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A welcome from Poland

Poland is a modern and dynamic country full of life-time opportunities for young people willing to get quality-based education, improve skills and boost experience. It is the hub bridging East and West, North and South, open for new ideas, investments and ready for rapid change. With over 1.9 million students and one of the highest scholarisation indices in Europe it is the only European country to demonstrate positive economic growth in 2009 and the highest growth among OECD countries.

Polish universities are a part of this success story. They are moving forward and constantly modernise their structure, organisation and curricula in an effort to function freely in the international community and are getting more and more internationalised. You can choose from the variety of studying programmes at all levels and find many research opportunities. Excellent and open-minded academic and scientific staff, modern infrastructure and well-equipped laboratories are at your service. It only depends on you whether you will bring this chance into play.

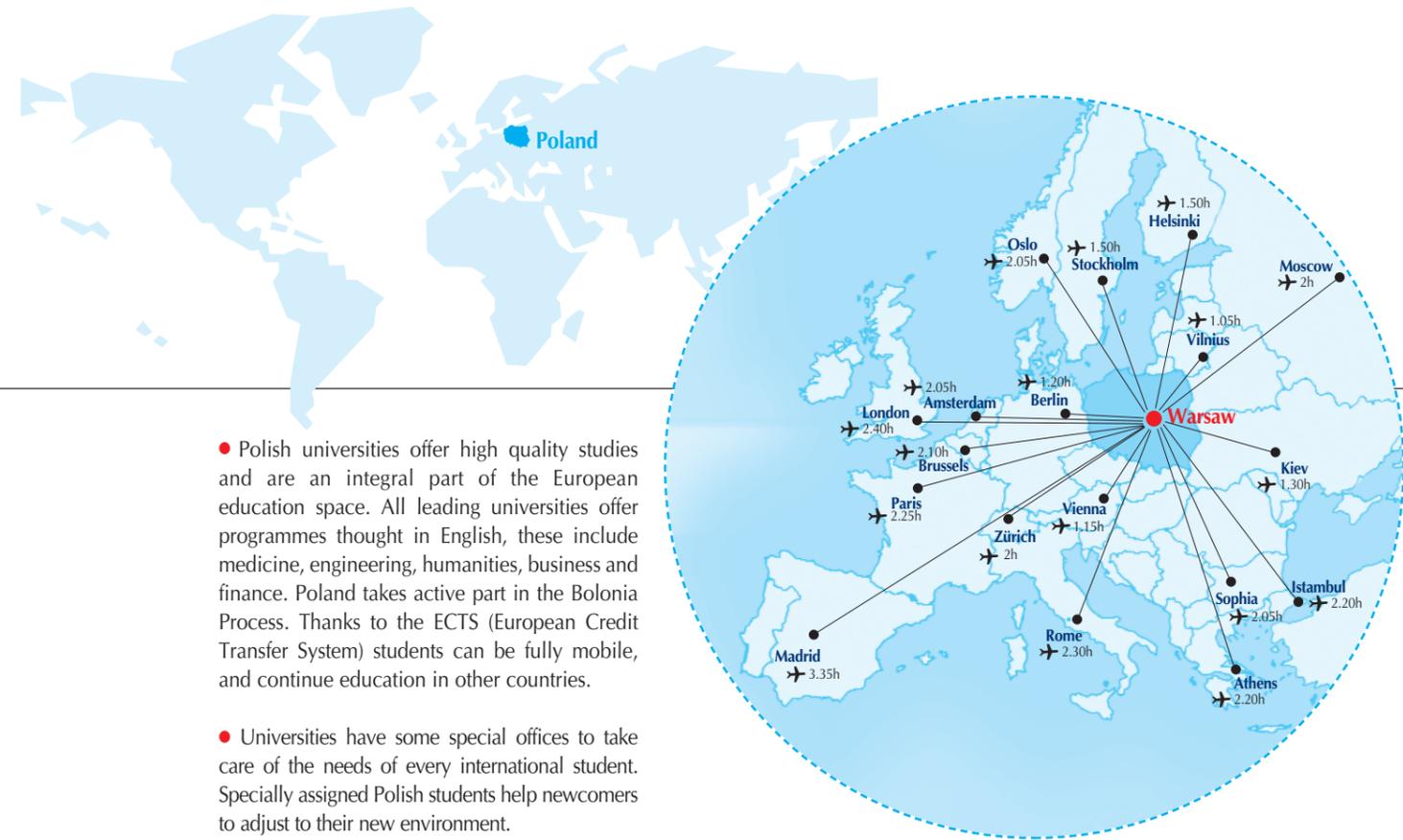
We look forward to welcoming you,

Katarzyna Chalasinska-Macukow
Rector, University of Warsaw

President, Conference of Rectors
of Academic Schools in Poland (CRASP)



Why POLAND?



- Poland is a fascinating country that serves as the geographical and cultural crossroads of Eastern and Western Europe. Located at the center of the Northern European plain, Poland has been a nation of survivors since the foundation of the first Polish state more than 1000 years ago. Through its turbulent history its people have managed to maintain their identity, and today, the country enjoys a crucial position as the largest of the former Eastern European states and one of the most populous members of the European Union.

from Western Europe is to be shifted to Poland, as well as from the US and Asia. Poland's geographic location facilitates the logistics activities and forecasts indicate an increase in the number of immigrants to the country.

- Polish institutions of higher education are participating to international student exchange programmes and engaging in bilateral agreements an individual exchange programmes pursued by particular schools. All these initiatives enhance the development of relations between Polish and foreign institutions of higher education. The number of Polish institutions of higher education awarded an Erasmus University Charter is approaching 200 and the mobility of Polish students is growing rapidly.

- Poland has one of Europe's youngest populations – half of its citizens are less than 35 years old. Out of nearly 39 million Poles almost 2 million are university students.

- Poland's education market has been the most dynamically developing one in Europe during the last ten years. The number of higher education institutions has increased five fold while the number of students quadrupled. Each year almost half a million young people begin their education at universities and colleges.

- Polish academic traditions reach back to 14th century, some of the Europe's oldest universities can be found here. The Jagiellonian University of Cracow was established in 1364. Nicholas Copernicus and Marie Skłodowska-Curie are among great names of Polish scientists known and admired worldwide.

- Today's Polish universities continue the glorious traditions of their predecessors. Warsaw University is ranked first in the Top Coder international IT ranking, it outperformed such great institutions as the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. A representative of Poland also leads the Top Coder individual ranking.

- Polish universities offer high quality studies and are an integral part of the European education space. All leading universities offer programmes thought in English, these include medicine, engineering, humanities, business and finance. Poland takes active part in the Bologna Process. Thanks to the ECTS (European Credit Transfer System) students can be fully mobile, and continue education in other countries.

- Universities have some special offices to take care of the needs of every international student. Specially assigned Polish students help newcomers to adjust to their new environment.

- Students who decide to study in Poland in English can do so at one of more than 100 institutions. These include universities, technical universities, higher schools of engineering, agricultural academies, academies of economics and numerous other higher vocational colleges and teacher training colleges. HEI's in Poland emphasize the application of scientific knowledge for future professional needs. Strong focus is placed on fundamental and applied research, as well as on creative and artistic work.

- Nicolaus Copernicus (1473-1543) who as the first in modern times developed a heliocentric theory of the Solar System and Maria Skłodowska-Curie who discovered polonium and radium in 1898 are the world-famous Polish scientists. Nowadays Polish scientist are responsible for such break-throughs in science as: discovery of the practical implementation of blue laser, the design of the technology for the manufacture of the smallest synthetic diamonds in the world, construction of an artificial heart or designing nano-crystals for the purpose of 3G mobile telephony system. Aleksander Wolszczan, Polish astronomer graduate of the Nicolaus Copernicus University in Toruń, was the first to prove the existence of a planetary system in the Universe outside of our Solar System.

Poland in short

- Official name:** Republic of Poland /Rzeczpospolita Polska (short form: Poland/ Polska)
- Independence:** 11 November 1918 (republic proclaimed)
- Government type:** republic
- Location:** Central Europe
- Border countries:** Belarus 416 km, Czech Republic 790 km, Germany 467 km, Lithuania 103 km, Russia (Kaliningrad Oblast) 210 km, Slovakia 541 km, Ukraine 529 km
- Language:** Polish
- Capital city:** Warsaw
- Major cities:** Gdańsk, Kraków, Łódź, Poznań, Wrocław
- Population:** 38 518 241 (July 2007)
- Total area:** 312 685 sq km (304 465 sq m – land, 8220 sq m – water)
- Climate:** temperate with cold, cloudy, moderately severe winters with frequent precipitation; mild summers with frequent showers and thundershowers
- Local time:** GMT + 1 hr
- Executive branch:** head of state: President Lech Kaczyński (since December 2005); head of government: Prime Minister Donald Tusk (since November 2007)
- Member of the European Union:** Since 2004
- Religions:** Roman Catholic 89,8%, Eastern Orthodox 1,3%, Protestant 0,3%, other 0,3%, unspecified 8,3%
- Monetary unit:** zloty (PLN)
- Actual exchange rates:** www.nbp.pl



Photo: PAP

Krakow – city of the oldest Polish HEI, Jagiellonian University

- On the 21 December 2007 Poland joined The Schengen Area. As a result passport checks are abolished on Poland's borders to Germany, Slovakia, Czech Republic and Lithuania. It practically means that persons admitted to the Schengen Area can travel hassle-free between 24 countries of the Schengen Area without internal land and sea border controls, from Portugal to Poland and from Greece to Finland.

- Thanks to its location, Poland occupies a special place in European Union. Poland's border on the river Bug became the EU's eastern border. In the wider geographical and geopolitical sense Poland occupies a central position. More and more foreign investment

We hope to see you soon!

Higher education system in Poland

Polish higher education system allows for state and private institutions of higher education. To qualify for admission the applicant must hold the **maturity certificate**. The rules of admission are determined autonomously by each HEI institution.

Degrees granted to university and college graduates

At Polish institutions of higher education a three-stage system of Bachelor (*Licencjat, Inżynier*), Master (*Magister*) and Doctoral (*Doktor*) studies has been compulsory since the

the completion of 3,5-4 year-long college studies in technical sciences, agriculture or economy;

- **master** (*MA, MSc, magister*) and equivalent degrees: Master of Art, MSc. Eng. (Master Engineer), Master Engineer Architect, qualified physician, dental surgeon or veterinarian – granted following the completion of 5-6 year-long uniform university studies. The MSc may also be obtained following the completion of 2-2,5 supplementary mater's degree studies which may be taken by persons with a college diploma;

- **doctor** (*PhD, doktor*) – a degree awarded to those who pass doctoral exam and successfully defend dissertation. To qualify for the academic degree of doctor must hold a master or an equivalent degree.

The Polish Higher Education System in the European Higher Education Area

Along with 29 other countries, Poland signed the **Bologna Declaration**, which aims at the creation of the European Area of Higher Education. The current reforms in the Polish Higher Education System follow the Bologna Process recent developments.

- Institutions of higher education in Poland have implemented the **ECTS** (European Credit Transfer System). Polish credit transfer system is based on of ECTS commonly applied in Europe. Its goal is to simplify procedures of comparing education completed by students in their course of studies.

- Polish institutions of higher education are engaged in the **international exchange of students**. Programs like SOCRATES/Erasmus, bilateral agreements and individual activities of schools develop contacts between Polish and foreign higher education institutions. For more information about SOCRATES/Erasmus ask at your international relations office.

Quality assurance

The Polish State Accreditation Committee, has been operating in Poland since January 2002 it monitors and controls educational standards at Polish institutions of higher education, and serves to improve and guarantee quality standards. The State Accreditation Committee has developed close co-operation with accredi-

tation committees in other countries. The Polish quality assurance system complies with the ENQA Standards and Guidelines. For more information, see: www.pka.edu.pl

Recognition of diplomas

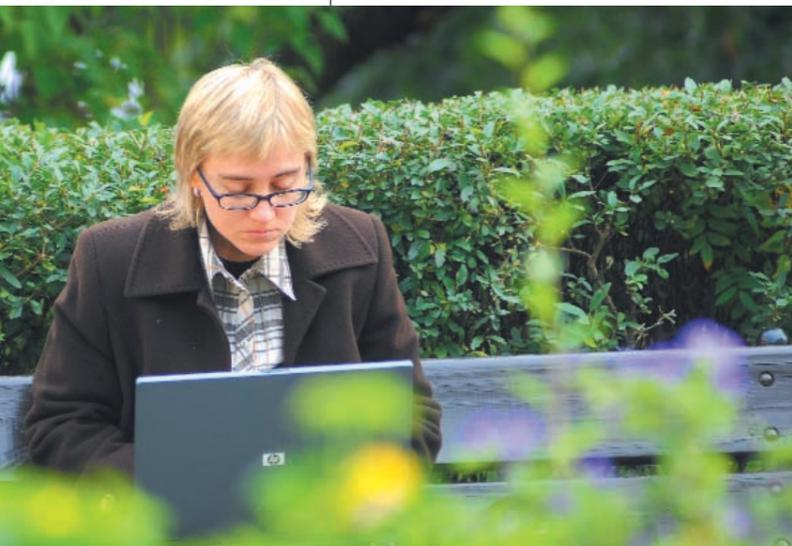
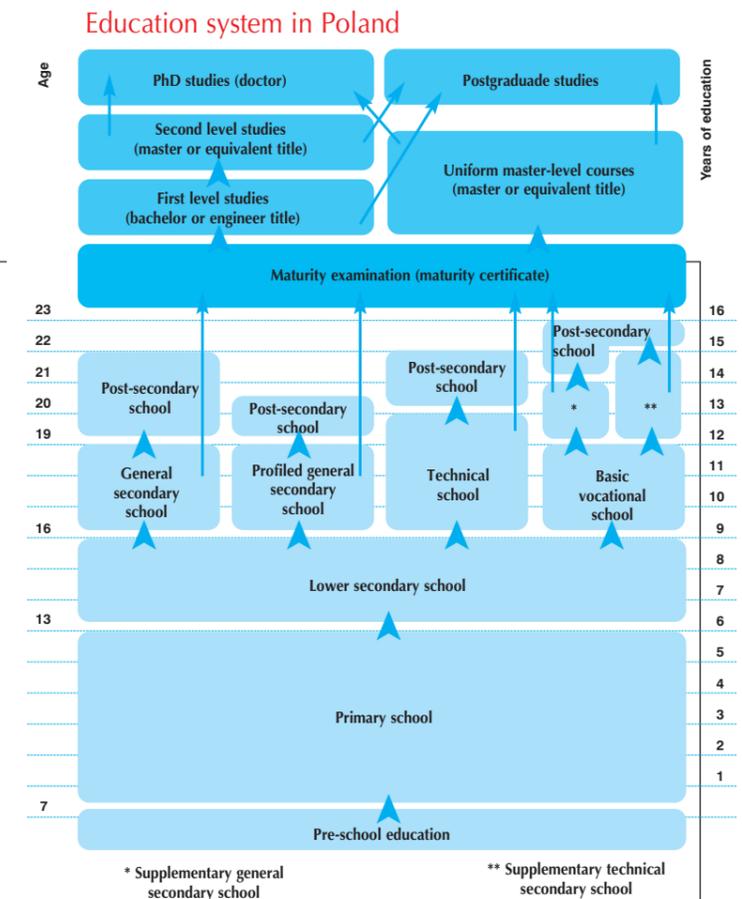
The recognition of foreign higher education diplomas in Poland is ruled by the Regulation of the Minister of National Education on the Rules and Procedure for Nostrification of Diplomas and Professional Titles Obtained Abroad (December 10, 1991). On the webpage of the Bureau for Academic Recognition and International Exchange (www.buwim.edu.pl) you can find the legal regulations concerning the validation of diplomas gained abroad, including a list of countries with which Poland has signed agreements for the mutual recognition of diplomas. If a given diploma is covered by such an agreement, it is automatically validated, in accordance with the content of the agreement. If a given diploma/certificate is not covered by an interstate agreement, or was issued in a country with which Poland has not signed an agreement regarding the mutual recognition of educational levels, then it becomes the subject of the Decree regarding the nostrification of diplomas acquired abroad. The given diploma must be presented at the local Ministry of Education Office (*Kuratorium*). The addresses of the local Offices can be found on the Ministry of Education website (www.men.gov.pl).

Fees

In Poland full-time education at state institutions of higher education is free for Polish citizens. It is also free for foreigners who commence studies in at state HEIs on terms applicable to Polish citizens. All other foreigners are required to pay tuition fees. For more information see pages 76-77.

The Academic Year

In most cases, the academic year consists of about thirty weeks of courses. Every week students have about thirty hours of teaching. The academic year is structured into two semesters: the fall semester and the spring semester. The fall



The best way of learning – in the park at university campus

2007/2008 academic year. According to the new Higher Education Act of 2005 syllabuses in all fields of study except Law, Pharmacy, Psychology, Veterinary Medicine, Medicine, and Medicine and Dentistry are provided on a two-cycle basis. The third cycle, doctoral studies, is open to those who hold the academic title of Master (*magister*) or an equivalent title or degree. Doctoral studies last four years but may be shortened or extended.

Graduates of Polish universities and colleges may obtain the following degrees:

- **bachelor** (*BA, licencjat*) – obtained following the completion of 3-3,5 year-long vocational/technical college studies;
- **bachelor** (*BSc, inżynier*) – obtained following

What & Where

Programmes in English language



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Opening ceremony of the academic year at Jagiellonian University in Krakow

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Study in Poland Questions & Answers

Q: What do I need to enroll?

A: To qualify all international applicants must first meet the minimum requirements for entry into higher education in their own country, have a matriculation certificate or equivalent document; command of English (at least on an intermediate level) is also required.

Some departments of the arts, physical

commence studies in at state HEIs on terms applicable to Polish citizens. All other foreigners are required to pay tuition fees of no less than a PLN equivalent of:

- EUR 2000 per year for professional higher study, master's and postgraduate master's courses;
- EUR 3000 per year for doctoral, postgraduate and specialist courses and scientific, artistic, specialist and habilitation internships;
- EUR 3000 per year for vocational courses and apprenticeships;
- EUR 2000 per year for a language course, including a course preparing for study in Polish.

In justified cases the Rector of the HEI may, at the student's request, reduce the tuition fee or waive it altogether.

Q: Do I need to speak fluent Polish?

A: You do not need to because universities offer a large variety of study programmes in English. Nevertheless, you may learn Polish either for private everyday use for the time you stay in Poland, or for joining a university course in Polish. Information on Polish language certificates is provided by the State Commission for Certification of Command of Polish as a Foreign Language (www.buwilm.edu.pl).

Q: Do I need a visa? If so, how do I apply for one?

A: EU/EEA students do not need any Polish visa, however upon arrival to Poland they should apply for a temporary residence permit if they stay in the country longer than 90 days.

Non EU/EEA students need to arrive in Poland with a student's visa obtained at a Polish Embassy or Consulate in their country of residence. It is important to remember that visas are granted for a maximum of three months. In order to extend the stay in Poland, it is necessary to apply for a residence permit for specified

period of time in Voivodeship office 45 days before visa expiration date. For further assistance students are strongly urged to contact the International Relations Office of their university.

More practical information about: coming to Poland, legalizing your stay, medical care and insurance, driving licence, addresses of diplomatic missions of in Poland is available at www.msz.gov.pl (Polish Ministry of Foreign Affairs).

Q: Is health insurance required?

A: Medical care in Poland is not free of charge. Health insurance is mandatory for all students for the entire duration of their stay in Poland. The students from non-EU/EEA countries are recommended to buy medical insurance in their home country or immediately after their arrival in Poland. Otherwise students are required to pay for any health service they get. Foreign students are also advised to purchase third party liability insurance and accident insurance.

EU citizens staying in Poland are eligible for free health service, providing they present their European Health Insurance Card (EHIC).

EU citizens not having insurance in their country of residence and non-EU citizens may sign insurance agreement with the Polish Health National Fund (NFZ – Narodowy Fundusz Zdrowia) and purchase insurance for the monthly fee of 40 PLN.

Under bilateral agreements the citizens of the U.K., Sweden and Slovakia are entitled to free medical care. Under an agreement with the Czech Republic Czech students are entitled to necessary medical care in cases of sudden illness or accident.

More information can be found on The National Health Fund website: www.nfz.gov.pl

Q: Can I apply for scholarship?

A: All international students may apply for scholarships within bilateral agreements on direct cooperation offered through Bureau for Academic Recognition and International Exchange (www.buwilm.edu.pl).

Scholarships for students from European Union are offered within the framework of the Socrates/Erasmus program (www.socrates.org.pl). In addition university scholarships are available for academic excellence.

Q: How do I find accommodation?

A: Most Polish universities provide accommodation for international students at their own dormitories, but the number of rooms is limited. The host university should help students in finding appropriate accommodation.

Q: How much money do I need for living in Poland?

A: Depending on your personal situation, lifestyle and habits you may have different needs. In practice, you will need at least 1100-1300 PLN per month in order to cover the cost of decent accommodation, pay for the local transport, and even go out occasionally. This amount should cover the costs of rent, food, clothing, personal hygiene, local transport, study materials, telephone and other expenses – not the tuition fee however.

Here is an approximate calculation of your monthly expenses: accommodation in student dormitories costs 400-600 PLN, shared flat from 1000 to 1600 PLN per month; food about 500 PLN; books and entertainment about 150-200 PLN; local transport about 65 PLN.

The official Polish currency is zloty (PLN). Actual exchange rates: www.nbp.pl



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education, departments preparing students for the teaching profession, and the like, organize additional aptitude tests.

Since Poland ratified the Lisbon Convention on Recognition of Degrees in 2004 recognition of Polish diplomas has become easier internationally.

For information on diploma recognition please visit www.buwilm.edu.pl

Q: Studying in Poland: How much does it cost?

A: In Poland full-time education at state institutions of higher education is free for Polish citizens. It is also free for foreigners who

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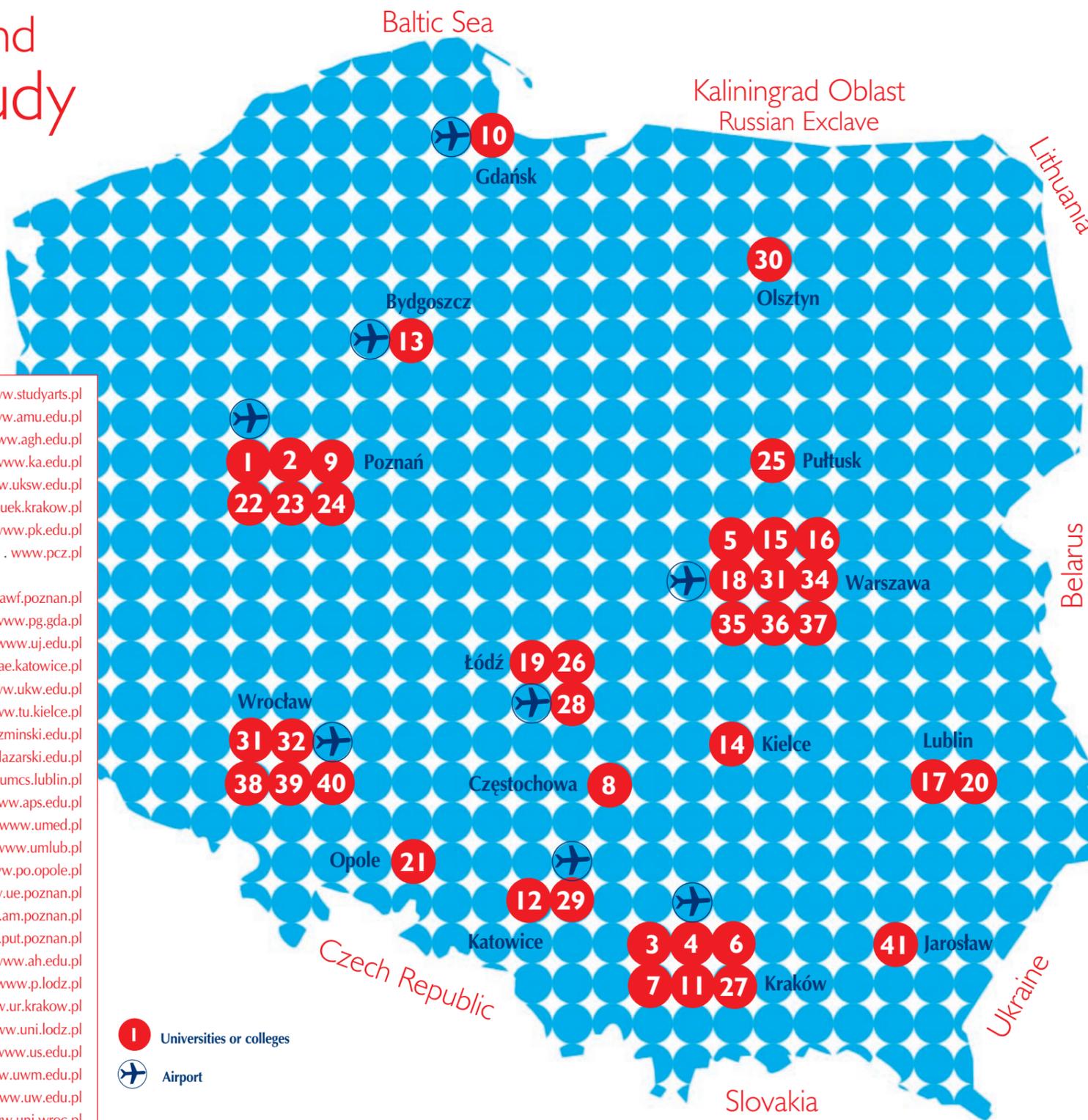
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- Center of Teaching of Polish for Foreigners
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University of Silesia, Katowice www.sjtkp.us.edu.pl
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The Jagiellonian University in Krakow www.uj.edu.pl/Polonia
- The School of Polish Language and Culture
The Jagiellonian University in Krakow www.uj.edu.pl/SL
- International Educational Centre
Cracow University of Technology www.educentre.info
- The Polish Language and Culture Centre
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- School of Polish Language and Culture
Catholic University of Lublin www.kul.lublin.pl/school
- The School of Polish Language for Foreigners
University of Łódź www.sjpdci.uni.lodz.pl
- The School of Polish Language for Foreign Students
Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznań www.staff.amu.edu.pl/~schoolpl
- The Centre of Polish Language and Culture for Foreigners
Nicolaus Copernicus University in Toruń www.fil.umk.pl/skijpdo/
- The Centre of Polish Language and Culture
for Foreigners "Polonicum"
The University of Warsaw www.polonicum.uw.edu.pl
- "Polish Language and Culture" Summer School
Cardinal Stefan Wyszyński University
in Warsaw www.kursy_jezyka_polskiego.uksw.edu.pl
- The School of Polish Language and Culture
for Foreigners
University of Wrocław www.sjpk.uni.wroc.pl
- The Department of Polish Language for Foreigners
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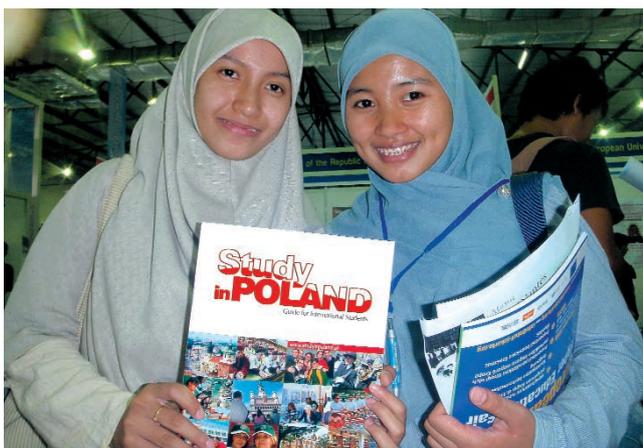
- Ministry of National Education www.men.gov.pl
- Ministry of Science and Higher Education www.mnsw.gov.pl
- Conference of Rectors of Academic Schools in Poland www.krasp.org.pl
- Conference of Rectors of Non-University HEI's in Poland www.krzasp.pl
- Polish Academy of Sciences www.pan.pl
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International orientation. The University cooperates successfully with higher education institutions and companies worldwide on the basis of over 400 agreements. We have developed an extensive teacher and student exchange under various international programmes. We also provide our students with a unique opportunity to extend their practical knowledge, acquire intercultural skills and gain professional experience during work placements in foreign companies. The University is an active member of numerous international networks such as EUA, EAIE, ERAON, EURASHE, NAFSA, and Prime Networking. Moreover, the University runs joint degree programmes in English and French, mobility schemes and research projects in various fields with partners from all over the world.

