

**DISCIPLINE DESCRIPTION**  
**"Introduction to Political Theory"**

1	Specialized module	Introduction to Political Theory
2	Specialty	1-23 01 06 "political science"
3	Course of Study	1
4	Semester	1-2
5	Credit units	2
6	Degree, title, full name of lectures	Senior lecturer Soltys E.
7	Objectives	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- to comprehensively and systematically address the issues studied by political sciences and provide a holistic knowledge of the political processes taking place in modern society;</li> <li>- to develop the student's personality as a citizen, a professional political scientist with a developed political thinking;</li> <li>- to develop a solid base of political knowledge based on the study of the achievements of world and national political thought.</li> </ul>
8	Prerequisites	Political Science
9	Syllabus	Political science as a field of scientific knowledge. Theory and methodology of political science. Politics and its substantial properties. The political system of society: concept, structure and functions. Political institutions. Political processes. Non-institutional policy framework. International political processes.
10	References	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Денисюк Н.П., Гречнева Е.Ф. Введение в политическую теорию: - Минск : Вышэйшая школа, 2019.</li> <li>2. Мельник, В. А. Политология: пособие / В. А. Мельник. – Минск: Вышэйшая школа, 2018.</li> <li>3. Мельник, В.А. Государственная идеология. Понятие, элементы, функции. / В.А.Мельник. – Мн.: Книжный Дом, 2002.</li> <li>4. Решетников, С.В. Политология / Н.П.Денисюк, С.В.Решетников и др.; под ред. С.В. Решетникова. – Мн.: НТООО Тетра Системс, 2013. - 432 с.</li> </ol>
11	Teaching Methods	Explanatory-illustrative, reproductive, partial-research, comparative, problematic, dialogue-heuristic, research, generalizing, analytical.
12	Tuition Language	Russian