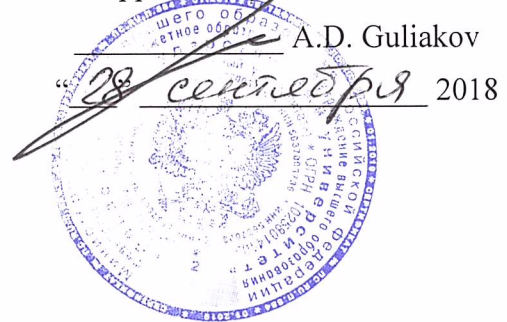


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Assessment criteria of entrance examination
for enrolees to the Master's degree programmes in the study field
38.04.01 – Economics

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The form of the entrance examination is the written exam.

Time to prepare for the response equals to 4 hours.

The minimal number of points enabling the enrolee to participate in the competition is 60 points in terms of 100-point assessment scale.

Table

Features of responses and corresponding number of points

Grade	Criteria
“Excellent” 86 – 100 points	The grade “excellent” is awarded to the enrolee, who demonstrates comprehensive and profound knowledge of studied material and fully discloses the content of covered issues. At that he/she has thorough knowledge of basic and additional literature. The enrolee freely uses major terms and exercises creativity while presenting studied material. He/she shows the ability to use theoretical material in real-case scenarios. The enrolee gives detailed and reasonable answers to all questions.
“Good” 71 – 85 points	The enrolee demonstrates sound knowledge of studied material within the requirements of the educational standard and has studied basic recommended literature. The enrolee uses major terms. He/she is able to draw conclusions, critically evaluate and comment on presented material. However, he/she gives vague and inadequate answers to some questions.
“Satisfactory” 60 – 70 points	The enrolee superficially knows major terms. He/she partially covers some sections within the presented issues. The response contains mistakes. The enrolee has difficulties in matching theoretical material and practical situations. He/she gives vague and general answers.
“Unsatisfactory” 0 – 60 points	The enrolee shows gaps in knowledge of basic studied material. He/she is not aware of basic recommended literature. He/she lacks understanding of major terms. While answering, the enrolee makes significant mistakes and does not disclose the content of covered issues.

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