



## 44.04.01 PEDAGOGICAL EDUCATION (LANGUAGE TEACHING IN THE MODERN DIGITAL ERA)

**General Locations** Southern Federal University

**All Locations** Taganrog, Russia

**Duration** 2 years

**Portfolio Application Deadline** March, 2023 – June, 2023

**All Languages** English

**Study Type** Campus / Distant

**Pace** Full-time

**Head of the program:** Yulia Privalova , Candidate of Pedagogical Sciences, Head of the Linguistic Department of the Institute of Management in Economic, Ecological and Social Systems (SFedU)

*The best way to enroll is to participate in the portfolio competition. This way is highly recommended. You are requested to present*

1. Motivation letter.

Motivational letter should disclose the reasons for choosing this master's program and the goals that the applicant sets for himself/herself when studying for this master's program. The recommended size of a cover letter is 1-2 pages.

Criteria of evaluation for a motivational letter:

- **Topics:** «Why do I want to study at Southern Federal University?» ;
- expectation of the goals and expected learning outcomes in the magistracy, plans for scientific activities carried out during training, CV (brief description of life and professional skills);
- justification of the choice of the Southern Federal University as a place of study;
- substantiation of the choice of a master's program and its connection with current or future professional (research) activities, a link to an open repository with previous project or projects.

2. Essay. Essay requirements: No less than 2 pages of the A4 format. Margins: left - 30 mm, right, top, bottom - 20 mm. Font - Times New Roman, 14 pt., line space 1.5.

**Choose one topic from below.:**

- The modern approach to language teaching.
  - Modern education as a phenomenon of modern culture.
  - The role of a teacher in a digital era.
  - The emergence of digital pedagogy.
  - Digital language teaching strategies.
3. Documents confirming scientific and professional achievements of the applicant (certificates, diplomas, letters of recommendation).
4. Language proficiency certificate: IELTS 5.0-6.0, TOEFL (iBT) 57 – 86 (online version); TOEFL (PBT) 487 – 566 (paper version); Cambridge Tests PET Preliminary.

If you do not score the required number of points (40), you still have an opportunity to enter the university by taking entrance examinations in August, 2023.

## Program Description

The program is focused on training students to carry out pedagogical activities in the design and implementation of basic and additional educational programs in the field of language education using modern digital educational technologies and taking into account domestic and international educational standards and practices.

All disciplines are taught by professors, associate professors and senior lecturers of the Southern Federal University. Leading faculty members have regular internships at universities in Great Britain, Germany, Austria, the Netherlands and the USA. Part of the disciplines is conducted by visiting professors from the USA, Great Britain, Spain, Chile, and India. In total, eight visiting professors are currently working in the department.

## Advantages

- The program is realised in English.
- Developing competencies that combine pedagogical and digital technologies.
- Practical orientation of the acquired knowledge, skills and competencies.
- Participation in academic mobility programs.
- Interdisciplinary approach to teaching

## Career prospects

- work in schools;
- pedagogical colleges, advanced training centers for educators, system of additional professional education;
- become an expert tutor;
- choose a research track and start a scientific career.

## Key competencies of graduates

- ability to carry out professional activities in the digital information and educational environment;
- ability to design and organise the educational process in educational organisations of various levels and types;
- ability to develop and implement educational programs of various levels and directions based on modern approaches to teaching;
- skills of critical evaluation of the proposed options for management decisions in the field of international business

## Basic modules

### 1<sup>st</sup> semester

- Teaching Foreign Languages and Cultures: Theory and Practice
- Modern Educational Technologies in Language Teaching
- Contemporary Issues of Science and Education
- Introduction to Computer Science

- Project Activity Module
- Foreign Language for Professional Communication
- Management and Leadership in Education
- Digital Era Teacher / Corpus-based Language Teaching
- Public Speaking

#### **2<sup>nd</sup> semester**

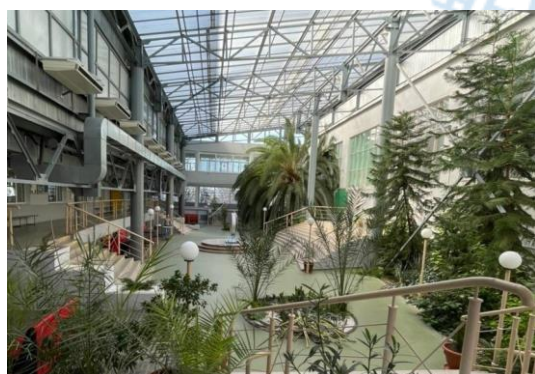
- Teaching Foreign Languages and Cultures: Theory and Practice
- Modern Educational Technologies in Language Teaching
- Introduction to Computer Networks and Cybersecurity
- Project Activity Module
- Foreign Language for Professional Communication
- Course Design and Materials Development
- Educational Practice (Research)
- The World of Russia in the Global Context

#### **3<sup>rd</sup> semester**

- Teaching Foreign Languages and Cultures: Theory and Practice
- Foreign Language for Professional Communication
- Management of Educational Institution
- Online Technologies in Course Design
- Course Design and Materials Development
- EU-Russia-Asia Political Cooperation and Prospects of Relations / Project Management and Business Models
- Industrial Practice (Technology Project)

#### **4<sup>th</sup> semester**

- Industrial Practice (Pedagogy)
- Industrial Practice (Research)
- Preparation for the Defense Procedure and Defense of the Final Qualifying Work



# Academics



**Yulia Vladimirovna Privalova**

Course Director

