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PEOPLES' FRIENDSHIP UNIVERSITY OF RUSSIA NAMED AFTER PATRICE  
LUMUMBA  
RUDN University**

**Law Institute**

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educational division (faculty/institute/academy) as higher education programme developer

**COURSE SYLLABUS**

**INTERNATIONAL HUMANITARIAN LAW**

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course title

**Recommended by the Didactic Council for the Education Field of:**

**40.04.01 JURISPRUDENCE**

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field of studies / speciality code and title

**The course instruction is implemented within the professional education programme  
of higher education:**

**INTERNATIONAL PROTECTION OF HUMAN RIGHTS**

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higher education programme profile/specialisation title

## 1. COURSE GOAL(s)

The main purpose is to create complex idea of International Humanitarian Law (IHL). The course is designed for the Law students having basic training on International Public and International Private Law specializing in PhD programs on international legal regulations. The course aims at training students' skills on elaboration of recommendations directed to the improvement of the Russian legislation in the sphere of international armed conflicts based on Treaties and Regulations of IHL at both universal and regional levels.

The main objectives of the course the following: to acquaint students with specific features of IHL subject, to define its place in the system of International Public Law, to analyze and study the system of sources of IHL, to create students' vision on the necessity of international intergovernmental and international non-governmental organizations participation in elaboration of IHL Rules.

## 2. REQUIREMENTS FOR LEARNING OUTCOMES

Mastering the course is aimed at the Master's students' formation of the following competencies (part of competencies):

*Table 2.1. List of competences that students acquire through the course study*

Competence code	Competence descriptor	Competence formation indicators (within this course)
PC-6	Able to give qualified legal advice in specific areas of international legal regulation	PC-6.1. Aware of the specifics and methodology of advising in specific areas of international law regulation.

## 3. COURSE IN HIGHER EDUCATION PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

The course refers to the core/variable/elective\* component of (B1) block of the higher educational programme curriculum.

\* - Underline whatever applicable.

Within the higher education programme students also master other (modules) and / or internships that contribute to the achievement of the expected learning outcomes as results of the course study.

*Table 3.1. The list of the higher education programme components/disciplines that contribute to the achievement of the expected learning outcomes as the course study results*

Competence code	Competence descriptor	Previous courses/modules*	Subsequent courses/modules*
PC-6	Able to give qualified legal advice in specific areas of international legal regulation	Protection of Human Rights in the UN System / Защита прав человека в системе ООН Environmental Protection and Human Rights / Защита экологических прав человека International Labour Rights in the Global Economy / Международное	Externship and Pre-Degree Internship / Производственная практика, в т.ч. преддипломная

Competence code	Competence descriptor	Previous courses/modules*	Subsequent courses/modules*
		<p>трудовое право и глобальная экономика Human Rights, SDGs and Challenges of the XXI Century / Права человека, Цели в области устойчивого развития и вызовы XXI века</p> <p>International Business and Human Rights / Международный бизнес и права человека</p> <p>Discrimination and Gender Issues in Contemporary International Law / Дискриминация и гендерные вопросы в современном международном праве</p> <p>Indigenous Peoples and Minorities Rights Protection / Защита прав коренных народов и меньшинств</p>	

\* - filled in based on the competency matrix

#### 4. COURSE WORKLOAD AND ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

The total workload of the course is 4 credits (144 academic hours).

*Table 4.1. Types of academic activities during the periods of higher education programme mastering (**full-time training**) \**

Types of academic activities		TOTAL, academic hours	Semester / Module			
			5	6	7	8
<i>Classroom learning, academic hours</i>		32		32		
including:						
Lectures (LC)		-		-		
Lab work (LW)		-		-		
Seminars (workshops/tutorials) (S)		32		32		
<i>Self-study (ies), academic hours</i>		76		76		
<i>Evaluation and assessment (exam or pass/fail grading)</i>		36		36		
<b>Course Workload</b>	ac. hours	<b>144</b>		<b>144</b>		
	credits	<b>4</b>		<b>4</b>		

## 5. COURSE CONTENTS

*Table 5.1. Course contents and academic activities types*

<b>Course module title</b>	<b>Course module contents (topics)</b>	<b>Academic activities types</b>
Section 1. The Definition and Subject of IHL	Topic 1.1. The notion and definition of IHL.	S
	Topic 1.2. Subjects of IHL.	S
	Topic 1.3. Human rights and IHL.	S
	Topic 1.4. A role of IHL in the contemporary world.	S
	Topic 1.5. The International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement.	S
Section 2. The Sources of IHL and Principles of IHL	Topic 2.1. The brief history of IHL development.	S
	Topic 2.2. The sources of IHL.	S
	Topic 2.3. The codification IHL in brief.	S
	Topic 2.4. The notion of IHL principles.	S
	Topic 2.5. The system of IHL principles.	S
Section 3. International Armed Conflicts and Non-International Armed Conflicts	Topic 3.1. The concept of international armed conflict and its types.	S
	Topic 3.2. The concept of non-international armed conflict and its types.	S
Section 4. International Armed Conflicts and Non-International Armed Conflicts: Victims Protection	Topic 4.1. International Law criteria of conventional weapons use prohibition or restriction and human rights.	S
	Topic 4.2. The general and special principles of conventional weapons use prohibition or restriction.	S
	Topic 4.3. Weapons of mass destruction and IHL.	S
	Topic 4.4. The problem of nuclear weapons use prohibition.	S
Section 5. The Prohibition or Restriction of Methods and Means of Warfare and Human Rights	Topic 5.1. International Law criteria of conventional weapons use prohibition or restriction and human rights.	S
	Topic 5.2. The general and special principles of conventional weapons use prohibition or restriction.	S
	Topic 5.3. Weapons of mass destruction and IHL.	S
	Topic 5.4. The problem of nuclear weapons use prohibition.	S
Section 6. The Implementation of IHL	Topic 6.1. Application and control over the implementation of IHL.	S

