

**STRATEGY OF TRAINING INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS IN IVANO-FRANKIVSK
NATIONAL TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY OF OIL AND GAS**

"The strategy of improving the quality of foreign students training in IFNTUOG" which is based on "The IFNTUOG Development Strategy for 2014-2020 (conceptual provisions)" anticipates a significant increase in the contingent of foreign citizens in IFNTUOG and the provision of high quality of training for bachelors, masters, candidates and doctors from the foreign citizens on the basis of the measures, mentioned below:

№	Tasks	Responsible	Terms
1	To intensify the marketing work on international cooperation together with advertising and information support on the application of foreign students for the study, both with the participation of CISES and the participation of schools, institutes and departments.	CISES, faculties, institutes and departments	
2	To activate the work on the participation of universities in educational projects and international educational exhibitions in the countries from which foreign citizens may arrive with education and internship purposes.		
3	To inform the future international students about the requirements on their educational level at the main professional disciplines according to the level of secondary education in Ukraine.	CISES	
4	To determine the educational level of international students at the basic professional disciplines in the countries from which the main contingent of international students comes.	CISES	
5	To develop measures in order to ensure the growth of the contingent of international postgraduate students in the university by enhancing the work of all the departments, supervisors on the basis of special system/	CISES, faculties, institutes and departments	Not less than 3 persons annually beginning from 2014-2015 academic year
6	To determine by the Heads of Department of the University the Master's thesis topics (PhD theses) in accordance with the topicality the countries from which students arrived.	Departments	Till 1.05.2014
7	To create an effective system for the study of international students in two languages: Ukrainian and English from first year to the moment they obtain bachelor's degree, or master's degree. For this purpose:		
	– To form the foundation of foreign language professional literature due to the establishment of contacts with book donor organizations	library, CISES	constantly

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	– The departments shall form a complete set of educational and methodological materials in English using their own groundworks and available foreign language educational materials	Departments	
	– to provide the international students with the help of the Scientific and Technical University Library with educational and methodological materials: textbooks, manuals, Internet (including the hostels) together with English textbooks on fundamental and professionally oriented disciplines	library	constantly
	– To organize English courses for teachers and their testing according to the techniques developed by the Department of Philology and Translation in order to provide the international students with adequate training in English;	university administration, CISES, PhT department	February 2014
	– To engage students of the Translation Department in the performance of individual classes with teachers, who learn English, design of lectures and guidelines within the translation and teaching practices	university administration, PhT department	February-May 2014
	– To stipulate clearly in the contract (agreement) between IFNTUOG and international student the language / languages of instruction;	CISES	constantly
	– □ when selecting Ukrainian language of instruction to involve the international student in the learning process together with Ukrainian students;	CISES, faculties, institutes	constantly
	– when choosing English language training to create separate groups for professional purposes with an established number of international students in these groups: 12-15 persons	CISES, faculties, institutes	constantly
	– to develop a system of teachers stimulation that provides the educational process in English	university administration, planning and finance department	constantly
8	Each faculty / institute shall determine at least two professional training directions, where bachelors, masters training can be carried out in English	faculties, institutes, departments	2014-2015
9	Develop flexible pricing, taking into consideration the following factors:	CISES, faculties, institutes, planning	annually till the 15 of December

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – languages of training / Ukrainian and English; – situation on the international and Ukrainian education market about training specialists in a particular specialty; – suggestions of departments, faculties and institutes 	and finance department	
10	To activate the work with the international graduates together with the creation of graduates databases, organization of postgraduate courses(internships), invitations to conferences, development of common projects, etc.	CISES, departments	constantly
11	To involve international students in the participation in "Double Degree"? which is implemented in IFNTUOG together with foreign partner universities	departments	constantly
12	To develop a system for monitoring students attendance, and the quality of the performance of educational tasks (passing credits, exams, certifications, writing of bachelor`s, master's works) with the implementation of principles of rewards and punishments	departments	constantly
13	To form an international, tolerant student community in IFNTUOG due to:	CISES, dean's offices, institutes	constantly
	– Involvement of international students in work at students government;	dean's offices, institutes	constantly
	– Involvement of international students in work at Scientific councils of faculties / institutes;	dean's offices, institutes	constantly
	– The support of international students compatriot associations of foreign students;	CISES	constantly
	– The creation of an international student board "EduCare"	CISES	constantly
	– The organization of the international student club "Druzhba" where participate Ukrainian and international students	CISES	constantly
	– Carrying out the Days of National Cultures;	CISES	constantly
	– The attraction of international students to participation in sports, amateur art activities, different cultural events	Department of Physical Education, leisure center	constantly
14	To take steps in the recognition of the diplomas, obtained by international students, postgraduate students who studied in IFNTUOG, abroad	University administration, CISES, кафедри	constantly
15	In the partnership with other universities in Ukraine (by agreement) to establish a system of testing international citizens in order to determine their	CISES	

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	knowledge of the Ukrainian language in accordance with the 6-grade Common European Framework of Reference for Languages		
16	To expand the range and types of educational services for international students (full, inclusive education, internship, practice, lessons of Ukrainian and other languages, history, and culture of Ukraine, short-term specialized courses, etc.) with the appropriate information - advertising component	dean's offices, institutes	constantly
17	To improve the conditions of international students accommodation in the campus of IFNTUOG, using for that purpose all funds received as payment for the international students accommodation at the campus according to a separate annual estimate	economic complex, the management of campus	constantly
18	To maintain a positive image of IFNTUOG among the international students, to improve the territory of IFNTUOG and surrounding area, to redecorate the hostel #7	economic complex, the management of campus	constantly
19	To perform a regular work of prevention of crimes, made by international students, and against them.	economic complex, the management of campus, CISES	constantly
20	To create a safe environment for the international students staying at the territory of IFNTUOD due to the efficient security service	economic complex, the management of campus	constantly
21	To process documents in time in order to provide the international students with proper health care, prevention of diseases	CISES	constantly
22	To activate the work of Embassy of Ukraine in foreign countries and foreign embassies in Ukraine, the work of Centers, companies, and other official agencies which deal with the assigning the citizens of their countries for the study at foreign universities, by the signing corresponding agreements.	CISES	
23	To create educational and scientific supporting organizations of IFNTUOG at the basis of foreign partner universities with the organization of IFNTUOG teachers` work at the following organizations, including language training of the interlational students for the study in IFNTUOG	CISES	
24	To establish effective cooperation with the state authorities of Ukraine to ensure the implementation international students of IFNTUOG the legislative requirements regarding passport and visa requirements, provisions of the Law of Ukraine "On	CISES	

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	Legal Status of Foreigners and Stateless Persons".		
25	To extend the premises, to complement them with necessary facilities and to increase the staff of CESIS.		
26	To allocate premises for International Student Board "EduCare"		
27	To include in the plan of construction works the overhaul of CESIS premises		
28	To conduct explanatory work among the students on the issues of energy saving, to hold registration of electric devices in the agreement on settlement.		