Da te	Lecture topics	Topics of practical classes	Topics for independent work (essays or abstracts)
	1. Methodological foundations of regional studies	Methodological foundations of regional studies	The main periods of the formation and development of regional studies. Religious factor in the development of world civilization. The world-system effect of globalization Development of geopolitical and political-geographical ideas. Fundamentals of geopolitics and political geography.
	2. Geographical characteristics of the world	2. Regional characteristics of the world	Sovereign state and non-state entities within the world system. Political map of the world and its changes. Geography of political parties. Geospace and territory. Geographical and geopolitical position of the country.
	3. General characteristics of countries European Union	3. Regional characteristics of France and Germany	Subregions of Europe, their characteristics. History of European integration. Legal foundations of EU economic integration. Legal foundations of common regional and migration policy. Regional characteristics of Austria. Geographical description of Greece. Regional characteristics of Italy. Regional characteristics of Spain. Regional characteristics of Portugal. Peculiarities of Scandinavian law.
	4. Regional characteristics of the Great Britain	4. Regional characteristics of the Great Britain	British Commonwealth of Nations.
	5. Countries Central and Southeastern Europe	5. Geographical characteristics of Switzerland	Regional characteristics of the countries of the Balkan Peninsula. Regional characteristics of Poland. Regional characteristics of Romania.
	6. Regional characteristics of Turkic countries	6. Regional characteristics of Turkey	Geographical characteristics of Azerbaijan Regional characteristics of Kazakhstan.
	7. Geographical characteristics of the countries of the Middle East	7. Geographical characteristics of Israel	Geographical characteristics of the UAE. Geographical description of Saudi Arabia.

		Geographical description of Syria. Geographical description of Jordan.
8. Geographical characteristics of countries Southeast Asia	8. Geographical characteristics of China.	Features of the legal status of Macau. Political and legal status of Taiwan. Geographical characteristics of Singapore. Geographical description of Vietnam. Regional characteristics of Thailand.
	9. Geographical characteristics of Japan	Geographical description of India Geographical description of North Korea. Geographical characteristics of South Korea.
9. Geographical characteristics of the USA and Canada	10. Geographical characteristics of the United States of America	Geographical description of Canada.
10. Geographical characteristics of countries Latin America	11. Geographical characteristics of Brazil	Geographical description of Mexico. Geographical description of Chile. Geographical description of Argentina Geographical description of Cuba.
11. Geographical characteristics of African countries	12. Geographical characteristics of Egypt	Geographical description of Algeria. Regional characteristics of Morocco. Regional characteristics of South Africa.
12. Geographical characteristics of countries Australia, New Zealand and Oceania	13. Geographical description of Australia.	Geographical description of New Zealand. Geographical description of Oceania.