

## **MEET WILLIAM**

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William works as a Russian language tutor at Penn State and serves as the president of Penn State Students in Russian.

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# Russian

### **Unique Learning Opportunities**

- Combine language studies with exploration of Russian culture, literature, history, cinema, and politics
- Take a course specifically designed for heritage speakers of Russian
- Opportunities to take introductory courses in Ukrainian and Polish to expand knowledge of the Slavic world beyond Russia.

#### **Enrichment Experiences**

- · Tutor other students in Russian
- Become a member of the Russian Club
- Attend weekly Russian Tea and Conversation Hour

#### **Study Abroad**

- Participate in short-term faculty-led programs to Russia and post-Soviet countries
- Summer and semester programs in St.
  Petersburg offered through Penn State
- A great number of opportunities for studying Russian language and culture in Russia and post-Soviet countries (Georgia, Kazakhstan, Lithuania, Uzbekistan)

#### **Multiple Pathways**

- Easy to combine with other majors: History, International Relations, Computer Science, Music, and more
- Integrated Undergraduate-Graduate Program (IUG) with the School of International Affairs

#### **Possible Career Paths**

- Government
- Graduate Studies in Slavic Languages and Literatures
- Information Technology
- International Business
- International Relations
- Professional Translation
- Publishing
- Teaching
- Travel Industry

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