Why UEK. Our University is perceived as a distinguished research and education centre with a valuable contribution to the economic life of the region, as well as an important partner in the international area. Our professors play a significant role in the regional and national

build their professional careers in the multicultural environment. Each year, over 13 000 Polish and international students follow our degree programmes at the Bachelor, Master, Doctoral and Post-diploma levels. In 2006 we

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Fields of study in English		
● MSc in Business and Finance	● MSc in International Business and Enterprise	● BSc and MSc in International Business
● MSc in Quantitative Asset and Risk Management		
Fields of study in French		
● MSc in Consumer Relations Management		
Fields of study in Polish		
● ekonomia (Economics)	● informatyka (Informatics)	● międzynarodowe stosunki gospodarcze (International Economic Relations)
● finanse i rachunkowość (Finance and Accounting)	● informatyka i ekonometria (Informatics and Econometrics)	● zarządzanie (Management)
● gospodarka przestrzenna (Spatial Economics)	● logistyka – Logistcs	
Facts & figures		
● Established in 1937 ● 476 academic staff ● 13 760 students ● 130 foreign students a year ● 37 departments in 4 faculties		
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development by providing expertise, conducting research and cooperating with regional authorities and industry. Our students and alumni are prepared to function successfully in the ever more international market and join the highly-qualified staff dynamically sought after by the most important players in the job market. They are provided with courses integrating the practical and theoretical aspects of business, and marvellous opportunities for international work placements.

International Study Programmes

Euroclasses. International short-term students can choose from a wide range of courses offered by three of our faculties: Economics, Finance & Insurance and Management. The courses comprising the programme are provided mainly in English, with some classes in French and German. The online application form and detailed information are available on our website www.students.interrel.pl

Joint Master Degree Programme in European Business and Finance. The programme is provided by three prestigious universities: Nottingham Trent University (UK), Brno University of Technology (Czech Republic) and the UEK (Poland). During the first two semesters students follow courses at the Faculty of Finance and Insurance in Katowice. The final part comprises one semester at Nottingham Trent University and a one-semester-long work placement. Graduates receive a Master diploma awarded by the three universities. Learn more at www.joint.interrel.pl

ARIMA. Joint Master Degree Programme in Quantitative Asset and Risk Management provided by University of Applied Sciences BFI Vienna, Anglo-American University in Prague and UEK. The graduates' fields of professional activity

lie in banking and insurance, enterprise-related services, market authorities and public administration. More info www.arima.interrel.pl.

Pre-MBA. The programme is part of the Continuing Education Center study offer in the field of management. On completing two semesters of studies, either in Katowice or in Brno, the students can start the English-language MBA programme at Brno University of Technology. Read more in Polish: www.interrel.pl or in Czech: www.vutbr.cz

"Project Management" post – diploma studies. The programme is delivered jointly with a network of state universities of the Province of Quebec in Canada. The network has a broad experience in running specialist studies in Project Management. The offer is designed for managers of both business organizations and state or local administration units. The programme is delivered in English by professors from Canada and Poland. Read more at www.pm.interrel.pl

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Master Degree
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Choose Poland and Come to Katowice

Karol Adamiecki University of Economics in Katowice provides opportunities for reaching your ultimate professional potential and shaping your future career. I decided to choose Poland and come to Katowice. It was one of the best decisions in my life, although not an easy one. There are many international students from all over the world here with me, studying and living such a different life than in China. All these changed me, influenced my personality, I am not the same shy and lost person I was two years ago.

Doctoral studies. Doctoral studies are based on individual meetings with a supervisor. Foreigners interested in doctoral studies in English, German, French or Russian in selected fields should contact Admissions Office at uek@ae.katowice.pl to specify details.



AGH University of Science and Technology

→ AGH University of Science and Technology is at present one of the oldest (established in 1919), biggest, and best Polish technical universities. Contrary to its traditional name, the University has a wide portfolio of education, covering virtually all scientific issues related to technical or similar sciences (e.g. technical physics, applied mathematics, management, Earth studies, applied social sciences and many more). The profile and scope of education as well as research at AGH-UST is constantly changing and developing, as we are aspiring to be continually up to date with demands of the present times. We are following

branches of technology (offering 32 courses and over a hundred and seventy specialisations). It is worth mentioning that many of the AGH-UST specialisations are unique and they have no counterparts in any other Polish universities. We want to preserve this uniqueness by combining knowledge of technology and arts, especially since we employ highly qualified and internationally recognised staff in many unique fields (environmental protection, environmental engineering, underground renovation of historical monuments and archeometallurgy, multimedia and social communication, geotourism, management in specified industries, biomaterials and biomedical engineering).

Over 35 000 students study in the 15 faculties as well as at the Interfaculty School of Biomedical Engineering. PhD courses are also conducted – there are over 500 PhD students in 11 faculties. AGH-UST offers PhD programmes taught in English, e.g.:

- International PhD School Switzerland-Poland, High Performance Materials for Environmentally Sustainable Applications
- Physics.

The university campus of AGH University of Science and Technology is the biggest one in Poland. It comprises 20 student hostels with

the requirements of dynamically changing labour market, closely watching directions of changes in economy, administration and politics.

The mission of our university is up-to-date education of engineers who specialise in many

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Degree programmes:

- BSc in Electronics and Telecommunications
- BSc in Mechatronics
- MSc Eng. in Mechatronics – specialisation: mechatronics design

- automatyka i robotyka (Automatics and Robotics)
- budownictwo (Civil Engineering)
- ceramika (Ceramics, macro-field of study)
- edukacja techniczno-informatyczna (Education in Technology and Informatics)
- elektronika i telekomunikacja (Electronics and Telecommunications)
- elektrotechnika (Electrical Engineering)
- energetyka (Power Engineering)
- fizyka medyczna (Medical Physics)
- fizyka techniczna (Technical Physics)
- geodezja i kartografia (Geodesy and Cartography)
- geofizyka (Geophysics)
- górnictwo i geologia (Mining and Geology)

- MSc in Management – specialisation: logistic
- MSc Eng. in Mining and Geology – specialisation: mining engineering
- MSc in Electronics and Telecommunications

- informatyka (Computer Science)
- informatyka stosowana (Applied Computer Science)
- informatyka i ekonometria (Computer Science and Econometrics)
- inżynieria akustyczna (Acoustic Engineering)
- inżynieria biomedyczna (Biomedical Engineering)
- inżynieria materiałowa (Materials Engineering)
- inżynieria naftowa i gazownicza (Oil and Gas Engineering)
- inżynieria środowiska (Environmental Engineering)
- kulturoznawstwo (Culture Studies)
- matematyka (Mathematics)

Fields of study in English

- specialisation: control and measurements systems
- MSc in Electronics and Telecommunications – specialisation: Network and Services

Fields of study in Polish

- mechanika i budowa maszyn (Mechanics and Machine Design)
- mechatronika (Mechatronics)
- metalurgia (Metallurgy)
- ochrona środowiska (Environment Protection)
- socjologia (Sociology)
- technologia chemiczna (Chemical Technology)
- turystyka i rekreacja (Tourism and Recreation)
- wirtotechnologia (Virtotechnology, macro-field of study)
- zarządzanie (Management)
- zarządzanie i inżynieria produkcji (Management and Production Engineering)

Facts & figures

- Established in 1919 ● 3849 academic staff ● 35 000 students (30% women)

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infrastructure which provide space for 9000 students.

AGH University of Science and Technology employs over 2000 university teachers, including 500 independent scientists and prides itself in having one of the best rate of students per one independent scientist.

AGH-UST summary:

- One of the oldest, biggest and best Polish technical universities (founded in 1919 as the Academy of Mining)
- Broad educational profile – 15 faculties, 32 specialisations, more than 170 fields of engineering
- Over 35 000 students
- More than 500 independent research workers
- 600 laboratories, including Polish best-equipped students' laboratory for computer graphics and a computer centre for the partially sighted
- Up-to-date gigabyte computer network and a wireless WiFi net
- Substantial scholarships and financial support for the students
- Internships, training programmes, and jobs for students

- Students' interest groups, sports clubs, associations, radio
- Own attended campus area
- Cyfronet Computer Centre (one of the biggest computing centres in Europe)
- Centre of E-learning
- Co-operation with 143 academic centres
- Co-operation with numerous companies, e.g.: IBM, Valeo, Comarch, Motorola, L.G. Philips, RWE Power AG, Lafarge, Cemex, Delphi, Siemens, KGHM

**Pauline Gateau
student from France**



I feel totally integrated

The first motivation that made me come to the AGH-UST was its great reputation. Then, the project proposed to me was about advanced process for engineering that could give more value to my degree of MSc. Finally Poland as a country attracts me a lot. This is a new destination for Erasmus exchange, much more favorable for a professional carrier than the famous, old UE cities. Poland has become a strategic member of UE that strengthens its market position in the industrial world. I feel totally integrated and I really like my life here.

- Participates in many research and educational programs e.g.: FPs of EU, LLP Erasmus, Vulcanus, Time, Smile, UNESCO, Eureka, Cost, Interregio IV, EEA and Norway Grants, ESA, EDA, EIE



Pultusk Academy of Humanities

➔ **About School.** Great works are often inspired by a human dream. Such was, as quite a number of the founders declare, the origin of Pultusk Academy of Humanities (formerly: Pultusk School of Humanities), a school for higher education opened in a small town, actively pursuing its statutory activity and providing its students with quality education. The "ATENA" Academic Education and Research Society, the founding body of Pultusk School of Humanities, by making its successful attempt at turning that idea into reality, over 10 years ago, made it possible for lots of young people to obtain higher education.

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The history of Pultusk Academy of Humanities is a continuation of the history of Pultusk School of Humanities established on 14th July, 1994. That was when the Minister of National Education entered the School into the national Register of

Higher Education Schools. It was also then that the School was authorized to run undergraduate-level courses in the following fields of study: Polish Language and Literature, History, Education Studies. A year later (on 28th April, 1995) the Minister of National Education authorized Pultusk School of Humanities to launch courses in some other fields of study as well, i.e. in Administration, Political Science, and Environmental Protection. On 30th September, 1996, the Minister of Education, under a resolution passed by the Main Council for Higher Education dated 18th September, 1996, authorized the School to run graduate degree programs.

The meaningful high-standards education delivered at the School, the educational efforts of all its lecturers, and the eagerness of its students were rewarded on 26th March, 2001, when the Central Commission for Academic Titles and Degrees, after seeking an advisory opinion of the Main Council for Higher Education, authorized the School's Faculty of History to confer doctoral degrees in History. On 22nd April, 2002, similar authorization was granted to the Faculty of Political Science. Moreover, under the Decision of the Minister of National Education and Sport of

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| ● administracja (Administration) | ● historia (History) | ● socjologia (Sociology) |
| ● archeologia (Archaeology) | ● informacja naukowa i bibliotekoznawstwo (Library and Information Science) | ● turystyka i rekreacja (Tourism and Recreation) |
| ● bezpieczeństwo narodowe (National Security) | ● pedagogika (Education Studies) | |
| ● filologia polska (Polish Language and Literature) | ● politologia (Political Studies) | |

Fields of study in Polish

Facts & figures

● Founded in 1994 ● 156 academic staff ● 4500 students (75% women) ● 237 doctoral students ● 47 foreign students

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17th November, 2003, the School was permitted to conduct undergraduate-level courses of study in still another field: of Tourism and Recreation. On 2nd July, 2004, the Minister of Education authorized Pultusk School of Humanities to run undergraduate-level courses of study in the field of Sociology. Consequently, the School is currently able to provide higher education in seven fields of study. On 22nd March, 2002, Pultusk School of Humanities was named after Aleksander Gieysztor (Wyższa Szkoła Humanistyczna im. Aleksandra Gieysztor w Pułtusku), an outstanding and world famous historian, co-founder of the School and its lecturer of a long standing.

The School was also "a dream that had come true" to its more than thirty thousand alumni equipped with knowledge and competence acquired under the guidance of the School Faculty made up of more than a thousand members, including outstanding scholars. All this has been achieved within as little time as one decade only. Ten years have been enough time for the School to arrange for its own educational facilities, including the impressive Central Library named after Andrzej Bartnicki, the First Rector of Pultusk School of Humanities. The Academy of Humanities Central Library was founded in 1995. Its contemporary building – which has all the essential amenities expected of a modern library, comprises a total of 2000 square meters of floor space, opened its doors in the academic year 2001-2002.

In celebration of the 15th anniversary of the Academy, its Central Library was named after Andrzej Bartnicki, the first Rector of Pultusk Academy of Humanities.

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which has all the essential amenities expected of a modern library, comprises a total of 2000 square meters of floor space, opened its doors in the academic year 2001-2002. The library collections number 135 thousand volumes altogether, in print or on CDs. They cover 20th century books and periodicals, as well as publications issued prior to 1900.

The fifteen years of its continuous educational effort have enriched the Polish thought and resulted in the School's ranking high in the Polish educational sector.

Under Decision of the Minister of Science and Higher Education dated 19th September, 2006, Pultusk School of Humanities has been renamed Pultusk Academy of Humanities, AH.

On the grounds of the decision by the Ministry of Science and Higher Education Pułtusk Academy of Humanities established in London an Off-Campus Educational Centre, which undoubtedly is a recognition of the high quality of education in our college. Except Pułtusk Academy of Humanities only four other Polish

Peter Antoshkin
student from Russia



Professional teaching staff

I've come to Pultusk from Novgorod State University (Russia) by a program "Erasmus Mundus Cooperation Window". There were several Universities I could choose from such countries as Belgium, Italy, Portugal and several others. But I came to Pultusk, because I always wanted to study in Poland. Now, when I'm studying in Pultusk I never felt sad about my choice. Here I find small academic groups (which means individual teaching), professors with whom I can speak in 3 languages (Polish, English and Russian), modern buildings and library. Also I can say, that a hostel where I live is very good and have free access to internet.

colleges have the right to establish the Off-Campus Centre in London.



Wrocław Medical University

→ The Wrocław Medical University consists of 5 faculties: Medicine, Dentistry, Pharmacy, Health Science and Postgraduate Education. The total number of chairs and clinics is 164. Altogether, 1072 academic professors and teachers work at the Medical University. In the academic year 2009/2010 more than 5600 students commenced or continued their studies.

The largest investment of the Wrocław Medical University is the construction of the Clinical Centre. The Clinical Centre consists of 9 buildings

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with total capacity 475 000 m³ where the University Hospital health centers and clinics run or will run soon. In January 2008, the first phase of the Clinical Centre construction was finished. More than a dozen clinics, laboratory diagnostic

workshops, a modern operating suite and a laboratory diagnostic centre are located there.

Wrocław is a city with a rich medical tradition. The first hospital was founded in the 13th century. Medicine was first taught in 1745 by the establishment of the Collegium Medico-Chirurgicum. It was the first medical school in the city. At present Wrocław is an active centre of medical student education. The process of teaching is realized by a team of highly qualified specialists. Among the staff there are 99 people with the scientific title of professor, 105 people with a PhD degree and 676 people with doctorate degrees. The Medical University also performs a wide range of scientific activities and provides the whole region of Lower Silesia with highly specialized medical care

The Wrocław Medical University has joined the Erasmus programme since the very beginning of its existence in Poland. University participates in the exchange of students, PhD students and academic staff from the academic year 1998/1999. In 2009/2010 academic year these activities are carried out in "Lifelong Learning" programme. Currently Wrocław Medical University occupies the leading position in

• Dentistry

- lekarski (Medicine)
- lekarsko-dentystyczny (Dentistry)
- farmacja (Pharmacy)

• Medicine

- analityka medyczna (Medical Analytics)
- pielęgniarstwo (Nursing)

Fields of study in English

Fields of study in Polish

- położnictwo (Obstetrics)
- fizjoterapia (Physiotherapy)
- zdrowie publiczne (Public Health)

Facts & figures

• Established in 1950 • 1072 academic staff • 5600 students • 309 foreign students

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international exchange. The University was granted the Erasmus University Charter and this is the basis for exchange of scientific workers and students. Wrocław Medical University has 39 international agreements of co-operation signed with other universities abroad especially with France, Germany, Italy, Sweden, Spain, Netherlands and England.

The Medical University provides a six-year medicine programme and a five-year dentistry programme in English. English Division was established in 2003. The curriculum of study is identical with current in Polish. The studies are adapted to the common European programme, in keeping with the European admission standards for medical education. Teaching is carried out by a team of highly educated specialists in tutorial groups of 10-12 students in the theoretical subjects and 4-5 students during bedside teaching.

Students of English Division are mainly Swedish, Norwegian, German, American and Canadian citizens. In the 2009/2010 academic year there are 309 students of English Division, including 258 in Faculty of Medicine and 51 in Faculty of Dentistry. The university has its own campus and offers a room equipped to a higher than average standard.

The Wrocław Medical University has been publishing the scientific periodic:

- Advances in Clinical and Experimental Medicine, www.advances.am.wroc.pl
- Dental and Medical Problems, www.dmp.am.wroc.pl
- Polymers in Medicine, www.polimery.am.wroc.pl

Our University has also its own monthly bulletin *Gazeta Uczelniana*, www.gazeta.am.wroc.pl, bring-

ing news from the academic life of the university. There is also a periodic *Bakcył*, www.bakcył.am.wroc.pl published by the Students' Self-Government Association.

They lived and worked in Wrocław

- **Alois Alzheimer** – neurologist and psychiatrist, who presented his findings regarding degeneration of the brain cortex (Alzheimer's Disease).
- **Jan Ewangelista Purkyne** – physiologist, he created the world's first Department of Physiology at the University of Wrocław. He is best known for his 1837 discovery of Purkyne cells, large neurons with many branching dendrites found in the cerebellum.
- **Wiktór Bross** – surgeon, in 1958 performed the first operation on the open heart in Poland.
- **Ludwig Hirsfeld** – microbiologist, established the basis of the blood groups science.
- **Jan Mikulicz-Radecki** – professor of surgery, he was a pioneer of thoracosurgery.
- **Robert Koch** – creator of modern bacteriology (Nobel Prize in 1905).
- **Paul Ehrlich** – pioneer of present chemotherapy (Nobel Prize in 1908).

Ewelina Maczynska
student from Canada



Immense learning experience

Studying medicine in Wrocław Medical University is an immense learning experience. The level and quality of education are far above the average. Students have the opportunity to get practical skills needed in future careers in many different hospitals by joining their medical staff. When it comes to the city, Wrocław is a very beautiful, fun and historical place with great location to travel abroad. If you are the type of person who is open minded, likes a challenge and is interested in pursuing a career in medicine, this is a place for you.

- **Johan Pfannenstielow** – performed the first Caesarean in the world in St. Elisabeth hospital.
- **Albert Neisser** – dermatologist, discovered a bacteria called after his name *Neisseria gonorrhoeae*.



The Maria Grzegorzewska Academy of Special Education

→ **Academy of Special Education (ASE)** is a university of an 85-year-old teaching tradition. Among its biggest assets are highly qualified staff, diverse programs of study and improved conditions of studying (new premises as well as well good quality IT equipment). We provide a range of varied study opportunities including acquisition of respectful jobs which are highly demanded in the job market.

Nowadays, we have approximately 7,000 students enrolled in both full-time and part-time

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study programs. In addition, the Academy offers various postgraduate programs which enable to acquire complimentary qualifications allowing working in education as well as other job tasks.

The Faculty of Pedagogical Sciences offers the following faculties: **Special Education, Pedagogy and Artistic Education** in the field of fine arts.

Within the Special Education program we focus on training of teachers and teacher assistants to children, adolescents and adults with learning difficulties, hearing, speech or sight impediment, motor impairment, physical disabilities as well as emotional and behavioral disorders. Our pedagogical courses prepare for working both at school (a school pedagogue) and other special education centers.

It also aims to educate in the general field of social pedagogy. This refers to family support services, cultural and educational activity in a local area, continuing education of adults, job counseling, community prevention (i.e. street pedagogy) and psychopedagogy of creativity, which is designed to prepare for non-standard educational work with children or at school.

Artistic Education in the field of fine arts is a course which enables to acquire artistic competence in fine arts as well as prepare to work in various education and therapeutic institutions (artherapy).

As far as the **Faculty of Applied Social Sciences** is concerned, we are the first high education

Fields of study in Polish

- psychologia (Psychology)
- pedagogika specjalna (Special Education)
- edukacja artystyczna (Artistic Education)
- socjologia (Sociology)
- praca socjalna (Social Work)
- pedagogika (Pedagogy)

Facts & figures

● Established in 1922 ● 289 academic staff ● 7000 students (80% women) ● 10 foreign students

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institution in Poland to have started a full-time **social work** study program. The course is designed to meet the needs of the growing population of the elderly, disabled or chronically ill who need professional care and support. Our university educates professional social workers within a full study program, which is comparable to similar courses of the European standards (previously, social work faculty was incorporated into other social science courses).

The **sociology** course is aimed at training education counselors as well as reducing inequalities in education for people socially isolated. In 2008/2009 we began educating students in the major of **psychology** within a 5-year tier MA studies program.

Beside educational activity, our university is involved in a wide range of interdisciplinary scientific research. In addition, AES conducts various projects under the auspices of the European Social Fund. We own a modern library operated by a computerized service system as well as offer online access to our catalogues.

AES apparently places great importance on the disabled students offering them simplified study system, facilities enabling to move around the campus (wheelchair access ramps, lifts and Braille orientation signs) as well as the Bureau for the Disabled Students and Job Counseling.

The Academy has two faculties which offer six study majors:

Faculty of Pedagogical Sciences
 – majors: Pedagogy and Special Education (first and second level studies), and Artistic Education in the field of fine arts (first level studies)

Faculty of Applied Social Sciences
 – majors: Social Work and Sociology (first level studies), and Psychology (one-tier, 5-year studies, from 2008/2009).

Currently, about 7000 students are enrolled in fulltime and part time programs. There are 287 faculty members. The Academy holds the Erasmus University Charter and has participated in the Erasmus mobility program since 2005. Although it does not offer fulltime study programs in English yet, a number of courses in foreign languages are conducted. On demand, the Academy has also conducted several international postgraduate programs in English.

Our Patron Maria Grzegorzewska pioneered the systematic research on pedagogy directed at the disabled and established its grounds. Believing a human being to be a psycho-physical unity, she put forward a claim for a global approach towards any aberration from the norm. She developed the aspect of compensation in the revalidation of the disabled (the dynamic structural system theory). Her deeper interest lay with pedagogy and psychology of the of the Blind and Visually Impaired as well as with deafblind people. She was, among her other achievements, the scientific instructor during the revalidation of the deaf-blind girl, Krystyna Hryszkiewicz. Moreover, she turned a keen eye on the developments in all subdisciplines of special pedagogy and the practice of work with disabled people. The results

Maria Bielijewska
 Artistic Education student from Russia



Polish roots and mother's love
 I came to study in Poland straight from Russia. When I learned from the Polish Embassy in Moscow that I can try to pass an entry exam (*to study in Poland*). I said to myself "Why not give it a try?" My Polish roots and my mother's love for Poland helped. I decided to study at APS since I am interested in therapy through art and here I can study art therapy. I have heard that APS is the best pedagogic school in Poland. I am very happy to have passed the entry exam and to be a student at APS.

of her activity encouraged some of the first attempts at creating a complete outline of the theory and practice of work with disabled people.



The Academy of Fine Arts in Poznan

➔ **Welcome.** The Academy of Fine Arts in Poznań (ASP), one of Poland's oldest art schools, is celebrating its 90th anniversary this year. Undertaking a number of innovative initiatives the Academy is extremely modern, being the first artistic institution of its type in Poland to offer studies in English with individually chosen studios. It was established in 1919 as the School of Decorative Arts and was later transformed into the State Institute of Art.

In 1946 it was renamed the State Higher School of Fine Arts. In September 1996 the

structure and faculties as well as a tradition of an Academy that is subject to ongoing transformation, a tradition of being open to the quest for artistic and intellectual values. The school has always been a melting-pot for various concepts and many disciplines of art, from classical to contemporary, and never has a single artistic, designing or aesthetic doctrine been allowed to prevail.

The Academy is located in Poznań – one of the oldest and most beautiful cities in Poland. The location of Poznań between Berlin and Warsaw means the city is easily accessible, whether travelling by car, train or airplane. In addition, Poznań is an old city, established more than a thousand years ago, having a number of historic museums and contemporary art galleries. Therefore, along with its wide range of shopping opportunities, the variety of board and lodging options and, last but not least, its student clubs, the city is an extremely attractive location for your university education. Join more than 130,000 university students to enjoy the enormous range of prestigious exhibitions and international festivals in music, film, theater as well as other arts.

The Academy can be found at the very heart of the city. The Old Market, the National Museum and

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school obtained the status of an Academy and was once again renamed the Poznan Academy of Fine Arts.

The frequent changes of the school's name resulted from the continuous development of its

- BA in Sculpture
- BA in Painting & Drawing
- BA in Intermedia
- BA in Workshop Graphics
- BA in Interior Design

- BA in Industrial Design
- BA in Graphic Design
- MA in Sculpture
- MA in Painting & Drawing
- MA in Intermedia

Fields of study in English

- MA in Workshop Graphics
- MA in Interior Design
- MA in Industrial Design
- MA in Graphic Design

Fields of study in Polish

- grafika warsztatowa, grafika – komunikacja wizualna (Workshop Graphics, Design Graphics)
- malarstwo sztalugowe, malarstwo w architekturze, tkanina artystyczna, rysunek (Painting, Drawing, Artistic Tissue)
- rzeźba i działania przestrzenne (Sculpture)
- architektura wnętrz, wzornictwo (Interior Design, Industrial Design)
- architektura i urbanistyka (Architecture and Urban Planning)
- projektowanie scenografii, projektowanie ubioru
- (Stage Design, Fashion Design)
- intermedia, film animowany, fotografia (Intermedia, Animated Movie, Photography)
- pedagogika sztuki, krytyka i promocja sztuki (Art Pedagogics, Art Criticism and Art Promotion)

Facts & figures

- Established in 1919 ● 213 professors ● 1500 students

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a variety of art galleries are within a short walking distance. The school's four venues house more than a hundred art and design workshops, plus lecture rooms, library, auditorium, exhibition rooms, artist's store, canteens, a cosy hotel, and administrative offices. Free Internet access is available. An old manor house in Skoki, just 40 km from Poznań, is a special place. Managed by the academy, the house and the stately park surrounding it provide an unparalleled venue for open-air art workshops for Polish and international students.

Staff and guests. 213 professors work at the Academy, many of them distinguished artists, architects, and internationally renowned scientists and lecturers. Our professors are continuously involved in various international artistic and scientific projects, giving lectures at art schools throughout Europe, curators of international exhibitions as well as authoring many artistic and theoretical papers. The school itself publishes the Art Records [Zeszyty artystyczne] magazine, books, catalogues, and the student periodical Aspect [Aspekt]. Five galleries with a variety of profiles are subsidised by the Academy, providing venues for Polish and international art exhibitions as well as distinctive works by students.

