

REVIEW

**on the educational and scientific program "International Law"
of specialty 293 "International Law", field of knowledge
29 "International Relations" for the preparation of applicants for
the degree of Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) at the third (educational
and scientific) level of higher education, developed by
the Department of International Law and Comparative Law
of the National Aviation University**

The review of the educational and scientific program for the preparation of candidates for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) at the third (educational and scientific) level of higher education at the postgraduate school of the National Aviation University shows that it is well structured, in particular, covering the main key issues of modern international law. The program is characterized by a logical structure and consistency, since at the initial stage the focus is on mastering general theoretical issues, as well as mastering those subjects that ensure the acquisition of the basic competencies of a future scientist and, in fact, prepare the applicant for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy to conduct their own scientific research and perform dissertation research.

On the positive side, it should be noted that the structure of the educational and research program pays considerable attention to the study of foreign languages by applicants, in particular, the acquisition of systemic language competencies in the field of international law.

In general, it is worth noting that the educational and scientific program demonstrates an interesting approach to the differentiation of academic disciplines in accordance with the specialization, as well as the fact that applicants for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) of the third (educational and scientific) level of higher education in graduate school are given the right to choose individual subjects and courses, which is in line with the best practices of European universities.

Additionally, it should be noted that in some specializations, the educational and scientific program covers a range of scientific problems and disciplines that were

previously characteristic of specialized higher education institutions, which indicates the adaptability of this educational and scientific program to modern realities and the needs of government agencies and other legal institutions of the state.

In view of the above, I believe that this educational and scientific program is complete and perfect, contains all the necessary fundamental features and complex elements necessary for the preparation of applicants for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) at the third (educational and scientific) level of higher education at the National Aviation University.

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