Learning Outcomes

After completing their study program, graduates of the Department of International and European Studies will be able to:

- acknowledge and describe their advanced knowledge they have acquired in the field of International and European Studies
- substantiate opinions and theoretical approaches resulting from modern developments in the fields of International and European Studies.
- apply targeted skills, using both rationality and critical thinking, as well as the tools they have acquired through their studies by demonstrating skill and innovation, initiative and resourcefulness, foresight and assessment of opportunities and risks, and face and resolve complex and unpredictable contemporary problems that arise within their specialized field of study
- distinguish and synthesize the evolutionary dynamics of their scientific knowledge field and contemporary International and European, institutional, political and economic developments
- promote, analyze and capitalize on their acquired knowledge in order to apply it expertly in various subjects in the fields of international and European Studies or in their professional field.
- properly apply the acquired tools and appropriate analytical techniques in the investigation and drawing of conclusions on the main issues of international relations/foreign policy, negotiations/conflicts, international and European institutional issues, international trade, European policies, international economy, international and European financial institutions and banking consolidation
- manage, plan using interdisciplinary research methods and strategically implement complex technical or professional activities or work plans, with responsibility for formulating and making decisions in unpredictable and diverse work or study environments (national, international /European, public administration, private sector)
- take responsibility for managing the professional organization and development of individuals and teams
- to analyze and interpret the interactions in the complex international system, state actions, balances and normative behaviors, international political decisions, international crises, the actions of international markets and financial institutions, the interdependent modern world in order to form judgments that involve reflection and feedback on relevant social, political, scientific or ethical issues
- evaluate information and formulate ideas and solutions and be able to support them to both specialized and non-specialized audiences and also to work and communicate in a foreign language
- develop knowledge acquisition skills which are necessary to pursue 2nd (master's) or 3rd (doctoral studies) cycle of Higher Education either in Greece or abroad, demonstrating autonomy, innovation, scientific integrity and a firm commitment to the formation of new ideas and approaches

The expected learning outcomes of the undergraduate programme correspond to the qualifications of the 1st cycle of the European Higher Education Area (EHEA) as well as level 6 of the European Qualifications Framework (EQF) and the National Qualifications Framework (NQF). The intended learning outcomes are specified by the faculty members/instructors or persons in charge of each educational/learning activity and are clearly defined together with the methods and the criteria for evaluation in all course outlines, within the framework of the maximum possible transparency.

To ensure the coherence of the Programme, the faculty members responsible for teaching seek the connection and relevance between intended learning outcomes, teaching/learning approaches and assessment methods/techniques. This framework is a basic condition for ensuring the quality of the programme provided. Regarding the degree of achievement of the learning outcomes of the Department's undergraduate programme, the Department distributes questionnaires to final year students of the Department, which include detailed questions on the quality of the undergraduate programme and the degree of achievement of the learning results.

In addition, in the context of the Internship, the cooperating scientific, social and economic bodies that offer the internships deliver to the Internship manager an Evaluation Report, where their degree of satisfaction is recorded as well as suggestions for improvement.