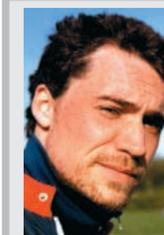
The Academy has the power to grant honorary doctorates (the honoris causa). Among recent doctors have been Magdalena Abakanowicz (2002), Gary Hill (2004), Emmett Williams (2005), Krzysztof Wodiczko (2007) and Christian Boltanski (2009).

We have had the honour to host and cooperate with many world-class artists, to mention only Mirosław Bałka, Carlo Dal Bianco, Leszek Brogowski, Christian Boltanski, Lex Drewinski, Janusz Kapusta, Christine Laquet, Zbigniew Rybczyński, Mamoru Sato, Dietmar Schmale, Patricia Urquiola, Yury Vasiliev, Krzysztof Wodiczko and many others.

ASP is also a member of the following associations and organizations: the European League of Institutes of the Arts (ELIA), Network for the International Cooperation in the Arts, and is involved in the Bologna system with three year bachelor studies and two year master studies.

International cooperation. Within the Erasmus and Ceepus programmes students can study at our

Marc Tobias Winterhagen
Intermedia student
from Germany



Good decision!

When I came as an Erasmus student to the Academy of Fine Arts in Poznań I thought I would stay only for one semester. But the friendly, open-hearted, hospitable Polish people really made me feel like I had found a new home. Also, the way the professors teach at the academy, the relationship between them and their students, the way ideas are developed, the constructive criticism, as well as the fact that I could easily join different classes and workshops, all contributed to my decision to become an official student of the ASP and to take my diploma.

partner schools in the UK, France, Greece, Ireland, Lithuania, Croatia, Spain, the Netherlands, Germany, Norway, Slovakia, Italy, the Czech Republic, Slovenia, Romania, Hungary, Mongolia, Mexico, Canada and the USA.



Eugeniusz Piasecki University of Physical Education in Poznan

→ Why University of Physical Education (AWF) in Poznan?

Firstly: Tradition. University of Physical Education is one of the oldest university-level sports schools in Poland (founded in 1919), the third in Europe after Gent and Copenhagen. The origins of the University of Physical Education derive from the tradition of the Department of School Hygiene and Theory of Physical Education at the newly created Poznań University. The Department was the first academic centre in Poland to prepare PE specialists. On 1 January

Secondly: Achievements. We are proud of our students: outstanding sportsmen and sports-women, Olympic athletes, winners of numerous medals. We are also proud that our University is ranked very high among Polish sports universities; as well we are proud of the potential we offer to our students. The teaching staff is there to share their knowledge of physical education, sports, physiotherapy, tourism and recreation, across three faculties using modern teaching and sports facilities.

International cooperation. AWF is a member of prestigious international organizations such as: the European University Association (EUA), International Association of Universities (IAU), International Council of Sport Sciences and Physical Education (ICSSPE) and some others. Since 1999 AWF has actively participated in the European educational programmes like CEEPUS, Socrates/Comenius and Longlife Learning Programme (LLP) Erasmus and in research programmes such as 5, 6 and 7 Framework. 35 universities from 18 European countries cooperate with AWF through bilateral agreements. Our international students are mainly within European educational programmes. They have modules to choose with courses taught in English and

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1973 the school was granted the status of the University of Physical Education. Since 1968 the University has the right to confer doctoral degrees and since 1993 the degrees of associate professor.

Fields of study in Polish

- fizjoterapia (Physiotherapy)
- wychowanie fizyczne (Physical Education)
- sport (Sport)
- turystyka i rekreacja (Tourism and Recreation)

Facts & figures

- Established in 1919 ● 4430 students (60% women) ● 42 foreign students ● 320 academic staff

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evaluated in ECTS. The moduls are based on proposal from incoming students (their Learning Agreement). Organizing each of subject in English depends on amount of students who are interested in it (min. 50%). Within every chosen course an Erasmus Student has the maximum of 15 class-hours of lectures (in English) and, besides that, participates in all practical classes together with Polish students.

We are very pleased with the dynamically developing foreign co-operation. An increasing number of exchange students and teachers within the frameworks of European programmes has resulted in agreements with forty European universities, our partners. In order to maintain such a varied teaching offer we need highly qualified academic and teaching staff. Our staff systematically increase their qualifications and obtain higher academic degrees.

Research, didactic and sport facilities. AWF has a lot of well equipped didactic rooms and five accredited laboratories, as well as a computerized interesting area of research and with assistance of experienced academic teacher start preparing the first scientific presentation.

The important part of teaching programme are practical placements. They are compulsory and are realized through a variety of ways: for major physical education in schools, for major physiotherapy in hospitals and clinics, for major tourism and recreation in hotels, touristic offices and recreational centers, also abroad. To improve their practical skills and physical condition the students participate in two-week training camp in AWF's Educational Centre in Chycina at the Chycina Lake.

Sport facilities such as indoor swimming pool, gym, tennis courts, fitness club, multifunctional hall for sports games and stadium with artificial surface are open to students and athletes as well as the University Sports Association (AZS) with several sports sections. AWF is the only one university-level sports schools in Poland which offers to the students a field hockey coach specialization.

Students of AWF have to their disposal a student hostel with 600 beds.

Famous sportsmen alumni.

Artur Wojdat (swimming), three-time medallist of the World Championships: in 1991 two bronze medals in 50 m pool at the distance of 200 m and 400 m and a silver medal in 1993 in 25 m pool at the distance of 200 m, two-time European champion: in 1989 – 400 m and in 1991 – 200 m and two-time runner-up: in 1989 – 200 m and in 1991 – 400 m.

Izabela Dylewska (kayaking) two-time bronze medallist of the summer Olympic Games in 1988 in Seoul: K-1 (kayak single) 500 m, bronze medal in 1992 in Barcelona: K-1 (kayak single) 500 m, K-2 (kayak double) 500 m – 6th place in the final. Her partner in the kayak was Elżbieta Urbańczyk.

Tomasz Kucharski (rowing), two-time Olympic champion: Sydney (2000) and Athens (2004), three times World Champion (2001, 2002, 2003) Sławomir Mocek (fencing) – participant of the Olympic Games in Sydney (2000), gold medal of the World Championships in La Chaux de Fonds (1998), silver medal in Nimes (2001) and bronze medal in Seoul (1999), five-time medallist of the European Championships.

Julia Michalska and **Magdalena Fularczyk** (rowing) – 2009 World Champions in double scull, winners of the general classification of the World Championships in double scull, Polish Champions in single scull and double scull.

Michał Jeliński (rowing) – three-time world Champion in men quad scull (2005, 2006, 2007), participant of the Olympic Games in Athens

Juan Jose Rico Roldan
Physical Education Faculty
student from Spain



Positive surprise

It was really nicely surprised by the attitude of the professors at the University of Physical Education in Poznan – they were really helpful and open to dialogue. Their English is excellent, so I have a great opportunity to improve my linguistic skills and get a lot of practice in speaking. Also the sport facilities, available to students, are really great. We can use gym, swimming pool, football field, racing track, health club and many others. Polish students may seem to be shy at first, but I find them very friendly. They help foreigners as much as they can.

(2004), Olympic Games gold medallist in Beijing (2008).

Anita Włodarczyk (hammer throw) – gold medal at the World Championships in Berlin 2009, world record with the result 77.96 m.



University School of Physical Education in Wrocław

➔ **About us.** The University School of Physical Education in Wrocław (AWF) is a public university with more than 4,500 students from Poland and abroad. It is a very dynamic and one of the fastest growing higher education institutions focused on teaching and learning in the field of sport, physical education and physiotherapy.

Since 1946 – for more than sixty years, the University School of Physical Education in Wrocław (AWF) has provided academic excellence, research and sport for its community. It is a place where theory and sport practice join together to

achieving your educational goals in our higher education institution.

Academics. The academic programme reaches its quality based on teaching staff, great library, modern didactic rooms and excellent sport facilities which help students thrive academically and in sport performance. Our 2 faculties: Faculty of Physical Education and Faculty of Physiotherapy provide opportunities for undergraduate, graduate and professional education, all influenced by AWF distinctive interdisciplinary approach to learning and researching.

A new Institute of Sport is the only academic place in Poland that provides an academic programme educating experts in the field of sport management and high quality sport coaching education.

At present the university offers three-degree studies: Bachelor, Master and PhD of Physical Education Science, Sport Science and Physiotherapy Sciences with 10 specializations. These degrees provide students with an interdisciplinary knowledge of physical education, sport, health, fitness and well-being that is drawn from a variety of traditional academic areas, such as: anatomy, physiology, kinesiology, philosophy, psychology, didactics, and sport and rehabilitation sciences.

build a better foundation for development of physical education and sport science.

We invite you to explore this vibrant sport university and take advantage of all it has to offer for young people, and wish you the best in

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• fizjoterapia (Physiotherapy)
 • sport (Sport)

• turystyka i rekreacja (Tourism and Recreation)

Fields of study in Polish

• wychowanie fizyczne (Physical Education)

Facts & figures

• Established in 1946 • 310 academic staff • 4500 students (53% women) • 50 foreign students

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University School of Physical Education in Wrocław provides a large offer of courses in English (more than 30 subjects) as a part of LLP ERASMUS Programme. We are currently working on launching a full time course in English ending with an official degree in 2011.

For many years our University has been ranked the best among Sport University in the country.

Reformation of degree structures. A major reform of the degree structures according to the Bologna Declaration is now completed at the University School of Physical Education in Wrocław. The major of the reform – the ECTS (The European Credit Transfer System) and three cycle studies will help to standardize the degree structures and make them more comparable across Europe. It means that the First cycle (undergraduate) studies will take 3 years and the second cycle (post-graduate) studies – 2 years to complete. As a result of the reform international students from European Union countries can complete full time studies at AWF in Wrocław.

Campus, research and sport facilities. With its green surroundings: Park Szczytnicki, Odra River and landmark architecture – Olympic Stadium, beautiful AWF campus is the arena of all AWF activities: academic, athletic, research and student life. Two of AWF faculties are located within walking distance of one another.

AWF is home to a number of centres and laboratories that are designed to facilitate research of graduate students and their academic supervisors. These include among the others: the Laboratory of Biomechanical Analysis, the Laboratory of Exercise and Research, the Laboratory of Functional Examination in Internal Diseases.

Besides the research base, University has an impressive number of modern and well equipped sport facilities including: athletics stadium, tennis hall, indoor swimming pool, and two large multi-functional sport halls. Campus sport and recreational facilities lead in the innovative glance on health, sport and recreation programmes that inspire our University community: academics, students and support workers to live an active and healthy lifestyle.

The Student Hostel SPARTAKUS provides safe, and affordable living and learning housing facilities for students and guests.

Academic city of Wrocław. The University School of Physical Education (AWF) is located in Wrocław, the largest city in western Poland, capital of the region of Lower Silesia. The city of Wrocław as one of the biggest academic centres of Poland, of more than 100000 students is a vital, multicultural and dynamic developing city. The reason of the unique atmosphere is probably due to the turbulent history of the city that reaches back more than one thousand years. In combination with a tremendous selection of social, sport and recreational activities provided by both the AWF campus and the city itself, it is hard to find a better place with vibrant atmosphere to conducive high quality studying.

International cooperation. The University School of Physical Education (AWF) participates actively in international research programmes, especially in the EU Framework Programmes in the fields of physical education, health, physiotherapy and sport. For 10 years AWF has participated in Lifelong Learning Programme ERASMUS. This cooperation has resulted in bilateral exchange agreements with more than 50 universities around Europe. Annually about 50 international students study at the University School of Physical

Joaquin Segarra Marquet student from Spain



Right choice!

Studying at the University of Physical Education in Wrocław it's a right choice. The university campus, with its new buildings, modern, well equipped laboratories and sport facilities is a wonderful place for international students. Teachers and students are really kind and helpful that is so important for everybody in a new country. Polish is a difficult language, but if you speak English communication gets really easy! Wrocław has really good connection with the rest of Europe by train and plane, and it's a vibrant, student city.

Education (AWF), and about 50 of Polish students spend an exchange period abroad.

For further information about educational co-operation please contact the International Office, part of the Science and Foreign Affairs Department.



The Bronisław Markiewicz State School of Higher Vocational Education in Jarosław

→ For nearly 11 years The Bronisław Markiewicz State School of Higher Vocational Education in Jarosław (PWSZ Jarosław) has been part of the picturesque San River valley. It was founded on 1 August, 1998 in accordance with the act issued on 26 June, 1997 on Schools of Higher Vocational Education.

One of the main objectives of university education is to give an educational start to young people from small and medium-sized villages of south-eastern Poland, to overcome the barriers to

The main task of our school is to prepare professional workers for their career during the 3-year Bachelor studies and the 3.5-year Engineering studies. PWSZ in Jarosław makes every effort to implement the educational mission: „above all, it tries to meet the students' aspirations and therefore it wants to expand its educational offer, and does its best to create new fields of study in the specialities compatible with the needs of the region, as well as to create MA studies.

We have created modern sports facilities, in which the University Sports Association operates. Our students are champions in many sports disciplines.

Our students are represented by the Student Government which carries out a range of activities in the fields of social welfare, sport, charity and culture. It cooperates with other student governments in Poland and abroad; it also takes an active part in the sessions of the Student Parliament of Poland.

The scientific activity of our school is supported by perfectly developed didactic facilities which cover the area of 11 hectares. Modern classrooms,

educational access and provide the local labour market with professional workers ready for employment in the economic, tourism, medical and construction sector.

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| ● budownictwo (Construction Studies) | ● geodezja i kartografia (Geodesy and Cartography)) | ● pielęgniarstwo (Nursing) |
| ● europeistyka (European Studies) | ● informatyka (Informatics) | ● turystyka i rekreacja (Tourism and Recreation) |
| ● filologia (English Philology and German Philology) | ● pedagogika (Pedagogy) | ● zarządzanie (Management) |

Fields of study in Polish

Facts & figures

- Founded in 1998 ● 3823 students (56% women) ● 23 foreign students

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well-equipped laboratories, IT facilities are the chief assets of our school's educational offer.

The main purpose of the Promotion and Career Section is to create a positive image of our school, the steady growth of its attractiveness and competitiveness in the educational market. This section achieves its objectives in accordance with the idea behind our school, i. e. „student-friendly school” through creating the positive image both inside and outside the school. Another element is moulding the opinion about PWSZ in Jarosław as a reliable, honest school providing the graduates with a solid practical and theoretical basis to take up their first job, encouraging talented, ambitious and creative students – specialists in their fields.

The Promotion and Career Section carries out the tasks connected not only with promoting our school, but also in the field of recruitment. Realization of those tasks manifests itself in: preparing and distribution of information materials for candidates, designing the content, graphics and language of promotional materials, participation in educational fairs, organizing workshops and events for young people from secondary schools under the heading “The School for you – reach for more”.

The Promotion and Career Section is also responsible for editing and distribution of our student newspaper *Echo Uczelni* and preparing broadcasts for the student radio i. e. *Twoje Radio Jarosław* (1062 AM). Our modern student club *Sesja Pub* offers a warm meal from 9.30 until the evening hours.

All the goals and objectives we have set up are, in our opinion, necessary for the proper functioning in the education market and fulfilling the functions each educational institution is assigned. We would like to assure you that we will do our best to realize these priorities to achieve the primary objective, which is the development of The Bronisław Markiewicz State School of Higher Vocational Education in Jarosław.

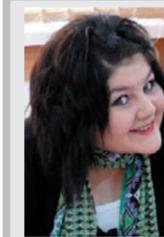
The Institute of Economics and Management was created in October 2005. It is constituted by five Departments realising the basic objectives in the scope of this field of study. The teaching staff of these Departments represents different disciplines of knowledge; such as the knowledge of economics, humanities, law and agriculture. These disciplines concentrate on the problems aimed at understanding the external and internal determinants of performance of the competitive market conditions.

Nursing – Vocational studies last three years (six semesters). The total number of teaching hours is 4,780 hours, 2300 hours of which are devoted to practical training – practical classes and apprenticeship.

The Institute of Humanities was created in May 2009 by the decision of the Ministry of Science and Higher Education.

The Institute of International Relations was opened in October 2005. The Institute educates full-time and extra-mural students who obtain a Bachelor's degree after 6 semesters. The graduates of the Institute of International Relations have the humanistic knowledge which allows them to be acquainted with human needs and verify social phenomena and processes.

Ayşe Seyma Gunes
Management Business Studies
student from Turkey



I am very glad that I've chosen Poland

I am very glad that I've chosen The Bronisław Markiewicz State School of Higher Vocational Education in Jarosław. It's quite young but high developed school. Jarosław is a beautiful and very friendly place, really cheap and easy to live. I've met here a lot of Polish students which are kind and helpful. The Erasmus Program is a very good opportunity to exchange culture experiences with them. But the main reason that I decided to join Erasmus is possibility to improve my English.

The Institute of Technical Engineering was created in 2008. The following fields of study were assigned to this institute: Computer Science, Geodesy and Cartography, Civil Engineering.



Andrzej Frycz Modrzewski Krakow University

➔ **About Andrzej Frycz Modrzewski Krakow University (AFMKU).** The University, established in 2000, is one of the most modern and rapidly developing private universities in Poland. Its mission is to inspire and challenge students, faculties and staff by providing high quality, innovative and internationally oriented education and research. AFMKU educates professionals from various fields and equips them with all the skills needed to succeed in the contemporary world.

International Business Studies (IBS) is a 3-year Bachelor's programme conducted entirely in

European standards and includes Macroeconomics and Microeconomics, International Financial Relations, History of International Relations, or Intercultural Communication in Business and Management. The courses are delivered by academic teachers from AFMKU and foreign visiting lecturers.

International co-operation. Andrzej Frycz Modrzewski Krakow University has a wide network of international contacts. This cooperation has given rise to exchange programmes involving students and members of the academic staff, as well as educational and research projects. AFMKU participates in the international programmes, e.g. LLP-Erasmus, implemented throughout the European Union.

Rankings:

- the first non-public vocational school of higher education in Poland when it comes to size, to the number of full-time students, master's degree students and students admitted during the academic year 2006/2007 – Report of "Perspektywy" June 2007;
- Special Award 2007 for the "leap from the 46th to the 23rd place on the list" of non-public undergraduate schools of higher education in

English. It is directed towards ambitious and creative students from Poland, the European Union, and other countries, who are interested in enhancing their knowledge of International Relations and International Business. The syllabus meets the

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● BA in International Business

- administracja (Administration)
- architektura i urbanistyka (Architecture and Urban Studies)
- architektura wnętrz (Interior Design)
- bezpieczeństwo narodowe (National Security)
- dziennikarstwo i komunikacja społeczna (Journalism and Social Communication)
- ekonomia (Economics)
- filologia (Philology)

● Master of Business Administration (MBA)

- gospodarka przestrzenna (Spatial Management)
- informatyka i ekonometria (IT and Econometrics)
- kosmetologia (Beauty Therapy)
- kulturoznawstwo (Culture Studies)
- malarstwo (Painting)
- nauki o rodzinie (Family Studies)
- ochrona środowiska (Environment Protection)
- pedagogika (Pedagogy)

Fields of study in English

Fields of study in Polish

- pielęgniarstwo (Nursing)
- politologia (Political Studies)
- praca socjalna (Social Work)
- prawo (Law)
- psychologia (Psychology)
- ratownictwo medyczne (Medical Rescue)
- socjologia (Sociology)
- stosunki międzynarodowe (International Relations)
- zarządzanie (Management)

Facts & figures

● Established in 2000 ● 368 academic staff ● 15 436 students (60% women) ● 49 foreign students

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- the ranking carried out by "Perspektywy" and the "Rzeczpospolita";
- the "Wiarygodna Szkoła" ("Reliable School") certificate for the academic year 2009/2010, granted by the Academic Information Centre (5th time);
- 4th place on a ranking list of Non-Public Institutions of Higher Education granted by the "Rzeczpospolita" and "Perspektywy", May 2009;
- Award for the biggest upward jump on the ranking list granted by the "Rzeczpospolita" and Perspektywy, May 2009.

Campus. The campus of AFMKU is situated at ul. Gustawa Herlinga-Grudzinskiego 1, along the Vistula River, within a walking distance (circa 3 km) from the centre of Krakow. The campus consists of three world-class edifices, which jointly give around 26 000 square metres of comfortable learning and working space for students as well as teaching and administrative staff, respectively. It is easy to access the particular units of the University including an extensive library, reading room, computer labs, conference facilities, three big lecture halls (1 lecture hall with 420 seats, 2 lecture halls with 280 seats each), 13 large lecture rooms, smaller classrooms and seminar rooms.

Student organisations. The students of AFMKU form Samorząd Studencki (Student Self-Government). It is an independent body chosen by students from students to serve students. The

University houses many student organisations, academic groups, academic sports association and Uczelniane Biuro Karier (Institutional Careers Office). Once a year, the Office organises the Work Fair where potential employers from a number of companies display their presentations and offers for students and graduates.

Library. The library stores over 85 thousand volumes of books pertinent to the fields of studies taught at AFMKU, one third of which is in foreign languages, mainly in English and German. They were mostly acquired from the University of Hull, the Consulate of the Republic of Poland in Beverley, Bochum University, the U.S. Department of State, the Polish Sejm Library, the Library of the Polish Academy of Sciences, various institutions of the European Union and

Sylvia Śliwa
International Business
student from USA



Great ride for success

I chose to study at Andrzej Frycz Modrzewski Krakow University in the International Business programme because it gives me a wonderful opportunity to continue to learn in English as well as provides solid education in business oriented fields. Classes like Microeconomics, Trade or Management really caught my attention and provided me with a useful knowledge that will surely escalate my chances for success. I'm sure that studying at this University and living in Krakow will be a great ride for anyone that loves challenges and wants to succeed.

October 6 University. Oddział Informacji Naukowej (Department of Academic Information) that functions in the library allows for browsing numerous data bases, such as EBSCO, ISI Emerging Markets, Lex Omega, etc.



Kozminski University

→ Kozminski University is an internationally renowned private business school located in the very heart of Europe. The only such institution in Central and Eastern Europe which is EQUIS and AMBA accredited and listed within the most prestigious Financial Times rankings. Like our prospective students, we are young and ambitious and have achieved much since our creation in 1993. We offer recognized BBA, MSc, MBA, and PhD programs in business management and finance. In 2009 the Kozminski University Master Program in Management ranked 36th in the Financial Times Global Masters in Management

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Ranking, our EMBA program was listed among the top 95 EMBA programs in the world and the University ranked 42nd in Europe in the European Business Schools Ranking. Our course offerings have a unique international flavor; they are taught entirely in English by international faculty with

degrees and teaching experience from prestigious universities throughout the world. Our students come from circa 30 nationalities, creating a truly international atmosphere that enables them to experience the richness of various cultures blended together with our own "Kozminski Way".

Why should you choose Kozminski University?

Because it is the best business school in the region.

Being the only EQUIS and AMBA accredited institution in the region listed in the most prestigious rankings of business schools published by the Financial Times, Kozminski University is in a league of its own in terms of quality and prestige.

For Developing a strong background for your career:

- With its dynamic labor market, foreign investments and the only economy in Europe which did not suffer negative rate of growth this year, Poland is a great place to start your professional career. Kozminski University maintains strong relationships with local and international business as well as top class managers, who share their experience and knowledge with our students.

Degree programmes

- BBA Programme in Management
- BBA Programme in Finance
- MSc Bradford University in International Business and Management with Bradford University (double-degree, British and Polish)
- Alliance for Business Education International Master in

Management (delivered by Kozminski University Poland, EADA – Spain, Audencia – France, Bradford University – UK)

- MSc in Finance

Executive programmes

- European MBA (double degree, British and Polish University School of Management)

Fields of study in English

- EURO*MBA – distance learning programme – conducted by a consortium of 5 European Universities
- Professional Postgraduate Diploma in Marketing – The Chartered Institute of Marketing (CIM)

Fields of study in Polish

- administracja (Administration)
- europeistyka (European Studies)
- finanse (Finance)
- prawo (Law)
- psychologia w zarządzaniu (psychology in management)
- socjologia (Sociology)
- zarządzanie (Management)

Facts & figures

• Founded in 1993 • 8000 students • 400 faculty members • 500 foreign students

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- Courses are delivered by prestigious academics, renowned in their research fields. At least 50% of the professors come from abroad, predominantly from Great Britain, the United States and Western Europe.
- Kozminski University study programs create an opportunity to gain internationally recognized diplomas of Kozminski University and prestigious partner business schools (University of Bradford – UK, EADA – Spain, Audencia – France).

Because a large share of coursework is completed in groups students have the possibility to share their different points of view and knowledge of global markets. Students from Europe, Asia and the Americas learn about differences in cultures and ways of conducting business in different regions.

For an enjoyable time as a student in a great environment:

- Well equipped facilities, numerous lecture halls, computer labs, modern library, canteens, gym
- Friendly and multicultural atmosphere

Dimas Alvarenga
 Master in International Business and Management student from Venezuela

To take advantage of exchange opportunities.

We have active student exchange agreements with over 90 universities worldwide, this includes cooperation within the Erasmus program and our own bilateral agreements. Every year hundreds of Kozminski University students travel abroad for one or two semesters. They enjoy their time as exchange students at prestigious institutions in Europe, Asia and the Americas where they learn about differences in cultures and markets, gain knowledge and build networks which will facilitate their international career.

For an enriching multicultural experience:

Kozminski University student community is a mix of circa 30 nationalities from all corners of the world. Every year our full-time students are joined by a growing number of exchange students.



The best decision

Kozminski University is the most internationally recognized educational institution in the region. One which allows me to get both the Polish and the British Master degrees during a single program and where I can study in a truly international environment with students and lecturers from all over the world and for a fraction of the cost of the same sort of programs provided by equally prestigious western universities.

- Great choice of sport sections and activities, we are the National Champions among non-public schools in the general classification of the Academic Sport Association.
- Team-building and cultural events and rich student life in the City of Warsaw.



Łazarski University

→ **Why Łazarski?** Łazarski University is one of the best private universities in Poland. We provide students a dynamic education that is founded on European and American expertise, which combines theory with practice, and ensures students success in the global labor market. Our students study in an intellectually tolerant, vigorously challenging and academically supportive environment that motivates them and encourages them to develop self-confidence, and provides them with the knowledge and tools they need for professional success.

Our university has a very strong international profile. We are in partnership with more than 50 educational institutions throughout the world and attract a large number of students each year from

Łazarski students are renowned for their excellent academic performance, which contributes to the success and reputation of our university. If you excel academically, have notable achievements, and are involved in extracurricular activities, you can qualify for one of our attractive packages of scholarships and tuition reductions.

Łazarski University. Łazarski University in Warsaw was founded in 1993 by Ryszard Łazarski, renowned for his significant educational and organizational achievements. Since its inception, the school has become one of the best private institutions of higher learning in Poland. Academic programs at Łazarski address key issues in business, law, international relations and public administration and offer their students the finest interdisciplinary education available.

Łazarski University is one of the few private universities in Poland possessing a new, modern campus, especially designed to meet the needs of the school and accommodate students and staff. Classes are held in spacious seminar rooms and airconditioned lecture halls equipped with modern audio-visual and computer technology. Students have access to a computerized reading room and library that presently holds 90 000 volumes, constituting one of the largest collections that can be found at any private educational institution in Poland.

abroad. These students value the opportunity we give them to study in an international environment and interact with outstanding lecturers from Poland, Europe and the US, and participate in such exchange programs as Erasmus and Da Vinci.

