

NATIONAL RESEARCH UNIVERSITY "HIGHER SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS"
Faculty of Economic Sciences

PORTFOLIO REQUIREMENTS

**For International applicants for
master's degree program
Statistical analysis in economics**

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Portfolio Composition and assessment for international applicants of the graduate masters program “Statistical Analysis in Economics”

| Portfolio section | Content | Maximum score |
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| Questionnaire | Application submitted through the personal account of an international applicant for a master's degree program | 0 |
| Resume/CV | Resume (including education, list of publications, research experience, information about participation in research projects, conferences, student schools, research grants, language proficiency and other academic achievements). Resume can be written in Russian or English language | 20 |
| Motivation letter | Up to two A4 pages of printed text in Russian or English, which must reflect: a) the reasons why the candidate wants to study in this master’s program; b) professional plans for the future | 10 |
| Higher education diploma and transcript | If such a document is available at the time of application, a copy is provided with a list of disciplines studied and the grades obtained. In case of diploma absence the applicant provides the most recent transcript | 10 |
| Confirmation of mathematical training at bachelor's level | Based on transcripts with grades the availability and success of math undergraduate courses is assessed: probability theory, statistics, econometrics, stochastic processes (probability theory, statistics, econometrics, stochastic processes). | 20 |
| Valid international language certificates | A certificate is not needed if the previous level of study was carried out in English | 10 |
| Scientific publications, presentations at scientific seminars/conferences and other academic achievements | List of publications in scientific and professional journals, collections, conferences, etc. indicating the last and first name of the author and the title of the publication. Diplomas and | |

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| | certificates confirming other academic achievements of the applicant | 15 |
| Recommendations letters | Written recommendations from the supervisor, teachers, employers, in Russian or English | 5 |
| Interview | Can be carried out by decision of the admission committee to clarify the final grade, assess the English language proficiency | 10 |
| TOTAL | | 100 |