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**Federal State Autonomous Educational Institution of Higher Education  
PEOPLES' FRIENDSHIP UNIVERSITY OF RUSSIA  
NAMED AFTER PATRICE LUMUMBA (RUDN University)**

**Agrarian and Technological Institute**

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

**INTERNSHIP SYLLABUS**

**Scientific Research Work**

internship title

**Educational practice**

internship type

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

**35.04.09 Landscape architecture**

field of studies / speciality code and title

**The student's internship is implemented within the professional education programme of higher education:**

**Management and design of urban green infrastructure**

higher education programme profile/specialisation title

(code and name of the direction of training/specialty)

## 1. INTERNSHIP GOAL(s)

The goal of the practice «**Scientific Research Work**» is to prepare the student for independent research work, the result of which is writing and successful defense of the final qualifying work, securing existing and acquiring new knowledge and skills that form the competences provided of RUDN University.

## 2. REQUIREMENTS FOR LEARNING OUTCOMES

The practice «**Scientific Research Work**» is aimed at the formation of the following competencies among students:

*Table 2.1. List of competences that students acquire during the internship*

Code	Competency	Indicators of competence achievement (within the framework of this discipline)
GC-1	Student is able to search, critically analyze problem situations based on a systematic approach, and develop a strategy for action	GC1.1 student is able to apply systematization to solve tasks; GC-1.2 Student is able to search and analyze information;
GC -3	Student is able to organize and manage the work of the team, developing a team strategy to achieve the goal	GC-3.1 Student is able to organize team work on the project; GC-3.2 student is able to interact with the executive authorities to coordinate all stages of design;
GC -4	Student is able to apply modern communication technologies in the state language of the Russian Federation and foreign language(s) for academic and professional interaction	GC4.1 Student is able to prepare all the necessary documentation for the project in Russian and a foreign language; GC-4.2 Student is able to communicate on the project in Russian and a foreign language;
GC-5	Student is able to analyze and take into account the diversity of cultures in the process of intercultural interaction	GC-5.1 Student is able to understand the peculiarities of the social organization of society, the specifics of the mentality and worldview of the cultures of the West and East; GC-5.2 Student is able to overcome the cultural barrier, perceiving cross-cultural differences;
GC-6	Student is able to determine and implement the priorities of his own activities and ways to improve it based on self-assessment	GC-6.1 "Student is able to plan his life activities for the period of study in an educational organization"; GC6.2 Student is able to determine the tasks of self-development and professional growth, distribute them for long-medium- and short-term with justification of their relevance and determination of the necessary resources;
GPC-1	Student is able to analyze modern problems at the factory and production,	GPC-1.1 Student is capable of solving complex (non-standard) tasks in professional activity;

	solve complex (non-standard) tasks in professional activity;	GPC-1.2 Student is able to analyze the current problems of the leg and production;
GPC-2	Student is able to transfer professional knowledge using modern pedagogical techniques;	GPC-2.1 Student is able to transfer professional knowledge; GPC-2.2 Student is able to transfer professional knowledge using information technology;
GPC-3	Student is able to develop and implement new effective technologies in professional activities;	GPC-3.1 Student is able to implement new effective technologies in professional activity; GPC-3.2 Student is able to develop new effective technologies in professional activity;
GPC-4	Student is able to conduct scientific research, analyze the results and prepare accounting documents;	GPC-4.1 Student is able to conduct scientific research; GPC-4.2 Student is able to prepare accounting documentation;
GPC-5	Student is able to carry out a feasibility study of projects in professional activity;	GPC-5.1 Student is capable of carrying out economic justification of projects; GPC-5.2 Student is able to carry out a feasibility study of projects;
GPC-6	Student is able to manage teams and organize production processes.	GPC-6.1 Ability to organize production processes; GPC-6.2 Ability to manage a team;
GC-7.1	Student is able to search for the necessary sources of information and data, perceive, analyze, memorize and transmit information using digital means, as well as using algorithms when working with data obtained from various sources in order to effectively use the information received to solve problems;	UC-7.1.1 Student is able to apply algorithms to effectively evaluate the data obtained to solve the tasks; UC-7.1.2 Student is able to use open and closed sources of information for data collection and analysis;
GC-7.2	Student is able to evaluate information, its reliability, and build logical conclusions based on incoming information and data.	UC-7.2.1 Student is able to verify the accuracy of the information received; UC-7.2.2 Student is able to logically assess the reliability of the information received.

