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# Studijní obor 6701T031 International Security Studies - navazující magisterské (ISSA)

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## Study programme 6701T031: International Security Studies

Academic year: 2018/2019

**Master in International Security Studies** is a two-year English-language Master's degree programme fully accredited by the Czech Ministry of Education. The programme opens perspectives on the most recent development in the area of international security, including the political, military, economic, societal and environmental areas. Students will explore international security issues by applying theoretical concepts of the security, conflict and strategic studies on questions of national and European security in both regional and global context.

Through the core and the methodological courses students will gain theoretical tools and develop analytical skills which will allow them to engage in a thorough analysis of the security issues in the programme seminars. A choice of optional courses broadens the opportunities to study various aspects of security on different levels of analysis, from the individual to the level of the international system. The programme offers an excellent stepping stone to start a successful career both in public and private sector, in international institutions and non-profit organizations.

**Academic supervisor:**

doc. PhDr. Běla Plechanovová, CSc.

**Language of instruction:** English

**Course structure:**

TOTAL CREDITS	120 credits
Compulsory courses	66 credits
Optional courses	30 credits
Elective courses (Crisis Games, Internship, Languages, Courses from the whole university)	12 credits

**Composition of the final state examination:**

(JDIP01) Defence of diploma thesis
(JSZ585) Theory of security, conflict and strategic studies
(JSZ583) Contemporary security issues
(JSZ584) Security and defence policies

**Compulsory courses: J#09018**

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Kód	Název předmětu	Garant předmětu	Semestr	Rozsah výuky	Kontrola studia	Kredity
JPM561	<u>Regional Security Studies</u>	<u>Karásek Klosek</u>	ZS/LS	1/1	Zk	6
JPM628	<u>Researching International Politics: Quantitative Methods</u>	<u>Parizek</u>	ZS	1/1	Zk	6
JPM629	<u>Researching International Politics: Qualitative Methods</u>	<u>Karásek Záhora Střítecký</u>	LS	1/1	Zk	6

JPM693	Traditional and Critical Concepts in Security Studies	Hynek Střítecký	ZS/LS	2/0	Zk	6
JPM694	Strategic Studies	Hynek Ludvík Suchanová	ZS/LS	2/0	Zk	6
JPM699	Security and Technology	Střítecký	ZS/LS	2/0	Zk	6
JPM701	European and Transatlantic Security	Karásek Kazharski	ZS/LS	2/0	Zk	6
JPM704	Conflict Studies	Karásek	ZS/LS	2/0	Zk	6
JPM709	Diploma Thesis	Plechanovová	ZS/LS	0/8	Z	12
JPM935	Theories of International Relations (BS, MISS)	Plechanovová Tesař	LS	2/0	Zk	6

**Subtotal credits: 66**

**Prerequisites, corequisites, alternative and incompatible courses**

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Kód	Název předmětu	Prerekvizity	Korekvizity	Záměnnosti	Neslučitelnosti
JPM561	Regional Security Studies				JPM403 JPM404
JPM628	Researching International Politics: Quantitative Methods				JPM285 JPM303
JPM693	Traditional and Critical Concepts in Security Studies				JPM304 JPM557
JPM935	Theories of International Relations (BS, MISS)				JPM314

**Compulsory courses to Strategic Studies: J#091**

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Kód	Název předmětu	Garant předmětu	Semestr	Rozsah výuky	Kontrola studia	Kredity
JPM595	Arms Control and Disarmament	Hynek Ludvík Suchanová	ZS/LS	1/1	Zk	6
JPM695	War Studies	Hays II	ZS/LS	1/1	Zk	6
JPM696	Economic Warfare	Ludvík	ZS/LS	1/1	Zk	6
JPM712	Insurgency and Counterinsurgen	Aslan	ZS/LS	1/1	Zk	6

**Minimum credits : 6**

**Compulsory courses to Regional Security: J#09218**

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Kód	Název předmětu	Garant předmětu	Semestr	Rozsah výuky	Kontrola studia	Kredity
JPM306	African Security	Werkman	ZS	1/1	Zk	6

JPM697	<u>Asia Security</u>	<u>Kolmaš</u>	ZS/LS	1/1	Zk	6
JPM698	<u>Middle East Security</u>	<u>Ditrych Daniel</u> <u>Záhora</u>	ZS/LS	1/1	Zk	6
JPM711	<u>Post-Soviet Security</u>	<u>Aslan</u>	LS	1/1	Zk	6

