

ECONOMIC GEOGRAPHY OF TRANSPORT

(course title)

COURSE SYLLABUS ABSTRACT of education institution

Speciality 6-05-1042-01 «Transport logistics»
Profiling Regional transport and logistics systems

	STUDY MODE	
	Full-time	Part-time (shortened program)
Year	3	3
Semester	5	5
Lectures, hours	16	4
Practical classes, hours	16	2
In-class test, semester (hours)		5 (2 hours)
Test, semester	5	-
Classroom hours per academic discipline	32	8
Independent study, hours	76	100
Total course duration in hours / credit units	108/3	

1. Course outline

Theoretical Foundations of the Economic Geography of Transport. Geographical position of the Republic of Belarus. Geography of railway transport of the Republic of Belarus. Geography of road transport of the Republic of Belarus. Geography of river transport of the Republic of Belarus. Geography of aviation transport of the Republic of Belarus. Geography of pipeline transport of the Republic of Belarus. Assessment of the provision of the territory of the Republic of Belarus with a transport network. The impact of production on the geography of transport. Geography of passenger traffic. Geography of foreign economic relations of the Republic of Belarus with foreign partners. Geography of world transport.

2. Course learning outcomes

Upon completion of the course, students will be expected to

know:

- natural resource potential of the Republic of Belarus;
- location of the country's production forces and their impact on the development of transport;
- geography of communication routes, waterworks and highways;
- transport complex and its components;
- prospects for economic development of the regions of the Republic of Belarus;
- the geography of foreign economic relations, their role in the economy.

be able to:

- navigate the cartographic material;
- use statistical data on the development of the production forces of the regions;
- possess the knowledge necessary for the analysis of the transport market in the field of material circulation.

possess:

- maps of railways and highways of the Republic of Belarus;
- a physical map of the Republic of Belarus and neighboring countries, a political and administrative map of the Republic of Belarus.

3. Competencies

To master the basic concepts of the economic geography of transport in order to choose the ways for the development of the transport complex.

4. Requirements and forms of midcourse evaluation and summative assessment

The current certification is carried out in the form of ongoing academic performance monitoring (TKU), which is performed in the form of individual assignments, control papers and test assignments. The form of the interim assessment (PA) is a test.