### 3. INTERNSHIP IN HIGHER EDUCATION PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

The practice «**Scientific research and thesis preparation (in English)**» belongs to the part formed by the participants of educational relations.

Within the framework of the practice, students also master other disciplines and/or practices that contribute to achieve the planned results of mastering the practice «**Scientific research and thesis preparation (in English)**».

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

Competence code	Competence descriptor	Previous courses/modules, internships*	Subsequent courses/modules, internships*
GC-1	Student is able to search, critically analyze problem situations based on a systematic approach, and develop a strategy for action	Landscape planning and sustainable development, Phytopathology and Plant Protection, Landscape engineering and naturebased solution, Green infrastructure urban climate and carbon neutrality, Principles of remote sensing and modeling, Advances in environmental monitoring, Research planning, Scientific research, Internship in research laboratories, enterprise, public administrations and other organizations	International regulation in city planning and environmental protection, Undergraduate practice
GC -3	Student is able to organize and manage the work of the team, developing a team strategy to achieve the goal	Landscape planning and sustainable development, Phytopathology and Plant Protection, Landscape engineering and naturebased solution, Green infrastructure urban climate and carbon neutrality, Principles of remote sensing and modeling, Advances in environmental monitoring, Internship in research laboratories, enterprise, public administrations and other organizations,	International regulation in city planning and environmental protection, Undergraduate practice

GC -4	Student is able to apply modern communication technologies in the state language of the Russian Federation and foreign language(s) for academic and professional interaction	Landscape planning and sustainable development, Foreign language (Russian language), Phytopathology and Plant Protection, Green infrastructure urban climate and carbon neutrality, Research planning, Scientific research, Internship in research laboratories, enterprise, public administrations and other organizations	International regulation in city planning and environmental protection, Undergraduate practice
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GC-5	Student is able to analyze and take into account the diversity of cultures in the process of intercultural interaction	Landscape planning and sustainable development, Phytopathology and Plant Protection, Landscape engineering and naturebased solution, Green infrastructure urban climate and carbon neutrality, Principles of remote sensing and modeling, Advances in environmental monitoring, Research planning, Scientific research, Internship in research laboratories, enterprise, public administrations and other organizations	International regulation in city planning and environmental protection, Undergraduate practice
GC-6	Student is able to determine and implement the priorities of his own activities and ways to improve it based on self-assessment	Landscape planning and sustainable development, Phytopathology and Plant Protection, Landscape engineering and naturebased solution, Green infrastructure urban climate and carbon neutrality, Principles of remote sensing and modeling, Advances in environmental monitoring, Research planning, Scientific research, Internship in research laboratories, enterprise, public administrations and other organizations	International regulation in city planning and environmental protection, Undergraduate practice
GPC-1	Student is able to analyze modern problems at the factory and production, solve complex (non-standard) tasks in professional activity;	Landscape planning and sustainable development, Phytopathology and Plant Protection, Landscape engineering and naturebased solution, Principles of remote sensing and modeling, Research planning, Scientific research, Internship in research laboratories, enterprise, public administrations and other organizations	International regulation in city planning and environmental protection, Undergraduate practice

GPC-2	Student is able to transfer professional knowledge using modern pedagogical techniques;	Landscape planning and sustainable development, Phytopathology and Plant Protection, Green infrastructure urban climate and carbon neutrality, Principles of remote sensing and modeling, Research planning, Scientific research, Internship in research laboratories, enterprise, public administrations and other organizations	International regulation in city planning and environmental protection, Undergraduate practice
GPC-3	Student is able to develop and implement new effective technologies in professional activities;	Landscape planning and sustainable development, Phytopathology and Plant Protection, Landscape engineering and naturebased solution, Research planning, Scientific research, Internship in research laboratories, enterprise, public administrations and other organizations	International regulation in city planning and environmental protection, Undergraduate practice
GPC-4	Student is able to conduct scientific research, analyze the results and prepare accounting documents;	Landscape planning and sustainable development, Phytopathology and Plant Protection, Landscape engineering and naturebased solution, Research planning, Scientific research, Internship in research laboratories, enterprise, public administrations and other organizations	International regulation in city planning and environmental protection, Undergraduate practice