**Minimum credits : 6**

**Compulsory courses to Security and Technology: J#09318**

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Kód	Název předmětu	Garant předmětu	Semestr	Rozsah výuky	Kontrola studia	Kredity
JPM611	<u>Cyber Security</u>	<u>Střítecký</u> <u>Kohút Drew</u>	ZS/LS	1/1	Zk	6
JPM650	<u>Intelligence</u>	<u>Střítecký</u> <u>Michálek</u>	ZS/LS	1/1	Zk	6
JPM656	<u>Technology and warfare</u>	<u>Kučera</u>	ZS/LS	1/1	Zk	6
JPM700	<u>Space Security</u>	<u>Střítecký</u> <u>Doboš</u>	ZS/LS	1/1	Zk	6
JPM923	<u>Artificial Intelligence and Security</u>	<u>Špelda</u>	LS	1/1	Zk	6
JPM925	<u>Human-Artificial Intelligence Nexus</u>	<u>Špelda</u>	LS	1/1	Zk	6
JPM926	<u>Sociology of Technology</u>	<u>Vostal</u>	ZS/LS	1/1	Zk	6

**Minimum credits : 6**

**Compulsory courses to European and Transatlantic Security: J#094**

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Kód	Název předmětu	Garant předmětu	Semestr	Rozsah výuky	Kontrola studia	Kredity
JPM613	<u>Armed Forces and Society</u>	<u>Kučera</u>	ZS/LS	1/1	Zk	6
JPM702	<u>NATO and EU in Crisis Management</u>	<u>Karásek</u>	ZS/LS	1/1	Zk	6
JPM703	<u>Czech Security Policy</u>	<u>Ludvík</u> <u>Kučera</u>	ZS	1/1	Zk	6
JPM713	<u>Česká bezpečnostní politika</u>	<u>Ludvík</u> <u>Kučera</u>	ZS	1/1	Zk	6
JPM733	<u>Bezpečnostní systém ČR</u>	<u>Kučera</u> <u>Ludvík</u>	LS	1/1	Zk	6

**Minimum credits : 6**

**Compulsory courses to Conflict Studies: J#09518**

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Kód	Název předmětu	Garant předmětu	Semestr	Rozsah výuky	Kontrola studia	Kredity
JPM705	<u>Human Security</u>	<u>Hynek</u>	ZS/LS	1/1	Zk	6

JPM706	Terrorism and Counterterrorism	Bureš Kazharski	ZS/LS	1/1	Zk	6
JPM707	Peacekeeping and Peacebuilding	Bureš Klosek	ZS/LS	1/1	Zk	6
JPM708	Ethics and Violence	Karásek Kučera Komasová	ZS/LS	1/1	Zk	6
JPM710	Radicalization and Deradicalization	Aslan	ZS/LS	1/1	Zk	6
JPM908	Natural Resources and Armed Conflicts under International Law	Plechanovová	LS	1/0	KZ	4
JPM924	Territorial Violent Non-State Actors within the International System (KBS)	Ludvík	LS	1/1	Zk	6

Minimum credits : 6

**Elective courses offered by Department of Security Studies : J#096**

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Kód	Název předmětu	Garant předmětu	Semestr	Rozsah výuky	Kontrola studia	Kredity
JPM328	Introduction to Computational Social Science	Střítecký	ZS	1/1	Zk	4
JPM524	Energy Security	Kučerová Holubcová	ZS	1/1	Zk	6
JPM634	Crisis Games	Kučera Parížek	LS	0/2	Zk	6
JPM660	Internship	Plechanovová Střítecký	ZS/LS	0/1	Jiné	3
JPM918	From Thucydides to Trump: Power Transition, Systemic Change, and the Future of Great Power Conflict	Karásek	ZS	2/0	Zk	4
JPM919	Securing the Anthropocene	Hynek	ZS	2/0	Zk	4
JPM922	Technology and the Rise of Boundless Warfare	Karásek	ZS	2/0	Zk	4
JPM927	Zpravodajské služby: systém, působnost, metody	Střítecký	LS	1/1	Zk	6

JPM928	<u>Hybridní hrozby</u>	<u>Střítecký</u>	LS	1/1	Zk	6
JPM943	<u>Peace in International Relations</u>	<u>Karásek</u>	LS	1/1	Zk	4
JPM944	<u>Changing Strategic Balance in Asia-Pacific</u>	<u>Karásek</u>	LS	1/1	Zk	4

**Minimum credits: 24**

Note: Student are allowed to choose language courses and courses from the whole university for fulfilling the group of elective courses.

Study plan code:  
J18ISSA999