

STUDY PLAN

DOUBLE DEGREE IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS WITH MGIMO

1st year at MGIMO – a.y. 2017-2018

Major in Global Studies

LUISS course	ECTS	Semester at MGIMO	MGIMO course	ECTS
Int. Org. and Human Rights	6	Fall	Global security (4)	8
		Spring	International Institutions (4)	
International Public Policies	8	Spring	Contemporary Foreign Policy (4)	8
		Spring	Megatrends and global affairs (4)	
International Economics	8	Spring	Russian and Global economy (2)	4
		Spring	Modern Economic Strategy of Russia (2)	
Comparative politics	8	Fall	International Political Analysis (4)	4
Elective I	6	Fall/Spring	Elective	2
Elective II	6 ¹			
History of International Relations	8	Spring	Regions in International Relations (4)	6
		Spring	Russia – EU relations (2)	
Language	8	Fall/ Spring	Russian Language (3 Fall + 3 Spring)	6
			(Other language for MGIMO students)	
ONLY FOR MGIMO DEGREE		Fall	Research Seminar	2
ONLY FOR MGIMO DEGREE		Fall/Spring and second year	Independent Research (Master Thesis preparation)	20
Total credits for LUISS	58		Total credits for MGIMO	60

¹ To be matched with Strategies in the field of Innovations (4) at MGIMO.

Major in European Studies

LUISS course	ECTS	Semester at MGIMO	MGIMO course	ECTS
Int. Org. and Human Rights	6	Fall	Global security (4)	8
		Spring	International Institutions (4)	
International Public Policies	8	Spring	Contemporary Foreign Policy (4)	8
		Spring	Megatrends and global affairs (4)	
International Economics	8	Spring	Russian and Global economy (2)	4
		Spring	Modern Economic Strategy of Russia (2)	
Comparative politics	8	Fall	International Political Analysis (4)	4
Elective I	6	Fall/Spring	Elective	2
Elective II	6 ²			
History and Theory of European Union and Regional integration	8	Spring	Regions in International Relations (4)	6
		Spring	Russia – EU relations (2)	
Language	8	Fall/ Spring	Russian Language (3 Fall + 3 Spring) (Other language for MGIMO students)	6
ONLY FOR MGIMO DEGREE		Fall	Research Seminar	2
ONLY FOR MGIMO DEGREE		Fall/Spring and second year	Independent Research (Master Thesis preparation)	20
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Relazioni Internazionali (Italian Track)

LUISS course	ECTS	Semester at MGIMO	MGIMO course	ECTS
Int. Org. and Human Rights – Organizzazione internazionale e diritti umani	8	Fall	Global security (4)	8
		Spring	International Organizations (4)	
International Public Policies – Politiche pubbliche internazionali	8	Spring	Contemporary Foreign Policy (4)	8
		Spring	Megatrends and global affairs (4)	
International Economics – Economia Internazionale	8	Spring	Russian and Global economy (2)	4
		Spring	Modern Economic Strategy of Russia (2)	
Comparative politics – Politica comparata	8	Fall	International Political Analysis (4)	4
Elective I	6	Fall/Spring	Elective	2
Elective II	6 ³			
History of International Relations – Storia delle relazioni internazionali	8	Spring	Regions in International Relations (4)	6
		Spring	Russia – EU relations (2)	
Language	8	Fall/Spring	Russian Language (3 Fall + 3 Spring)	6
			(Other language for MGIMO students)	
ONLY FOR MGIMO DEGREE		Fall	Research Seminar	2
ONLY FOR MGIMO DEGREE		Fall/Spring and second year	Independent Research (Master Thesis preparation)	20
Total credits for LUISS	58		Total credits for MGIMO	60

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2nd year at LUISS – a.y. 2018-2019
Major in Global Studies

LUISS	ECTS	MGIMO	ECTS
Global Trade	8	Only for LUISS degree	
Comparative Public Law (postponed from I year)	8	Fundamentals of the Russian Legal System (2) Modern Political Atlas (2)	4
Comparative History of Political Systems (postponed from I year)	8	Historical foundations of Russia's foreign policy (till 1990) (4) Modern Network Diplomacy: Theory and Practice (2)	6
Global Justice (postponed from I year)	6	WMD Nonproliferation and Global Security (4) E-Government and E-Governance (2)	6
Islam: Culture and Politics (postponed from I year)	8	Global Financial Markets: Globalization and Speculation (2) International Economics and Developing Markets (2)	4
Computer skills	2	Research seminar	12
Other activities	8	Extracurricular Workshops & Field Work	14
Thesis	14	Thesis Discussion (12) Internship (2)	12 2
Total credits LUISS	62	Credits for MGIMO	60