GPC-5	Student is able to carry out a feasibility study of projects in professional activity;	Landscape planning and sustainable development, Phytopathology and Plant Protection, Landscape engineering and naturebased solution, Research planning, Scientific research, Internship in research laboratories, enterprise, public administrations and other organizations	International regulation in city planning and environmental protection, Undergraduate practice
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GPC-6	Student is able to manage teams and organize production processes.	Landscape planning and sustainable development, Scientific writing skills, Research planning, Scientific research, Internship in research laboratories, enterprise, public administrations and other organizations, Scientific research and thesis preparation (in English)	International regulation in city planning and environmental protection, Undergraduate practice
GC-7.1	Student is able to search for the necessary sources of information and data, perceive, analyze, memorize and transmit information using digital means, as well as using algorithms when working with data obtained from various sources in order to effectively use the information received to solve problems;	Landscape planning and sustainable development, Internship in research laboratories, enterprise, public administrations and other organizations	International regulation in city planning and environmental protection, Undergraduate practice
GC-7.2	Student is able to evaluate information, its reliability, and build logical conclusions based on incoming information and data.	Landscape planning and sustainable development, Internship in research laboratories, enterprise, public administrations and other organizations	International regulation in city planning and environmental protection, Undergraduate practice

\* - filled in in accordance with the matrix of competencies and SC EP HE

#### 4. INTERNSHIP WORKLOAD

The total labor intensity of the practice «**Scientific Research Work**» is 7 ECTS (252 a.h.).

## 5. INTERNSHIP CONTENTS

*Table 5.1. Internship contents*

Name of the practice section	Content of the section (topics, types of practical activities)	Labor intensity, ac.h.
<b>Section 1.</b> Preparatory stage, familiarization of students with general information about the objects and methods of research, work plan, safety instructions, organizational issues	Class work	<b>8</b>
<b>Section 2.</b> Literature survey and review to support the methodological part of the further work	Field/ Lab work	<b>40</b>
<b>Section 3.</b> Data collection in field (lab) conditions following the methodology	Field/ Lab work	<b>150</b>
<b>Section 4.</b> Data processing, analysis and visualization	Class/Field/ Lab work	<b>45</b>
Preparation of a practice report		<b>8</b>
Preparation for defense and defense of the practice report		<b>4</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>252</b>

\* The contents of internship through modules and types of practical activities shall be FULLY reflected in the student's report

## 6. INTERNSHIP EQUIPMENT AND TECHNOLOGY SUPPORT REQUIREMENTS

Material and technical support of internship will be provided by usage all the necessary field and lab equipment, computer classes, specialized audience and library funds of RUDN and enterprises the internship is based on QGIS, R, MS Office (Word, Excel, Power Point), access to the web-libraries Scopus and Web of Science and other professional software depending on the practical tasks. The program of educational practice, developed by the Department of Landscape Design and Sustainable Ecosystems of the Agrarian-Technological Institute of the RUDN University, methodical recommendations on the organization and conducting practices for graduate students of the Landscape Architecture direction, Teodoronsky VS, Fatiyev MM Construction and operation of urban landscaping // study guide. Publishing house: M. Forum.- 2011. 237s

## 7. INTERNSHIP LOCATION AND TIMELINE

«Scientific Research Work» internship can be carried out both in the structural divisions of RUDN University or in organizations of Moscow (stationary), and at bases located outside of Moscow.

Conducting an internship on the basis of an external organization (outside the RUDN University) is carried out on the basis of an appropriate agreement, which specifies the terms, place and conditions for conducting an internship in the base organization.

The terms of the practice correspond to the period specified in the calendar training schedule of the EP HE. The terms of the practice can be adjusted upon agreement with the Department of Educational Policy and the Department for the organization of internships and employment of students at RUDN University.

## 8. RESOURCES RECOMMENDED FOR INTERNSHIP

### *Main readings:*

1. Vasenev V.I., Epikhina A.S. Urban ecology. RUDN University. 2017
2. Alberti M. Advances in Urban Ecology: Integrating Humans and Ecological Processes in Urban Ecosystems Springer; 2008 366 p.
3. R.T.T. Forman. Urban Ecology: Science of Cities Cambridge University Press 2014. 474 p.
4. J. Niemela, J. H. Breuste, G. Guntenspergen. Urban Ecology: Patterns, Processes, and Applications. Oxford University Press; Reprint edition. 2012. 392 p.
5. Denisov V.V., Kurbatova A.S., Denisova I.A., Bondarenko V.L., Gracheva V.A., Gutenev V.V., Nagnibeda B.A. «Ecology of a city». M.: Rostov on Don: 2008-832 p. (in Russia).

