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Excellence

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Master Programme: Political Economy of the ASEAN-Russia Strategic Partnership

Progress Report 2023-2025

 MGIMO
University
ASEAN Centre

 IPolitical Economy

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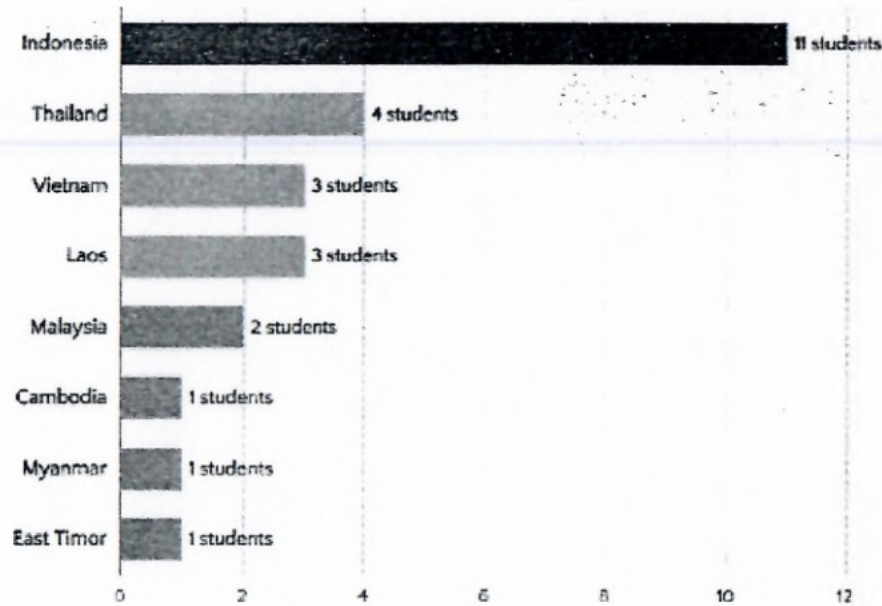
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Application 2026



ASEAN Region Representation

Student Distribution by Country



Total ASEAN Students

25 students

Representing 8 ASEAN nations



Enrollment Breakdown



1st Year

MA entrants

1



2nd Year MA Continuing students

1

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Indonesia leads with 11 students (44% of ASEAN cohort), demonstrating strong bilateral educational ties

Russia & Other Countries

Prestigious Russian universities and global partnerships

Russian Students

8 students

From Russia's leading universities

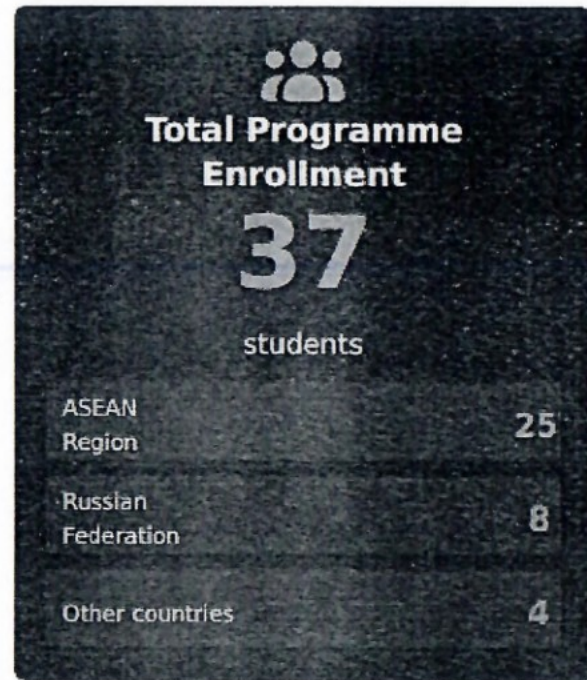
- **MGIMO University**
5 students (1st & 2nd year)
- **Moscow State University**
1 student
- **St. Petersburg State University**
1 student
- **Samara National Research University**
2 students
- **Tomsk State University**
1 student

Other Countries

4 students

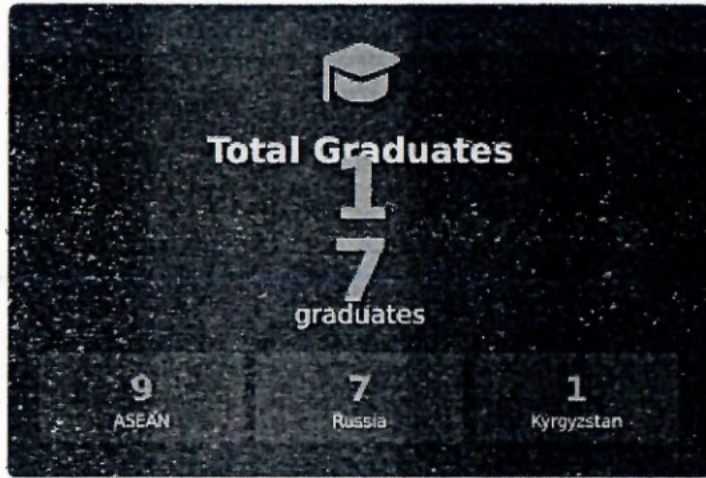
Global scholarship recipients

- **Nigeria**
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Russian Government Scholarship "Open Doors"
- **France**
1
Self-funded student



