



**NEW
UNIVERSITY**

FACULTY OF GOVERNMENT
AND EUROPEAN STUDIES



**New University, Faculty of Government and European Studies
(Slovenia)**

And

Galilee International Management Institute, Israel

Present the

**Doctoral Study Programme International and Diplomatic
Studies (with Security Aspects)**

Three-year postgraduate doctoral study programme

2023/24

About the Faculty

The Faculty of Government and European Studies, a member of the **New University**, is one of the leading educational institutions in Slovenia, offering broad interdisciplinary knowledge to all who want to work in public administration, international organizations and also in the private sector, where the experts for constructive cooperation with national and international institutions are always welcome.

The faculty is distinguished mainly by:

1. **Quality study programmes** that comprehensively cover the field of constitutional and international law, the functioning of the state and the public administration within it. Such programmes are not covered by any other faculty in Slovenia.
2. **An excellent academic assembly** that teaches students to think critically and creatively. Among them are first-class experts in practice, such as former presidents of the Constitutional Court, established professors with long professional careers in other key institutions of the country, and young, mostly higher education staff educated abroad.
3. **Cooperation with partners in an international environment** that enables students to exchange internationally within the Erasmus + programme, attend lectures of visiting experts, participate in international projects ...
4. **Friendly professional services, eUniversity web portal with video lectures, rich extracurricular activities** and more.



About the Study Programme

The postgraduate doctoral study programme International and Diplomatic Studies is based on the principles of the Bologna Declaration.

During their studies, students acquire in-depth knowledge in a specially defined field, learn independent scientific work and also acquire knowledge that enables them to solve complex problems of international relations and diplomacy.

After fulfilling the requirements for the completion of the doctoral study programme International and Diplomatic Studies, a graduate is awarded a scientific title: **Doctor of Science**, abbreviation “dr.”.

The postgraduate doctoral study programme lasts three years or six semesters and amounts to **180 ECTS**.

- **The first semester** is intended for theoretical and methodological enhancement of previous knowledge, which enables the introduction to doctoral studies.
- **The second semester** is dedicated to writing the disposition for a doctoral dissertation.
- **The third semester** allows the choice of a module that deepens the student's specific knowledge. Together with the fourth semester they are intended for individual work in the doctoral dissertation with the help of a mentor and a possible co-mentor.
- **The fifth semester** and **the sixth semester** are dedicated to preparation of the final doctoral dissertation, article and final defence.

Postgraduate doctoral study programme International and Diplomatic Studies is conducted as part-time (non-concessionary) study.

Curriculum

1. Semester

Subject	ECTS
Foreign Affairs and International Law	10
Diplomacy and Diplomatic Law	10
Elective Subject I	10
Total	30

2. Semester

Subject	ECTS
Methodological Seminar for the Preparation of Doctoral Dissertation	15
Preparation of the Disposition for the Doctoral Dissertation	15
Total	30

3. Semester

Subject	ECTS
I. COMPULSORY SUBJECTS	
Seminar for Preparation of Dissertation	10
I. INTERNATIONAL AND DIPLOMATIC MODULE	
The International Position and Foreign Affairs of Slovenia	10
International Law of Human Rights	10
Total	30
II. SECURITY AND MIGRATION MODULE	
Economic Diplomacy and Global Management	10
International Security System	10
Total	30

4. Semester

Subject	ECTS
Preparation of the Doctoral Dissertation	30
Total	30

5. and 6. Semester

Subject	ECTS
Preparation of the Final Doctoral Dissertation, Article and Defence	60
Total	60

ELECTIVE SUBJECTS

Subject	ECTS
Alternative Dispute Resolution	10
Global Migration Law	10
European Law	10
Performance of economic systems in the modern world	10

Enrollment Criteria

Anyone who has completed the following can enroll into the first year of the postgraduate doctoral study “International and Diplomatic Studies”:

- a) The 2nd cycle study programme;
- b) Higher education professional programme and study programme to obtain a specialization, if they also complete study obligations in the range of 30 to 60 ECTS, determined by the Study Committee on the basis of the type of study programme of undergraduate study and specialisation;
- c) The study programme referred to in the fourth paragraph of Article 36 of the Higher Education Act (ZViS), if it is evaluated with 300 ECTS (uniform study programmes);
- d) any of the study programmes to obtain a university education, adopted before 11 April 2004.

Foreign candidates who have completed equivalent education abroad also meet the enrolment criteria.

Programme Fees

Tuition Fee: €15,000 for 3 years in **three installments:**

Payment:	Pay By:	Amount:
1st	21 September 2023	€5,500
2nd	20 September, 2024	€5,500
3rd	22 September, 2025	€4,000
		Total: €15,000

- Tuition fee does not include registration fee €37/per year of enrollment

Closing date for application is: **8th September, 2023**

Please note:

As there are a limited number of places available it is advisable to submit your application as soon as possible.

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