The history of Leo Tolstoy Institute of Philology and Intercultural Communication of Kazan Federal University dates back to 1804, when in conformity with the Charter of Kazan Imperial University was established the Devision of Philologic Studies.
At present Leo Tolstoy Institute of Philology and Intercultural Communication is one of the largest institutes of KFU with about 300 lecturers and academic staff, including 71 Doctors of Science and 188 Candidates of Science, 9 lecturers from foreign countries (Spain, Germany, the USA, the Czech Republic, Turkey, Bulgaria and Poland)
Over 3,000 students, more than 100 postgraduate students and 8 candidates for a Doctor’s degree on 13 scientific specialities study at the Institute.
Every year postgraduate students, external Ph.D. students, candidates for a Doctor’s degree of the Institute defend about 40 Ph.D. theses and theses for a Doctor’s degree.
The Institute comprises 3 academic divisions:
- the Division of Russian and Foreign Philology;
- Gabdulla Tukai Division of Tatar Philology and Culture;
- Higher School of Russian Language and Intercultural Communication
The Institute aims at educating highly qualified and competitive specialists in the field of Philology, Arts and Intercultural Communication.
Innovative facilities, well-equipped computer classes, language laboratories and multimedia rooms are used in teaching students.
ACADEMIC PROGRAMS
PLANNED FOR THE ADMISSION IN 2016
TO THE DIVISION OF RUSSIAN AND FOREIGN PHILOLOGY

BACHELOR’S PROGRAMS

- Applied Philology. Russian Language and Literature
- Foreign Philology. English Language and Literature, Translation Studies
- Foreign Philology. Spanish Language and Literature, Translation Studies
- Pedagogical Education. Russian and English Languages
- Pedagogical Education. Russian Language (distance learning)
- Pedagogical Education. Foreign (French) Language
- Pedagogical Education. Foreign (English) Language and Second Foreign Language
- Pedagogical Education. Foreign (English) Language (distance learning)
ACADEMIC PROGRAMS
PLANNED FOR THE ADMISSION IN 2016
TO THE DIVISION OF RUSSIAN AND FOREIGN PHILOLOGY

MASTER’S PROGRAMS
- Philology. Roman-German Philology
- Philology. Applied Linguistics
- Philology. English Studies, American Studies
- Pedagogical Education. Teaching Russian Language and Literature in Multiethnic Environment
- Pedagogical Education. Multilingual Technologies of Early Childhood Development (distance learning)
ACADEMIC PROGRAMS
PLANNED FOR THE ADMISSION IN 2016
TO GABDULLA TUKAI DIVISION OF
TATAR PHILOLOGY AND CULTURE

BACHELOR’S PROGRAMS

- Philology. Applied Philology. Tatar Language and Literature, Translation Studies with intensive foreign language training
- Pedagogical Education. Native (Tatar) Language and Literature, Foreign (English) Language
- Pedagogical Education. Native (Tatar) Language and Literature (distance learning)
- Pedagogical Education. Music and World Art
- Pedagogical Education. Choreographic Art
- Pedagogical Education. Music (distance learning)
- Professional Training. Interior Design (on-campus and distance learning)
- Design. Design
ACADEMIC PROGRAMS
PLANNED FOR THE ADMISSION IN 2016
TO GABDULLA TUKAI DIVISION OF
TATAR PHILOLOGY AND CULTURE

MASTER’S PROGRAMS

- Philology. Turkic Languages in Intercultural Communication
- Philology. Tatarology
- Philology. Translation Studies. Tatar and English Languages (distance learning)
- Pedagogical Education. Tatar Language and Literature: Modern Teaching Theories and Technologies
- Pedagogical Education. Tatar Language for Business Communication
- Pedagogical Education. Art Education
- History of Art. Theory and History of Art (distance learning)
ACADEMIC PROGRAMS
PLANNED FOR THE ADMISSION IN 2016
TO THE HIGHER SCHOOL OF RUSSIAN LANGUAGE AND INTERCULTURAL COMMUNICATION

BACHELOR’S PROGRAMS
- Linguistics. The Russian Language as a Foreign Language (for foreign students)

MASTER’S PROGRAMS
- Philology. The Russian Language as a Foreign Language
CAREER PROSPECTS FOR THE GRADUATES

Students of the Institute explore the world of language, literature and art, and master professional conference interpreting techniques as well as technical and literary translations from different languages.

