



Non-degree studies at Saint Petersburg University

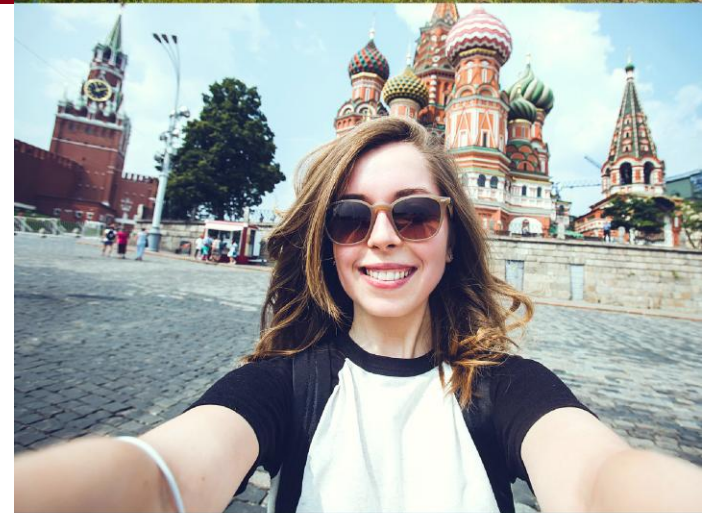


Russia: a unique destination

Visit the **biggest country in the world**
(10 000 km west to east)

Travel the Trans-Siberean, see
the Northern Lights in Murmansk
and the beaches in Sochi

Explore rich **culture and history**
(Dostoevsky, Malevich, Tschaikovsky,
Mendeleev, Russian ballet)



The background of the slide is a photograph of a winter scene. The top half shows a close-up of snow-covered branches with clusters of small, bright red berries. The bottom half shows a snow-covered path or road winding through a park-like area with trees and bushes in the background. A semi-transparent red band runs horizontally across the middle of the image, serving as a background for the text.

Opportunity to study Russian

- 260 million Russian speakers in the world
- Top-10 most spoken languages



St Petersburg — the cultural capital of Russia

**Best Tourist
Destination in
Europe**



**Convenient
location**

- Helsinki: 3,5 hrs
- Tallinn: 5 hrs
- Riga: 8 hrs

Cultural heritage

- 182 museums
- 82 theatres
- 8464 heritage sights
- 193 festivals in 2017

TRANSPORT CARD

15 eu/month
for underground
and buses

CULTURE

- free entrance for students to most museums
- discounts in theatres and cinemas

STUDENT LUNCH

2 – 4 euro

STUDENT HOUSING

- rented room in a flat:
~250 eu/month
- student dorms:
15 – 70 eu/month for place
in a shared room



SPbU Facts and Figures

The oldest University in Russia (1724)

30,000

students

9

Nobel Prize
winners

6,000

academic staff

26

resource centres of
the University
Research Park

3,000

international
students

398

main educational
programmes

450+

partner
universities/ **71** countries

Special status
granted by the
Ministry of Education
and Science

International rankings



world top 100



natureINDEX



world top 250



top 3 National



Advantages of studying at SPbU

Custom-made programmes

multidisciplinary

combination of main courses + elective courses + additional skills and knowledge programmes = **unique set of qualifications to fit your interests and goals**

People

Russian and foreign researchers: latest theories + diversity of viewpoints in addressing complex issues

Open guest lectures by top politicians, leading cultural luminaries, Nobel prize winners, high-ranking researchers

Facilities

latest technology used in education and research

unique **Research Park**

Self-realization

internships in every study programme

international exchanges and cooperation

wide-range of social, cultural and sport **extra curricular activities**



Study Programmes

English

3 Bachelor programmes

15 Master programmes

Russian

398 programmes

French, German, Spanish, Italian

4 programmes

TYPES:

- Full-time programmes
- Exchange programmes
- Online courses
- Additional short and long-term programmes
- Language courses

Fields of studies

Programmes in English available within the following fields of studies:

- Applied Mathematics
- Economics
- Earth Sciences
- History (courses in Art History in English in spring semester)
- Humanities and Arts
- International Relations
- Journalism
- Management
- Political Science
- Sociology

Programmes in Russian are also available within the following fields of studies:

- Arts
- Asian and African Studies
- Biology
- Chemistry
- Law
- Mathematics
- Medicine
- Philology and Linguistics (including full-time Russian language course, programmes in German, Spanish, Italian, French)
- Philosophy (new English-taught programme in Russian Studies prepared)
- Physics (new English-taught programme is prepared)
- Psychology

<http://ifea.spbu.ru/en/non-degree/academic-offer>



Russian language courses

Russian as a foreign language. Main course

Duration: 1 – 18 months

Russian as a foreign language. Short course

Duration: 1 – 3 weeks

SPbU Russian language Summer School

Duration: 2 weeks, 72 hours



International Cooperation

>450 universities/
71 countries

- International exchanges
- Double diploma programmes
- Joint-degree programmes
- International research internships
- Visiting professors
- Students from all over the world



Student Exchange Programme

**For students from
SPbU partner
universities**

- 1 semester or full academic year -
- No tuition fees
- Free Russian language course
- Possibility to take any courses within the chosen field of studies
- Academic and administrative support
- Orientation activities
- Simple application procedure

<http://ifea.spbu.ru/en/sep>



Freemover Student Programme

**For students from
non-partner universities/
without nomination from
partner universities**

- 1 semester or full academic year
- Tuition fees **1 870 – 3 570 EUR** per semester depending on the field of studies
- Same conditions and application process as for SEP

<http://ifea.spbu.ru/en/sep>

Academic calendar

Semester	Application deadline	Arrival period and Orientation week	Studies	Exams
Autumn semester	15 May	25.08 – 01.09	01.09 – 25.12	25.12 – 31.01
Spring semester	01 November	01.02 – 10.02	10.02 – 25.05	25.05 – 30.06

Average workload per semester – 30 ECTS



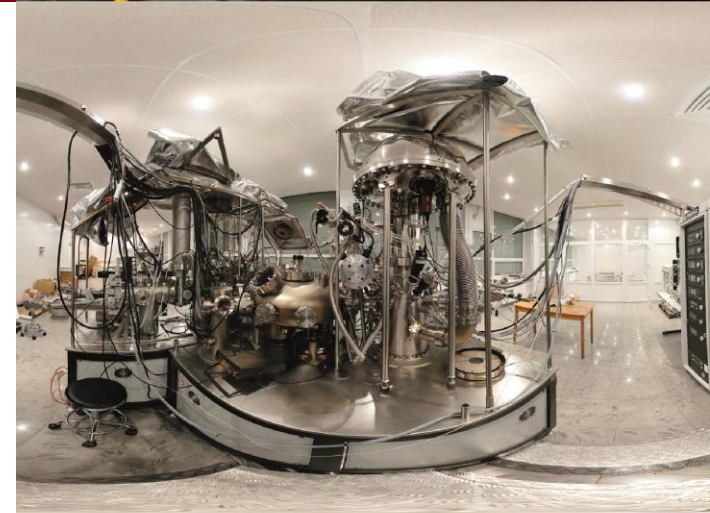
Research in SPbU: grants, facilities innovations

Students receive research grants every year

SPbU **Mega-grants programme** allowed to establish **9 research laboratories** supervised by leading Russian and international scientists

26 centres in the **Research Park**

Research visits available for **students from SPbU partner universities** (tuition-waived) or **on fee-paying basis** (tuition fee depends on the length and programme of the internship)



SPBU ACADEMIC EVENTS

**~350 EVENTS
A YEAR**

Conferences, student scientific societies, round tables, open lectures, field schools

INTERNATIONAL DISCUSSIONS

with government leaders,
expert researchers, art and
culture top personalities

UN ACADEMIC IMPACT PROGRAMME



SPbU took an active
part in the programme

Student life: Sport

30 sports
venues

21 kinds of
sports



bal League



Student Union



Concerts, theatre and parties



Start-up competition

Student life: Activities



Creative Student Associations



Event-volunteering



Green Campus



Internatinal EU & UN Models



International Students support

*Make new friends and
experience Russian culture!*

- Buddy programme
- Introduction week
- Discussion clubs
- Trips and events
- International Students Club



Admissions

Exchange and Freemover programme:

<http://ifea.spbu.ru/en/sep>

Full degree:
abiturient.spbu.ru

Contractual basis

- Tuition fees apply

State Funded Scholarship

- 100% grant on tuition fees
- monthly allowance
- reduced price for student halls (4 euros/month)



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