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University of Wales, Delaware Department of Education (USA) and Łazarski diplomas:

- **BA in International Relations and European Studies** (6 semesters)
- **BA in Business Economics** (6 semesters)
- **MA in International Relations** (4 semesters)
- **MSc in International Business Economics** (4 semesters)

University of Wisconsin La-Crosse, Delaware Department of Education (USA) and Łazarski diplomas:

- **American MBA Program** (4 semesters, including one semester in the USA)

Łazarski and Center for International Legal Studies in Salzburg diplomas:

- **International Legal Skills Program**

Fields of study in English

Łazarski University BA diplomas:

- **International Business Economics – BA studies**
- **International Relations – BA studies**

Łazarski University MA diplomas:

- **Master In Public Administration**

Fields of study in Polish

- *administracja (Administration)*
- *ekonomia (Economics)*
- *finanse i rachunkowość (Finance and Accounting)*

- *prawo (Law)*
- *stosunki międzynarodowe (International Relations)*
- *zarządzanie (Management)*

- *studia podyplomowe (Postgraduates Studies)*
- *PhD seminars in Law*

Facts & figures

- *Founded in 1993*
- *Over 260 international students*
- *Over 160 instructors*
- *Own campus close to city center*

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International academic cooperation. Łazarski University is accredited by various internationally recognized institutions and universities, to mention only University of Wales (UK), Delaware Department of Higher Education (US), AACSB (Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business), University of Wisconsin-La Crosse, Center for International legal Studies in Salzburg and Academic University of Law in Moscow.

The accreditations guarantee our alumni the highest level of teaching standards and educational background enabling them to seek jobs abroad.

Presently, Łazarski University participates in staff and student exchange programs with 53 academic institutions worldwide. Students have the opportunity to study abroad within the framework of the Erasmus exchange program. In addition, the School currently hosts approximately 260 students from 30 countries.

University partnerships. Łazarski University has forged close relationships with American and European academic institutions, namely the Georgetown University, the University of Kentucky, the University of Wisconsin – La Crosse, the University of Wales and the American University of Rome. These partnerships help to raise the standards of teaching and research. Students benefit from the opportunity to study in an international environment and interact with outstanding instructors from the best Western universities.

Rankings. Łazarski University's continuous development and improvement of the quality of instruction are reflected in favourable rankings,

which are published by professional magazines and periodicals.

- 1st place for the best Faculty of Law among private universities (Gazeta Prawna, 2007, 2008, 2009)
- 1st place for the highest educational level in a private business school (Home&Market, 2008)
- 2nd place for the highest educational level in a private business school (Home&Market, 2009)
- 2nd place for the best private school (Polska The Times – ACI 2009)
- 2nd place for the best private school („The Credible School” competition, 2008)
- 2nd place for the best private business and management school (Wprost, 2007)
- 3rd place (following Jagiellonian and Warsaw Universities) for the best law faculty (Dlaczego, 2008)

Siarhej Samuseu, student from Belarus, the best International student in Poland (Perspektywy 2009) the founder of international student organization Young Researchers for Economics



Managers of our own education

Young Researchers for Economics is a students' initiative supported by academic teachers. Active membership allows us to enhance our personal, academic and professional growth and go beyond the university syllabus. Thanks to cooperation and support of our academic teachers, company practitioners and entrepreneurs we run a number of projects within the scope of modern economics. We have become managers of our own education. Łazarski University has offered us its resources, expertise and individual approach to diverse needs of ambitious students.

- 3rd place for the best private business school (Home&Market, 2008).

In addition, Łazarski University has received the highest number of points of all the schools in the rankings for offering students a „friendly academic atmosphere”. This is great news for incoming students!



Częstochowa University of Technology

→ Częstochowa University of Technology is the oldest and the largest higher education institution in the region. It is attended by about 14 000 students at the 6 faculties. Students can choose from 90 specialities in 17 fields of study. More than 800 academic staff are employed at the Częstochowa University of Technology, including 145 professors and 485 doctors. All faculties have academic rights to confer doctoral degrees (in 9 scientific disciplines), and three faculties have rights to confer the status of habilitated doctor (assistant professor).

quality of their research, Częstochowa University of Technology has an established position on the scientific maps of both Poland and Europe.

International cooperation. The University runs a wide range of activities at an international level, including scientific and educational programmes in cooperation with foreign partners within the framework of projects funded by the European Union. Academic workers at the University actively participate in world research, presenting their scientific achievements at international conferences and symposiums.

All the engineering fields of studies are accredited by the European Federation of National Engineering Associations (FEANI), which means that graduates of the Częstochowa University of Technology can be awarded the title "European engineer". At our University, as at the majority of European Union higher education institutions, students are evaluated with the use of a credit system. This allows students to study in foreign academic centres by taking advantage of opportunities to participate in European programmes, including the 7th Framework Programme, the Norwegian Financial Mechanism and the LLP-ERASMUS educational programme. The University extends its educational offer to both Polish and foreign students who want to

Częstochowa University of Technology produces highly educated students, so over 4000 alumni a year emerge properly prepared for the challenges, brought by progress in science and technology. Thanks to its academic staff and the

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● **BSc/MSc Biotechnology for Environmental Protection**

- budownictwo (Civil Engineering)
- edukacja techniczno-informatyczna (Education in Technology and Informatics)
- elektronika i telekomunikacja (Electronics and Telecommunications)
- elektrotechnika (Electrical Engineering)
- energetyka (Power Engineering)

● **BSc/MSc Business of Technology**
 ● **BSc/MSc Intelligent Energy**

- fizyka techniczna (Technical Physics)
- informatyka (Informatics)
- informatyka i ekonometria (Informatics and Econometrics)
- inżynieria materiałowa (Materials Engineering)
- inżynieria środowiska (Environmental Engineering)
- logistyka (Logistics)
- matematyka (Mathematics)

Fields of study in English

● **BSc/MSc Computer Modelling & Simulation**

Fields of study in Polish

- mechanika i budowa maszyn (Mechanical Engineering)
- mechatronika (Mechatronics)
- metalurgia (Metallurgy)
- ochrona środowiska (Environmental Protection)
- zarządzanie (Management)
- zarządzanie i inżynieria produkcji (Management and Production Engineering)
- zdrowie publiczne (Public Health)

Facts & figures

● Established in 1949 ● 800 academic staff ● 14 000 students

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study in English in the following fields: Computer Modelling and Simulation, Business and Technology, Intelligent Energy, Biotechnology for Environmental Protection, are offered within the European Faculty of Engineering initiative.

Student facilities and support service. Częstochowa University of Technology has at its disposal great educational facilities and a comprehensive student infrastructure, modern laboratories and lecture halls, three dormitories, and a main library as well as separate faculty libraries.

The Department of Student Infra-structure supervises activities of three student hostels of Częstochowa University of Technology. Established in 2003, the Promotion and Careers Guidance Centre helps students and alumni in the transition from studies to employment, arranging presentations by and meetings with prospective employers.

Students can expand their passion for science and develop their interests by joining one of the 48 scientific circles and 11 student organizations (AIESEC, Forum Business Centre Club, "EMAUS", IAESTE – The International Association for the Exchange of Students for Technical Experience). Students benefit from the activities of the Academic Sports Association. They can participate in any one of the 13 active sports sections.

European Faculty of Engineering is an educational unit offering students the opportunity

to study in English. The aim of EFE is to educate future engineers who, while gaining technical knowledge, will develop a mastery of technical and business English. The teaching staff of EFE consists of academic teachers from the University who have experience in the field of international cooperation and invited lecturers from partner universities. EFE has adopted modern methods of studies, adjusted to student needs: ● all the lectures, practical activities and projects are taught in English ● education is carried out through individual programmes of study with one to one tutor/student supervision ● one semester within the framework of EFE studies is a "mobility" which means that students must attend one of the

Jorg Van Eyck
 student from Belgium



The first place I'll go back

At Częstochowa University of Technology I've worked with friendly and helpful people on a very interesting project. I really enjoyed being in Częstochowa. Whenever we went out with some other people from ERASMUS we would meet many Polish and we got along with them very well. I traveled as much as I could and discover the country. I visited many wonderful places. I want to go back and discover more of this country so maybe one day we'll meet there in Częstochowa. I think it's the first place I'll return because I made so many friends there.

European universities cooperating with Częstochowa University of Technology ● a one-year industrial placement at a foreign institution is also offered to students after the fourth year of study. The costs are covered by European funds.



Gdansk University of Technology

→ Gdansk University of Technology (GUT) is the largest technical university in the Pomeranian Region and one of the oldest technical universities in Poland. The first inauguration of the academic year took place on 4th October, 1904. The University was erected in Gdańsk, the city with historical tradition of over 1000 years and the largest maritime, cultural and scientific center.

The University employs over 2500 staff, including nearly 1200 academic teachers (108 titular professors, 140 associate professors and 529

Impressive premises of GUT are occupied by 9 faculties, including Engineer, Master of Science and Postgraduate studies conducted in full time and part time systems within the scope of majority of areas of science and technology. Over 24 000 students are enrolled in the following faculties: Architecture, Chemical, Electronics, Telecommunication and Informatics, Electrical and Control Engineering, Applied Physics and Mathematics, Civil and Environmental Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Ocean Engineering and Ship Technology, Management and Economics.

GUT provides its students with a vast access to information resources localized in specialist departmental computing laboratories as well as two open laboratories in Information Technology Center. In GUT there operates Information Center of Tricity Academic Computer Network (CI TASK). CI TASK cooperates in the development of national optical fiber broadband network, PIONIER, serving the purpose of creating Information Society. Last but not least example of the university's adaptation to the 21st century challenges is the recent installation of 1344 processors' (5376 cores) supercomputer cluster GALERA, most powerful in Poland and ranked as belonging to the most exclusive group of fastest machines in the World (see Top 500 listing).

assistant professors). The measure of the university's achievements in research and development is the yearly contribution of over 3000 publications, nearly 300 of which appear in the world's most renowned scientific journals of ISI list and more than 100 are scientific monographs and academic textbooks.

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- BSc in Environmental Protection and Management
- BSc in Management (BiM)
- MSc in Civil Engineering
- MSc in Small Business Economics & Management (SBE&M)
- MSc in Control Engineering and Robotics, specialization Decision Systems

- MSc in Electronics and Telecommunications, specialization Computer Electronic Systems
- MSc in Electronics and Telecommunications, specialization Radio Communication Systems and Networks

Fields of study in English

- MSc in Informatics, specialization Distributed Applications and Internet Services
- MBA – Healthcare
- MBA in Strategy and Programme Management
- MBA Sports Management

Fields of study in Polish

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● architektura i urbanistyka (Architecture and Urban Planning) ● automatyka i robotyka (Automatic Control and Robotics) ● biotechnologia (Biotechnology) ● budownictwo (Civil Engineering) ● chemia (Chemistry) ● elektronika i telekomunikacja (Electronics and Telecommunications) ● elektrotechnika (Electrical Engineering) ● energetyka (Power Engineering) ● europeistyka (European Studies) ● fizyka techniczna (Technical Physics) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● geodezja i kartografia (Geodesy and Cartography) ● informatyka (Informatics) ● informatyka i ekonometria (Informatics and Econometrics) ● inżynieria biomedyczna (Biomedical Engineering) ● inżynieria materiałowa (Materials Engineering) ● inżynieria mechaniczno-medyczna (Medical and Mechanical Engineering) ● inżynieria środowiska (Environmental Engineering) ● matematyka (Mathematics) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● mechanika i budowa maszyn (Mechanical Engineering) ● mechatronika (Mechatronics) ● oceanotechnika (Ocean Engineering) ● technologia chemiczna (Chemical Technology) ● technologie ochrony środowiska (Environmental Protection Technology) ● transport (Transport) ● zarządzanie (Management) ● zarządzanie i inżynieria produkcji (Management and Production Engineering) |
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Facts & figures

● Established in 1904 ● 1200 academic staff ● 24 100 students (35% women) ● about 300 foreign students

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Our educational offer. We provide a broad range of courses to be chosen for students. At nine faculties we offer the choice among 27 majors. Depending on the personal needs we may also offer a tailor-made courses to suit the diversified interest of the individuals. For post graduate students we offer over 40 different fields of study as well as MBA studies. For those who wish to learn Polish we are also prepared to give an appropriate course.

Our students can use specialist labs, libraries and sport facilities. Apart from that they are welcome to participate in any of 60 scientific circles, language clubs and student organizations. In order to support the international students at our university both the International Relations Office and Erasmus Student Network serve a professional aid at every step of the application process and further stay at our university.

International cooperation. We cooperate with over 200 different universities and institu-

tions in the fields of technical sciences in research and teaching from all over the world. Our scholars give lectures or participate in international exchange programmes in various foreign academic institutions. Every year two hundred students of our university go abroad to study, many of

Antoine Laveine
 Environmental chemistry
 student from France



A wonderful experience

I really enjoyed studying in Poland at Gdansk University of Technology. In a first time I chose to come here only for my chemical engineering training period. But when I was here I got really more than expected! Working in the lab with scientists of such a wide range of knowledge and who are so thoughtful with ERASMUS students was not only a pleasure but also a real luck and an amazing first step in my professional life! Strong of its nearness with the sea, its soft climate and a rich history, Gdansk is a fantastic city that I recommend to everybody.

them manage to obtain double diplomas. Our graduates have been achieving scientific success and holding executive positions in institutions located worldwide, from Asia throughout Europe and both Americas to Australia.



Cracow University of Technology

→ **Cracow University of Technology** has been successfully educating engineers for over 60 years. Total number of alumni that graduated from our University exceeds 58 000. In May 2008 Cracow University of Technology was rated by the magazine Newsweek Poland as the best university in Poland according to employers who eagerly hire our alumni due to their high qualifications. Such a recognition proves that Cracow University of Technology offers attractive, high quality and tailor-made programmes of study responding to market needs. Our alumni find jobs

Our Faculty of Architecture earned accreditation of the Royal Institute of British Architects and the Faculty of Mechanical Engineering is the second largest faculty of its kind in Poland. Different faculty members cooperate with the European Commission serving as experts and also with various companies and research institutes around the world.

International cooperation. The Cracow University of Technology signed 65 bilateral agreements and 195 Erasmus agreements that allow its students to experience studies abroad not only in countries of the European Union but also in the USA, Canada, Mexico and places as distant as Australia, Japan, Taiwan, Singapore or South Korea. International students are very welcome to our university. They may choose from 1 Bachelor of Science, 1 PhD programme and 10 Master of Science programmes and more than 190 English-taught courses. Such a rich educational offer gives you a chance to undertake ambitious tasks under the supervision of highly qualified teachers of whom many are outstanding specialists and members of international research teams. Each year a group of students from the USA, Canada, Mexico and Australia takes opportunity to enroll for the unique Urban Design

at public and private companies, national and international enterprises, national and regional government administration, in design offices and also at universities and research institutes.

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Degree programmes

- BSc in Mechanics and Machine Design
- MSc in Applied Computer Science
- MSc in Combustion Engines
- MSc in Logistics and Supply Chain Management

- MSc in Transportation Management and Railway Vehicle Engineering
- MSc in Road Engineering
- MSc in Computational Engineering
- MSc in Advanced Computational Mechanics

Fields of study in English

- MSc in Computer Aided Design in Mechanical Engineering
- MSc in Thermal Power Systems and Installations
- MSc in Oil and Gas Technology
- PhD in Advanced Computation Mechanics

Fields of study in Polish

- architektura i urbanistyka (Architecture)
- architektura krajobrazu (Landscape Architecture)
- automatyka i robotyka (Automatics and Robotics)
- budownictwo (Civil Engineering)
- elektrotechnika (Electrical Engineering)
- energetyka (Power Engineering – interfaculty programme)
- fizyka techniczna (Technical Physics)
- informatyka (Computer Science)
- inżynieria chemiczna i procesowa (Chemical and Process Engineering)
- inżynieria biomedyczna (Biomedical Engineering)
- inżynieria materiałowa (Material Science Engineering)
- inżynieria środowiska (Environmental Engineering)
- matematyka (Mathematics)
- mechanika i budowa maszyn (Mechanics and Mechanical Engineering)
- ochrona środowiska (Environmental Protection)
- technologia chemiczna (Chemical Technology)
- transport (Transport)
- zarządzanie i inżynieria produkcji (Management and Production Engineering)

Facts & figures

- Established in 1945 ● 1180 academic staff ● 14 547 students (27,5% women) ● 290 foreign students

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International Programme offered in English by the Faculty of Architecture of the Cracow University of Technology. Moreover, a numerous students take English-taught preparatory courses for architectural or technical studies connected with an intensive Polish language course at the International Centre of Education of the Cracow University of Technology. The Centre also offers 2-3 weeks courses of Polish language and culture several times a year for international students who want to learn more about Poland before they commit themselves to undergraduate or graduate studies in the heart of Europe. More info on the International Centre of Education at www.educentre.info

Services for students. The Cracow University of Technology has at its disposal about 2200 places in 4 student dormitories on the Czyżyny Campus. International students are offered accommodation in double rooms with shared bathrooms and kitchen. All rooms have Internet connection. International students at our university may also join the university choir and different sports sections. The Physical Education and Recreational Centre at the Cracow University

of Technology has its own sports facilities: two gyms, three body building clubs, an aerobics room, sport fields and tennis courts. Besides, the Centre has access to a skating rink and a swimming pool. While studying at our University, you may join different student associations or practise sport as a member of one of the 42 sport interest groups operating here. Our social and sports facilities are considered one of the most modern and extensive among Cracow

Joshua Crossin
Architecture
and Urban Design
undergraduate student
from Australia



Very positive experience

I have found Krakow to be the perfect city for any student who wants to experience a European lifestyle, culture and history. I believe I made the right decision in coming to Cracow University of Technology, living in central Europe made it possible for me to travel to more countries than I ever would have imagined. The professors that I have been working with have given me a great insight into the architecture of Poland and greater Europe. The relationship between professors and students is unique because of the smaller class sizes.

universities and Polish technical universities. The University Library is well equipped with hard print and electronic collections. Interdisciplinary units, art galleries, student clubs and various student organisations are also present.



Technical University of Lodz

➔ **History.** Technical University of Lodz came into existence in 1945 and is situated in third biggest city of Poland. Nowadays with 9 faculties, 70 institutes and departments, 33 degree programmes and over 120 specializations TUL is one of the biggest and the best state universities in Poland. There are 20 000 students at the University.

Education. Technical University of Lodz is the only state university in the region providing high level technical education. The university educates engineers needed in almost all areas of modern technology: from mechanical engineering to management, from computer science to European studies. It also offers unique programmes in Polish

Label by the European Commission. It is the only university in Poland which received this prestigious certificate acknowledging introduction of the standards that ensure good quality of studies and international exchange

The University has always been high in press university rankings. According to "Rzeczpospolita" newspaper TUL is the fourth best technical university in Poland. In the year 2008 "Newsweek" magazine awarded TUL the best university in the region of Lodz.

International Faculty of Engineering. It is a unit of TUL offering programmes taught completely in English and in French, perfectly suited for students from abroad. The main objective of the Faculty is to educate professional engineers and managers, fluent in foreign languages, able to demonstrate their knowledge in science, engineering, technology, management and business. At present there are over 1000 students from Poland and abroad at the Faculty. Due to its growing potential IFE makes the best use of international cooperation, participating in such EU programmes as LLP Erasmus, Campus Europae and CEEPUS. All IFE students realize their sixth semester abroad in partner universities of TUL. In return each academic year TUL receives a few dozen of exchange students from partner universities. "European Project Semester" was created

educational market: biotechnology, textile engineering, paper and printing technology.

Awards and educational rankings. Technical University of Lodz has been awarded the ECTS

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- BSc Gestion et Technologie
- BSc Architecture Engineering
- BSc Information Technology
- BSc Science and Technology

- BSc Biotechnology
- BSc Computer Science
- BSc Biomedical Engineering
- BSc Business and Technology

Fields of study in English

- BSc Telecommunications and Computer Science
- BSc Mechanical Engineering and Applied Computer Science

Fields of study in Polish

- architektura i urbanistyka (Architecture and Urban Planning)
- architektura wnętrz (Interior Design)
- automatyka i robotyka (Automatic Control and Robotics)
- biotechnologia (Biotechnology)
- budownictwo (Civil Engineering)
- chemia (Chemistry)
- edukacja techniczno-informatyczna (Education in Technology and Informatics)
- elektronika i telekomunikacja (Electronics and Telecommunications)
- elektrotechnika (Electrical Engineering)
- energetyka (Power Engineering)
- europeistyka (European Studies)
- fizyka techniczna (Technical Physics)
- informatyka (Computer Science)
- inżynieria architektoniczna (Architecture Engineering)
- inżynieria bezpieczeństwa pracy (Occupational Safety Engineering)
- inżynieria biomedyczna (Biomedical Engineering)
- inżynieria chemiczna i procesowa (Chemical and Process Engineering)
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- inżynieria środowiska (Environmental Engineering)
- logistyka (Logistics)
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- mechatronika (Mechatronics)
- nanotechnologia (Nanotechnology)
- ochrona środowiska (Environmental Protection)
- papiernictwo i poligrafia (Paper and Printing Technology)
- technologia chemiczna (Chemical Technology)
- technologia żywności i żywienie człowieka (Food Technology and Human Nutrition)
- transport (Transport)
- włókiennictwo (Textile Engineering)
- wzornictwo (Design Studies)
- zarządzanie i inżynieria produkcji (Management and Production Engineering)
- zarządzanie (Management)

Facts & figures

- Established in 1945
- 1521 academic staff
- 20 000 students (35% women)
- 364 foreign students

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especially for these students. It's main purpose is to realize an interdisciplinary, practical project in an international team.

System of studies. The two-cycle system of studies offers possibility of obtaining the following degrees: first cycle – Bachelor of Arts (BA), Bachelor of Science (BSc), second cycle – Master of Arts (MA), Master of Science (MSc). The system is based on new European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System. It is a tool assuring flexibility of studies and enabling mobility to other universities in Poland and abroad.

International cooperation. The academic staff of TUL put the major emphasis on internationalization of education and improving its quality. The cooperation of TUL with foreign universities, research centres and industry began with establishing the University. Nowadays University collaborates with over 300 universities, educational and scientific institutions of the world. TUL takes first position among Polish technical universities and sixth position among all Polish universities (after universities with higher students number than TUL) in students practical placement exchange under the Erasmus programme.

University campus. In university campus, besides dormitories, canteens, students clubs etc., there is a fully computerized library – supermodern centre of scientific and technical information. There is also Centre of Foreign Languages which offers foreign languages teaching for all TUL students and Polish language courses for students from abroad. Campus covers area of 32 hectares.

Student life. International student organizations operate at TUL. They promote students' exchange, mobility and other international activities. Each

Bülent Yeter
Business and Technology
student from Turkey



I'm cool, I'm studying at TUL

I always wanted to study management and engineering. I found Business and Technology at Technical University of Lodz. It was recommended to me by one of my professors in Turkey. I was very satisfied with tuition fee and other facilities for students but especially by unique in Europe possibility to spend window semester/s abroad. Now I think that studying at TUL was the best choice for me – TUL's diploma will be recognized in Turkey! People in Lodz are very kind, warm and helpful. Relationships between teachers and students are friendly too.

student can find perfect conditions for development, education and entertainment. TUL has its own Sports Centre. Students from training sections can use 3 game halls, a smaller gym and a playing field.



Opole University of Technology

→ The Opole University of Technology (OUTech) was founded in 1966. Today it is the largest academic institution in the region with a significant position and tradition, providing education in the area of technical science. The university faculties comprise of: Mechanical Engineering; Electrical Engineering, Automatic Control and Informatics; Management and Production Engineering; Civil Engineering; Education in Technology and Informatics and Physical Education and Physiotherapy. As years go by, not only the number of students of the

in the south-west part of Poland upon the Odra River, about 60 kilometres from the Czech Republic border. It is the capital of the Opolskie Voivodship and the Region largest cultural, economic, academic and scientific centre. Opole is a home to two scientific-research institutes (OUTech and the University of Opole) and three colleges: College of Management and Administration, College of Foreign Languages and Medical College. It also has two theatres and a Philharmonic Hall. Educational institutions enrol a total number of about 35 000 students and create both scientific and cultural colours of the city. Opole is also the capital of Polish Song. OUTech plays an important role in the development of the Opole Region.

Our major purpose is to adjust curricula and skills for the future technical managers and engineers in order to meet the market requirements. The process of curricula restructuring at OUTech has already been initialized. This enables the creation of the development international cooperation activities on the level of faculties and departments. Planned activities define, in our cooperation, optional conditions for students to undertake recognized periods of study at partner

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University rises, but also of the research and didactic personnel. At present OUTech has over 11 000 student and employs more than 900 people.

OUTech is located in the city of Opole, with a population of over 130 000. The city is situated

● BSc in Business and Management

- administracja (Administration)
- architektura i urbanistyka (Town Planning and Architecture)
- automatyka i robotyka (Automatic Control Engineering and Robotics)
- budownictwo (Building Engineering)
- edukacja techniczno-informatyczna (Education in Technology)
- elektronika i telekomunikacja (Electronics and Telecommunication)
- elektrotechnika (Electrical Engineering)
- europeistyka (European Studies)

● MSc in Business and Management

- fizjoterapia (Physiotherapy)
- gospodarka przestrzenna (Spatial Economics)
- informatyka (Computer Engineering)
- inżynieria chemiczna i procesowa (Chemical and Process Engineering)
- inżynieria materiałowa (Materials Engineering)
- inżynieria środowiska (Environment Engineering)
- mechanika i budowa maszyn (Mechanical Engineering and Machine Building)

Fields of study in English

Fields of study in Polish

- mechatronika (Mechatronics)
- technika rolnicza i leśna (Agriculture and Forest Engineering)
- turystyka i rekreacja (Tourism and Recreation)
- wychowanie fizyczne (Physical Education)
- zarządzanie (Management)
- zarządzanie i inżynieria produkcji (Management and Production Engineering)

Facts & figures

- Established in 1966 ● 502 academic staff ● 56 professors ● 29 foreign researchers ● 11 728 students (33% women)
- 98 foreign students

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universities, in order to enable them to extend their knowledge of the cultures of other European countries and of their academic fields of study. Therefore, many students and academic teachers participate in a number of scientific and educational programmes of an international range, i.e. the 7th Framework Programme, ERASMUS and LEONARDO DA VINCI (under the Lifelong Learning Programme), as well as Erasmus Mundus and Vulcanus in Japan projects.

Opole University of Technology co-operates with over 90 Higher Education Institutions in 22 countries. Over 600 OUTech's students has already taken the opportunity to study abroad. The university becomes as well an important education destination for international students. Since 2001 OUTech has received over 200 international students from all over Europe. In 2007, as a result of the earlier cooperation with Beijing University of Technology, OUTech signed the agreement with HANBAN (the Office of Chinese Language Council International) establishing Confucius Institute at Opole – the centre of Poland-China Cooperation.

The OUTech offers a full range of language courses (including Polish language course for foreign students) at its Foreign Language Centre as well as the unique opportunity of Chinese Language Course at Confucius Institute.

The scientific research conducted at the Opole University of Technology transcends the traditional fields of engineering, combining technical sciences with mathematical, natural, economic sciences and sports (not typical for technical university but conducted here with success). The scientific potential of our university is built by almost half a thousand research workers operating in the fields that are important for the development of both science and economy. The staff are free to choose the subject of their scientific research and to cooperate with the industry. At the same time, we continuously adjust our research profile to the European market economy.

University is registered in the European FEANI index. This has enabled graduates from OUTech

Koray Bilir
student from Turkey



I feel very lucky

I have been in Opole for almost 3 months. First of all I want to say that I was a bit stressed before I arrived to Poland. I was afraid of having some difficulties living abroad in different culture, traditions and eating different meals. But it was easier than I thought to get integrated to the life in Opole. Everyone I know (mentors, coordinators, IRO staff, other Erasmus students and also our Polish neighbours who stay in the same dormitory) are very kind and helpful to me. Now I want to extend my studies in Poland and stay for the second semester here as well. I feel very lucky and thankful that I have an opportunity to be Erasmus student in Opole.

