List of documents for the admission examination in the form of a competitive selection (portfolio) for international applicants in a separate competition, and criteria for evaluating the portfolio

Portfolio section	Description	Maximum number of points (total of 100)
Required documents (mandatory)		
Motivation Letter	Up to two pages of A4 text in Russian or English, which must reflect: a) reasons why the candidate wants to study at this Master's program; b) professional plans for the future.	10
Copy of the 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 most recent transcript with grades is provided.	10
Letter of Recommendation	Written recommendations from the supervisor, teachers, employers, in Russian or English.	5
CV	Resume /CV, including education, list of publications, research experience, information about participation in research projects, conferences, student schools, research grants, language proficiency and other academic achievements. Can be written in Russian or English language.	20
Additional documents (optional)		
Interview	Can be carried out by decision of the admission committee to clarify the final grade and assess the English language proficiency.	10
Valid English Proficiency Test Certificates	A certificate is not needed if the previous level of study was carried out in English.	10
Research Papers, conference and research workshops presentations	List of publications in scientific or professional journals, articles and abstracts in collections of papers, conferences, collections of student works, etc., including the name of the author and the title of the paper.	15
Copies of additional educational documents	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

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