

Division: *Institute of Media, Social Sciences and Humanities*

Academic programme: *50.04.03 History of Art, History of National Art*

Mode of study: *part-time*

Programme length: *2 years and 6 months*

Programme level: *Master's degree*

Language of instruction: *Russian*

Programme description: *Master's degree students are prepared for the activity, which requires in-depth fundamental professional training, including for research work. The professional training is based on such disciplines as the history of art, theory of art, fundamentals of museology, exhibition activities and the expert reviews of works of art, as well as various elective disciplines and practical exercises in museum collections and archives, and exhibition halls. The SUSU Art Gallery, and the Virtual Branch of the Russian Museum Information and Education Centre provide their resources for this programme.*

This programme prepares students for professional activity: research (work in museums, research institutions, libraries, archives); educational (work in secondary, vocational and higher educational institutions); cultural and educational (work in cultural organisations and institutions); expert and analytical (work in art galleries and exhibition halls); and organizational and managerial (work in state administration; local, regional and republican authorities).

Main programme-specific classes:

- *Current Problems of the Methodology and History of Art*
- *Current Problems of the Expert Review and Appraisal of Fine Art*
- *Philosophy of Art*
- *Problems of the History, Sociology and Psychology of Art*

Programme manager:

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