Diverse academic backgrounds from political science, international relations, economics, and area studies

First Cohort of Graduates: 2025



Employment Destinations

- Third Asian Department**
MFA of Russia
- Russian Embassy**
Jakarta, Indonesia
- Directorate of Europe II**
MFA of Indonesia
- Russian Embassy**
Hanoi, Vietnam
- HSE University**
Academic position
- Ibn Khaldun University**
Academic position

Academic Excellence

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Diplomas with Honours

23.5% of graduates achieved highest academic distinction

PhD Placements

Institute of Oriental Studies
Russian Academy of Sciences
Economy

RUDN University
Peoples' Friendship University
International Relations

HSE University
Higher School of Economics
World Economy

Experiential
Learning

Extracurricular Activities

Hands-on learning through institutional visits and academic events



Institutional Visits

01

Skolkovo Institute of Science and Technology • Innovation & Technology Hub

02

Russian-ASEAN Business Council • Trade & Economic Cooperation

03

Eurasian Economic Commission • Regional Economic Integration



Academic Events & Simulations



ASEAN Week

Cultural & Academic Celebration



ASEAN Model

Diplomatic Simulation Exercise



ASEAN Thematic Days

Cultural and Academic Activities



ASEAN Academic Days

Research & Knowledge Exchange



Annual Conferences

Research Presentation & Networking



Student Engagement

100%
Participation
Rate

Global Mobility International Engagement & Student Mobility

Student participation in prestigious international forums across Asia

Global Reach



Participation

Overview

Total



4

Events
Countries

4

Visited
Student

4

Participants

Asian Dialogue

Bangkok, Thailand

Participant

ts:

Denis Zhuchkov (Russia)

October
2025



Samara Interregional UN Model Game

Samara, Russia

Participant

ts:

Preap Chantharith
(Cambodia)

Raisiya Rakhmawati
(Indonesia)

May
2025



APEC Youth Engagement Workshop

Taipei, Taiwan

Theme: Connectivity, Partnership, and Opportunities

Participant: Alisa Brachunova (Russia)

July
2025



ASEAN Foundation Model ASEAN Meeting

Jakarta, Indonesia

Event: AFMAM East Asia Summit 2025 (AFMAM EAS 2025)

Participant: Denis Zhuchkov (Russia)

September
2025



Promotion & Outreach Activities

MGIMO Events

MGIMO Open Days
March 24, 2025
Campus tour & programme introduction

Programme Presentation
April 23, 2025
Detailed curriculum & career prospects

Digital Presence

- Short promotional videos
- Social media campaigns
- News & blog posts

International Exhibitions

HEPCON Jakarta

September 26-27, 2025

Educational Exhibition in Indonesia

Presenter: Ms. Kira Tabunova, ASEAN Centre Expert

Business Trips

- ✓ Vietnam (February)
- ✓ Indonesia (April, September)
- ✓ Laos (October)
- ✓ Thailand (October)



MGIMO Days 2026

Vietnam

January-February 2026

Hanoi

Laos

January-February 2026

Vientiane

Indonesia

January-February 2026

Jakarta

Outreach Impact

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Countries

8+

Events

Application 2026: Scholarships & Requirements

Comprehensive scholarship opportunities for ASEAN citizens



Scholarships Available
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Full scholarships
Exclusively for ASEAN citizens

Application Timeline

Application Period

All documents must be submitted by July 31, 2026

March 1 - July 31

Online Application Portal

master.mqimc.ru/

Scholarship Benefits

- Full Tuition Coverage**
Complete waiver of all academic fees
- Airfare Coverage**
Round-trip from ASEAN country to Moscow
- Dormitory Accommodation**
provided

Required Documents

- Curriculum Vitae (CV)
- Motivation Letter
- Two Recommendation Letters
- Official Transcripts
- Language Certificates
- Passport Copy + Translation
- Apostilled & Legalized Diploma

Future Prospects & Strategic Outlook

Building sustainable ASEAN-Russia academic partnerships

Growing Interest

Rising Demand in ASEAN

Increasing applications from Southeast Asian countries reflecting growing interest in Russia-ASEAN relations expertise

Institutional Partnerships

Strengthening collaborations with ASEAN and Russian universities and research institutions for joint programmes



Language Capacity Building

MGIMO Graduates

New cohorts with specialized training in Southeast Asian languages (Indonesian, Thai, Vietnamese)

Collaboration with MSU & HSE

Partnership with Moscow State University and Higher School of Economics

Challenges & Mitigation

Challenge: More complex migration procedures affecting student mobility



Building Bridges Between ASEAN and Russia

Together, we are shaping the future of ASEAN-Russia relations
through education, research, and academic excellence



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Current
Students



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Graduates 2025



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Countries

Thank you for your attention



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