Peter the Great St. Petersburg Polytechnic University National Research University



MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ELECTRONICS AND NANOELECTRONICS

KEY FACTS Admission Candidates are required to hold a Bachelor in Physics, Applied Physics, Material Science requirements or similar. A background in solid state or semiconductor physics is highly preferable. All applicants must demonstrate English required to hold a Bachelor in Physics, Applied Physics, Material Science or similar. A background in solid state or semiconductor physics is highly preferable. All applicants must demonstrate English proficiency at B+ level. Admission tests Examination in the field of physics and interview with the program coordinator (optional via Skype). Admission Written on-line application. Application deadline – June, 30. procedure The additional information is available at the official web-site http://eng.spbstu.ru/. Program starts September, 1 Program duration Total workload 120 ECTS Degrees awarded Master of Science (MSc) for Russian students — 150 000 RUB / year for foreign students — 210 000 RUB / year Tuition fee

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PHOTONICS AND NANOELECTRONICS

International Master's Degree Program in English

Key information about the study program in Saint-Petersburg, Russia



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Why Master's degree program in Photonics and Nanoelectronics at Peter the Great St. Petersburg Polytechnic University?

• Nowadays the main feature of electronics development is the high rate of realization of scientific ideas into industrial products. The Program Photonics and Nanoelectronics provides students with knowledge and skills required for the implementation of physical principles into electronic and photonic devices.

• The Program combines profound knowledge of physics and mathematics with practical skills to build a chain planning – designing – industry – application.

• Graduates of the Program are ready for quick adaptation to work in a research team.

• The Program "Photonics and Nanoelectronics" gives the students an opportunity to apply their knowledge and perform research projects in scientific or industrial environment.









Peter the Great St. Petersburg Polytechnic University

SPbPU was founded in the year of 1899 and since then it has been one of the Russian leaders in the field of physics, mathematics and higher engineering education. Nobel Prize winners Peter Kapitsa, Nikolay Semenov, Zhores Alferov are just a few names among hundreds of talented scientists whose activities are connected with Polytechnic University.

Institute of Physics, Nanotechnology and Telecommunications, founded in 2013 after the reorganization of SPbPU, includes 3 study areas: Physics and Nanotechnologies, Electronics and Telecommunications, and Medical Physics and Bioengineering. The scientific guide of the Institute is Nobel Prize winner academician Zhores Alferov. Focus areas of research at the Institute include nanotechnology, biotechnology, materials physics, high energy physics, laser physics, integrated optics, telecommunications and others.

Curriculum Year 1, 60 ECTS

1st semester	
▶ Core courses, 16 ECTS	 Computer technology in scientific research, 2 ECTS Optical waves in crystals, 2 ECTS Optical properties of semiconductors, 3 ECTS Electron transport phenomena in semiconductor nanostructures, 3 ECTS Epitaxial growth of nanostructures, 3 ECTS Dimensional quantization phenomena, 3 ECTS
 Elective courses, 2 ECTS 	 Electronic paramagnetic resonance: fundamentals and applications/Physics of disordered nanosystems, 2 ECTS
► Scientific and rese	arch work, 8 ECTS
2nd semester	
▶ Core courses, 15 ECTS	 Methods of mathematical modeling, 2 ECTS Actual aspects of modern electronics and nanoelectronics. Basics of nanotechnologies, 3 ECTS Design and technology of electronic components, 5 ECTS Fundamentals of modern techniques to study nanomaterials and nanostructures, 2 ECTS Semiconductor lasers, 3 ECTS
► Elective	Photonic glasses/Fractals and chaos in condensed matter 2 ECTS

courses, 6.5 ECTS	 matter, 2 ÉCTS Seminar on nanoelectronics /Seminar on nanophotonics, 1.5 ECTS Semiconductor devices / Plasmonics, 3 ECTS 	
▶ Research and training, 12.5 ECTS	 Scientific and research work, 8 ECTS Professional training, 4.5 ECTS 	

Year 2, 60 ECTS

3rd semester		
Core courses, 15 ECTS	History and methodology of electronics, 4 ECTS Optical phenomena in nanostructures, 4 ECTS Nanophotonics, 4 ECTS Wide-band semiconductors, 3 ECTS	
► Elective courses, 5.5 ECTS	Seminar on nanophotonics /Seminar on nanoelectronics, 2.5 ECTS Ultracompact light sources and controllers / Optical waveguides and microresonators, 3 ECTS	
Research and trair	ning, 8 ECTS	

4th semester		
▶ Trainings, 25.5 ECTS	 Professional training, 21 ECTS Teaching training, 1,5 ECTS Master's Theses training, 3 ECTS 	

Master's Thesis completion, 6 ECTS

MSc in Electronics and Nanoelectronics

Objective of the Program

Photonics and Nanoelectronics are the disciplines that will play a key role in the technology development of the future. The Master's degree program "Photonics and Nanoelectronics" is designed to give students a comprehensive knowledge of the state of the art in experimental techniques and theoretical methods in this area. Major activities are based around modern optics, electronics, laser development, semiconductor physics, and materials technology. Graduates of this course will have acquired a qualification needed to apply their knowledge in a variety of industries and Research & Development centers. Addressed to international audience, the Master's degree program "Photonics and Nanoelectronics" is fully taught in English.



KEY ADVANTAGES

- basic background in the top of modern physics
- excellent analytical, critical and problem solving skills
- chance to undertake a self-study project in an area of your choice
- employment with a variety of careers in industry and ability to
 move on to doctoral studies

Duration and format

2 years, full-time

Total workload

120 ECTS

TEACHING METHODS

The Program offers a wide range of core and optional courses, taught by experts in the field, including lectures, seminars, labs and computer modeling of photonic and nanoelectronic devices. A self-study activity assessed by an oral presentation is intended to encourage initiative and self-sufficiency in the learning process. Research work in international scientific teams and participation in international research projects are also possible.

PROGRAM PARTNERS



Lappeenranta University of Technology, Lappeenranta, Finland Lappeenranta University of Technology (LUT) is a pioneering science university in Finland, bringing together the fields of

science and business since 1969. The international community is composed of approximately 6,500 students and experts engaged in scientific research and academic education. The university is constantly expanding its networks in both the business and the academic community.



University of Eastern Finland, Joensuu, Finland

The University of Eastern Finland is a multidisciplinary university, which offers teaching in more than

100 major subjects. The university's key interdisciplinary research areas are built around four global challenges: Ageing, lifestyles and health; Learning in a digitised society; Cultural encounters, mobilities and borders; and Environmental change and sufficiency of natural resources. The university has extensive international relations and it is involved in several international networks. The University of Eastern Finland seeks to be among the leading 200 research universities in the world.



Aalto University

Aalto University, Helsinki, Finland

Aalto University was created as a merger of three leading Finnish universities: the Helsinki University of Technology (established 1849), the Helsinki School of Economics (established 1904), and the University of Art and Design Helsinki (established 1871). The university comprises six schools with over 19,000

students and 5,000 staff members, thus being Finland's third-largest university. Aalto University is all about cross-disciplinary projects and learning in practice. Aalto University works towards a better world through top-quality research, interdisciplinary collaboration, pioneering education, surpassing traditional boundaries, and enabling renewal.