### *Additional readings:*

1. Dolgikh, A.V., Aleksandrovskii, A.L., 2010. Soils and cultural layers in velikii Novgorod. Eurasian Soil Science, 43, 477-48.
2. Ilina, I.N. (Eds.), 2000. Environmental atlas of the Moscow city. ABF. Moscow (in Russian)
3. Kaye, J.P., McCulley, R.L., Burkez, I.C., 2005. Carbon fluxes, nitrogen cycling, and soil microbial communities in adjacent urban, native and agricultural ecosystems. Global Change Biology 11, 575-587.
4. Lorenz, K., Lal, R., 2009. Biogeochemical C and N cycles in urban soils. Environment International 35, 1-8.
5. Pickett, S.T.A., Cadenasso, M.L., Grove, J.M., Boone, C.G., Groffman, P.M., Irwin, E., Kaushal, S.S., Marshall, V., McGrath, B.P., Nilon, C.H., Pouyat, R.V., Szlavecz, K., Troy, A., Warren, P., 2011. Urban ecological systems: scientific foundations and a decade of progress. Journal of Environmental Management 92, 331-362
6. Scalenghe, R., Marsan, F.A. The anthropogenic sealing of soil in urban areas, 2009. Landscape and urban planning 90, 1-10. .
7. Vrscaj, B., Poggio, L., Marsan, F., 2008. A method for soil environmental quality evaluation for management and planning in urban areas. Landscape and Urban Planning 88, 81-94

## *Software and web-resources*

<http://www.mvarchicad.com> <http://artlantis.ru/> <http://www.autodesk.ru>.  
<http://www.adobe.com>. [www.archibase.net](http://www.archibase.net). <http://www.artshare.ru>. <http://archicad.ru/>.  
<http://www.archicad-edu.info>. <http://www.archi-tec.ru/>. <http://www.arhitekto.ru/>.  
<http://arkhitektura.ru/>. <http://www.archibase.net>. [www.gardener.ru/](http://www.gardener.ru/).  
<http://www.jandshaft.ru/>

## *Internet sources:*

1 . RUDN University e-library and other e-libraries, to which university students have access on the basis of concluded agreements:

- RUDN electronic library system - <http://lib.rudn.ru/MegaPro/Web>
- University Library Online <http://www.biblioclub.ru>
- Yurite electronic library system <http://www.biblio-online.ru>
- Student's Consultant electronic library system [www.studentlibrary.ru](http://www.studentlibrary.ru)
- Lan e-library <http://eJanbook.com/>
- Trinity Bridge e-library

2 . *Databases and search engines:*

- electronic fund of legal and normative-technical documentation <http://docs.cntd.ru/>
- Yandex <https://www.yandex.ru/>
- Google <https://www.google.ru/>
- NCBI: <https://p.360pubmed.com/pubmed/>
- Abstract database SCOPUS <http://www.elsevierscience.ru/products/scopus/>
- RUDN Bulletin: access mode from the RUDN territory and remotely <http://journals.rudn.ru/>
- Elibrary.ru scientific library: access via RUDN IP-addresses at: <http://www.elibrary.ru/defaultx.asp>
- ScienceDirect (ESD), FreedomCollection, Cell Press of Elsevier Publishing House. There is remote access to the database, access via RUDN IP-addresses (or remotely via individual login and password).
- Google Scholar is a free search engine for full-text scientific publications of all formats and disciplines. Indexes the full texts of scientific publications. Access mode: <https://scholar.google.ru/>

*The training toolkit and guidelines for a student to do an internship, keep an internship diary and write an internship report\*:*

1. Safety regulations to do the internship (safety awareness briefing).
2. Machinery and principles of operation of technological production equipment used by students during their internship; process flow charts, regulations, etc. (if necessary).
3. Guidelines for keeping an internship diary and writing an internship report.

\* The training toolkit and guidelines for the internship are placed on the internship 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 AS INTERNSHIP RESULTS**

Evaluation materials and a point-rating system\* for assessing the level of competence formation (part of competencies) based on the results of mastering the practice «**Scientific Research Work**» are presented in the Appendix to this Work Program of the practice

\* 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).