

**Faculty of International Relations**  
**Department of International Law**  
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**Educational program «7M04235 - International Law»**  
**Profile direction**  
**International Legal Problems of Human Rights Protection [75014]**  
**Final exam program**

**Form** - standard verbal (offline). The exam is taken in the classrooms of the faculties. The duration of the exam is 2 hours. The process of passing an oral exam by a student involves the automatic creation of an exam ticket, to which the student must answer orally before the lecturer and the Examination Board.

**Procedure for conducting a standard oral offline exam**

1. The oral exam allows students to demonstrate the learning results, skills and competencies acquired during the study of the discipline, the ability to logically express their thoughts aloud, to substantiate their point of view.
2. The methodology for conducting lectures, seminars, independent work should ensure the readiness of students to pass the oral exam.
3. In the classroom where the oral exam is held, no more than 5 examiners may be present at the same time. The rest of the examiners of the current group are waiting for a personal invitation outside the exam classroom without leaving the faculty building.
4. Oral exams are held in classrooms with video cameras.
5. When entering the exam classroom, the student is obliged to show the examiner his / her identity card and sign the entry form.
6. During the exam, it is forbidden to get up and/or change seats, leave the auditorium until the end of the ticket response.
7. During the oral exam, the exam ticket is selected by the examiner himself.
8. In preparation for the answer, the student is given sheets for drawing up a summary of the answer. The time for students to prepare an oral answer is 10 minutes. To defend the answer, the student passes the exam in front of the examiner for no more than 5 minutes.
9. After the last name is announced, the student begins his / her response on the ticket. Each question is evaluated based on the highest score specified in the "questions" appendix.
10. The examiner has the right to ask additional questions to the student to more deeply determine the level of knowledge, as well as to provide tasks and examples within the framework of the questions of the exam ticket.

**Evaluation policy.** Final control (exam) - 100 points. The assessment is carried out according to the following scheme:

- Question 1-30 points;
- Question 2-30 points;
- Question 3-40 points.

The exam is conducted in accordance with the approved schedule, which is communicated to students. The scoring time in the certification inventory for the oral exam is 48 hours.

**List of course topics for which exam questions are drawn up:**

1. The formation of an international system for the protection of human rights
2. International protection of human rights and the main international acts in the field of human rights

3. International Institutions for the Protection of Human Rights
4. The framework of the Council of Europe (by the example of a certain right or type of rights enshrined in the European Convention for the Protection of Human Rights of 1950)
5. Functioning of the universal human rights protection system in connection with the creation of the UN
6. Council of Europe: main characteristics.
7. Council of Europe standards in the field of human rights
8. Fundamental rights and freedoms guaranteed by the Convention on the Protection of Human Rights
9. Organization and general issues of the European Court of Human Rights
10. The procedure for filing a complaint with the European Court of Human Rights
11. The main activities of the UN Human Rights Council
12. The creation and activities of the European Court of Justice
13. The control mechanism of the Council of Europe and its reform under Protocol No. 11
14. The system and legal significance of human rights protection in the context of the competence of the OSCE and the European Union
15. The international system for the protection of human rights in other regions of the planet.

#### **Literature:**

1. International protection of human rights: textbook/ A. H. Abashidze [et al.] ; Russian Peoples' Friendship University, Consortium of Russian Universities. -Moscow: RUDN, 2019.-466 p.
2. International legal foundations of the right to health: a textbook. Moscow: RUDN, 2020.-325 p.
3. Human rights and challenges of the XXI century: textbook/ A. H. Abashidze [et al.] -Moscow: Peoples' Friendship University of Russia, 2019.-332 p.
4. Kiseleva E. V. Discrimination and gender issues in modern international law: textbook/ Peoples' Friendship University of Russia, 2021.-271 p.
5. Keshner M. V. International responsibility of States for violations of obligations in the field of human rights protection/ M. V. Keshner. -Moscow: RUDN, 2020.-343 p.
6. International protection of human rights: textbook/ A. H. Abashidze [et al.] ; Russian Peoples' Friendship University, Consortium of Russian Universities. -Moscow: RUDN, 2017.-466 p.
7. International legal foundations of the right to health: a textbook. Moscow: RUDN, 2016.-325

#### **International legal acts**

1. Charter of the United Nations (San Francisco, June 26, 1945)
2. International Bill of Human Rights
3. Universal Declaration of Human Rights (adopted and proclaimed by General Assembly resolution 217 A (III) of December 10, 1948)
4. International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights (New York, December 16, 1966)
5. International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights (New York, December 16, 1966)