal	WS/SS	0/2	Course credit	15
JTM109	M.A. Thesis Seminar II (IMESS)	Vykoukal	WS/SS	0/2	Course credit	15
JTM115	Theories of Social and Political Research	Mole	SS	2/2	Examination	12

Total number of ECTS: 42 ECTS

Prerequisites, corequisites, alternative and incompatible courses

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Code	Course title	Pre-requisite	Co-requisite	Interchangeability	Incompatibility
JTM109	M.A. Thesis Seminar (IMESS) II	JTM108			

Politics & Security specialism - research methods module **J#0559**

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Code	Course title	Course leader	Semester	Hours per week	Course assessment	ECTS credit points
JTM110	Quantitative Methods	Bruno	WS	2/2	Examination	6
JTM111	Advanced Quantitative Methods	Makarova	SS	0/6	Examination	6
JTM112	Qualitative methods	Gordy	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM113	Understanding and Analysing Data	Noble	WS	0/2	Examination	6
JTM114	Political Analysis	Snetkov	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM116	Comparative Analysis in Social and Political Research	Hanley	SS	2/2	Examination	6
JTM357	Introduction to Discourse Analysis	D.M.Abrams	WS	1/1	Examination	6

Maximum: 12 ECTS

Prerequisites, corequisites, alternative and incompatible courses

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Code	Course title	Pre-requisite	Co-requisite	Interchangeability	Incompatibility
JTM357	Introduction to Discourse Analysis				JMM171

Politics & Security specialism - language module **J#0564**

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Code	Course title	Course leader	Semester	Hours per week	Course assessment	ECTS credit points
JLB100	Czech as a Foreign Language I	Frantesová Mazúrková Pellarová	WS/SS	0/4	Examination	6
JLB101	Czech as a Foreign Language II	Frantesová Mazúrková Pellarová	WS/SS	0/4	Examination	6
JLB102	Czech as a Foreign Language III	Frantesová Mazúrková Pellarová	WS/SS	0/4	Examination	6
JLB103	Czech as a Foreign Language IV	Frantesová Mazúrková Pellarová	WS/SS	0/4	Examination	6
JTB158	Russian Language I	Shvedova	WS	0/3	Examination	6

JTB159	<u>Russian Language II</u>	<u>Shvedova</u>	SS	0/3	Examination	6
JTB160	<u>Russian Language III</u>	<u>Shvedova</u>	WS	0/3	Examination	6
JTB161	<u>Russian Language IV</u>	<u>Shvedova</u>	SS	0/3	Examination	6
JTM090	<u>Language Course</u>	<u>Wiseman</u>	SS	0/2	Examination	12

12 - 24 ECTS

Language options:

1. Students take all three Czech language courses (JTM090 and JLB100&JLB101 or JLB102&JLB103) worth 24 ECTS
2. Students take just 1st year language course (JTM090) at SSEES and during the 2nd year at Charles University they take two more electives worth 12 ECTS instead of the 2nd year language courses
3. During their 2nd year at Charles University students take either Czech Language courses (JLB100&JMLB101 or JLB102&JLB103) worth 12 ECTS or Russian Language courses (JTB158&JTB159 or JTB160&JTB161) worth 12 ECTS while during their 1st year taking selected course from the list of SSEES courses worth 6 ECTS.
4. Other than Czech or Russian language courses must be approved by tutors from SSEES and Charles University.

Prerequisites, corequisites, alternative and incompatible courses

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Code	Course title	Pre-requisite	Co-requisite	Interchangeability	Incompatibility
JTB159	Russian Language II	JTB158			
JTB160	Russian Language III	JTB159			
JTB161	Russian Language IV	JTB160			

Politics & Security specialism - electives **J#0560**

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Code	Course title	Course leader	Semester	Hours per week	Course assessment	ECTS credit points
JPM699	<u>Security and Technology</u>	<u>Střítecký</u>	WS/SS	2/0	Examination	6
JPM711	<u>Russian and Post-Soviet Security</u>	<u>Aslan Laryš</u>	WS/SS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM014	<u>Political Systems of East Central European Countries</u>	<u>Kubát</u>	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM019	<u>Problems of the post-Soviet Space</u>	<u>Šír</u>	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM023	<u>European Union in International Affairs</u>	<u>Weiss</u>	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM116	<u>Comparative Analysis in Social and Political Research</u>	<u>Hanley</u>	SS	2/2	Examination	6
JTM205	<u>IMESS Internship</u>	<u>Vykoukal</u>	WS/SS	0/4	Examination	6