Dziękuję (Thank you) Opole University of Technology!

to complete for the professional title of EUR ENG. The University is also the member of European Society for Engineering Education (SEFI).



Wrocław University of Technology

→ **Wrocław University of Technology** is a public institution which was founded in 1945. Nevertheless, it boasts academic legacy of over 160 years due to the intellectual heritage of Lviv University of Technology and the material heritage of the Technische Hochschule Breslau. Our position in the research and teaching field places us among the three best technical universities in Poland. The educational standards the university provides are closely connected with its own dynamic and comprehensive scientific work and industrial experience. The research at Wrocław

research policy. We believe that the best technologies are the fruit of fundamental research. At the same time, we are continuously seeking the opportunities to commercialise the results of research in order to facilitate the invention-innovation process at the university. We cooperate with the leading enterprises in the region such as: Siemens, Volvo, Fagor Electrodomecicos, Philips, Whirpool and MAN. Research and education are strongly influenced by international cooperation with over 250 partner universities all over the world. Over 1000 scientist from European, American, Asian and Australian universities and several dozen of international students visit our university every year.

European educational system. The educational system at WUT follows the requirements of the Bologna declaration. The university offers Bachelor, Master and Doctoral programmes. The prestige of degrees awarded by Wrocław University of Technology is ensured by a high quality of education confirmed by the National Accreditation Committee and the Accreditation Committee of Universities of Technology. We apply the European Credit Transfer System (ECTS) and issue Diploma Supplements. The exchange of academic staff and students is carried out under the Erasmus and Leonardo da Vinci programmes.

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University of Technology transcends the traditional fields of engineering, combining technical sciences with mathematics, natural sciences, economics and arts. A balance between fundamental and applied research is an important part of our

Bachelor Programmes:

- Computer Science
- Mechanics and Machine Construction
- Information Management

Master Programmes:

- Civil Engineering
- Medicinal Chemistry
- Bioinformatics
- Environmental Health and Safety Risk Management

- Advanced Informatics and Control
- Advanced Applied Electronics
- Internet Engineering
- Control in Electrical Power Engineering
- Renewable Energy Systems
- Mining and Power Engineering
- Environmental Quality Management
- Building Services Engineering
- Computer Engineering

Fields of study in English

- Information Technology
- Business Information Systems
- Refrigeration and Cryogenics
- Renewable Sources of Energy
- Automotive Engineering
- Production Management
- Econometrics
- Nanoengineering
- Electronics Photonics and Microsystems

Fields of study in Polish

- architektura i urbanistyka (Architecture and Town Planning)
- automatyka i robotyka (Control Engineering and Robotics)
- biotechnologia (Biotechnology)
- budownictwo (Civil Engineering)
- chemia (Chemistry)
- elektronika i telekomunikacja (Electronics and Telecommunications)
- elektrotechnika (Electrical Engineering)
- energetyka (Power Engineering)
- fizyka (Physics)
- fizyka techniczna (Technical Physics)
- gospodarka przestrzenna (Spatial Management)
- górnictwo i geologia (Mining and Geology)
- informatyka (Computer Science)
- inżynieria biomedyczna (Biomedical Engineering)
- inżynieria chemiczna i procesowa (Chemical and Process Engineering)
- inżynieria materiałowa (Materials Engineering)
- inżynieria środowiska (Environmental Engineering)
- matematyka (Mathematics)
- mechanika i budowa maszyn (Mechanical Engineering and Machine Building)
- mechatronika (Mechatronics)
- ochrona środowiska (Environmental Protection)
- technologia chemiczna (Chemical Technology)
- teleinformatyka (Teleinformatics)
- transport (Transport)
- zarządzanie (Management)
- zarządzanie i inżynieria produkcji (Management and Manufacturing Engineering)

Facts & figures

• Established in 1945 • almost 2000 academic staff • 33 000 students (26% women) • over 400 foreign students

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Recognition for academic purpose. Degrees and qualifications obtained at Wrocław University of Technology allow for continuing one's education in another European Union country. This recognition is based on the Lisbon Convention.

Offer for international students. The degree programmes offered at WUT are taught in Polish as well as in English. There are also courses taught in English, which attract exchange students and free movers. For students who want to study in Polish we offer a one year preparatory Polish Language Course and for those who need to improve their English skills we offer a one year preparatory English course.

Academic calendar. The academic calendar at Wrocław University of Technology consists of two semesters, 15 weeks each. The winter semester starts on the 1st of October and the summer semester starts in the second half of February.

Student support service. International Student Support is very important for us. Before a student arrives, an admission officer will be in touch with

them helping them to prepare for the stay in Poland. International students are picked up from the airport in Wrocław and accompanied by a personal mentor for the first few days. Shortly after arrival, Admission Office together with students organizations supporting international students. organize Orientation Programme for all newcomers.

Elikem Kofi Krampa
 student from Ghana



The One University

After reading through the syllabus of the European Course on Industrial Mathematics I was convinced Wrocław University of Technology was the One. The practical approach plus the flexible nature of the course suited me perfectly. The student-lecturer relationship is excellent and here the students are treated like winners so success is inevitable. The people are warm, friendly and ready to help. I am having a ball out here.

Student facilities. The infrastructure of the university includes almost 300 buildings. The campus is located in a very attractive area with strong communication links. Students can use the library, the computer laboratories with free Internet access. They can register in different associations and student interest circles – there are over 100 of them.



Poznan University of Technology



Study at Poznan University of Technology – technology in a positive climate. Poznan University of Technology (PUT) grew out of the State School of Mechanical Engineering which was established in 1919. Currently, it is one of the leading technical universities in Poland which has become one of the most recognized landmarks of the region and even the whole country. To a large extent this was possible due to the renowned pragmatism and reliability of the people of Poznan.

Science for people. We do not retreat from the world: technological development is accompanied by the greatest respect for human beings, protection of the natural environment and sustainable economic development.

World class scientific research. Our scientists, some of whom are members of the Polish Academy of Science, are leading experts in their areas. Their research is published in prestigious international journals and they often win academic prizes.

Open-minded approach to science. PUT plays an important role in international scientific life: we take an active part in scientific exchange and international projects and cooperate with many companies and research institutions both in Poland and abroad.

Highest standards. Students play the most important role in university life, contributing an intrinsic freshness along with new ideas. In providing our students with the highest standards of education, we put great effort in helping them develop an innovative approach to life and work, as well as the competence to be independent thinkers, along with the ability to learn quickly.

To work and study at such a prestigious university as PUT, one has to effectively combine conceptual impetus, the pragmatism of an engineer, as well as interpersonal skills. Taking all these into consideration and striving for our ideals day by day, we observe the following rules:

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- MSc in Architecture and Town Planning
- MSc in Civil Engineering
- MSc in Control Engineering and Robotics

- MSc in Mechanics and Mechanical Engineering
- MSc in Electronics and Telecommunication

Fields of study in English

- MSc in Electrical Engineering
- MSc in Technical Physics
- MSc in Computing Science
- MSc in Management
- MSc in Chemical Technology

Fields of study in Polish

- architektura i urbanistyka (Architecture and Town Planning)
- automatyka i robotyka (Control Engineering and Robotics)
- automatyka i zarządzanie (Control and Management)
- bioinformatyka (Bioinformatics)
- budownictwo (Civil Engineering)
- edukacja artystyczna w zakresie sztuk plastycznych (Fine Arts Education)
- edukacja techniczno-informatyczna (Technical-computing Science Education)
- elektronika i telekomunikacja (Electronics and Telecommunication)

- elektrotechnika (Electrical Engineering)
- energetyka (Power Engineering)
- fizyka techniczna (Technical Physics)
- informatyka (Computing Science)
- inżynieria bezpieczeństwa (Security Engineering)
- inżynieria chemiczna i procesowa (Chemical and Processing Engineering)
- inżynieria materiałowa (Materials Science Engineering)
- inżynieria środowiska (Environmental Engineering)
- logistyka (Logistics)
- matematyka (Mathematics)

- mechanika i budowa maszyn (Mechanics and Mechanical Engineering)
- mechatronika (Mechatronics)
- techniczne zastosowanie internetu (Technical Application of Internet)
- technologia chemiczna (Chemical Technology)
- technologie ochrony środowiska (Environmental Protection Technologies)
- transport (Transport)
- zarządzanie (Management)
- zarządzanie i inżynieria produkcji (Management and Production Engineering)

Facts & figures

● Founded in 1919 ● 1178 academic staff ● 17 877 students (21,4% women) ● 137 foreign students

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Practical experience. The tempo of economic life demands continuous education and adaptation to the realities of the global market. For this reason, the university combines the development of the latest scientific disciplines with the transfer of this knowledge and technology into the practical dimension.

Extensive education. Our main objective in education is the well-rounded growth of our students. A modern engineer is not only a specialist in his/her field, but also aims to social skills and an acquaintance with the cultural heritage which is a very important part of the educational process.

Modern methods of organisation management.

PUT is a huge company whose efficient functioning is guaranteed by accepted high standards of management. A modern model of organisation, flexibility and a focus on continuous improvement make our work exceptionally productive.

Active role in social life. We are aware of the challenges and demands arising from the

exceptional role of PUT in Poznan, in the region and in the whole country. We participate in many projects important for social life and pay great attention to the dialogue between the university and its environment.

Close relationship with business. Contacts with numerous business partners are an essential part of university life. Our partners' encouragement and advice help us not only to adjust our

Helio Martins
 Faculty of Computing Science and Management
 student from Portugal



Great place to study

Poznań is a very nice place to live and study. It's a calm place without lots of traffics and pollution but at the same time is a big city with lots of things to do. The Poznan University of Technology is a lot bigger than we are used to in Portugal. But it has very nice teachers, some of them speak Portuguese. The Erasmus program is very good for our graduation, because we learn how to deal with a completely different culture, different languages. It will be very useful to those students who want to work in an international company.

educational programmes so as to meet the requirements of the market, but primarily, to make our position among other universities stronger.



Kielce University of Technology

→ **Kielce**, the city where the University of Technology is located, lies in the very heart of Poland in central Europe, half the way between Warsaw and Cracow. The nearby Świętokrzyskie Mountains are one of the oldest in Europe. A hilly landscape of the city is dominated by large woods, nature and landscape reserves and attractive water reservoirs. The Świętokrzyskie Region boasts clean air and is called the lungs of Poland; 66% of its area is under protection because of special natural values. A great asset of Kielce is numerous picturesque recreational areas

higher education centre operated here in Kielce in the first half of the 19th century. The University wants to continue those academic traditions.

For over forty years, the Kielce University of Technology, the only technical university in the region, has provided specialists in engineering for both local and the country's industries.

The University offers high quality education, which has been confirmed annually by ratings at top positions in the NEWSWEEK conducted survey, compiled on the basis of the assessment delivered by employers. (In 2008 the University came eighth in all state-run and private higher education institutions in Poland). Many of the University accomplished alumni became owners or executives of production and services companies recognizable in the country and abroad. The successful employment histories of its graduates contribute to the success of the University.

Education. The University has four faculties: Civil and Environmental Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Automatics and Computer Science, Mechatronics and Machine Design, Management and Computer Modelling. Those comprise

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and 5 natural reserves spreading within city limits.

About the University. The University is a relatively young institution; it was established only 45 years ago. Yet, the first Polish technical

- architektura i urbanistyka (Architecture and Town Planning)
- automatyka i robotyka (Automation and Robotics)
- budownictwo (Civil Engineering)
- edukacja techniczno-informatyczna (Technical and Computer Science Education)

- ekonomia (Economics)
- elektronika i telekomunikacja (Electronics and Telecommunications)
- elektrotechnika (Electrical Engineering)
- informatyka (Computer Science)
- inżynieria środowiska (Safety Engineering)

Fields of study in Polish

- inżynieria środowiska (Environmental Engineering)
- mechanika i budowa maszyn (Mechanics and Machine Building)
- transport (Transport)
- zarządzanie i inżynieria produkcji (Production Management and Engineering)

Facts & figures

- Established in 1965 ● over 8500 students (25,97% women)

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13 fields of study, including four new ones which are of key importance to institutions of technical higher learning: architecture and town planning, automatics and robotics, economics, electronics and telecommunications. Engineering courses are compliant with FEANI standards set by the European Federation of National Engineering Associations. At present, The University educates over 8500 undergraduate and graduate students. In addition to teaching, the University conducts research geared towards collaboration with various sectors of the national economy, and also facilitates the development of the research staff.

The University is authorised to confer a doctor's degree in 6 disciplines, namely automatics and robotics, civil engineering, environmental engineering, electrical engineering, mechanics, machine building and operation. Moreover, it has a right to award a degree of doctor habilitated in 2 disciplines, i.e. machine building and operation, and civil engineering.

The University has well-equipped specialists laboratories and Poland's only Centre for Laser Technologies of Metals. In many of those laboratories, modern equipment is used to conduct research in civil engineering, mechanics, electrical engineering, automatics and laser technologies.

International cooperation. The University is an internationally recognised academic institution. The University collaborates with 82 foreign institutions not only in Europe, but also in the USA and China. Long-term agreements with foreign partners focus on joint research (CEEPUS, FITNET, ILTOF) and teaching, but they also cover exchange programmes for students, doctoral students and researchers. The implementation of ECTS system enables students to choose

individualized study plans or flexible study courses and stimulates student mobility, both domestic and international. Every international student is invited to complete at least one full semester at the bachelor level in Production Management and Engineering, Civil Engineering and Modern Mechatronics. International programmes which provide funding for student grants are of particular importance.

University campus. 22-hectare compact campus of the University is close to the city centre. It is easily accessible from rail and coach services. The campus includes four teaching halls with laboratories, the Rector's Office building and the Main Library building. The latter, fully computerised, is one of the most modern in Poland.

The following are located nearby: Laser Technologies of Metals teaching and laboratory building, six student houses, the Pod Krechą student club, sports facilities including a football pitch, a basketball court and a tennis court.

Leonel Jorge Perdigao
student from Portugal



A dream comes true

My studying at the Kielce University of Technology was one of the best times of my life. After the first two weeks at university I started to feel like living with a new family and having a new home, I didn't even miss my country and my parents so much. The best about the University were the people. Everybody was 100% kind, helpful and friendly, especially my teachers. The teachers I had, always helped me with any difficulties. We had classes, did our self-study at home and had some free time to get to know the university, the city and people. For me it was like a dream that came true!

The size of the University and its compact campus create favourable conditions for quality study and leisure time.



Warsaw University of Technology

→ **Warsaw University of Technology (WUT)**, founded in 1826, is a renowned academic institution which focuses on undergraduate and graduate programmes in engineering and applied sciences. WUT is the highest ranked engineering university in Poland. Students can choose from a wide variety of degree courses: from architecture to business and management, from mathematics and computer science to biotechnology, robotics, mechanics and environmental engineering, from applied chemistry to geodesy, transport and aeronautics.

Programmes. Undergraduate and graduate programmes taught in English are offered by the

faculties and research centres accept foreign students for doctoral studies.

Accommodation. Students of Warsaw University of Technology have a choice of 11 student dormitories. Students live in single, double or triple rooms or in self-contained flats consisting of two or three rooms. They can use the gym, swimming pool, library, TV room, ballroom, laundry and kitchen. The International Students Office assists in the application procedures. The sooner the application is received, the better the chances are for receiving a room in a student dormitory.

Tuition fee. The tuition fee depends on both, the choice of the faculty and the chosen degree (BSc, MSc or MBA). It ranges from 1000 to 2500 Euro per one semester. International MBA course costs 8900 Euro (two semesters) and Executive MBA course costs 13 900 Euro (four semesters). Successful applicants can apply for tuition fee waiver. All Faculties offer PhD programmes – the fee ranges from 1500 to 3000 Euro.

Since 2008, the project “Development Programme of Warsaw University of Technology” (Operational Programme Human Resources Development 4.1.1), co-financed by the European Union within the framework of the European Social Fund has been carried out, thanks to which, some Faculties were able to offer tuition-free courses.

following Faculties: Architecture, Civil Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Electronics and Information Technology, Environmental Engineering, Mathematics and Information Science, Mechatronics, Power and Aeronautical Engineering, Production Engineering. WUT Business School offers postgraduate MBA programmes. The majority of

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- MSc in Architecture and Urban Planning
- BSc in Civil Engineering
- MSc in Civil Engineering
- BSc in Electrical Engineering
- MSc in Electrical Engineering
- BSc in Electrical and Computer Engineering
- MSc in Electrical and Computer Engineering
- MSc in Automatics Control and Robotics
- BSc in Aerospace Engineering

- MSc in Aerospace Engineering
- BSc in Power Engineering
- BSc in Computer Science
- MSc in Computer Science
- MSc in Management and Production Engineering
- BSc in Environmental Engineering

Erasmus Mundus master's programmes:

- EMARO – European Master in Advanced Robotics

Fields of study in English

- M.E.S.C. – Materials for Energy Storage and Conversion
- OpSciTech – European EM Master

MBA programmes:

- Executive MBA – Business School
- International MBA – Business School

Fields of study in Polish

- administracja (Administration)
- architektura i urbanistyka (Architecture and Urban Planning)
- automatyka i robotyka (Automatics and Robotics)
- biotechnologia (Biotechnology)
- budownictwo (Civil Engineering)
- edukacja techniczno-informatyczna (Education in Technology and Computer)
- ekonomia (Economics)
- elektrotechnika (Electrical Engineering)
- elektronika i telekomunikacja (Electronics and Telecommunications)
- energetyka (Power Engineering)
- fizyka techniczna (Applied Physics)
- geodezja i kartografia (Geodesy and Cartography)
- gospodarka przestrzenna (Environmental Development, Planning and Management)
- informatyka (Computer Science)
- inżynieria biomedyczna (Biomedical Engineering)
- inżynieria chemiczna i procesowa (Chemical and Process Engineering)
- inżynieria materiałowa (Materials Engineering)
- inżynieria środowiska (Environmental Engineering)
- lotnictwo i kosmonautyka (Aerospace Engineering)
- makroekierunek – elektronika, informatyka i telekomunikacja (Electronic and Computer Engineering)
- matematyka (Mathematics)
- mechanika i budowa maszyn (Mechanics and Machine Design)
- mechatronika (Mechatronics)
- ochrona środowiska (Environmental Protection)
- papiernictwo i poligrafia (Papermaking and Printing)
- technologia chemiczna (Chemical Technology)
- transport (Transport)
- zarządzanie (Management)
- zarządzanie i inżynieria produkcji (Management and production Engineering)

Facts & figures

- Established in 1826 ● 2389 academic staff ● 31 900 students (27% women)

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Application booklet. The application form, together with copies of the required documents, can be sent by post, fax or e-mail. Only applications received before 1st August will be considered as valid for the academic year beginning in October. Additional information about programmes, application procedures and other related issues can be obtained at the Centre for International Cooperation.

Note: Only the Faculty of Electronics and Information Technology enrolls first-semester students twice a year: in October (as usual) and February. The application deadline in the February registration period is 5th January.

The International Students Office (ISO) is dedicated to help the international students succeed while enrolled at Warsaw University of Technology. Every effort is made to ensure the students return home with memories of a pleasant experience. The ISO is part of the University's Central Administration – the Centre for

International Cooperation and offers services to international students, to minimize the difficulties they may experience both upon arrival and later during their stay in Warsaw. It provides

Hidetake Takahashi
 Mechanical Engineering student from Japan



Why Poland?

Why Poland? This question had bombarded me prior to and after my arrival in Poland. It is those nice people whom I met as well as both the way of studying and living here in Poland that made this study exchange an excellent one. Polish students may seem to be shy at the first place; however, you will find them very approachable and helpful once you take a step forward to know them.

information on a wide range of topics, including immigration issues, social and cultural differences and assisting students needing to extend their visas. The ISO coordinates a meet and greet service at Okęcie Airport for students arriving at the start of the academic year, runs an annual Orientation Programme for new students, workshops and presentations during term time.



Warsaw University of Life Sciences

➔ **Warsaw University of Life Sciences (WULS)** is among the premier Polish institutions of higher education. It educates experts for the broad-sense needs of the national biosphere. It offers wide-ranging programmes of study – from biological and technical, through veterinary medicine, economics and humanities. All of them are invaluable for the future development of Poland.

WULS has been declared number 1 in the rankings of agricultural schools and has always been in the top ten of Polish universities. WULS has obtained the glorious title of „A Student

WULS – international cooperation. WULS is a member of prestigious international organizations such as the European Universities Association (EUA), International Association of Universities (IAU), International Association of University Presidents (IAUP), Association for European Life Science Universities (ICAL), Euroleague for Life Sciences (ELLS) and many others.

Since 1990 WULS has actively participated in the European programmes as an Associate country, a Candidate country and since 2004 as a EU Member state. Currently, the staff of WULS participates in European educational (Erasmus, Erasmus Mundus, Erasmus Mundus External Cooperation Window, CEEPUS, Leonardo da Vinci, Grundtvig, Jean Monnet, Tempus) and research programmes (Program 6. and 7. Framework Programme, EUREKA, COST, Culture 2000).

There are over 25 000 students enrolled, including postgraduate and doctoral studies and around 1200 academic staff, including 260 full professors. The range of the academic programmes is systematically enlarged and currently includes 28 majors within which there are 70 areas of specializations. Academic programmes are offered at the Bachelor's, Master's and Doctoral levels; there is also one MBA programme offered.

friendly university”. It is worth mentioning that our graduates are satisfied with the choices they have made. Great majority declares that they would choose the same school and faculty if such decision was to be made for the second time.

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- **MSc in Forest Information Technology**
- **MSc in European Masters Programme in Consumer Affairs**

- **MSc in Horticulture** (starts in 2011)
- **MSc in Information Systems in Water Resources Management** (starts in 2011)
- **MSc Information Systems in Management**

Fields of study in English

- **MSc Restoration and Management of Environment**
- **MSc in the Economics and Organization of Enterprises**
- **VS Veterinary Medicine**

Fields of study in Polish

- architektura krajobrazu (Landscape Architecture)
- biologia (Biology)
- biotechnologia (Biotechnology)
- budownictwo (Civil Engineering)
- dietetyka (Dietetics)
- ekonomia (Economics)
- finanse i rachunkowość (Finance and Accounting)
- gospodarka przestrzenna (Regional Planning and Management)
- informatyka (Computer Science)
- informatyka i ekonometria (Computer Science and Econometrics)
- inżynieria środowiska (Environmental Engineering)

- leśnictwo (Forestry)
- logistyka (Logistics)
- ochrona środowiska (Environmental Protection)
- ogrodnictwo (Horticulture)
- pedagogika (Pedagogy)
- rolnictwo (Agriculture)
- socjologia (Sociology)
- technika rolnicza i leśna (Agricultural and Forestry Engineering)
- technologia drewna (Wood Technology)
- technologia żywności i żywienie człowieka (Food Technology and Human Nutrition)

- technologia energii odnawialnej (Renewable Energy Technology)
- towaroznawstwo (Commodity Science)
- turystyka i rekreacja (Tourism and Recreation)
- weterynaria (Veterinary Medicine)
- zarządzanie (Management)
- zarządzanie i inżynieria produkcji (Management and Production Engineering)
- zootechnika (Animal Science)

Facts & figures

- Established in 1816 ● 25 000 students (56% women) ● 1200 academic staff ● 320 foreign students

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WULS has implemented several aspects of lifelong learning strategy, among the others: participation in „University of the Third Age” (university education for elderly people), since 2005 creation of e-learning programme for part-time students of agriculture since 2009, several postgraduate programmes.

In 2002 WULS introduced the three-cycle system of studies according to the Bologna Declaration. The University recognizes also the ECTS (European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System) which facilitates the national and international student exchange.

Research and sport facilities. WULS has the most modern university campus in Poland, with excellent conditions not only for learning but also for teaching and research. The university has an impressive number of modern and well equipped laboratories: over 50 computer laboratories (including Analytical Centre) and a University-wide computer network, a rich and fully computerized Library with the main archive, a new greenhouse complex, a multimedia hall, Water Centre, Clinic for Small Animals, Clinic for Horses, Equine Clinic, Center for Hippotherapy, a few excellent experiment stations and farms in

the whole country and excellent facilities for vocational and practical training in modern experiment stations in agriculture, horticulture and forestry. Moreover, there are facilities for sports and recreation at WULS, such as sports hall for team sports, a fitness room, a gym the indoor swimming pool and tennis courts, weight rooms, and indoor equestrian facility and outdoor sports fields at the campus. A sport stadium is planned.

Taking into account that WULS students come from all regions and areas of the country, it is not

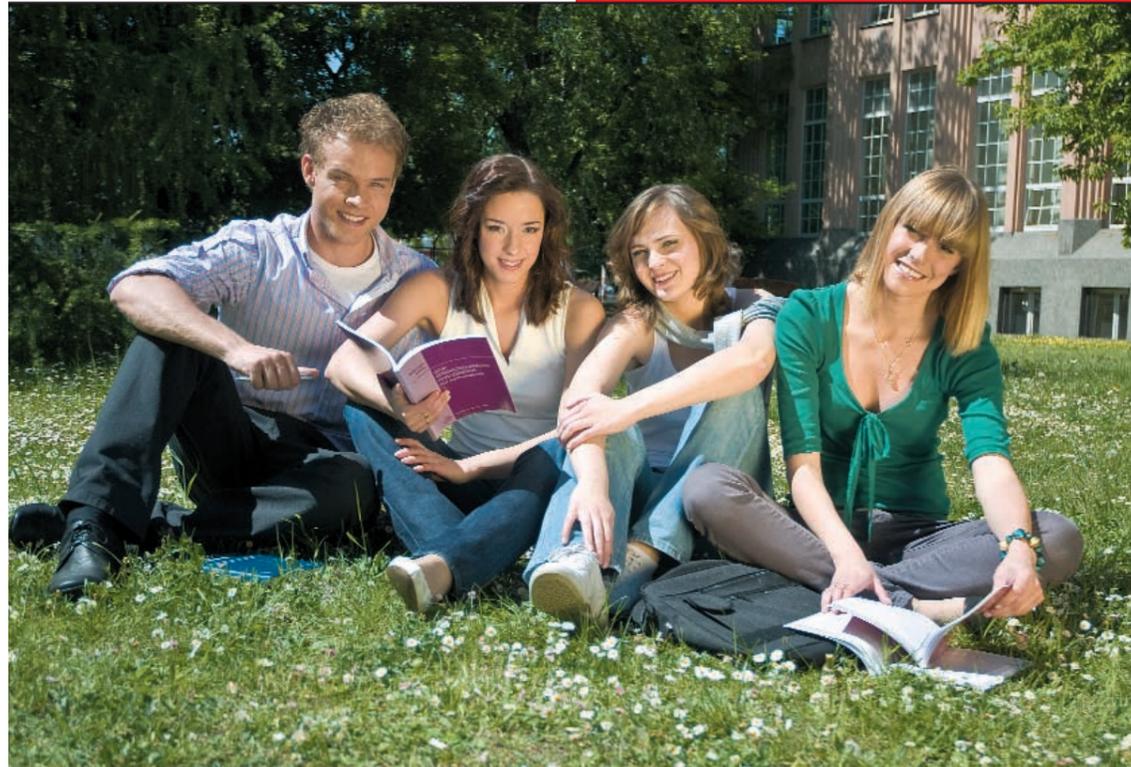
Oleg Laputjev
Erasmus Mundus student
from Russia

Thank you, University!



Before arriving to the University, I even didn't think that it is so huge! It is like a small city, with its small population. You can walk to east or west through the University's lands and anyway, you will find something new! You can even don't get out from the Campus – everything you need is here. Constructions of buildings are very modern, moreover, there are cool inside as well – equipment of WULS is great! I just like atmosphere of the University, team of tutors of my faculty, students sitting on the floor... Girls here are the best! Lecture in WULS is a discussion with students, interesting presentations of material and ability to obtain good knowledge and do not forget it after 2 hours. I am very glad that I was so lucky to participate in EM in WULS! Thank you, University!

a trivial matter that the University provides almost 4000 dormitory spots in 12 well equipped dormitories (internet access at every spot, several dining facilities).



