

## **International Financial Security Olympiad**

According to the instructions of Vladimir Putin the President of the Russian Federation, the Ministry of Science and Higher Education of the Russian Federation, the Ministry of Education of the Russian Federation and the Federal Financial Monitoring Service of the Russian Federation the International Olympiad Financial Security Olympiad is held annually.

The International Financial Security Olympiad is aimed at popularizing financial security as a norm of life, as well as at forming a new type of thinking among young people: from the financial security of the individual to the security of the state.

The participants of the Olympiad can be: Bachelor, Specialist and Master students enrolled in higher education institutions of Russia, Armenia, Belarus, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan, BRICS states and far abroad.

In 2022 the Olympiad gathered about 40 thousand participants, and 500 finalists arrived at the "Sirius" federal territory in Sochi, Russia. Master classes, business games, and a large number of sports competitions were held for all participants. Students from Brazil, India, South Africa and China took an active part in all the events.

Due to the growing interest in the International Financial Security Olympiad among a number of states the geography of participating countries was expanded in 2023. The following countries have joined the BRICS states: Algeria, Venezuela, Vietnam, Iran, Cuba, Namibia, Pakistan. It is worth noting that the list of the Olympiad tasks based on the main educational programs of higher education has been expanded for foreign students, which, in addition to jurisprudence, includes: economics; international relations, foreign regional studies; mathematics, applied mathematics and computer science, applied mathematics, mathematics and computer science, fundamental computer science and information technology, computer science and computer engineering, applied computer science, information security, business informatics.

In 2023 the Olympiad will be held in four stages:

- Invitation stage April 2023
- Preliminary (university) stage May 2023
- Qualifying stage August 2023
- Final stage October 2-6, 2023

**Registration for the preliminary (university) stage,** which is held online, **starts on April 17, 2023** (<u>rosfinolymp.ru</u>). The final stage will be held offline at the "Sirius" federal territory in Sochi, Russia.

Rector of the Peoples' Friendship University of Russia O.A. Yastrebov noted the special international status of the Olympiad: "Considering the international status of the Olympiad, as well as the increased interest of participants from foreign states, the materials of the Olympiad tasks have been prepared in several languages. In addition, it is assumed that all events within the framework of the International Financial Security Olympiad will be available in English."

Thank you for your interest! We are waiting for you at the International Financial Security Olympiad!

