

PhD in International Relations and Security

180 ECTS, Ph.D (in English only)

NEW FIELDS (to be considered)

Scientific Field	Cognitive Fields
Geopolitics, Sustainable Development and Global Governance	• Geopolitics of natural resources and strategic supply chains. • Sustainable development and international climate policy. • Environmental diplomacy and global governance. • Governance of states and societies vs global crises. • Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and International cooperation among states
International Political Economy and Economic Statecraft	• International Political Economy: theories, institutions and contemporary challenges. • Geoeconomics, strategic competition and global power transitions. • Political economy of globalization, regional integration and economic interdependence. • Economic dimensions of conflict, crisis management and post-conflict reconstruction.
Terrorism and Counter-Terrorism	• Terrorism Studies. • Hybrid Threats and Asymmetric Warfare. • International Security. • Prevention and Deradicalization Frameworks.
Migration, Borders, Maritime Security	• Migration Governance and Policy. • Border Security and Management Security. • Mediterranean and Global Migration Dynamic.
European Security, foreign policy and defence	• European Security Architecture. • Common Foreign and Security Policy (CFSP). • Defence Policy and Military Cooperation. • Security Governance in Europe.
European Geopolitics and the Post Soviet Space	• European Geopolitical Strategy. • Post-Soviet Political and Security Dynamics. • Regional Conflicts and Frozen Conflicts. • Strategic Competition in Eastern Europe.
European Security and the Eastern Mediterranean	• Eastern Mediterranean Geopolitics. • Regional Security Complexes. • Strategic Alliances and Defence Cooperation. • Conflict Prevention and Crisis Management.
Middle Eastern Security	• Middle East Security Studies. • Regional Power Competition. • Terrorism and Non-State Actors • External Powers and Regional Order