# Enrollment and studying at MIIT

## **FIRST STEP**

Students need to choose a right study program at MIIT (Bachelor, Specialist, Master Degree, Postgraduate Studies, Pre-University Training – Russian as a foreign language). Preliminary examination is in the form of an interview. Pre-University Training-Russian as a foreign language do not require entrance exams.



## **BARCHELOR DEGREE**

Duration of the studies is four years (8 semesters). Duration of each semester is 5 months. Duration of the first semester is from 1<sup>st</sup> September till 30<sup>th</sup> of January. The second semester is from 7<sup>th</sup> February till 30<sup>th</sup> June. Admission of the documents for degree program is from 20<sup>th</sup> June till 21<sup>st</sup> of August. Preliminary examination is held from 20<sup>th</sup> June till 21<sup>st</sup> August. Tuition fee is 4100-5500 US dollars per year.

## SPECIALIST DEGREE

Duration of the studies is five years (10 semesters). Duration of each semester is 5 months. Duration of the first semester is from 1<sup>st</sup> September till 30<sup>th</sup> of January. The second semester is from 7<sup>th</sup> February till 30<sup>th</sup> June. Admission of the documents for degree program is from 20<sup>th</sup> June till 21<sup>st</sup> of August. Preliminary examination is held from 20<sup>th</sup> June till 21<sup>st</sup> August. Tuition fee is 4700-6600 US dollars per year.

#### **MASTER DEGREE**

Duration of the studies is two years (4 semesters). Duration of each semester is 5 months. Duration of the first semester is from 1<sup>st</sup> September till 30<sup>th</sup> of January. The second semester is from 7<sup>th</sup> February till 30<sup>th</sup> June. Admission of the documents for degree program is from 20<sup>th</sup> June till 16<sup>th</sup> of August. Preliminary examination is held from 20<sup>th</sup> June till 18<sup>th</sup>August. Tuition fee is 5700-6400 US dollars per year.

#### POSTGRADUATE STUDIES

Duration of the studies is three years (6 semesters). Duration of each semester is 5 months. Duration of the first semester is from 1<sup>st</sup> September till 30<sup>th</sup> of January. The second semester is from 7<sup>th</sup> February till 30<sup>th</sup> June. Admission of the documents for degree program is from 1<sup>st</sup> June till 20<sup>th</sup> of August. Preliminary examination is held from 21<sup>st</sup> June till 18<sup>th</sup>August. Entrance exam is hold by three disciplines specialty, philosophy and a foreign language. Special requirements are a list of publications and a thesis. Tuition fee is 2800 - 3500 US dollars per year.

# PRE-UNIVERSITY TRAINING- Russian as a foreign language

Duration of the studies is one year (2 semesters). Duration of each semester is 5 months. Duration of the first semester is from 1<sup>st</sup> September till 30<sup>th</sup> of January. Second semester is from 7<sup>th</sup> February till 30<sup>th</sup> June. Admission of the documents for the program is from 20<sup>th</sup> June till 21<sup>st</sup> of August. No entrance exams. Costs for the course is 2800 US dollars.



#### DOCUMENTS NECESSARY FOR THE ADMITION

- $\Rightarrow$  A copy and a translation of the national passport (legally authorized)
- ⇒ Personal application
- ⇒ Medical certification about the state of the health (Including HIV-results)
- $\Rightarrow$  Six black-and-white photos (3x4cm)
- ⇒ Those who apply for the pre-university training- russian as a foreign language and for the program of the higher education (Bachelor Degree; Specialist) are to submit the original and legally authorized copy of the Certificate of the complete secondary education legally **translated into Russian**

- ⇒ Those who apply for the **Master Degree** are to submit the original and legally authorized copy of the Higher education certificate in the field of the chosen career in addition;
- ⇒ Those who apply for the **Postgraduate studies** are to submit the original and legally authorized copy of the Certificate of the higher professional education (legally translated into Russian), the list of published research works, inventions (if there is any);