Warsaw School of Economics

→ Founded in 1906, the Warsaw School of Economics (Szkola Główna Handlowa w Warszawie, SGH) is the oldest public university of economics and management in Poland.

Education. Warsaw School of Economics (SGH) offers many opportunities to study economics and social studies. Besides our Bachelor's, Master's and PhD programmes we also offer post-graduate studies and vocational trainings for people interested in life-long learning.

Our educational system complies with the Bologna Declaration, which assumes:

- a system of accumulation and transfer of credits (ECTS)
- mobility of students, teachers and researchers
- cooperation with regard to quality assurance
- the European dimension of higher education.

Postgraduate studies & MBA programmes. Postgraduate studies, with abundance of faculties and courses, are addressed to graduates of various universities. Our candidates can select from over ninety programmes in Polish and English including the prestigious executive MBA programmes – Canadian Executive MBA and Warsaw Executive MBA.

Research. Traditionally, the Warsaw School of Economics (SGH) has been a centre for scientific research in economics and management science. Research projects are carried out by five collegia. Each year, our research results in over 1,5 thousand published books, monographies, scripts, coursebooks, articles and research papers. Every year, the SGH publishes a bilingual, Polish & English report on the competitiveness of the country's economy and around 150 expertises.

International cooperation. SGH has traditionally been open to exchange of knowledge, educational and research experience with foreign academic centres. The School maintains international contacts cooperating with over 200 foreign univer-

- a system of academic grades which are easy to read and compare internationally, including the introduction of the diploma supplement
- a system based on two cycles: a first cycle (Bachelor) geared to the employment market and lasting at least three years and a second cycle (Master) conditional upon the completion of the first cycle

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- **BSc in International Economic Relations** (new, first edition is entirely tuition free)
- **BSc in Methods in Economics and Information Systems** (new, first edition is entirely tuition free)

- **MSc in International Business Management**
- **MSc in Business in Central and Eastern Europe**
- **PhD in Management and Economics**

Fields of study in English

- MBA programmes:*
- Canadian Executive MBA
 - Warsaw Executive MBA

Fields of study in French

Fields of study in Polish

- administracja (Administration)
- ekonomia (Economics)
- ekonomiczna analiza prawa (Law and Economics)
- europeistyka (European Studies)
- finanse i rachunkowość (Finance and Accountancy)
- gospodarka przestrzenna (Spatial Economics)

- metody ilościowe w ekonomii i systemy informacyjne (Quantitative Methods in Economics and Information Systems)
- międzynarodowe stosunki gospodarcze (International Economic Relations)
- polityka społeczna (Social Politics)

- stosunki międzynarodowe (International Relations)
- turystyka i rekreacja (Tourism and Recreation)
- zarządzanie (Management)

Facts & figures

• Established in 1906 • 820 faculty members • 15 000 students • Over 500 foreign students

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sities, and takes part in research activities conducted in collaboration with foreign centres. Each year foreign academics visit the School to attend seminars and conferences, give lectures and participate in joint research projects. SGH also takes part in a wide range of international student exchange programmes. The SGH is involved in several international programmes for faculty and students.

CEMS Membership and CEMS Master in International Management degree programme. Warsaw School of Economics is the only Polish university to be a member of CEMS - the Global Alliance in Management Education created by 27 leading business schools around the World and over 60 multinational companies. Objective of CEMS is to provide a management education programme that will develop tomorrow's thought and business leaders. More than 2500 graduates from 35 countries and innumerable industry sectors are currently studying through one-year CEMS MIM programme, recently ranked World's #1 M.Sc. programme in Management by Financial Times.

PIM – Partnership in International Management. SGH is also a member of a global network of leading business schools promoting exchange among MBA students.

SGH position on a global market was recognized by awarding us 5 Palmes (universal business school with major international influence) in Eduniversal ranking of World's business schools. SGH was the only school in Poland and one of 36 schools in Europe to receive top rank.

Infrastructure. The SGH campus is situated very close to the city centre and near the Pola Mokotowskie, one of the biggest recreational park areas in Warsaw. The teaching facilities of the Warsaw School of Economics (SGH) campus include five buildings, with the newest of them built in 2006. The SGH has a range of students housing facilities. Dormitories may provide housing accommodation for one thousand students. The School offers well developed sports facilities that include three multi-purpose sports halls, climbing wall, swimming pool, and fitness room. The School's library contains the largest collection of economic books in Poland, exceeding one million volumes.

Student life. In SGH there are over 90 students' organisations whose activity makes the university team with life and activity almost incessantly. The

Giacomo Passoni
student from Italy



Something incredible...

I arrived at Warsaw School of Economics for the first time in winter semester 2004 as Erasmus student. Now I am writing my Master's Thesis here. The friendly atmosphere I find in the School is something incredible. I can assure the professors are really well prepared and also helpful to foreigners. Poland and its market are very attractive for foreign investments and a Master's Degree from the best business school in the country will make the difference for everybody.

most active ones are students' associations and inter-university or international associations such as AIESEC or the European Students Forum AEGEE.

Beside lectures and classes, students cooperate in realising projects concerning all spheres of social life: science, culture, professional work, sports, entertainment or religion.



Warsaw School of Social Sciences and Humanities (SWPS)

➔ About Us – Turning Theory into Practice:

Warsaw School of Social Sciences and Humanities/SWPS is a university-level institution established in 1996. At present, it has around 12 000 students studying in three academic centres – Warsaw, Wrocław and Sopot. Its faculty of more than 900 (out of which more than 400 full-time faculty) includes internationally renowned scholars, journalists, artists and practitioners.

SWPS offers a great variety of subjects at the undergraduate, graduate and post-graduate level covering such major academic disciplines as: psychology (also in English), sociology, international relations, law, philosophy, cultural studies,

provides not only the highest academic standards but also practical knowledge and skills which do much increase its graduate employability in Poland and abroad.

Commitment to high standards, academic values and partnership:

All forms of study (full-time and part-time) are organized in conformity with standards set up by the Bologna Process (such as *ECTS*, the Diploma Supplement, the European Qualification Framework) and specific regulations established by the Polish body in charge of quality assurance – The State Accreditation Commission (*Państwowa Komisja Akredytacyjna – PKA*). On several occasions the *PKA* has confirmed the high quality of psychology, sociology and cultural study programmes and research performance at SWPS. SWPS awards doctoral degrees in psychology, cultural studies and sociology, as well as post-doctoral “habilitation” title to doctors of psychology and cultural studies.

This attention to high academic standards is combined with conditions which make SWPS a “student-friendly” establishment (also for students with disabilities) where professional training co-exists with personal development and cultural discovery, as encouraged by a variety of extra-curricular activities. Students of SWPS have an opportunity to meet Polish and international

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journalism and communication, and modern languages (English, Scandinavian languages, Spanish and Arabic), as well as physiotherapy.

In addition, it is possible to undertake studies in interdisciplinary fields such as gender studies, corporate identity and translation. In line with its motto – *Turning Theory into Practice*, SWPS

● BA English Studies

- *dziennikarstwo i komunikacja społeczna* (Journalism and Social Communication)
- *filologie* (Philologies: English Studies, Spanish Studies, Scandinavian

● MA Psychology in English

one-cycle five years Master's degree

- *Studies, Oriental Studies)*
- *filozofia* (Philosophy)
- *kulturoznawstwo* (Cultural Studies)
- *politologia* (Political Science)
- *psychologia* (Psychology)

Fields of study in English

● MA English Studies

Fields of study in Polish

- *socjologia* (Sociology)
- *stosunki międzynarodowe* (International Relations)
- *prawo* (Law)
- *fizjoterapia* (Physiotherapy)

Facts & figures

- Established in 1996 ● 900 academic staff (out of which more than 400 full-time faculty) ● 11 900 students
- Almost 150 international students

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personalities of cultural, economic and political life. So it should not be surprising that SWPS's contribution to the Erasmus Program (in collaboration with more than 60 universities) received high marks when being evaluated by the European Commission. Leading Polish academic rankings have also recognized high standing occupied by SWPS among the Polish non-public higher education institutions.

SWPS is a member of such important organizations as the Conference of Rectors of Polish Academic Schools (*KRASP*) and the European University Association (*EUA*).

Its standing commitment to academic values has also been confirmed through signing the *Magna Charta Universitatum*. A large number of international agreements and joint projects demonstrates SWPS's pro-active approach to international collaboration.

The Warsaw School of Social Sciences and Humanities (SWPS) offers its students the possibility of conducting part of their studies abroad. Each year over 100 students benefit from the opportunity to spend a semester or an entire academic year at one of the 60 partner institutions in Europe. The university also offers a one of its kind Transatlantic Masters Programme in Psychology in cooperation with Marshall University (USA) and Debrecen University (Hungary) and maintains exchange programmes with universities in China and Republic of Korea.

The International Student Office as well as administrative services of SWPS are ready to give any necessary advice to prospective international students and are happy to provide assistance during their studies. Incoming international students enjoy full access to all available courses. A Cultural Adaptation Workshop designed by cross-cultural psychologists facilitates the process of their adaptation to a new cultural and academic environment. Further to that, a Polish Language Course (at basic and intermediate level) is offered free of charge.

Our facilities and prospects for expansion:

The largest campus of SWPS is located in Warsaw; it is currently at the final stage of major expansion and adaptation to the needs of students and researchers. Even if the present day buildings and facilities hardly resemble their previous function, the Warsaw campus can be described as “knowledge factory”. In the past the main building used to serve as a factory of electric equipment. A considerable expansion of facilities has also been initiated at the Wrocław campus branch.

Like in any good university, there are lecture halls and research laboratories as well as libraries, among them the unique the Oriental Library. The Library deserves special mention. It has approximately 15 000 scholarly books and documents (4000 are the most recent publications written in English). Some 80 percent of this collection concerns Japan and China. With grants received from the governments and private donors from Japan, China and Republic of Korea the collection is constantly growing and quickly establishing itself as a major research centre in the field.

A strategic plan, which is now being finalized, foresees expansion of current facilities as well as creation of two new branch campuses. It also

Aja Zor i
student of Cultural Studies
from Slovenia



Unforgettable experience

I've been studying at SWPS for one semester now and I'm staying for the second one, even though that wasn't my initial plan. The range of courses available in English is wide and it's easy to find something you are interested in. The professors represent high professional standard and are kindly willing to assist with any of difficulties. I'm also satisfied with the school facilities that provide everything you might need. And discovering the unique places in Warsaw makes the experience of studying abroad even more valuable!

envisages development of new study programmes and an increase of courses offered in English.

So if you want to study one of the disciplines offered by SWPS you should not hesitate to contact us, visit our website and come to SWPS as many others have already done!



Medical University of Lodz

→ The Medical University is the biggest state medical university in Poland implementing the following basic tasks: ● educating students in medicine, dentistry, pharmacy and medicine-allied disciplines ● educating research staff and conducting research work ● conducting postgraduate training of highly qualified health care system staff ● participating in health care programs set by the social health care system.

University Teaching Activity. The concept of up-to-date and comprehensive professional

validated by our Government within the European Union co-operation. Following the entry of Poland into the European Union on May 1st, 2004 the University offers a chance of an automatic recognition of the Diploma of most of the faculties within all 25 countries of the European Union. High interest in studying at our University confirms attractiveness of our educational programs. Currently, over 8000 Polish Students are getting their education within medical and medicine-related areas at various faculties. Medical teaching in English was initiated in 2003/2004. Presently over 300 foreign students from various countries attend medical and dental courses. The quality of our teaching remains one of the highest among Polish universities, which is reflected by official inspections and rankings. Students of the Faculty of Medicine are the winners of the most prestigious scientific awards like "Medical Laurels" of Polish Academy of Science or "Primus Inter Pares" – Best Student of the Republic of Poland in the Lodz Region.

Science and Research. Medical University of Lodz is one of the leading medical research centers in Poland. Every academic year over a hundred research grants are awarded, as well as numerous research contracts are initiated that result in

training of medical staff is being improved all the time. The process of education has been focused on preparing specialists for work in various communities and national health care systems. Our educational offer has been adjusted to requirement laid down in the resolutions

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● <i>analitika medyczna (Medical Analytics)</i> ● <i>farmacja (Pharmacy)</i> ● <i>lekarski (Medicine)</i> ● <i>lekarsko-dentystyczny (Medical-Dentistry)</i> ● <i>biotechnologia – medycyna molekularna (Biotechnology – molecular medicine)</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● <i>biotechnologia – obrazowanie i radioterapia (Biotechnology – imaging and radiotherapy)</i> ● <i>dietetyka (Dietetics)</i> ● <i>filozofia (Philosophy)</i> ● <i>fizjoterapia (Physiotherapy)</i> ● <i>kosmetologia (Cosmetology)</i> ● <i>pielęgniarstwo (Nursery)</i> ● <i>pielęgniarstwo tzw. pomostowe (Bridging Nursery)</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● <i>położnictwo (Midwifery)</i> ● <i>położnictwo tzw. pomostowe (Bridging midwifery)</i> ● <i>ratownictwo medyczne (Emergency Medicine)</i> ● <i>socjologia (Sociology)</i> ● <i>techniki dentystyczne (Dental Techniques)</i> ● <i>zdrowie publiczne (Public Health)</i>
<p>Facts & figures</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Established in 1950 ● 1583 academic staff ● 8501 students (73% women) ● about 300 foreign students 		
<p>Contact</p> <p>Administration Center for Studies in English: ● pl. Hallera 1, 90-647, Łódź ● phone: +48 42 639 33 08 ● fax: +48 42 639 33 09 ● e-mail: deans.office@umed.lodz.pl ● www.umed.pl/eng</p>		

substantial number of individual research projects. Medical University of Lodz has been carrying extensive international scientific cooperation with such foreign academic and research centers as:

- The Catholic University in Nijmegen, Netherlands
- Duke University Medical Center, Durham, North Carolina
- University of Toronto Humboldt Universitat, Berlin, Germany
- Friedrich-Alexander Universitat, Erlangen
- King's College London
- Universite degli Studi di Milano
- The Human Craniofacial Institute in Dallas, USA
- The Howard Hughes Medical Center, USA
- The University in Bielefeld, Germany
- Universite Claude Bernard, Lyon, France
- University of Kuopio, Finland
- Friedrich-Alexander Universitat Erlangen, Germany.

The majority of University chairs, clinics and departments directly co-operate with foreign centers through staff Exchange programs.

Clinical Activity. At present, Medical University has over 1600 hospital beds in Teaching Hospitals that provide medical services for patients, being the essential base for research work and undergraduate and postgraduate teaching. University Teaching Hospitals and University-affiliated department constitute a basic source for highly specialized diagnostic and treatment services provided by professors, associate professors and specialists of various

medical disciplines who take care of health needs of the Lodz region community and promote health-related programs.

Each year, more than 55 000 patients are hospitalized in our hospital departments, and over 50 000 patients in university-affiliated wards. High level of diagnostic and treatment services rendered by Medical University hospitals is reflected by its position in the most popular hospital ranking. In the nationwide classification, our 36 hospital departments ranked among the top ten in their specialties.

Students' Academic Activities. Students of the Medical University take part in ERASMUS – European international academic exchange program. Within the last few years almost 25

Tasha Gaige, 3rd year, 6 Year MD Program, student from USA



Multicultural education

The Medical University of Lodz is a superb academic institution that fosters student's intellectual aspirations. The professors are experienced and knowledgeable, and outside of the classroom there is a diverse array of extracurricular activities. Medical programme in English offers a unique multicultural education that continues to encourage global thinking and cooperation among students. With all the progress being made, it's an exciting time to be a part of the Medical University of Lodz.

incoming students and over 100 outgoing students were participating in the exchange program. Students' Scientific Society has been involved in active popularization of research work among students, organization of scientific conferences and co-ordination of Students' Scientific Groups.



Adam Mickiewicz University

→ AMU is proud to bear the name of Adam Mickiewicz – a Polish bard who believed strongly in a free, multicultural Poland and was one of the most important poets of European Romanticism.

AMU is one of the largest academic centers in Poland. In addition to its facilities in Poznań, it has campuses in Gniezno, Kalisz, Pila and Slubice. The University currently employs nearly 3,000 teaching staff, including 360 tenured professors, 500 AMU professors and over 1,500 doctors and senior lecturers. In 2002-2009 our professors coordinated or were partners in 13 research projects funded by the 5th European

AMU is a member of: EUA – European University Association, EUCEN – European University Continuing Education Network, The Compostela Group of Universities, The Santander Group – European University Network, European Chemistry Thematic Network and other European Research Networks.

AMU is strongly dedicated to creating high-standard educational opportunities. The University serves over 47,000 students with 14 faculties offering BA, MA and PhD programs. Students who know Polish can choose from over 230 majors. The newest programs include Film Studies, Sound Editing, Ethnolinguistics, Social Communication, Protection of Cultural Heritage, Hydrobiology and Internet Technology Applications (calm computing and Internet of things).

AMU offers BA programs taught in Polish, English and German, MA programs in Polish, English, German and Dutch and individual PhD research programs in English. We also teach Esperanto.

In 2008 and 2009, Poland's National Conference of Doctoral Students awarded AMU the title of the Best Institution of Higher Education in Poland.

The international student community at AMU keeps growing stronger every year. International student education is supported by:

- AMU-PIE, A YEAR AT AMU that co-ordinates over 100 regular courses on a variety of subjects taught in English,

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Fields of study in different languages

- **BA in Polish Studies (Philology)** *in English, German, Russian*
- **BA in English Philology** *in English*
- **BA in English and Afrikaans; South-African Studies** *in English and Afrikaans*
- **BA in English and Celtic studies** *in English*
- **BA in Dutch Studies** *in English, Dutch*
- **BA in English Language Teaching** *– in English*
- **MA in Dutch Studies** *– in Dutch*
- **MA in English Philology** *in English*
- **MA in English and Celtic Studies** *– in English, Welsh, Irish*
- **MA in English and History and Civilization of English-speaking Countries** *– in English*
- **MA in Conference Interpreting: English-Polish-German** *in English, German, Polish*
- **MA in Language and Communication in Media and Politics** *in English*
- **MA in Philosophy and English and American Literature** *in English*
- **MA in Intercultural Communication Studies** *– in English*
- **European MA in Human Rights and Democratization** *– in English*
- **European MSc in Science of Performative Creativity, MSPC** *in English*
- **International MA in Balkan Studies, IBS** *– in English*
- **International MA in Political Science (AMU)/Master of European Studies (EUV)** *in English*
- **International BA and MA programs in German and Polish Law** *– in German and Polish*
- **International MSc in Chemistry, SERP-Chem** *– in English*
- **MBA in Management for Central and Eastern Europe** *in English*
- **Diploma in Interlinguistics (Esperanto)** *– in Esperanto*

Fields of study in Polish

- administracja (Administration) • akustyka (Acoustics) • archeologia (Archaeology) • astronomia (Astronomy) • biofizyka (Biophysics) • biologia (Biology) • biotechnologia (Biotechnology) • chemia (Chemistry) • dziennikarstwo i komunikacja społeczna (Journalism and Social Communication) • edukacja artystyczna (Art Education: Music & Fine Arts) • etnologia (Anthropology) • europeistyka (European Studies) • filologia (40 Modern Languages) • filologia klasyczna (Classical Studies) • filologia polska (Polish Philology) • filozofia (Philosophy) • fizyka (Physics) • geografia (Geography) • geologia (Geology) • gospodarka przestrzenna (Urban Planning) • historia (History) • historia sztuki (History of Art) • informatyka (Computer Science) • inżynieria materiałowa (Nanotechnology) • językoznawstwo i informacja naukowa (Linguistics and Information Science) • kognitywistyka (Cognitive Studies) • komunikacja europejska (Media Studies, Balkan Studies) • kulturoznawstwo (Cultural Studies) • malarstwo (Fine Art: Painting) • matematyka (Mathematics) • muzykologia (Musicology) • ochrona dóbr kultury (Heritage Protection) • ochrona środowiska (Environmental Protection) • pedagogika (Pedagogy) • pedagogika specjalna (Special Education) • politologia (Political Science) • praca socjalna (Social Work) • prawo (Law) • psychologia (Psychology) • socjologia (Sociology) • stosunki międzynarodowe (International Relations) • teologia (Theology) • turystyka i rekreacja (Tourism and Leisure) • wiedza o teatrze (Theatre Studies) • wschodoznawstwo (Eastern Europe and Asian Studies) • zarządzanie i marketing (Management and Marketing)

Facts & figures

- Founded in 1919 • 3 000 academic staff • 47 000 students (67% women) • over 1000 foreign students

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- School of Polish Language for Foreigners,
- Summer School of Polish Language and Culture.

At AMU, student life is blossoming with many clubs and societies, choirs and theatres. The sports halls have excellent indoor facilities.

Everything is possible once you have studied at AMU

- ENIGMA or breaking secret codes. The best students graduating in mathematics in 1929, received training from the army cipher office. This was probably the first cryptology class ever! Among those students were Rejewski, Zygalski and Różycki who all greatly contributed to cracking the Enigma code. Their work played a crucial role in ending WW II in Europe.
- The first woman Prime Minister of Poland (1992-1993), Madam Hanna Suchocka graduated in law. Since 2001, she has been Polish ambassador to the Holy See.

- 2005 Oscar for Best Achievement in Music Written for Motion Pictures, Original Score, was awarded to Jan A.P. Kaczmarek for his music to *Finding Neverland*. Mr. Jan Kaczmarek graduated in law.

Amanda Wiehl
Fulbright Teaching Assistant, USA



The time of my life

Living in Poznań for the past ten months has really taught me a lot about Polish hospitality, cross-cultural relationships, and myself. While in Poland, I was never in a shortage of making new friends and now have many international friendships thanks to the ERASMUS program at AMU. The AMU professors and ERASMUS mentors have truly made my stay in Poland "the time of my life".

- Nobel Peace Prize 2007 was jointly awarded to the Inter-governmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) and to Al Gore. One member of that prestigious panel is Professor Piotr Tryjanowski from the Faculty of Biology at AMU.



Cracow University of Economics

→ **The University and its campus.** The Cracow University of Economics founded in 1925 is the largest school of economics in Poland, and the third biggest university in Krakow, which is the main Polish academic center. It has four faculties: Faculty of Economics and International Relations, Faculty of Finance, Faculty of Commodity Science and Faculty of Management. The number of students currently enrolled at the University is estimated at almost 20 000. Its 17 acre campus is located in the vicinity of historical medieval Old Town of Krakow, and easily accessible both on foot or by public transportation. In addition to the main campus in

University. These include to name a few the Student Government, the Independent Students Association, AIESEC (International Association of Economics and Commerce Students), ESN (Erasmus Student Network), SIFE (Students in Free Enterprise), the University Club of the Academic Sport Association, Dominanta Choir and many more. Other services located on campus which cater for students' needs include College of Physical Education and Sports, College of Foreign Languages, Rector's plenipotentiary regarding Office in charge of Disabled Persons, Health services, Food centers, Kiosks, International Programmes Office, International Relations Office, Academic Career Center.

International cooperation. The University enjoys a number of international contacts. Presently, it has about 200 partners across the world, cooperating with universities and various organizations from Europe, the Americas and Asia. It offers exchange programs through Erasmus, CEEPUS, EMBS, Direct Entry, Ministerial and Governmental scholarships or bilateral agreements. It offers full study programmes in English on both bachelor and master levels. CUE is a member of many networks and associations such as EUA (European University Association), ICDE (International Commission on Distance

Krakow, the University also has six Remote Teaching Centers in different cities of the region.

Student life and services. A number of organizations and student associations are active at the

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Fields of study in English

- BSc Corporate Finance and Accounting
- BSc International Business

- MSc Corporate Finance and Accounting
- MSc International Business
- MSc in International Finance and Accounting

- MBA European Multicultural Integrated Management Program

Fields of study in Polish

- administracja (Administration)
- ekonomia (Economics)
- europeistyka (European Studies)
- gospodarka i administracja publiczna (Economy and Public Administration)
- stosunki międzynarodowe (International Relations)

- międzynarodowe stosunki gospodarcze (International Economy Relations)
- finanse i rachunkowość (Finance and Accountancy)
- gospodarka przestrzenna (Spatial Economy)
- towaroznawstwo (Commodity Science)

- turystyka i rekreacja (Tourism and Recreation)
- zarządzanie i inżynieria produkcji (Management and Production Engineering)
- informatyka i ekonometria (Computer Science and Econometrics)
- zarządzanie (Management)

Facts & figures

- Established in 1925 ● 690 academic staff members ● 19 500 students (63% women) ● 500 foreign students

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Education), DRC (Danube Rectors Conference), NIBES (Network of International Business and Economic Schools), EMBS (European Master of Business Studies).

Research and teaching infrastructure. The University's research and teaching infrastructure includes facilities such as the Main Library, University Publishing House, Printing Center, IT Center with computer labs with internet access.

Study levels. Cracow University of Economics (CUE) offers programs for all levels of study and in accordance with Bologna principles, that is: 3 year Bachelor studies, 2 year Master studies and 3 year Doctorate studies. Apart from this the Institution offers various study opportunities at the post diploma level designed for candidates who already hold a university degree, but wish to further develop their professional qualifications.

English Track Programme. The English Track Programme is open for short term international and Polish students. The English Track offers a selection of courses in English on business, economics and cultural studies, opportunities to learn Polish language and some options to gain a certificate or a diploma (under special agreements). Courses are given by leading CUE professors, lecturers from partner universities worldwide as well as professionals and successful practitioners. The English Track Programme consists of the following study options:

Business Studies: The course selection cuts through a number of disciplines: business,

economics, finance, marketing, management, law, social and political relations, with a focus on the realities of Poland and Central and Eastern Europe.

Polish Path – Language, Culture and Business (beginners, intermediate): Polish Path is an option in the English Track Programme open for students of all levels, interested in acquiring fluent, communicative level of Polish language and specialized knowledge on Poland.

Seminars with Professionals: The seminars are given by successful professionals and practitioners who are leaders in prominent companies and institutions worldwide. Each semester there are 4 intensive seminars in different areas of business, finance, management, marketing, human resources and economics.

