

Degrees and courses

The Centre for Russian and East European Studies (CREES) is a multi-disciplinary area-studies centre with a strong orientation towards the social sciences and history. It is a constituent department of the School of Government and Society within the College of Social Science.

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