

List of documents for passing the entrance examination in the form of competitive selection (portfolio) for foreign citizens entering through a separate competition, and criteria for evaluating the portfolio.

**Master’s Programme “Social Analysis of Markets on Digital and Survey Data”**

<b>Portfolio’s element</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Gradings</b> (100-points scale)
<i>Mandatory documents</i>		
CV	The goal is to show professional experience. A list of research projects in which the applicant took part, and other academic achievements must be provided.	10
Motivation letter	A free-form text indicating expectations from studying in the program, reasons for choosing this program, plans for employment after completing the program, etc.	10
A copy of a document confirming the level of education	Including final grades for all courses completed.	10
Letters of recommendation (from employer and/or supervisor)	Maximum points can be obtained by providing at least 2 recommendations.	10
Essay	In an <b>analytical essay</b> , the applicant, based on primary or secondary empirical data, must explain the socio-economic dilemma through the prism of an economic-sociological approach.	40
<i>Documents that may be included in the portfolio</i>		
Copies of documents confirming the presence of scientific publications, presentations at scientific seminars/conferences	Scientific publications, presentations at scientific seminars/conferences.	7
Copies of additional educational documents (advanced training, courses, professional certificates, etc.)	Certificates of participation in Winter and Summer schools, expeditions. Certificates of victory in scientific work competitions. Confirmation of scholarships and grants. Other available certificates.	3
Valid certificates indicating the level of foreign language proficiency	Any certificates obtained in Russia or abroad, as well as information on completing training courses in foreign	10

	languages, internships abroad, etc.	
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