Internship Option: The internship can take place during summer months in a company in Poland – mostly in Krakow but offers can come

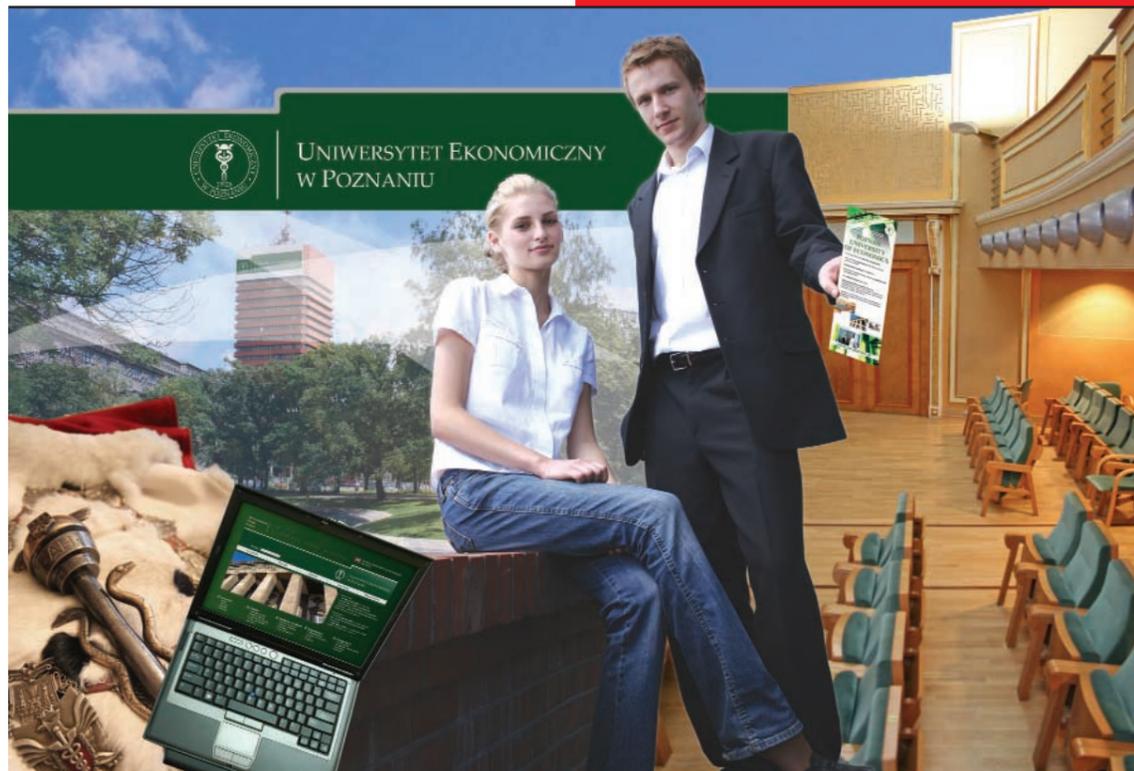
Stefan Matthijssen
International Business
and Languages
student from Holland



High level teaching

Cracow University of Economics is on a high level which makes graduates able to play a well respected role in business life in the future. The lectures at the university are highly interesting, because professors are often creating discussions about topic that explains differences between all the countries we came from by starting a course giving Poland as an example. Both the city and the university made such a good impressions on me that they convinced me to come back to Krakow to finish my studies here.

also from other cities like Warsaw, Katowice. The availability of internship will depend on the possible match between the student's skills and expectations and the requirements of the company.



Poznan University of Economics



Undisputable reasons to study at Poznan University of Economics:

- University from the top of ranking list
- one of the most prestigious and oldest economic schools in Poland
- international standards of education
- highlights on global business trends and professional management skills
- vast multinational cooperation
- located in city renown as a centre of multinational business, bustling with attractions of cosmopolitan metropolis

high educational standards consistent with the world's teaching methods in managerial education and the latest ideas of economics and business trends. The University's strengths are its educational base, international relations and cooperation with the business world. With its reputation for the highest quality, recognized by national and international institutions, it specializes in the education of business leaders, highly-qualified managers and economic experts capable of operating successfully in the globalized business.

The teaching staff consists of highly-qualified educators as well as widely recognized, eminent scientists and business practitioners. The University's curricula meet the requirements of the global labour market and the EU's educational standards. Students receive credits in accordance with the ECTS standard, which enables them to undertake international study programmes. The curricula are also deeply practice-oriented. The students not only obtain a thorough university education – they also develop practical skills expected of professional managers. The school is unique in Poland to offer blocks of subjects taught by highly-qualified specialists from the world of business, by bosses and managers of leading corporations and by professors from foreign universities. Thanks to the wider

Poznań University of Economics is one of the best, oldest and most prestigious economic universities in Poland, widely renown for its academic excellence. It occupies top positions in the rankings. The school's reputation is built on

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Bachelor degree:

- Faculty of Economics, specialization: economics and finance of business in global economy
- Faculty of International Business and Economics, specialization: international business

- Faculty of Informatics and Electronic Economy, specialization: electronic business
- Faculty of Commodity Science, specialization: quality of products

Fields of study in English

- Faculty of Management, specialization: business management

Master degree:

- Faculty of International Business and Economics, specialisation: international business

Fields of study in Polish

- ekonomia (Economics)
- finanse i rachunkowość (Finance and Accounting)
- gospodarka przestrzenna (Spatial Economics)
- informatyka i ekonometria (Computer Science and Econometrics)

- międzynarodowe stosunki gospodarcze (International Trade Relations)
- polityka społeczna (Social Policy)
- techniczne zastosowanie internetu (Technical Applications of the Internet)

- towaroznawstwo (Commodity Science)
- zarządzanie (Management)
- zarządzanie i inżynieria produkcji (Production Management and Engineering)

Facts & figures

• Established in 1926 • 546 academic staff • 12 102 students • 124 foreign students

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educational context, PUE students have a comprehensive view of economics and are able to function fully in business.

The University has been awarded the certificates and accreditations confirming that its teaching and research standards comply with the highest academic requirements (e.g. certificates from the EPOQS Foundation for the Promotion and Accreditation of Economic Education; the ISO 9001:2000 certificate issued by the world-class certification company). The school attaches great importance to the quality of education and it consistently applies modern teaching methods in class.

The school also has an undisputed position as a leader in economic research as well as a major centre for applied research, expert evaluation, analysis and consultancy.

PUE students have the opportunity to expand their knowledge and gain practical experience through several dozen student organizations and interest groups dedicated to specialized disciplines. Some of them are part of international networks or projects (AIESEC, AEGEE). PUE students also pursue interests other than professional – they have formed several sports team, they are issuing their own student magazine.

PUE lays great emphasis on the internationalisation of education and research. The transfer of international education standards is ensured through international exchange programmes, including the prestigious double-diploma agreements. The University's lecturers actively participate in the work

of international research networks and groups. They also deliver guest lectures at universities abroad.

The University's major strength is the high standard of its infrastructure. The school has its own publishing house and a well-equipped library. The superbly equipped university buildings are located close to one another, right in the centre of Poznań. Web access is available through a Hot Spot system free of charge and with no time constraints. The University was the first school in Poland to provide a virtual tour of its buildings. (www.zwiedz.ue.poznan.pl).

Broad relations with business practice are possible thanks to the Partner Club. Its members – Polish and international firms as well as reputed business organisations – help the University to

Ahmed Samir student from Egypt



Cosmopolitan and academic city

Poznan University of Economics offers the possibility to gain managerial skills and knowledge on economics giving opportunity to make a career in the world of multinational business. Teaching staff is professional, helpful and open to share their scientific and practical experience with the students. People are friendly and outgoing. The atmosphere is very good. Poznań is full of cultural, social and leisure time attractions of cosmopolitan and academic city.

adjust its courses to the needs of the business environment and support the school in carrying out its educational mission: they provide specialist materials for use in classhold lectures and training courses as well as comprehensive programme of traineeships and placements.



Wrocław University of Economics (WUE)

About the University. Wrocław University of Economics is a state university founded in 1947, it has over a 60 years history and a tradition of high quality education. In October 1974 it was named after the Polish economist Oskar Lange. Today, the Wrocław University of Economics is ranked among the top economic schools of higher education in Poland, an important centre of education, science and research. Its activities are aimed at maintaining and strengthening the position of the University on regional, national, European and international levels. Altogether it

There are four faculties at Wrocław University of Economics:

- Faculty of National Economy,
- Faculty of Management, Information System and Finance
- Faculty of Engineering and Economics,
- Faculty of Regional Economics and Tourism (located in Jelenia Góra).

The Wrocław University of Economics provides fields of study as follow:

- Finance and Banking
- Management and Marketing
- International Relations
- Computer Science and Econometrics,
- Management and Production Engineering,
- Tourism and Hotel Business Management
- Economy and Public Administration.

The students can choose from 40 specializations within the range of courses offered by the faculties.

Education. The educational system at WUE follows the requirements of the Bologna declaration. We apply the European Credit Transfer System (ECTS) and issue Diploma Supplements. The exchange of academic staff and

employs 784 academic teachers including 142 professors. There is strong interest in economic studies, in the current academic year the University has about 17,000 students.

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Fields of study in English

- **Bachelor Studies in Finance** (three years, BA)
- **Master Studies in Finance** (two years, MA)
- **MBA Studies** (two years, MBA)

Fields of study in Polish

- *ekonomia (Economics)*
- *finanse i rachunkowość (Finance and Accounting)*
- *informatyka i ekonometria (Informatics and Econometrics)*
- *międzynarodowe stosunki gospodarcze (International Economic Relations)*
- *zarządzanie (Management)*
- *zarządzanie i inżynieria produkcji (Management and Productions Engineering)*

Facts & figures

● About 18,000 students enrolled ● Academic personnel (as of September 1, 2009): 57 professors, 78 associate professors, 475 assistant professors, 40 instructors/lectors

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students is carried out under the Erasmus and Leonardo da Vinci programmes. In the academic year 2009/2010 there are more than 100 courses offered in foreign languages to Erasmus students. WUE has 86 Erasmus bilateral agreement and about 40 general cooperation agreement with foreign partners.

The courses organized by the University of Economics, which are divided into semesters, are run in one or two level systems and can be attended as full-time day courses, part-time weekend courses and in the form of evening classes. The University is authorized to run an Executive MBA Program for graduates, and is available in a Polish or English language version, and is organized in conjunction with universities from Belgium, France, Ireland, Germany and Great Britain.

Curricula realized in the University include foundation subjects, general and specialist subjects and ensure full complementarity with other European universities curricula, which enables our students to participate in academic exchange and to study abroad as a part of their course. Foreign graduates are accepted here to complete their bachelor, master and doctoral degrees.

Student facilities Wrocław University of Economics is located within a compact campus in central Wrocław, whereas one faculty (Regional Economy and Tourism) resides in a separate campus in Jelenia Góra. The University has access to wireless Internet widely available for students. WUE has its own: Central Library (390 000 volumes of printed books and periodicals, access to 19 000 electronic periodicals, 21 000 online books and 4 databases), Department of Foreign Languages (69 language teachers in four language groups), Department of Physical Education and Sports (two

gymnasium halls, an aerobic-gym, in-door climbing wall, weight lifting gym, swimming pool), Publishing House and two dormitories on the side of the University and three canteens inside the campus. Moreover the University has computer labs, two dormitories on the side of the University and three canteens inside the campus.

The University offers free Polish language courses for the exchange students. The courses are provided during each semester and have two levels for the student to choose: beginners and intermediate. The course content will also help you to get acquainted with the Polish culture. The University offers also the summer school for international students. It is a unique opportunity to study finance and management from the Central European perspective and enjoy the summer in the same time. During the summer programme you can expect:

- cosy atmosphere, close relationships, individual support
- high end tuition – workshops, case studies and simulation games (8 ECTS)

Mehmet Ömürlü
 student from Turkey



A very special experience

Wrocław University of Economics provides an academic program of outstanding teaching quality for those who are interested in issues of Management, Business and Economics. At the University I've got great value for my money and most probably met a bunch of future life-time friends. For me studying at Wrocław University of Economics is a very special experience with a very special group of people.

- great mix of nationalities – you will meet people from countries you've never met before
- practical aspects – meetings with business people



Jagiellonian University

→ First founded in 1364, the Jagiellonian University has been an integral part of Kraków's life for almost 650 years. The University's importance of the international scene dates back to the 15th century when some 44% of the entire student population was coming from abroad! Today, with its growing curriculum and course lists offered in foreign languages, the JU is once again drawing an increasing number of the world's best students to its ancient halls and modern campus. Being recognised worldwide, the JU is a member of the European University Association, Coimbra Group and the Utrecht Network.

prestigious grants awarded by the Foundation for Polish Science in recognition of the level of their scientific research. Academics from the University are effective in their competition for grants from European research programmes, and the University has several European Centres of Excellence.

The ancient Jagiellonian University, covered with the moss of centuries, is simultaneously a young, innovative place. A new, modern campus, called the Third Campus, between Zakrzówek and Pychowice, is being built barely 4 km from the centre of Kraków. In 1999, the Research Centre for the Life Sciences was opened there, and in 2002 this was followed by the opening of the Institute of Molecular Biology and Biotechnology building, with the most up-to-date scientific and technological infrastructure in Poland, and the Institute of Environmental Protection. In 2005, the new site for the Institute of Geography and Spatial Management was opened. The infrastructure in the very centre of Kraków is also being transformed and modernised – in 2005 the Auditorium Maximum was opened; a complex of lecture halls and the first real conference centre in Kraków.

With almost 46 000 students enrolled, 3657 academic teachers and almost 500 distinguished

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The academic level of the University is indicated by the fact that almost every faculty has received category 1, the highest, in the official rankings of the Ministry of Science and Higher Education. Junior academics and doctors from the Jagiellonian annually receive over 10% of the

- MSc in Biotechnology
- MSc in Advanced Spectroscopy in Chemistry (Erasmus Mundus)
- European Master of Public Health (Erasmus Mundus)
- LLM in American Law
- LLM in Polish Business Law
- MA in Transatlantic Studies
- MA in Euroculture (Erasmus Mundus)
- International Masters in European Studies (IMPREST)

- administracja (Administration)
- analityka medyczna (Medical Analytics)
- archeologia (Archaeology)
- astronomia (Astronomy)
- amerykanistyka (American Studies)
- biofizyka (Biophysics)
- biologia (Biology)
- biologia i geologia (Biology and Geology)
- biotechnologia (Biotechnology)
- chemia (Chemistry)
- dziennikarstwo i komunikacja społeczna (Journalism and Social Communication)
- ekonomia (Economics)
- etnologia (Ethnology)
- europeistyka (European Studies)
- farmacja (Pharmacy)
- filologia (Philology)
- filologia polska (Polish Philology)

- International Masters in Economy, State and Society (IMESS)
- MA in European Studies (including Russian, Central & Eastern European Studies, Europeanisation and Governance in CEE)
- Master in European Studies "The Process of Building Europe"

- filozofia (Philosophy)
- fizjoterapia (Physiotherapy)
- fizyka (Physics)
- geografia (Geography)
- geologia (Geology)
- historia (History)
- historia sztuki (History of Art)
- informacja naukowa i bibliotekoznawstwo (Scientific Information and Librarianship)
- informatyka (Computer Science)
- kulturoznawstwo (Cultural Studies)
- lekarski (Medicine)
- lekarsko-dentystyczny (Dentistry)
- matematyka (Mathematics)
- muzykologia (Musicology)
- neurobiologia (Neurobiology)
- ochrona środowiska (Environmental Protection)
- pedagogika (Pedagogy)

Fields of study in English

- MA in American Literature
- MA in English Literature
- MA in TESOL Methodology/Applied Linguistics
- MD Program for College/University students
- MD Program for High School graduates
- MD Program in Dental Surgery

Fields of study in Polish

- pedagogika specjalna (Special Education)
- pielęgniarstwo (Nursing)
- politologia (Political Science)
- położnictwo (Obstetrics)
- prawo (Law)
- psychologia (Psychology)
- rosjoznawstwo (Russian Studies)
- ratownictwo medyczne (Medical Rescue)
- religioznawstwo (Religious Studies)
- socjologia (Sociology)
- stosunki międzynarodowe (International Relations)
- studia biologiczno-geograficzne (Biology and Geography)
- studia międzywydziałowe (Interdisciplinary Studies)
- wiedza o teatrze (Theatre Studies)
- zarządzanie (Management)
- zdrowie publiczne (Public Health)

Facts & figures

● Founded in 1364 ● 3657 academic staff ● 46 545 students (70% women) ● 1914 foreign students

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professors, JU provides 111 professionally focused course areas in the most notable fields. For the past few years, JU has consistently occupied top positions in various rankings of the best universities in Poland. Its degrees are recognised worldwide. With its outstanding level of teaching and being held in high regard on the international map of education, studying as a degree or exchange student is an unforgettable personal experience, and life-time academic and professional investment.

- High-quality and internationally renowned research;

Errol Muzawazi
student from Republic of Zimbabwe



The best place for studying

Kraków is established as the best place in Poland for studying. The level of competence is high in terms of university administration and availability of didactic material. I have been able to learn more of the importance of adaptability, flexibility and tolerance. As I come from a different country (with different values and cultures), it has been very important to learn to live, work and cooperate with different people.

Today, JU is recognised for

- Offering students a wide range of possibilities to develop academically, intellectually, and professionally;
- A broad specialisation in studies relating to the issues involved regarding European integration;
- A long standing commitment to the spread of knowledge in the most professional manner;

- Dynamically developing didactic and research centres;
- A wide range of innovative study and research options that seek to stir the aspirations for analysis, critical discourse, and dialog to stretch intellectual standards.



Cardinal Stefan Wyszyński University in Warsaw

➔ **One of the youngest Polish comprehensive universities.** On September 3, 1999, the Sejm, or the lower house of the Polish Parliament, enacted a law establishing a new university in Warsaw – the Cardinal Stefan Wyszyński University.

Since opening, the Cardinal Stefan Wyszyński University in Warsaw (or, UKSW for short) has steadily grown and is now comprised of seven faculties and twenty-four fields of studies.

Programmes and Courses. The programmes are offered on a full-time (free-of-charge) and

PhD programmes for those who aspire to improve their qualifications.

Our students can benefit from a study period abroad at more than 60 European universities as part of the Erasmus programme, as well as domestic study periods at 18 Polish universities as part of the Mobile Students Program, or MOST. Apart from a wide educational offer, the students can also take an active part in a number of special interests groups, students organizations or student government. There is also a theatre and choir at the University.

Polish language course. Foreign nationals admitted to UKSW are obliged to attend classes in Polish as a Foreign Language, and to take an examination in Polish at a level set at A5 according to the language proficiency levels of ALTE, or C2 level of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages. The Polish classes are offered free of charge, and the students take them as part of their mandatory curriculum. The proficiency level in Polish for students who are foreign nationals is assessed on grounds of an interview or other tests. In addition, there is the "Polish Language and Culture" Summer School offered, on a fee basis, by the Institute of the Polish Language at UKSW.

part-time basis. There are both continuous programmes leading to a graduate degree, as well as programmes leading to an undergraduate degree (Level one), and then to a graduate degree (Level two). UKSW also offers post-graduate and

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Fields of study in English

BSc & MSc programmes

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Fields of study in Polish

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| ● administracja (Administration) | ● historia sztuki (Art History) | ● pedagogika (Pedagogy) |
| ● archeologia (Archaeology) | ● informatyka (Informatic) | ● politologia (Political Sciences) |
| ● biologia (Biology) | ● informatyka i ekonometria (Information Technology and Econometrics) | ● prawo (Law) |
| ● chemia (Chemistry) | ● inżynieria środowiska (Environmental Engineering) | ● prawo kanoniczne (Canon Law) |
| ● dziennikarstwo i komunikacja społeczna (Journalism and Public Relations) | ● kulturaoznawstwo (Cultural Studies) | ● psychologia (Psychology) |
| ● europeistyka (European Studies) | ● matematyka (Mathematics) | ● religioznawstwo (Religious Studies) |
| ● filologia polska (Polish Philology) | ● nauki ścisłe (Science) | ● socjologia (Sociology) |
| ● filozofia (Philosophy) | ● ochrona środowiska (Environmental Protection) | ● stosunki międzynarodowe (International Relations) |
| ● fizyka (Physics) | | ● studia nad rodziną (Family Sciences) |
| ● historia (History) | | ● teologia ogólna (Theology) |

Facts & figures

● Established in 1999 ● 18 000 students (65% women) ● 759 academic staff

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Foreigners who wish to improve their Polish for professional or personal purposes will find them useful as well. For more information go to: http://www.kursy_jezyka_polskiego.uksw.edu.pl/

Campus. UKSW offers classes at 2 main campuses - one located at Dewajtis 5 in Bielany (district of Warsaw), and the other at Wóycickiego 1/3 in Młociny (district of Warsaw). Apart from classroom areas, the Bielany campus also features: the Main Library, central administration offices and a student cafeteria. As regards the Młociny campus, in 2008 there was opened the restate-of-art Interdisciplinary Education and Research Centre with a hall for sports and other events.

The Cardinal Stefan Wyszyński University today:

- Most often chosen university in Poland (based on the 2007/2008 Report of the Ministry of Science and Higher Education)
- 26 fields of studies, two novelties in preparation: European studies and studies of religion
- 58 student societies and clubs
- Over 80 agreements with 55 partner universities
- The expanded Erasmus Chart for the years 2009-2013, granted by the European Commission of Education and Training with the possibility of foreign training for our students
- The CSWU membership in international academic associations FIUC and

FUCE ● The Polish program MOST (the system of students' mobility) – national grants for studying in other 19 universities in Poland

- More than 200 foreigners
- Over 660 doctorate students (including foreigners)
- The only in Poland, Student Legal Consultancy Office giving advice not only on the state law but also on the canon law which shows its uniqueness
- The library being in possession of extremely precious collection of books from incunabula (books printed since 1500), through ancient publications, the valuable nineteenth century collection up to electronic publications.

At present it comprises 300 thousand volumes

Jasna Jurc, Faculty of Law student from Slovenia



Much more than just a life experience

Being here in Warsaw gave me so much more than just a life experience. I've made friends that I will never forget, I've learned more about Polish culture than I could ever learn from books. I have also improved my English and learned a little bit of Polish. I love studying law at UKSW because I can see things from a different perspective and because I had the chance to learn about Polish law. Other things that also impressed me here in Warsaw are beautiful parks, museums and churches. Poland really exceeded my expectations in every way.

● In order to meet candidates' expectations, we have started the Internet system of recruitment – the Internet Registration of Candidates (IRK).



Kazimierz Wielki University in Bydgoszcz

➔ **History.** Kazimierz Wielki University in Bydgoszcz is a dynamically developing school of higher education, today the largest in the city and the second largest in the Kujawsko-Pomorskie Voivodeship, both as for number of professors, number of majors, educational forms offered and the number of students and graduates.

Kazimierz Wielki University is the youngest, wide-profile university in our country. It was created on 1 September 2005 but it follows 40 years of tradition of university education in Bydgoszcz.

courses, developing qualifications and conferring new qualifications as well as entitlements.

Responding to the expectations of young people and to the needs of labour market we offer new and attractive specialisations. Recently these were: biotechnology, tourism and recreation, sociology, cultural studies, cultural heritage protection, mechatronics and specialties, in applied linguistics: English with Arabic and in pedagogy: social and cultural animation. From the 2009/2010 the following new majors are offered: security engineering and material engineering.

In recent years our university has admitted about 4,5 thousand students annually. At present we have 14 thousand students. Over 700 academic staff members share their knowledge, including about 150 professors, with over 60 professors titular. Great importance is attached to the development of the staff potential. Thus the staff participate in training schemes, projects, research programmes and cooperate with Polish and foreign educational centres.

Educational offer. Today a rich educational range of studies covers 29 specialisations at three levels: bachelor master and doctoral studies. The university also provides almost 40 postgraduate

Research. The University's main objective is to increase its competitiveness on the European market through supporting students and teaching staff mobility. The university cooperates

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● BA in Pedagogy

- administracja (Administration)
- biologia (Biology)
- biotechnologia (Biotechnology)
- dziennikarstwo i komunikacja społeczna (Journalism and Communication)
- edukacja artystyczna w zakresie sztuki muzycznej (Artistic Education in Music)
- edukacja techniczno-informatyczna (Technical and Information Education)
- filologia polska (Polish Philology)
- filologia (Philology: English Philology, German Philology, Russian Philology, Applied Linguistics)
- filozofia (Philosophy)

● BA in Psychology

- fizyka (Physics)
- geografia (Geography)
- historia (History)
- informacja naukowa i bibliotekoznawstwo (Science Information and Librarianship)
- informatyka (Computer Science)
- inżynieria bezpieczeństwa (Security Engineering)
- inżynieria materiałowa (Material Engineering)
- kulturoznawstwo (Cultural Studies)
- matematyka (Mathematics)
- mechatronika (Mechatronics – from 2009/10)

Fields of study in English

● BA in Social Work

Fields of study in Polish

- ochrona dóbr kultury (Cultural Heritage Protection)
- ochrona środowiska (Environmental Protection)
- pedagogika (Pedagogy)
- politologia (Political Science)
- praca socjalna (Social Work)
- psychologia (Psychology)
- socjologia (Sociology)
- stosunki międzynarodowe (International Relations)
- turystyka i rekreacja (Tourism and Recreation)
- wychowanie fizyczne (Physical Education)

Facts & figures

● Established in 2005 ● 14 000 students (65% women) ● 700 academic staff

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with foreign institutions within the EU 7th Framework Programme and LLP Erasmus.

Academic staff conducts research and actively take part in conferences, symposia and courses in Poland and abroad. University can boast rich programme of scientific research, laying the foundations of commercial cooperation with institutions and companies. The offer covers many fields, e.g. analysis of diamond layers quality, experimental research on porous materials, research on contamination of food and fodder with fungus and micotoxins, research on rehabilitation and mental health.

Student exchange, career. Our university participates in EU programmes, among others: Lifelong Learning Programme (Comenius, Erasmus, Leonardo da Vinci, Grundtvig). KWU cooperates with 41 foreign universities from 18 countries: Finland, Germany, Spain, Norway, Portugal, Italy, Slovakia, Lithuania, France, Switzerland, Hungary, Great Britain and Turkey. You can also receive professional training with the European Leonardo da Vinci programme. The University simultaneously runs the Careers Centre which helps students and graduates to find satisfying employment. The Centre acts as an intermediary in finding professional training in the workplace of your choice. The job consultancy instructors will instruct you how to start your own business and make it function effectively in the labour market.

Entertainment, leisure. We offer our students opportunities of active membership in study groups, clubs, associations and encourage them to cultivate their interests. We assist young people in spreading their wings.

Once the official inauguration of the academic year is finished students enjoy the October freshmen's party. Our staff members and students play either in classical or light music bands. At Christmas and around New Year's Eve a beautiful Carol Concert is a must. In April students take part in the annual celebrations of the University Day and in students' festival JUWENALIA in May. In spring students participate in PESTKA Student Culture Festival. Moreover, the BEANUS 70 student club cultivates its tradition and organises concerts, poetry meetings or cabaret shows.

**Monika Szimethov
pedagogy student
from Slovakia**



Very inspiring studies

I am very glad that I chose Kazimierz Wielki University in Bydgoszcz to study as a Erasmus student. Teachers here are very kind, friendly and helpful what makes studying here very inspiring. KWU and Polish people will be very important part of my life, I will come here again as a colleague or visitor. I will be very happy if my home university in Bratislava could establish closer links with the community of Kazimierz Wielki University.

Accommodation. Students have a choice of two student's residence halls. Students live in single or double rooms in self-contained flats consisting of four rooms. Rooms are well equipped with the access to internet.



Medical University of Lublin

➔ **Welcome to Lublin.** Lublin is the biggest city in the eastern part of Poland. For many years has been a place where all kinds of different cultures and nationalities have met and intermingled. Through the centuries the inhabitants of the City of Lublin always tolerant and good willing, have witnessed people of different nationalities, background and religion settling down and developing our city. Today the situation is similar- we welcome all newcomers with the smile and friendly attitude. In Lublin there are many possibilities of getting to know interesting

music concerts and artistic exhibitions. Lublin is a great place to live and study.

Medical University of Lublin started educating young people over 50 years ago. The university's didactic and scientific structure is composed of four faculties: Medical Faculty I with Division of Dentistry, Medical Faculty II With English Division, Faculty of Pharmacy and Faculty of Nursing and Health Science. Three university hospitals – PPSK-1, PPSK-4 and DDSK are affiliated with Medical University of Lublin, offering excellent training programs and facilities for students in almost every are medicine.

