

## World Politics and Economy minor studies

<b>Aim of the Program</b>	<p>Study Programme <i>World Politics and Economy</i> incorporates two main disciplines: political science and economy.</p> <p>Students will be able to compare various countries, their political and economic processes, to initiate, develop and implement a variety of political, social, economic, informational development projects. Graduates will have the knowledge, abilities and skills to develop and implement international projects, actively participate in the EU Neighbourhood region (the Eastern Partnership and the Black Sea Synergy, the Mediterranean Partnership) NGO forums dealing with political and economic issues in Eastern Europe and the rest of the world, to project potential actions and scenarios for the future and at the same time represent Lithuania and other countries.</p>
<b>Competencies Acquired</b>	<p>Graduates will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• to explain the political and economic processes in various countries and regions;</li> <li>• to assess the relationships between political actors and economic structures in the political systems of various countries;</li> <li>• to conduct a comparative analysis of political and economic processes, conduct phenomena analysis and predict the future trend of these processes;</li> <li>• to do a study of political and economic entities and the relationship between them;</li> <li>• to identify and assess the main political and economic trends in the world;</li> <li>• to select and identify the optimal direction of economic and political practice;</li> <li>• to assess newly acquired skills, continuously accumulate information and critically assess it.</li> </ul>
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No.	Study course	Course code	ECTS Credits
<b>Compulsory Courses (32 ECTS):</b>			
1.	Political Systems	TPV1002	6
2.	Global Politics (1)	PPE2001	4
3.	Introduction to International political Economy	PPE1004	6
4.	International Relations and Governance	TPVN1003	6
5.	Global Politics (2)	PPE2002	4
6.	International Trade	PPE3004	6
<b>To Choose 2 Optional Course (8 ECTS)</b>			
7. -8.	Development Politics and Strategies of International Organizations	TPV1008	4
7. -8.	Geopolitics	POL3033	4
7. -8.	Welfare Economics	EKON3003	4
7. -8.	Security Challenges in Contemporary World	TPV4017	4
7. -8.	Economic Diplomacy	PPE4003	4
	<b>Total:</b>		<b>40</b>