#### **ATTENTION!**

- ⇒ **Translations** of all documents into the Russian language should be on **the** same name as in the VISA (Study VISA for foreign people to stay in Russia)
- ⇒ Foreign study documents should be legally authorized in home country (or used mark of apostille)



# No legal authorization needed for secondary school documents in following countries:

Azerbaijan Republic, Republic of Armenia, Republic of Belarus, Georgia, Republic of Kazakhstan, Kyrgyz Republic, Republic of Moldova, Republic of Tajikistan, Ukraine, Republic of Latvia, Republic of Estonia, Republic of Estonia, Republic of Hungary, Republic of Albania, Republic of Hungary, Republic of Hungary, Republic of Cyprus, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Republic of Cuba, Republic of Macedonia, Mongolia, Republic of Poland, Romania, Slovak Republic, R The Republic of Slovenia, the Republic of Croatia, the Czech Republic, the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia.

However, students who have graduated outside of the Russian Federation need to present for the University a certificate of recognition, educational documents in the Russian Federation (if foreign education does not follow international agreement of the co-operation)

## **SECOND STEP**

Learn about financing and Scholarships in MIIT. Tuition fee prices can be found on webpage of MIIT (miit.ru)

#### THIRD STEP

Prepare your document package, which includes at least the minimum: copy of the national passport (legally authorized), personal application, medical certification about the state of health and six photos (3x4cm)

## **FOURTH STEP**

Undergo competitive selection in the entrance exam.

## **FIFTH STEP**

Get an invitation from MIIT (international office) and apply for a student VISA. MIIT contributes with students in receiving student VISA.

# For more help contact International offices:

Address: 127994, Moscow, Obraztsova str., 9 bld.9

MIIT, building 1, room 1301

Phones:

+7 (495) 684-2375 +7 (499) 978-7614(fax) +7 (495) 684-2474 +7 (499) 978-4848

E-mail: cmam\_miit@mail.ru, miitums@mail.ru

https://www.facebook.com/msure.miit

#### **FACTS** about Russians

## Russians love being hospitable

They love inviting guest and visiting friends. During visits, main feature is general served table with all Russian delicatessen. Invitation for a cup of tea mean that the guest should come with empty stomach and gift in hands.

## Do not come without gifts

Even when they are visiting friends. Gift can be cake, candies, a bottle of wine or a chocolate for the children.



Statue of "eternal student"



Statue "eternal student" is the main symbol of MIIT and a lucky charm of students. The statue is located on MIIT territory near the main entrance of the first building. Students believe that he will bring luck on studies and exams for those who will touch his book. Many students follow this tradition before the start of exams. In addition, they believe that his right shoe brings success.

## Value real friendship

Friendships is important in Russians' live. A sincere friend might be valued higher than a blood relative.

## Russians like a good chat

Russians love discussions and freely express their opinions.

#### Value Women

The world knows that Russia is a country of the most beautiful women. Russians threat women in a special way. This can be seen as giving up place in a public

transport, offering hand to help a women get out of the car or to help with carrying heavy bags.

# Russians love jokes

Russians are generally very cheerful people. They love joking, pulling each other's leg, and telling funny stories. They value a good sense of humor and are capable of joking at their own expense.

# Main Holidays in Russia

Main holidays in Russia are New Year, Christmas, Tatiana's day= Students' day, Defender of the Fatherland Day, Maslenitsa festival, International women's day, Easter, Spring and Labor Day, Victory day, Russia's day and Religious Holidays of Russian People.



#### Medical care

Healthcare in Russia is organized by the state and by private companies. Foreign students need a health insurance to be able to use state hospitals and health centers, including student clinics. Private clinics serve patients without insurance as long as they cover their own expenses. The cost of insurance is about 48-90 US dollars per year.



Foreign students, which are coming to Russia for studying the whole degree (from one term to 4-5 years) needs specific health insurance (an ordinary travel health insurance policy from their country of origin is unsuitable).

