INTERNSHIP SYLLABUS

Pre-graduation practical training (internship title)

> production (internship type)

Recommended by the Didactic Council for the Education Field of:

01.04.01 «Mathematics» (field of studies / speciality code and title)

The student's internship is implemented within the professional education programme of higher education:

Functional methods in differential equations and interdisciplinary research / Функциональные методы в дифференциальных уравнениях и междисциплинарных исследованиях (англ.) (higher education programme profile/specialisation title)

1. INTERNSHIP GOAL(s)

The goals of undergraduate practice:

- formation of professional skills in scientific research;
- formation of skills in the use of modern scientific methods for solving scientific and practical problems;
- the formation of experience in both independent scientific work and the experience of collective creativity;
- formation of general cultural, general professional and professional competencies in accordance with the educational standards of higher education of RUDN University;
- formation of skills of registration and presentation of the results of scientific research;
- formation of skills in working with data sources.

2. REQUIREMENTS FOR LEARNING OUTCOMES

The undergraduate practice intends to train and guide students to achieve/acquire the following competences development:

Table 2.1. List of competences that students acquire during the internship		
Competence code	Competence descriptor	Competence formation indicators (within this course)
PC-1	Ability to conduct scientific research and obtain new scientific and applied results independently and as part of a scientific team	PC-1.1. Draws up a general research plan and detailed plans for individual stages PC-1.2. Selects experimental and computational- theoretical methods for solving the problem based on the available material and time resources
PC-2	Ability to develop and analyze conceptual and theoretical models of scientific problems and tasks to be solved	PC-2.1. Searches for specialized information in patent information databasesPC-2.2. Analyzes and summarizes the results of a patent search on the subject of the project in the selected area of mathematics
PC-3	Ability to develop and apply mathematical methods, system and application software for solving problems of scientific and design and technological activities	 PC-3.1. Systematizes information obtained in the course of research, analyzes it and compares it with literature data PC-3.2. Determines possible directions for the development of work and prospects for the practical application of the results obtained

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3. INTERNSHIP IN HIGHER EDUCATION PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

The undergraduate practice refers to the core component of (B2) block of the higher educational programme curriculum.

Within the higher education programme students also master other disciplines (modules) and / or internships that contribute to the achievement of the expected learning outcomes as results of the internship.

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Competence	Competence	Previous courses/modules,	Subsequent courses/modules,		
code	descriptor	internships*	internships*		
PC-1	Ability to conduct scientific research and obtain new scientific and applied results independently and as part of a scientific team	Computer technologies in science and education, Modern problems of mathematics, Interdisciplinary term paper, Introduction to low-dimensional topology, Operators in function spaces, Non- Euclidean geometries and their applications, Research work, Introduction to algebraic topology, Scientific seminar on functional spaces	State Examination, Master Thesis Defence		
PC-2	Ability to develop and analyze conceptual and theoretical models of scientific problems and tasks to be solved	Computer technologies in science and education, Functional-differential equations and nonlocal boundary value problems, Interdisciplinary term paper, Research work	State Examination, Master Thesis Defence		
PC-3	Ability to develop and apply mathematical methods, system and application software for solving problems of scientific and design and technological activities	Computer technologies in science and education, Functional-differential equations and nonlocal boundary value problems, Interdisciplinary term paper, Research work	State Examination, Master Thesis Defence		

Table 3.1. The list of the higher education programme components that contribute to the achievement of the expected learning outcomes as the internship results.

* To be filled in according with the competence matrix of the higher education programme.

4. INTERNSHIP WORKLOAD

The total workload of the internship is 21 credits (756 academic hours).

5. INTERNSHIP CONTENTS

Table 5.1. Internship contents*

Modules	Contents (tenies types of practical activities)	Workload,	
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Module 1. Organization of practice, preparatory stage	 Meeting with the head of the practice: definition of the goals and objectives of the practice; safety briefing; registration of individual assignments of students for practice. 	6
Module 2. Research stage	 Studying educational and scientific literature on the topics chosen at the previous stage; Attending research seminars and participating as a speaker; Consultations and joint scientific work with the supervisor; Work in libraries and computer classes; Conducting research as part of an individual assignment. 	732
Writing an internship report		9
Preparing for defence and defending the internship report		9
	756	

* The contents of internship through modules and types of practical activities shall be <u>FULLY</u> reflected in the student's internship report.

6. INTERNSHIP EQUIPMENT AND TECHNOLOGY SUPPORT REQUIREMENTS

The infrastructure and technical support necessary for the internship implementation include: laboratories and classrooms of S.M. Nikolskii Mathematical institute, Steklov Mathematical Institute of RAS, and other educational departments of RUDN University.

7. INTERNSHIP LOCATION AND TIMELINE

The undergraduate practice can be carried out at the structural divisions of RUDN University or at Moscow-based organisations.

The internship at an external organisation (outside RUDN University) is legally arranged on the grounds of an appropriate agreement, which specifies the terms, place and conditions for an internship implementation at the organisation.

The period of the internship, as a rule, corresponds to the period indicated in the training calendar of the higher education programme. However, the period of the internship can be rescheduled upon the agreement with the Department of Educational Policy and the Department for the Organization of Internship and Employment of RUDN students.

8. RESOURCES RECOMMENDED FOR INTERNSHIP

The list of basic and auxiliary resources necessary for the student to complete the internship is formed by the head of the internship. It is not possible to list all the variety of basic and additional literature in one, necessarily short, document.

Software

TeX typing and layout package for mathematical texts (for example, MikTeX 2.9), modern MS Office and Open Office packages, modern applied mathematical, mathematical-statistical, econometric packages.

Internet resources

To search for the necessary information, students can use the necessary Internet resources, in particular, the resources of the Information and Library Center of RUDN University.

9. ASSESSMENT TOOLKIT AND GRADING SYSTEM FOR EVALUATION OF STUDENTS' COMPETENCES LEVEL AS INTERNSHIP RESULTS

The assessment toolkit and the grading system* to evaluate the level of competences (competences in part) formation as the internship results are specified in the Appendix to the internship syllabus.

* The assessment toolkit and the grading system are formed on the basis of the requirements of the relevant local normative act of RUDN University (regulations / order).

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