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| Name(s) of postgraduate program(s)         | International Relations MA Program   |
| Type of the exam                           | Oral   |
| Name of the exam                           | Professional and motivational talk   |
| Duration of the exam                       | 15-20 minutes  |
| Method of the exam                         | Online (via skype)   |
| Short description of the exam              | A) Discussion and analysis of current international events and trends, B) Introduction of the applicant's motivation to apply for the programme and his/her previous international experience  |
| Materials that can be used during the exam | Anything   |
| Recommended reading materials              | News and analysis from international media; Karen A. Mingst - Heather Elko McKibben - Ivan M. Arreguín Toft (2018): Essentials of International Relations. Eighth Edition.   New York : W.W. Norton and Company. Elérhető: <a href="http://www.lcwu.edu.pk/ocd/cfiles/Political%20Science/Maj/Pol.Sc-303/EssentialsofInternationalRelationsEighthEditionbyKarenA.Mingst.pdf">http://www.lcwu.edu.pk/ocd/cfiles/Political%20Science/Maj/Pol.Sc-303/EssentialsofInternationalRelationsEighthEditionbyKarenA.Mingst.pdf</a> |
| Topics                                     | Contemporary international issues, main actors in world affairs, international political and economic trends   |
| Sample questions                           | Explain the impacts of Brexit on the future of the European Union!<br>How do you think the election of Joe Biden will influence the role of the US in world affairs?<br>What are the prospects of Belt and Road Initiative from a Central European perspective?<br>Discuss the COVID-19 pandemic as a global challenge and the role of WHO in managing the crisis!   |