

# HSE SUMMER UNIVERSITY

## Moscow Russia 2020



No matter why you are interested in Russia—whether it's Dostoyevsky's *Crime and Punishment*, Mussorgsky's operas, current political affairs, or the Russian language – if you are considering studying abroad during the summer of 2020, the Higher School of Economics in Moscow offers study programs that fit almost any interest: the Summer University with an optional Russian as a foreign language class, or the Intensive Russian Language Program. Studying just a few blocks away from Red Square, with endless coffee shops and eateries, nice weather, affordable entertainment and travel in a well-connected city that is at once ancient and modern, global and historical, expansive and safe will make your summer at HSE Moscow an unforgettable experience.

**Application deadline April 20, 2020**

# Summer University

Summer University at the Higher School of Economics is a great opportunity to combine a rich study program with cultural immersion and social networking. All courses are taught in English, and participants are free to choose among any courses being offered in the following fields:

- Russian Studies
- Politics & International Relations
- Economics
- Computer Science
- Culture & History
- Russian as a Foreign Language



The tuition fee is based on the number of ECTS each student takes on, and is US \$150\* per credit. The minimum tuition fee is US \$354\* (two credits). The tuition fee includes one sight-seeing tour and social events. All students have the option of spending one week at HSE's Saint Petersburg campus and/or one week at the Nizhny Novgorod campus. More detailed information is available on the [HSE Summer University website](#). Accommodation is provided in a shared dormitory. All non-HSE applicants will be subject to a \$50\* registration fee. Students of HSE partner universities, as well as groups of students from the same university, will receive special discounts.

# Intensive Russian Language

Students spend **four to eight weeks in Moscow**, Russia intensively studying the Russian language. Since its inception in 2013, more than 1500 students have successfully graduated from the program.

Dates: June - July 2020

Participants may receive **from 12 to 30 hours of instruction** in Russian per week. Lessons will be offered at various levels of language proficiency, from A2 to B2 (C1 will also be offered if there are enough applications). A minimal knowledge of Russian is required; you may take lessons in basic Russian from the Russian Language Center via Skype prior to arrival (if a sufficient group size is enrolled).

**Unique features** of the program:

- living in a real Russian dorm with Russian-speaking roommates
- tutors at the dorm
- specialized courses (such as "Russian through Politics", "Language of business media", etc.)
- optional components of the program taught at HSE's St. Petersburg and Perm' campuses (the students will travel to Perm' on the **Trans-Siberian Railway**)

**Cultural events** are organized at the request of the partner universities and not included in the cost of the program.

**The cost** depends on the size of the group, the length and intensity of the program, etc. Individual students pay **US\$3,200\* for 8 weeks**, including 20 hours of class work and 10 hours of tutorship per week. The cost includes tuition fees, dorm, and airport transfers. A group of 8 people or more (who all have the same level of Russian proficiency) receive a **30% discount** per person. More information is available at the program [website](#).

# ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY

National Research University Higher School of Economics (HSE University) is one of Russia's largest and most modern public universities. Established in 1992 as a program in economics, HSE currently offers 87 programs in 16 areas of study for undergraduate students and 129 Master's programs in 28 areas of study. 27 Master's programs are currently taught entirely in English. On its four campuses - in Moscow, St. Petersburg, Perm and Nizhny Novgorod - HSE offers instruction to almost 38,000 students each year. Our faculty, researchers, and students represent over 75 countries, and are dedicated to maintaining the highest academic standards. Because HSE attracts the best and brightest from throughout Russia, most students have a high level of proficiency in English. There are more than 2,000 international students studying at HSE at the moment.

Moscow-based Faculty of Economic Sciences at the Higher School of Economics, Russia's best university in social sciences and one of the most selective programs is looking for highly motivated international students who excel in mathematics. We invite soon-to-be graduates interested in studying economics, or finance to learn more about the opportunities to study at the faculty of economic sciences at the Higher School of Economics (HSE) located in Moscow, Russia.

We offer two year masters programs taught in English:

- [Applied Economics](#),
- [Economics: Research Program](#)
- [Financial Economics](#), taught in cooperation with [University of London](#) (London School of Economics and Political Science), and
- [Strategic Corporate Finance](#)

Graduates of these programs either enter the workforce or join PhD programs, both globally and in Russia. Online application and how to apply info is available via link <https://www.hse.ru/admissions/graduate-apply>. Based on their academic credentials, applicants receive partial and full fellowships to study. For those who want to study Russian language, HSE offers a [year long preparatory year of Russian](#) as a foreign language.

Another great way to get an idea what study at HSE can be like, is taking its online courses at Coursera. HSE is one of the Top 10 universities by the number of online courses offered on the platform. At the moment HSE has more than 2 million online students. Here are a few examples:

- [Mathematics for Economists](#) by Kirill Bukin
- [Introduction to Neuroeconomics: How the Brain Makes Decisions](#) by Vasily Klucharev
- [Public Economics](#) by Leonid I. Polischuk
- [Economics of Transition and Emerging Markets](#) by Marek Dabrowski

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