# Leisure activities and free time in MIIT







MIIT organizes many different festivals and events for the students as festivals of student creativity "Day of freshmen", "Spring of MIIT", competition for the title "Miss and Mister MIIT", photo contest "Cover of the Year", departures of propaganda teams and patriotic groups, as well as all styles of dances, vocals, theater, KVN and many Other creative genres. During the academic year, MIIT students can take part in more than 150 university, interuniversity, district and city events that take place in both the MIIT Palace of Culture and the best venues of the city.

## **Sport**

Students of MIIT have discounts for gym, which is located in the sport center. Monthly average cost of fitness center pass in Moscow varies between 32 - 82 US dollars. Usually when you buy an annual pass, the average monthly cost will be lower. A monthly swimming pool pass costs 5 - 8 US dollars in Moscow.

#### Prices in Russia

On average foreign student needs 360 US dollars per month or about 3600 US dollars per academic year (September to June). Foreign students should prepare for some extra expenses like medical insurance, living arrangements in an apartment or dormitory (buying dishes, bed linen, detergents etc.)

For MIIT students accommodation is 50 US dollars per month. Meal expenses depends on the region where people live, and what and where they buy (corner shop, supermarket, and market). Russians estimate their monthly meal expenses to fall between 130 US dollars and 320 US dollars.

An average lunch in MIIT costs between 3,5- 5 US dollars. While average set lunch outside of MIIT costs 4-6,5 US dollars. Fast-food prices are even lower.

# **Transport**

A single journey on the Moscow subway costs 1 US dollar, while a 20-journey travel card costs 11 US dollar. Using a student discount one can get a monthly Moscow underground card for 6 US dollars.



#### Mobile communication and Internet

SIM-cards for mobile phones and tablets can be bought in phone stores (do not buy them from street sellers). You need a national passport (indicating registration at your place of residence) and a migration card to buy a SIM-card. The cost of a standard package of services ranges from 5-7 US dollars.

Student dormitories of MIIT offer free Internet access.

## Clothing

The clothing prices are generally higher than in Europe but cheap clothes can always be found during the sales. There are plenty of chain stores of popular brands, both international and Russian. For example, you can find a T-shirt for 5 US dollars or jeans for 21 US dollars.

## Cultural pursuits

Moscow theatre tickets cost about 8 - 40 US dollars and cinema tickets 3-8 US dollars. A museum costs 2 - 16 US dollars. Many cultural centers offer discounts for students, and some museums are free of charge with a valid student card.



## Entertainment

Entry to clubs in Russia is generally free of charge, and visitors can buy drinks and snacks. The average price of a cocktail in Moscow clubs is 7 US dollars. Young people in Moscow spend 32 - 80 US dollars per weekend.



## 12 Dishes that must be tasted in Russia

- ⇒ Pelmeni (Meat Dumplings)
- ⇒ Cabbage soup (Shchi)
- ⇒ Porridge
- ⇒ Russian Pies
- ⇒ Olivier Salad (Russian Salad)
- ⇒ Vinaigrette
- ⇒ Pickled Cucumbers and Tomatoes
- ⇒ Pastille
- ⇒ Preserves
- $\Rightarrow$  Kvass
- ⇒ Aspic (broth jelly)









- ⇒ Be alert to the possibility of mugging, pickpocketing and theft. Pickpockets are most likely to be active in public transport during rush hour and in crowded places.
- ⇒ Hire a taxi from an established company. It is safe and the price is fixed. In a big city, you can quickly find a taxi using a mobile app, such as Uber or GetTaxi.
- ⇒ When off university campus, it is recommend carrying your passport, student ID and migration card with you. Do not be surprised if a police officer asks to see your ID. It is one of many counter-terrorism security measures taken not against you, but for your own safety.
- ⇒ **Emergency numbers** (free) General Rescue Service 112, Fire-Fighting Service 01 (landline), 010 (mobile), Police 02 (landline), 020 (mobile), Ambulance 03 (landline), 030 (mobile)