JTM227	<u>International Ethics between Hypocrisy, Collective Arrogance, and Dirty Hands</u>	<u>Allan Lukešová Pisklová</u>	SS	2/0	Examination	6
JTM267	<u>Economy and Politics in the 20th Century Eastern Europe</u>	<u>Svoboda</u>	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM268	<u>Ethnic Conflicts in Central and Eastern Europe</u>	<u>Klípa</u>	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM269	<u>Ethno-Political Conflicts in the Caucasus</u>	<u>Brisku</u>	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM274	<u>Oil and Gas in the Post Soviet Area</u>	<u>Svoboda</u>	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM275	<u>Post-Soviet Central Asia</u>	<u>Horák Jordanová</u>	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM279	<u>Russia after 1991</u>	<u>Svoboda</u>	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM280	<u>Russia's Aggression against Ukraine: Implications for European Security</u>	<u>Šír</u>	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM282	<u>Ukraine after 1991</u>	<u>Korablyova</u>	WS	1/1	Course credit	6
JTM285	<u>Cohesion Policy of the EU in Central and East European Countries</u>	<u>Hauser</u>	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM288	<u>EU Policies</u>	<u>Ulrichová</u>	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM290	<u>International Morality between Ethical Ideals and Reality</u>	<u>Allan Krulichová</u>	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM300	<u>The Transformation of the Communist Successor Parties in Central Europe and Influence of the West European Leftists</u>	<u>Handl Mejstřík</u>	SS	2/0	Examination	6
JTM317	<u>Russian-Turkish Rivalry over the Balkan</u>	<u>Brisku</u>	SS	1/1	Examination	6

	and Caucasus Areas					
JTM320	Putin's Russia	<u>Veselý</u>	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM323	Legal Framework of the European Union	<u>Šlosarčík</u>	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM325	Small States in the EU	<u>Weiss</u>	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM335	Central Europe: Ideologies and Politics (1700's - present)	<u>Robbins Janíčková</u>	WS	2/2	Examination	6
JTM339	Balkan Nationalism and Ethnic Conflicts	<u>Žila</u>	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM341	Baltic Politics and Society	<u>Sikk</u>	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM343	Cities in Eastern Europe	<u>Duijzings</u>	SS	2/2	Examination	6
JTM354	Informal Practices in Post-Communist Societies	<u>Ledeneva</u>	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM355	Interdisciplinary Area Studies	<u>Mole</u>	WS	0/2	Course credit	6
JTM361	Migration in the European Union	<u>White</u>	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM362	Political Sociology	<u>ciuta</u>	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM366	Post-Soviet Politics and Society	<u>Wilson</u>	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM370	Russian Politics	<u>Duncan</u>	WS	2/2	Examination	12
JTM371	Security, Identity, Polarity: The Contemporary Debates	<u>ciuta</u>	WS	0/6	Examination	12
JTM376	The Making of Modern Ukraine	<u>Wilson</u>	SS	2/2	Examination	12
JTM378	Understanding "Transitional Justice": Crime, Punishment and Process	<u>Gordy</u>	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM379	Democracy and Authoritarianism in Post-	<u>Hanley</u>	WS	1/1	Examination	6

	Communist Europe					
JTM382	EU Institutions	Šlosarčík	WS	2/0	Examination	6
JTM404	The Foreign Policy of Poland, the Czech Republic, and Hungary Towards Israel	Kalhousová	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM412	Contemporary Balkans	Králová	SS	1/1	macc	6
JTM415	International Masters: Foundation in Russian	Ponomareva	WS	2/2	Examination	12
JTM417	Internal and External Security Policy in the EU	Weiss	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM427	Germany and Central Europe: Geopolitics of an Uneasy Relationship	Eberle	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM477	Post-Soviet Ukraine: from an "Unexpected Nation" to the Unwarranted War	Korablyyova	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM478	Current Issues of (post)Constitutional European Integration	Šlosarčík	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM496	The Foreign Policy of Central European Countries Towards Israel	Kalhousová	SS	1/1	Examination	6

Total number of ECTS: 42 - 54

Optional courses: during the first year maximum of 6 ECTS can be taken from the IMESS Optional courses, subject to the approval of the programme tutor and timetabling capacities, during the second year maximum of 6 ECTS can be taken from the optional courses at the FSV UK, subject to the approval of the programme tutor and timetabling capacities.

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Code	Course title	Pre-requisite	Co-requisite	Interchangeability	Incompatibility
JPM711	Russian and Post-Soviet Security				JMM065
JTM014	Political Systems of East Central European Countries				JMM095 JTM139

JTM019	Problems of the post-Soviet Space				JMMZ053
JTM023	European Union in International Affairs				JMM588 JMMZ188
JTM205	IMESS Internship				JMMZ257
JTM267	Economy and Politics in the 20th Century Eastern Europe				JMM143
JTM269	Ethno-Political Conflicts in the Caucasus				JMM130
JTM275	Post-Soviet Central Asia				JMM361 JMM703
JTM279	Russia after 1991				JMM302
JTM285	Cohesion Policy of the EU in Central and East European Countries				JMMZ042
JTM288	EU Policies				JMM582
JTM320	Putin's Russia				JMM025
JTM323	Legal Framework of the European Union				JMM047 JMM251
JTM378	Understanding "Transitional Justice": Crime, Punishment and Process				JMM172
JTM379	Democracy and Authoritarianism in Post-Communist Europe				JMM173
JTM382	EU Institutions				JTM022
JTM417	Internal and External Security Policy in the EU				JTM301

Code of the study plan:
J19NPIMESSPS