Leo Tolstoy Institute of Philology and Intercultural Communication aims to provide its graduates to apply their knowledge in various areas of modern life. Such spheres extend beyond scientific and educational spheres and include social life with primary focus on the media: employment in the media, including television, newspapers, radio and press services, advertising and PR-agencies as well as in public authorities and commercial organizations.
GRADUATES OF THE INSTITUTE

- Fazleeva L.R. is the Assistant of the President of Tatarstan Republic
- Minullina T.I. is the Chief Executive of the Tatarstan Investment Development Agency
- Shaekhov L.M. is the Editor-in-Chief of the Tatar Book Publisher
- Nasyrova A.M. is the Director of the International polylingual kindergarten “Bala-City”
- Osokin D.S. is a prose writer, poet, playwright, scriptwriter, philologist and folklorist
- Ibragimova E.M. is an actress and TV presenter
MAJOR RESEARCH AREAS OF THE INSTITUTE AND ITS COMPONENTS

- Russian linguistic identity in multi-ethnic environment
- The phenomenon of border culture in literature and art
- Cross-cultural determinants of language identity
- Evolution of the language and cultural identity of the Tatar and Turkic people

Language and cultural identity in multi-ethnic environment
PRIORITY RESEARCH AREAS OF THE INSTITUTE

- Quantitative Linguistics
- Neurolinguistics. Clinical Linguistics
Over 10 international research conferences are held annually at the Institute.
The Institute hosts Students’ Scientific Society, more than 20 student scientific clubs, Young Scientists Council
INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION

Main partners:

• Guessen University (Germany)
• Universitat Fribourg (Switzerland)
• University of Paris-III: Sorbonne Nouvelle (France)
• Universidad de Granada (Spain)
• Cambridge University Examination Cwnter (UK)
• State University of New York (USA)
• European Association of specialists in language testing
• Istambul University (Turkey)
• Firat University (Turkey)
• Beijing International Studies University (China)
• Regensburg University (Germany)
• Eurasian National University n.a. Gumilev L.N.(Kazakhstan)
• Lodz University (Poland)
There are more than 200 foreign students from China, the USA, Turkey, Iran, Vietnam, France, Iraq, the Republic of Korea, Yemen, Tajikistan, Uzbekistan, Kyrgyzstan, Turkmenistan, Kazakhstan, Belarus, Azerbaijan and other countries.
The Council of Foreign Students of the Institute was established
More than 160 people are involved in the programs of student and academic staff mobility, international educational and scientific projects per year.
KAZAN INTERNATIONAL LINGUISTIC CENTER (KILC)

- Language courses in English, German, French, Turkish, Chinese and other foreign languages
- Preparation for the Unified State examination, State Final examination, Unified Republic examination, Unified Regional Test, school academic competitions in philological disciplines
- Professional Retraining programs in a foreign language, art history, translation in the field of professional communication, Russian as a foreign language
- Preparation for entrance exams for programs in the Tatar language and design (drawing, design, Tatar)
KILC: INTERNATIONAL CERTIFICATION

- Cambridge exams in the English language and TOEFL

- Preparing for the Exam of Paris Chamber of Commerce, with a further exam in French in tourism and hotel business

- A comprehensive examination in Russian as a foreign language, the history of Russia and the legislation of the Russian Federation for foreign citizens
Spanish Center “HOLA!”

- Spanish courses
- Retraining program “Interpreter in professional communication“
- Spanish for children
- ”Club of communication“ with a native speaker
- Week of the Spanish language and culture
STUDENT LIFE
Training in the educational and health center "Yalchik"
Non-resident and foreign students of the Institute live in the modern campus of Universiade Village
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