Major in European Studies

LUISS	ECTS	MGIMO	ECTS
Mediterranean Studies	8	Only for LUISS degree	

Comparative Public Law (postponed from I year)	8	Fundamentals of the Russian Legal System (2) Modern Political Atlas (2)	4
Comparative History of Political Systems (postponed from I year)	8	Historical foundations of Russia's foreign policy (till 1990) (4) Modern Network Diplomacy: Theory and Practice (2)	6
Global Justice (postponed from I year)	6	WMD Nonproliferation and Global Security (4) E-Government and E-Governance (2)	6
European Economics	8	Global Financial Markets: Globalization and Speculation (2) International Economics and Developing Markets (2)	4
Computer skills	2	Research seminar	12
Other activities	8	Extracurricular Workshops & Field Work	14
Thesis	14	Thesis Discussion (12) Internship (2)	12 2
Total credits LUISS	62	Credits for MGIMO	60

Relazioni Internazionali (Italian Track)

LUISS	ECTS	MGIMO	ECTS
International Economic and Environmental Law – Diritto internazionale dell’economia e dell’ambiente (postponed from I year)	8	Only for LUISS degree	
Comparative Public Law – Diritto pubblico comparato (postponed from I year)	8	Fundamentals of the Russian Legal System (2) Modern Political Atlas (2)	4
Comparative History of Political Systems – Storia comparata dei sistemi politici (postponed from I year)	6	Historical foundations of Russia’s foreign policy (till 1990) (4) Modern Network Diplomacy: Theory and Practice (2)	6
Global Justice (postponed from I year)	6	WMD Nonproliferation and Global Security (4) E-Government and E-Governance (2)	6
European Economics - Economia Europea	8	Global Financial Markets: Globalization and Speculation (2) International Economics and Developing Markets (2)	4
Computer skills	2	Research seminar	12
Other activities	8	Extracurricular Workshops & Field Work	14
Thesis	14	Thesis Discussion (12) Internship (2)	12 2
Total credits LUISS	62	Credits for MGIMO	60

IMPORTANT RULES

- This study plan is designed for students taking part in the mentioned Double Degree Program and spending the academic year 2017-18 at MGIMO.
- Interested students are required to read and understand the study plan and its rules. These are to be considered binding to the successful completion of the double degree program.
- During the mobility, students will be subject to the rules of the partner university.
- At the end of the program, if compliant with both LUISS and MGIMO academic requirements, students will obtain both the Master of Arts in International Relations “Governance and Global Affairs” (issued by MGIMO) and the Laurea Magistrale in International Relations Major in European Studies or Global Studies (issued by LUISS).
- Thesis:
 - Students will start their theses during their mobility period at MGIMO and complete it at LUISS during the second year, with two supervisors: one from each university.
 - LUISS students will defend the Master thesis at LUISS in July (TBC) .
 - Students are assigned a supervisor from each university;
 - The Master Degree Project / Final Thesis is considered an individual work;
 - Students will present their project at LUISS and attend a formal oral defense in Rome, with the presence of a MGIMO supervisor (personally or via videoconference).
- The academic activities recognized by the partner university will be transferred according to grade conversion tables set up individually by each partner and agreed upon by both LUISS and MGIMO and hereby reported.

LUISS % Political Science	LUISS ECTS	LUISS grades	MGIMO ECTS	Russian grade	Percentile Grade MGIMO
27,61 %	A	30	A	Excellent	90-96%
9,89 %	B	29	B	Very Good	82-89%
16,33 % 11,41 %	C	28 27	C	Good	75-81%
6,88 % 4,73 % 3,50 %	D	26 25 24	D	Satisfactory	67-74%
1,93 % 1,29 % 0,88 % 1,12 % 0,44 % 1,30 %	E	23 22 21 20 19 18	E	Sufficient	60-66%
0 %	F	< 18 fail	F	Unsatisfactory	< 60%

While every effort will be made to provide students with complete, accurate and timely information, LUISS reserves the right to change, amend, modify or revoke the aforementioned program. LUISS is not responsible for any cancellation or modification due to events beyond its control. If the program is cancelled or modified for these reasons, LUISS will inform all interested students in a timely manner.