



Saint-Petersburg School
of Arts and Humanities

Master's degree

Global and Regional History

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Training period
2 years

Mode of Study
full-time

Language
English

State-funded
places

10

Self-funded places
(Russian)

10

Self-funded places
for international students

2

Admissions criteria in 2026/2027

Application

Portfolio

English

Qualification exam

This programme grounds students in the vibrant field of global history through a regional focus on Russian, former Soviet and Eurasian spaces, and in possibility to major in history or anthropology. It draws on the proximity and wealth of archives and museum collections of St Petersburg and its rich environs, and on our academic strength in history and anthropology.

History Major is for those who are interested in contemporary debates in the field of global, transnational and comparative history. History is one of the most exciting subjects to study at university today, and HSE St Petersburg is unmatched as a place to study just as somewhere to be. Social Anthropology Major for those interested in exploring social and cultural diversity of contemporary world drawing on a distinct research method of ethnography — an in-depth participant observation of human communities and institutions.

It is an excellent foundation for future doctoral work both at the HSE and at other leading universities in Russia and abroad. Recent graduates are enrolled in PhD programmes at Princeton, Oxford, and European University Institute in Florence. Graduates of the programme go on to build careers in such practical fields as the creative industries, journalism, museums, library services and more.

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