

## **Brief Description of the Program**

### **Profession**

A political analyst deals with the analysis of the influence of politics on the destiny of nations, forecasting of the world and regional policies and conducts research on political processes and relations. This is a specialist who knows how to solve problems of management and leadership in a large company or organization. A political analyst professionally evaluates all the factors and correctly coordinates the activities of companies and organizations. A political analyst also participates in the organization of managerial processes in public authorities, in the apparatus of political parties, non-profit associations, analytical centers, business structures, international organizations, and the media.

### **Educational process**

While studying, students attend master classes conducted by leading specialists in applied political science, participate in round table discussions, professional simulation games and student research projects.

Students learn:

- to study political phenomena in their consistent temporal development, identify links between the past, the present and the future;
- to investigate the dependence of politics, political processes on society, economic relations, social structure of society, ideology and culture;
- to study and analyze the activities of institutions through which political activities are carried out (countries, parties, government programs, etc.);
- to investigate and reveal subjective mechanisms of political behavior, individual qualities, traits of character, and also typical mechanisms of psychological motivation:
- to make predictions about the political future of the country, party and polity.

### **Disciplines**

- √ Political history of Russia and foreign countries,
- √ World politics and international relations,
- √ Political conflictology,
- √ Political psychology,
- √ Political communication studies,
- √ Political analysis and forecasting,

√ Political management,

√ Political PR

### **Practical training**

Senior students do their practical training in regional and municipal government bodies, apparatuses of political parties and public organizations, information and analytical and PR departments of leading business corporations, political and consulting agencies, the media and international organizations.

### **Career**

A career of a political analyst is a career of a successful specialist who is well-versed in current political events, both in their own country and foreign countries. The profession of a political analyst makes it possible for you to become a political technologist, a political journalist, an expert, an image maker, a speechwriter or a teacher of political science.