

Ilia State University
Faculty of Arts and Sciences
Minor Program: Russian Studies
Curriculum

Faculty	Faculty of Arts and Sciences
Title of the Program	Minor Program: Russian Studies
Qualification	
Length of the Program (semesters, credits)	6 semesters, 60 credits (1 ECTS Credit - 25 academic hours)
Language of Instruction	Georgian
Program Elaboration and Updating Issues	The program was developed in 2022. The program is updated at the beginning of each academic year for further improvement of the learning process.
Head(s) of the Program	Associate Professor Irina Lortkipanidze
Prerequisites (requirements)	
Minor program is offered to students enrolled in Ilia State University undergraduate educational programs. Students can choose minor speciality before the start of the 2nd semester.	
Program Aims	
The aim of the program is to equip the graduates with knowledge of the Russian language at B1 level, teach the theoretical foundations of the Russian language and to give them basic knowledge of Russian literature and culture.	
Learning Outcomes and Competencies	
<p>Upon completion of the minor program - Russian Studies - the graduate:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • has at least B1 level Russian language competence; demonstrates knowledge of the main linguistic categories of the Russian language; • demonstrates knowledge about one of the important periods in the history of Russian literature; • can describe the basic principles of language structure and linguistic system using basic linguistic terminology; • can describe and analyze the famous works of the authors of one of the important periods of the history of Russian literature using basic literary terminology; • can understand intercultural context. 	
Instruction Methods	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • lecture; • seminar; • analysis/synthesis; • practical method • elements of e-learning; • demonstration method; • discussions/debates; • brainstorming; • group work; <p>Depending on the specifics of the learning components, other teaching methods can be used during the implementation of the program, which is presented in the syllabi of certain courses.</p>	
Structure of the Program	
<p>A student of Russian Studies program must take:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Compulsory courses with the code</u> - HUMSLRUGEN – 36 credits: 	

- Introduction to Russian Studies
- Morphology of the Russian Language
- Lexicology of the Russian Language
- Russian Literature in the XIX century - I half
- Russian Literature in the XIX century - II half
- Practical Course in Russian Language B1.2

Compulsory or/and Compulsory-elective Courses with the code HUMENGEN or/and HUMEN – **24** credits, among them practical language courses.

Assessment System

100-point Assessment System defined as follows:

(A) Excellent – 91-100 points;

(B) Very good – 81-90 points;

(C) Good – 71-80 points;

(D) Satisfactory – 61-70 points;

(E) Sufficient – 51-60 points;

(FX) Didn't Pass – 41-50 points, which means that a student needs to work more and is allowed to resit the exam once by working independently;

(F) Failed – 40 and less points of maximum evaluation, which means that the work done by the student is not enough and he/she has to retake the course.

Note: Details of assessment components, methods and criteria are given in the course syllabi/concept documents.

Career Opportunities

- International organizations, foundations;
- Social-humanitarian and business fields - as a translator-referent;
- Public sector: Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Ministry of Culture;
- Cultural tourism;
- Non-governmental sector;
- Publishing institutions: editorial offices, publishing houses;
- Mass media and journalism: English language newspapers, magazines, television, radio and new media.

Essential and Supplementary Resources

- Computer labs;
- Lecture halls and rooms;
- University Library;
- 'Argus' learning process management electronic system;
- Learning process management system www.e-learning.iliauni.edu.ge and integrated Turnitin platform;