

Specialty: Political Economy, Master program, full-time study
Discipline: «Migration Policy»

Annotation

Volume: 2 ECTS, 72 academic hours

Final control form: Pass

Summary

The presented discipline «Migration Policy» includes a number of fundamental and basic problems in the field of migration, which are very important for research by students of the Master's degree program. The course is designed for 72 academic hours (of which 9 hours are provided for lectures and 9 hours for practical classes), as well as contact hours (students work with the lecturer individually or in groups, including discussion of the topics discussed, presentation structures, explanation and detailing the problems not touched upon in the process of conducting lectures and seminars). Also, the course assumes the presence of independent work.

In the process of conducting lectures, it is supposed to present the theoretical foundations of migration policy as a category, the specifics of migration flows and opportunities for managing them, the concept of the state's migration policy, the specifics of migration policy in developed and developing countries, as well as in countries CIS. Migration policy in the Republic of Armenia will be presented as a separate part of the course. During the practical sessions, it is planned to conduct discussions, case studies, as well as individual and group work on a predetermined topic.

In the process of preparing for practical training, students will study and consolidate the basic concepts in the field of migration policy presented in the theoretical literature. It is also expected to study topics of interest based on additional literature provided by the teacher. The course is designed for one semester. An exam is expected at the end of the course. Students are provided with assistance in conducting independent work, clarification of the most difficult issues on the topic. Independent work of students includes work with materials, mandatory reading of the provided materials on each topic, preparation of homework for practical classes.

During the semester, students will be assessed for making presentations and completing homework, and upon completion of the course, as noted above, a pass will be held, where students will have to demonstrate their level of theoretical knowledge in the discipline presented.

Connection with other disciplines of the specialty.

The discipline closely correlates with such disciplines of the specialty as: «Migration Law», «Mega-economics», «Actual Problems of Economic Policy», «Modern Economic Policy of the Republic of Armenia».

Requirements for the initial levels of knowledge and skills of students.

Starting to study this discipline, students must have basic knowledge in the field of such disciplines as «Macroeconomics», «International Economics», «Statistics».