

Dissertation Council's Requirements for Summary of Dissertations in History at HSE University

1. General Requirements

Summary submitted by an applicant for his/her dissertation defence should be provided in Russian and English. The following details shall be provided in the summary:

- 1) main ideas and conclusions of the dissertation,
- 2) description of the author's input in the completed research,
- 3) theoretical and practical relevance of the research outcomes,
- 4) information about the organisation where the dissertation was prepared,
- 5) information about the applicant's academic supervisor(s) and advisor(s) (if any),
- 6) a list of the author's publications which reflect key research outcomes of the dissertation.

2. Additional Requirements

The size of summary of a candidate's dissertation is usually from 40,000 to 60,000 symbols (including spaces), a doctoral dissertation - from 80,000 to 100,000 symbols (including spaces).

The format of summary in Russian must follow the standards of GOST. The format of summary in English must follow the standards of one of the recognized international systems: MLA, Harvard Style (BSI), or Chicago Style.