Course module title	Course module contents (topics)	Academic activities types
	Topic 6.2. Implementation of International Humanitarian Law within national legal systems.	S
	Topic 6.3. Dissemination of IHL.	S
Section 7. The Responsibility for Violations of IHL	Topic 7.1. Responsibility for violations of IHL: concept and specific features.	S
	Topic 7.2. The practice of the international courts in relation to violations of IHL and human rights.	S

\* - to be filled in only for **full**-time training: *LC* - lectures; *LW* - lab work; *S* - seminars.

## 6. CLASSROOM EQUIPMENT AND TECHNOLOGY SUPPORT REQUIREMENTS

*Table 6.1. Classroom equipment and technology support requirements*

Type of academic activities	Classroom equipment	Specialised educational / laboratory equipment, software, and materials for course study (if necessary)
Lecture	Classroom for lectures, equipped with a set of specialized furniture; a set of devices including portable multimedia projector, laptop, projection screen, stable wireless Internet connection.	Multimedia projector, laptop, projection screen, stable wireless Internet connection. Software: Office 365 (MS Office, MS Teams), Chrome
Lab	Classroom for lab work, group and individual consultations, evaluation and assessment, equipped with a set of specialized furniture; a set of devices including portable multimedia projector, laptop, projection screen, stable wireless Internet connection.	Multimedia projector, laptop, projection screen, stable wireless Internet connection. Software: Office 365 (MS Office, MS Teams), Chrome
Seminars	Classroom for seminars, group and individual consultations, evaluation and assessment, equipped with a set of specialized furniture; a set of devices including portable multimedia projector, laptop, projection screen, stable wireless Internet connection.	Multimedia projector, laptop, projection screen, stable wireless Internet connection. Software: Office 365 (MS Office, MS Teams), Chrome
Computer classroom	Computer classroom for academic activity, group and individual consultations, evaluation and assessment, equipped with a set of specialized furniture; a set of devices including portable multimedia projector, 30 personal computers, projection screen, stable	Multimedia projector, laptop, projection screen, stable wireless Internet connection. Software: Office 365 (MS Office, MS Teams),

Type of academic activities	Classroom equipment	Specialised educational / laboratory equipment, software, and materials for course study  (if necessary)
	wireless Internet connection.	Chrome
Self-studies Classroom	Classroom for Self-studies, equipped with a set of specialized furniture; a set of devices including portable multimedia projector, laptop, projection screen, stable wireless Internet connection.	Multimedia projector, laptop, projection screen, stable wireless Internet connection. Software: Office 365 (MS Office, MS Teams), Chrome
Courtroom	Classroom for court hearing simulation equipped with a set of specialized furniture; a set of devices including portable multimedia projector, laptop, projection screen, stable wireless Internet connection.	Multimedia projector, laptop, projection screen, stable wireless Internet connection. Software: Office 365 (MS Office, MS Teams), Chrome

\* The premises for students' self-studies are subject to **MANDATORY** mention

## 7. RESOURCES RECOMMENDED FOR COURSE STUDY

### *Main reading (sources):*

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  - Electronic library system «University Library online» <http://www.biblioclub.ru>
  - Electronic Library «URAIT» <http://www.biblio-online.ru>
  - Electronic library system «Student. Consultant» [www.studentlibrary.ru](http://www.studentlibrary.ru)
  - Electronic library system «Lan» <http://e.lanbook.com/>
  - Electronic library system "Troitskyi most"
2. Databases and search engines:
  - Electronic Legal and Regulatory Documentation Fund <http://docs.cntd.ru/>
  - Search system Yandex <https://www.yandex.ru/>
  - Search system Google <https://www.google.ru/>
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*Training toolkit for self- studies to master the course \*:*

\* The training toolkit for self- studies to master the course is placed on the course page in the university telecommunication training and information system under the set procedure.

## **8. ASSESSMENT TOOLKIT AND GRADING SYSTEM\* FOR EVALUATION OF STUDENTS' COMPETENCES LEVEL UPON COURSE COMPLETION**

The assessment toolkit and the grading system\* to evaluate the competences formation level (competences in part) upon the course study completion are specified in the Appendix to the course syllabus.

\* The assessment toolkit and the grading system are formed on the basis of the requirements of the relevant local normative act of RUDN University (regulations / order).

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