UM is educating over 5500 students in fields of medicine, dentistry, pharmacy, nursing, obstetrics, ER, public health and rehabilitation. Within the period of its educational work the UM is proud to have educated 14 thousand physicians, 2,5 thousand dentists, 6,5 thousand pharmacist and 5 thousand nurses. The above number includes over 500 students studying medicine and dentistry in English language. Our University has students from different parts of the world – various countries of European Union and Africa, North America, India, Taiwan etc. There are over 130 graduates of English Language

people, visit exquisite places of symbolic meaning. As the biggest Polish city at the east of the Vistula river Lublin provides variety of students' facilities – cultural centers, theatres, cinemas. It offers wide range of annual festivals,

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Fields of study in English

- **Medicine – 6-year programme**
- **Medicine – 6-year advanced programme (duration 4 years)**
- **Medicine – 6-year advanced programme BIS (duration 4 years)**

Fields of study in Polish

- *analitka medyczna (Medical Analytics)*
- *dietetyka (Dietetics)*
- *farmacja (Pharmacy)*
- *fizjoterapia (Physiotherapy)*
- *kosmetologia (Cosmetology)*
- *lekarski (Medicine)*
- *lekarsko-dentystyczny (Dentistry)*
- *pielęgniarstwo (Nursing)*
- *położnictwo (Obstetrics)*
- *ratownictwo medyczne (Emergency Medical Services)*
- *techniki dentystyczne (Dentistry Technique)*
- *zdrowie publiczne (Public Health)*

Facts & figures

● Founded in 1944 ● 1034 academic staff ● 6227 students (73% women) ● 730 foreign students

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Division who are successful in many medical fields.

Accommodation. Students of our programs can chose different options of accommodation.

University provides dorms in the campus area, next to University facilities. Prices depends on the number of beds and on option in standard. If somebody wants more privacy, our recruiter's representatives will help to chose the best option.

Academic life. Professors work with groups of 10 students in lab to ensure the understanding of curriculum for each student. With a dean and program director who will personally sit down with student, there is a continuous support given for those who ask.

A big attraction for students are lectures given by visiting professors from USA. During those meetings students discuss the most interesting medical cases. This is to adjust as much as possible the methods of teaching in UM to American requirements. What is more University provides Polish language course. It may help students in the future to communicate with patients, especially in areas like New Your or Chicago.

All students who can prove themselves with excellent results from tests, exams and class participation are more than welcome to join many research projects groups available on UM and conducted by our professors and assistant professors.

Students from UM can join many scientific and non-scientific international, European and local

associations like for example: Students Government, Student Scientific Society, International Federation of Medical Student's Association, Society of Students of Stomatology, European Medical Student Association, Lublin Society of Students of Pharmacy, Singing and Dance Team, Academic Priesthood "Lucas", University Sports Association, American Medical Student's Association.

The Grade Scale and Exams. The grade scale is based on the ECTS (European Credit Transfer System) standard. Grades awarded for examination, tests or other formsnof evaluation are either Passes/Failed or a scale with five levels from 5 to 2. The poorest pass grade for an examination is grade 3.

Evaluations/ Exams practices at UM consist of: written exams, oral exams, MCQ, class participation, and group or individual presentations.

Kaushal N. Bhatt
student from USA



Great experience

The Medical University of Lublin English Division offers international students the opportunity to pursue a faster career in medicine while exploring their interests in clinical research. I have been studying in Lublin and it has been a great experience. Professors have continuously worked with students of the English division to accomplish their specific program requirements. The university and its staff have ensured their help to make our stay comfortable and problem free. In a city with an academic foundation and diversity of students, Lublin is a great cultural setting to study in.

Since the beginning of Academic Year 2009/10 it is obligatory for all students participating American program of the Medical Faculty to take and pass NBME Comprehensive Exam to be able to take USMLE exam.



Maria Curie-Skłodowska University

→ The Maria Curie-Skłodowska University (UMCS) is a state institution of higher education established in Lublin, Poland in 1944. It offers academic programmes at undergraduate, graduate and doctoral levels at ten faculties: of Chemistry, Biology and Earth Sciences, Mathematics, Physics and Computer Science, Law and Administration, The Humanities, Economics, Pedagogy and Psychology, Philosophy and Sociology, Political Science, and Arts.

UMCS also runs the Foreign Languages Teaching Centre, Academic Sports and Physical

and requirements of participants and includes supplementary trips to major Polish cities, social events and visits to museums and theatres. The Centre offers a variety of tailor-made courses for foreigners who want to improve their language skills and broaden their knowledge on the history and culture of Poland.

An important educational institution is the university's Main Library with a network of faculty libraries, as well as the British Council Library and Alliance Française UMCS branches. The University Centre for Open Courses provides a wide variety of supplementary courses. The university also has its own Botanic Gardens.

The University has 29 500 students, 839 doctoral students and over 1800 superbly educated academic staff and highly qualified specialists in many fields. The University has several branches or affiliated colleges located in other towns of the region. All this makes the Maria Curie-Skłodowska University the largest university in eastern Poland.

The Maria Curie-Skłodowska University has developed numerous contacts to further academic collaboration with other universities and colleges in the world. It is a member of international academic bodies and participant in many programmes of academic cooperation like:

Education Centre and the University's Polish Language and Culture Center for overseas students.

The standard offer of the Polish Language and Culture Centre is adjusted to diversified needs

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● BSc in Mathematics and Actuarial Mathematics

- administracja (Public Administration)
- archeologia (Archaeology)
- biologia (Biology)
- biotechnologia (Biotechnology)
- chemia (Chemistry)
- dziennikarstwo i komunikacja społeczna (Journalism and Communication and Information Sciences)
- edukacja artystyczna w zakresie sztuk plastycznych (Fine Art: Painting, Sculpture, Printmaking)
- edukacja artystyczna w zakresie sztuki muzycznej (Music and Musicology)
- ekonomia (Economics)
- Languages and Philological Sciences: filologia polska (Polish Philology), filologia angielska (English Philology), filologia niemiecka (German Philology), filologia hiszpańska (Spanish Philology), filologia francuska (French Philology), filologia włoska (Italian Philology), filologia rosyjska,

● MSc in Chemistry, specialisation: materials chemistry

- filozofia (Philosophy)
- finanse i rachunkowość (Accountancy, Financial Management)
- fizyka (Physics)
- geografia (Geography)
- grafika (Graphics)
- historia (History)
- informacja naukowa i bibliotekoznawstwo (Library Science)
- informatyka (Informatics)
- jazz i muzyka estradowa (Jazz and Popular Music)
- kulturoznawstwo (Culture Studies)
- lingwistyka stosowana (Applied Linguistics)
- logopedia z audiofonologią (Logopaedics and Audiophonology)
- malarstwo (Painting)
- matematyka (Mathematics)
- rosoznawstwo (Russian Studies), filologia ukraińska (Ukrainian Philology), slawistyka (Slavic Philology)

Fields of study in English

● MA in Graphic Art Studies

Fields of study in Polish

- ochrona środowiska (Environmental Studies)
- pedagogika (Education)
- politologia (Political Science)
- praca socjalna (Social work)
- prawo (Law)
- psychologia (Psychology)
- socjologia (Sociology)
- stosunki międzynarodowe (International Relations)
- turystyka i rekreacja (Leisure Studies and Tourism)
- zarządzanie (Management Science)
- filozoficzno-historyczny (Philosophy and History)
- międzykierunkowe indywidualne studia humanistyczne (Individual Interdisciplinary Humanistic Studies)
- indywidualne studia matematyczno-przyrodnicze (Individual Interdisciplinary Studies in Mathematics and Natural Sciences)

Facts & figures

● Established in 1944 ● 1862 academic staff ● 29 485 students (66% women) ● about 130 foreign students

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7th Framework Programme, the Lifelong Learning Programme: Erasmus, Comenius, Grundtvig, Leonardo da Vinci, Jean Monnet, Thematic Network programmes, the Baltic University Programme with European partners, and e.g. the Fulbright student and scholar exchange programme with US partners.

The University carries out regular student and faculty bilateral exchange programmes with:

- Lock Haven University of Pennsylvania, Lock Haven, Pa.,
- Edinboro University of Pennsylvania, Edinboro, Erie, Pa.,
- Urbana University, Urbana, Ohio
- University of Idaho, Moscow, Idaho.

The University's international cooperation also includes the growing numbers of overseas students and academic teaching staff studying and working in Lublin.

The University is a member of the European University Association, Copernicus Campus and other international organisations. Its professors are experts for the United Nations, the State Committee for Scientific Research, Ministry of

Education and many other Polish and international institutions. Its institutes and departments are valued highly in the ranking charts prepared by the State Committee for Scientific Research. The Maria Curie-Skłodowska University co-operates closely with the local government and business; the vice Rector for

Bruno Schivinski
Management and Sociology
student from Brazil



Calibre of education

Studying at Maria Curie-Skłodowska University (UMCS) in Lublin has been a pleasure since the very first day. The city has a unique charisma, and the campus atmosphere is indescribable. UMCS is a place not only for sciences and acquiring knowledge, but also for friendship. Also, the quality of the courses are extremely high. I had the chance to compare my studies with other universities here in Poland, Europe and even in North and South America and I am sure that I am at the right place. In a very few words, I just love this University and the people there.

Research represents the University in the Council of a Sci-Tech Park in Lublin. Through its Foundation the University offers project development services to large companies, SMEs and the local community.



University of Warmia and Mazury in Olsztyn

→ The University of Warmia and Mazury (UWM) was established on September 1st, 1999. The founding of the University in Olsztyn, a city with a 650-year history, was a dream come true for the many generations who had been trying to turn Olsztyn into a strong academic centre. The University combines a 50-year tradition of the University of Agriculture and Technology, a 30-year tradition of the Higher Teacher Education School and a 450-year tradition of theological education in Warmia. The University community has excellent models to follow:

the botanist Andrzej Helwing, the mathematician and astronomer Friedrich Bessel and Emil Boehring, a Nobel Prize laureate in medicine.

The University is an autonomous institution of higher education and employs over 2 950 persons, including 1900 academic teachers, of which 500 hold the title of professor and 250 – the postdoctoral degree (doctor habilitated). 154 faculties provide education to almost 40 000 students. More than 6000 students graduate from University every year. Out of 15 Faculties, 11 enjoy full academic rights, which means that they are authorized to grant postdoctoral (doctor habilitated) and doctoral degrees. 12 Faculty Councils are entitled to confer the doctoral degree in 17 disciplines.

The students are offered the possibility to acquire extensive knowledge in the following fields: Liberal Arts, Pedagogy, Theology, Law, Veterinary Medicine, Agriculture, Technology, Biology, Economy and Mathematics. They can choose from among 39 or 31 majors in the system of full-time and part-time studies respectively. More than 4 000 full-time students and 2 500 part-time students graduate from the University each year.

Nicolas Copernicus with his groundbreaking achievements in astronomy and economy, the philosophers Johann Herder and Immanuel Kant,

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● MSc Aquaculture and
Aquariology
● MSc Environmental Protection

● administracja (Administration)
● architektura krajobrazu (Landscape
Architecture) ● biologia (Biology)
● biotechnologia (Biotechnology)
● budownictwo (Civil Engineering)
● dziennikarstwo i komunikacja spo-
łeczna (Journalism and Social
Communication) ● edukacja artystyczna
w zakresie sztuk plastycznych (Edu-
cation in the Field of Fine Arts) ● edu-
kacja artystyczna w zakresie sztuki
muzycznej (Education in the Field of
Musical Art) ● edukacja techniczno-
informatyczna (Technical and IT
Education) ● ekonomia (Economics)
● energetyka (Power Engineering)
● filologia (Philology: English Studies,
German Studies, Russian Studies,
Ukraine Studies) ● filologia polska
(Polish Philology) ● filozofia (Philoso-

● MSc Geodesy and Satellite
Navigation
● MA Political Sciences and
International Relations

phy) ● fizyka techniczna (Technical
Physics) ● geodezja i kartografia (Geo-
desy and Cartography) ● gospodarka
przestrzenna (Spatial Economics) ● hi-
storia (History) ● informatyka (Compu-
ter Science) ● inżynieria bezpieczeń-
stwa (Safety Engineering) ● inżynieria
chemiczna i procesowa (Chemical
and Process Engineering) ● inżynieria
środowiska (Environmental Engine-
ering) ● kierunek lekarski (Medicine)
● makrokierunki (Interdisciplinary
Studies): akwakultura i bezpieczeń-
stwo żywności (Aquaculture As Well
As Food Safety) bioinżynieria (Food
Production Bioengineering) ● matema-
tyka (Mathematics) ● mechanika
i budowa maszyn (Mechanical Engine-
ering and Machine Building)
● mechatronika (Mechatronics)

Fields of study in English

● BA Political Sciences and
International Relations

Fields of study in Polish

● nauki o rodzinie (Studies of the
Family) ● ochrona środowiska
(Environmental Protection) ● ogrod-
nictwo (Horticulture) ● pedagogika
(Pedagogy) ● pedagogika specjalna
(Special Education) ● pielęgniarstwo
(Nursing) ● politologia (Political Scien-
ce) ● prawo (Law) ● rolnictwo (Agriculture)
● rybactwo (Fishing) ● socjologia
(Sociology) ● stosunki międzyna-
rodowe (International Relations)
● technika rolnicza i leśna (Agricultural
and Forestry Technology) ● technologia
żywności i żywienie człowieka
(Food Technology and Nutrition)
● teologia (Theology) ● towaroznaw-
stwo (Commodities Science) ● wetery-
naria (Veterinary Medicine) ● zarzą-
danie (Management) ● zootechnika
(Animal Husbandry)

Facts & figures

● Established in 1999 ● 1897 academic staff members ● 43 000 students (60% women) ● 140 foreign students

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Most of the research and teaching facilities as well as student dormitories are located in the district of Olsztyn-Kortowo, which forms a university campus. The Kortowo campus has a highly developed infrastructure, including modern laboratories, lecture halls, research and recreation facilities and a housing estate – managed by the Student Aid Foundation “ŻAK”. The campus is one of the most beautifully located academic centers in Poland.

Every international student has an opportunity to attend to the Polish Language Course. You can learn basic grammar rules and useful words necessary in everyday conversation. This course is free of charge and for voluntary. Polish Language Course is divided into two groups: advanced course and elementary course. Both courses is going to start during first week of semester.

Although its main role is to provide education, the University of Warmia and Mazury is also a cultural and sports center. The most popular activities are: the Professor Wiktor

Wawrzyczek Choir, the Folk Dance Group “Kortowo”, the Student Theater “CEZAR”, the Scuba Diving Club “Skorpena”, and the Student Photographic Agency “Jamnik”. Our students are also successful sportsmen. The men’s volleyball team AZS is currently the vice-champion of Poland. Our students have also won gold, silver and bronze medals in taekwondo, yachting and

Mikołaj Waszczenko
Law student from Ukraine



I may choose

In a few months I will graduate at the Law Faculty UWM. After that I may go back to Ukraine and work at the university there or I may stay and work in Poland. There is a strong arguments for the latter: my girlfriend is Polish and besides, I really like Olsztyn – nice and quiet city.

athletics in the Polish championships. The students of the University of Warmia and Mazury in Olsztyn entered the 21st century with the necessary knowledge and qualifications, ready to attain the most ambitious goals and to realize their dreams.



University of Lodz

→ The University of Lodz was founded in 1945 as a continuation of tradition of city's educational institutions active in earlier periods. The city of Lodz is located in the centre of Poland at a crossing point of many important European routes. At its beginning Lodz was inhabited by four nationalities – Polish, Jewish, German and Russian – this fact contributed to Lodz's rich and diverse cultural past.

Today the University of Lodz is highly respected and one of the biggest and most popular Polish universities. The University treats international cooperation as a way to foster its development.

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It is possible to study at the University of Lodz within 45 major and 188 specializations at 12 faculties. More over, UL offers doctoral studies, more than 90 postgraduate studies including MBA studies and those financed by EFS. Nine

programmes though entirely in English have been introduced, such as: administration, computer science, development economics, ecohydrology, English philology, informatics and econometrics, international marketing, management and women's and gender studies as well as three programmes in French and one in German.

The University employs more than 3800 people, among which 2252 are the academic teachers, including 217 full professors. More than 41 000 students of first and second level degree studies, doctoral and postgraduate studies attends UL. The university regularly hosts politicians, businessmen and representatives of culture from Poland and abroad as a guest speaker lecturers.

As a result of cooperation with number of foreign universities, such as: Université Jean Moulin Lyon 3, Université François – Rabelais (Tours), University of Texas at Austin, Westfälische Wilhelms – Universität Münster, University of Michigan, University of Baltimore, the R. H. Smith School of Business, University of Maryland and the Towson University students of UL can graduate with dual diplomas.

International relations of UL are visible in various areas. It takes part in such projects as

- MA Administration
- BA Computer Science
- MA Computer Science
- BA Informatics and Econometrics
- MA Informatics and Econometrics
- BA Development Economics
- MA Development Economics
- BA Management – specialization: business management

- BA English Philology
- MA English Philology
- MA Ecohydrology (also available within Erasmus Mundus Programme)
- MA International Marketing Management
- MA International Relations – specialization: American studies and mass media

Fields of study in English

- MA Women's and Gender Studies (also available within Erasmus Mundus Programme – GEMMA)
- The Executive MBA Programme in Business Management – postgraduate studies
- International Marketing Management – postgraduate studies

Fields of study in Polish

- biologia (Biology)
- ochrona środowiska (Environmental Protection)
- biotechnologia (Biotechnology)
- mikrobiologia (Microbiology)
- ekonomia (Economy)
- finanse i rachunkowość (Finance and Accounting)
- socjologia (Sociology)
- europeistyka (European Studies)
- informatyka i ekonometria (Informatics and Econometrics)
- międzynarodowe stosunki gospodarcze (International Economic Relations)
- logistyka (Logistics)
- pedagogika społeczna (Social Care)
- filologie (Philology)
- kulturoznawstwo (Culture Studies)
- filologia polska (Polish Philology)
- bibliotekoznawstwo (Librarianship)
- dziennikarstwo i komunikacja społeczna (Journalism and Mass Communication)
- archeologia (Archeology)
- etnologia (Ethnology)
- filozofia (Philosophy)
- historia (History)
- historia sztuki (History of Art)
- fizyka (Physics)
- informatyka (Computer Science)
- chemia (Chemistry)
- matematyka (Mathematics)
- geografia (Geography)
- turystyka i rekreacja (Tourism and Recreation)
- gospodarka przestrzenna (Spatial Economy)
- pedagogika (Pedagogy)
- psychologia (Psychology)
- prawo (Law)
- administracja (Administration)
- polityka społeczna (Social Politics)
- stosunki międzynarodowe (International Relations)
- zarządzanie (Management)
- leśnictwo (Forestry)

Facts & figures

- Founded in 1945
- 2 252 academic staff
- 41 000 students (67% women)
- 270 foreign students

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Lifelong Learning Programme (Comenius, Leonardo da Vinci, Erasmus, Grundtvig), Jean Monnet, Erasmus Mundus, Campus Europae and Baltic University Programme. Currently, University of Lodz cooperates with 230 partner Universities all over the world. Within the Erasmus scholarship exchange programme UL has signed approximately 390 agreements. As a result each year UL receives more than 110 foreign students and sends 490 Polish students abroad.

The University of Lodz is proud of its new research centers, such as the Center for European Studies, Center for Translation Studies, Center for Women's Studies, Regional Centre for Patent Information and many others.

Since 1952 more than 15 000 foreign students have graduated from the Poland's oldest School of Polish Language for Foreigners. The school runs one, five and nine months courses preparing students to study in Polish language in such fields as humanities, medical, technical sciences, economics, agriculture and postgraduate PhD studies. School graduates very often choose to study at the University of Lodz.

The University's campus is located in a beautiful green area only 15 minutes walking distance from the city centre. Campus offers housing in 9 dormitories with modernly equipped rooms, access to fully equipped Centre of Physical Education and Sports (with swimming pool, sport halls, gym and BIO Regeneration Room), canteens and clubs. The University's Library is one of the largest and most modern libraries in Poland. At present its total collection contains about 3 millions volumes.

Hang Yu
student from China



A great adventure!

Studying at the University of Lodz is an opportunity to meet people representing variety of cultures from all over the World. The University of Lodz gives me a chance to get education on high quality level with lower costs of studying in comparison with the U.S. or U.K. The city of Lodz is a typical "academic city" where I found great living environment. You can't get bored here or feel lonely especially at the weekends when many different events take place in the city during which people can know each other better.

To find out more about University of Lodz visit its profile at Facebook, Twitter, Flickr and Youtube.



University of Silesia in Katowice

➔ **History.** The University of Silesia was founded on 8th June 1968 as the 9th university in Poland.

Today the University which is located in the 5 cities of the region: Katowice, Sosnowiec, Chorzów, Cieszyn, and Rybnik, is one of the most prestigious universities in Upper Silesia and one of the biggest public universities in Poland.

The University of Silesia collaborates with over 300 universities from all over the world exchanging students and academic staff and conducting joint educational and research projects. It is a member of numerous international

Programmes or the European Science Foundation's Programmes.

Education. The University of Silesia offers a wide range of programmes in 4 educational areas: Art, Humanities, Science and Social Sciences. At 12 faculties and several independent, interdisciplinary units students may find 42 programmes and 100 specializations approved by the Ministry of Education whose quality is continuously being evaluated by the State Accreditation Committee.

Students are educated at three educational levels: Bachelor, Master and Doctoral. Graduates who would like to develop their qualifications may choose from over 70 postgraduate studies.

Students' facilities. The infrastructure of the university provides excellent conditions for study and leisure. Students are offered accommodation in several university students' hostels located in the several cities of the region: Katowice, Sosnowiec, and Cieszyn. The university campus also includes canteens and students clubs. There are a large number of libraries accessible to the students. The oldest and the biggest library in the region of Upper Silesia, the Silesian Library, has over 1 800 000 printed, cartographic,

associations i.e. European Physics Education Network, European Law Faculties Association, etc. It actively participates in European Commission initiatives like the Lifelong Learning Programme, 5th, 6th and 7th Framework

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Facts & figures

● Established in 1968 ● 1915 academic staff ● 37 357 students (67% women) ● 74 foreign students

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iconographic and audio-visual volumes. In the nearest future Silesian students will be able to use the Scientific Information Centre and Academic Library which is a joint project of the University of Silesia and the Karol Adamiecki University of Economics in Katowice. Students interested in sport can join the Academic Sports Association, which offers about 32 sports including: judo, yoga, ju-jitsu, karate, bridge, chess, skiing, horse riding, volleyball, basketball, and many others.

Support services. Students are supported by Student Affairs Office, Careers Office and Student Government. Thanks to those units students have a possibility to join students associations, participate in the meetings with employers and get detailed information about studies, accommodation, Deans' offices, financial support and cultural or sport events.

International students get special back up from the Department of International Relations and Projects.

Polish language courses. The School of Polish Language and Culture is a specialized unit of the University of Silesia which offers an assortment of courses designed to improve Polish language skills and provide knowledge about Polish culture. The educational offer of the School includes monthly, semester-long and year-long courses

**Antoine Laveine
Environmental
chemistry
student from France**



Equipment and integration

The Upper Silesia is a very interesting region for me because here are many industrial companies where I can use my abilities and improve my skills. I am studying materials engineering. One of my priorities while I was choosing the university were the conditions and I found out that the University of Silesia is well equipped. Thanks to the course of Polish language organized by School of Polish Language and Culture you can find out about the language and culture and you can integrate with other students.

which can be easily matched up to the level of personal linguistic advance. Foreigners who are interested in taking up studies in Polish can join a Polish Language Course for Foreigners Planning to Study in Poland. (www.sjikip.us.edu.pl)



Poznan University of Medical Science

➔ **General information.** Poznan University of Medical Sciences (PUMS) is one of the best and largest medical universities in Poland with 90 years of academic experience and with great potential for development. Our University is a leading medical school in Poland. It is a major educational, research and clinical center. Clinical teaching and research are mainly based on cooperation with 6 clinical hospitals. Altogether, there are more than 9200 students studying currently at the University, among which there are 989 students of the English Language Programs.

- 5-year Pharmacy Program – since 2004, replaced in 2009 by the 6-year Pharm. D. Program
- 3-year BSc Physiotherapy Program – since 2009.

The admission is operated through four admission offices located in: the USA, Norway, Taiwan and Israel.

University staff. The total number of academic teachers employed in Medical Faculties I and II which conduct medical studies in Polish and English language amounts to 750. There are among them: 104 professors, 115 assistant professors, 139 adjuncts, 181 assistants with PhD degree, 117 assistants without PhD degree, 83 senior lecturers, 10 lecturers and 1 instructor. Most of them (565 persons) are medical doctors, 94 persons represent sciences, 91 are dentists. They have scientific degrees of philosophy doctor, doctor habilitatus or scientific titles of professor in medicine or dentistry.

International cooperation. The University continuously seeks to develop learning process and teaching techniques. Therefore, it broadens the cooperation with foreign institutions and universities in terms of joint research, joint participation in international programs and research projects as well as in joint publications

Admissions. As far as Programs in the English language are concerned, the University admits students to the following Programs: • 4-year MD Program – since 1993; • 6-year MD Program – since 1995; • 5-year DDS Program – since 2001;

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- BSc Physiotherapy Programme
- 4-year MD Programme
- 6-year MD Programme
- 5-year DDS Programme

Fields of study in English

- PharmD Programme

Fields of study in Polish

- zdrowie publiczne o specjalnościach: zarządzanie w opiece zdrowotnej, promocja zdrowia, komunikacja społeczna, ratownictwo medyczne, pedagogika zdrowia, elektroradiologia (Public Health with specialisations in Health Care Management, Health Promotion, Social Communication, Emergency Medical Care, Health Pedagogics, Electroradiology)

- kierunek lekarski (Medicine)
- kierunek lekarsko-dentystyczny (Dentistry)
- techniki dentystyczne (Dental Laboratory Technology)
- zdrowie publiczne ze specjalnością higiena dentystyczna (Public Health with specialisation in Dental Hygiene)
- dietetyka (Dietetics)
- biotechnologia ze specjalnością biotechnologia medyczna (Biotechnology with specialisation in Medical Biotechnology)
- farmacja (Pharmacy)
- analityka medyczna (Laboratory Medicine)
- kosmetologia (Cosmetology)
- pielęgniarstwo (Nursing)
- położnictwo (Midwifery)
- fizjoterapia (Physiotherapy)
- ratownictwo medyczne (Emergency Medical Care)

Facts & figures

• Established in 1919 • 1186 academic staff members • 9200 students (77% women) • 989 foreign students

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and scientific conferences, exchange of students and teachers. PUMS cooperates with many foreign institutions from the whole world, including Universities in Rennes and Nancy (France), Berlin, Halle, Kiel, Nürnberg, Mainz, Munchen Regensburg (Germany), Linkoping (Sweden), Oslo University College and Agder University College (Norway), Perugia (Italy), University of Illinois in Chicago, Indiana University in Bloomington, Widener University, Chester Pennsylvania and University of Pennsylvania (USA), The University of Edinburgh (United Kingdom).

Competency based curriculum. Poznan University of Medical Sciences began the careful planning of an exciting new medical curriculum. In this curriculum, students are given specific subject matter and clinical objectives and outcomes by the faculty. Consequently, expectations and evaluations for students both in the basic sciences and in the clinics are made very clear. In addition, students will be instructed in communication skills, professionalism, interpretation and use of the scientific literature, diagnostic and treatment skills, rapport building with patients, sensitivity to moral, ethical, cultural, and social issues and life-long learning skills. Students will also receive training in problem based learning through extensive use of clinical vignettes in their basic sciences. The implementation of this curriculum, to be put into place in the near future, will make our Medical School a unique institution for students looking for a strong academic program where academic and clinical expectations are clearly defined.

Accreditation. English programs are accredited, among other institutions, by the US Department of Education, Educational Commission on Foreign Medical Graduates (ECFMG), National Board of Medical Examiners, loan institutions in the USA, Canada and Scandinavia. In 2008 our University was granted accreditation by the Medical Board of California.

Graduates around the world. Many University staff members serve on the boards of professional and scientific associations and are invited to act as advisers by the WHO and IAEA. MD and PhD degrees awarded at the University enjoy wide international recognition. At present more than 1200 graduates of the University practice or research abroad. Many of them are outstanding clinical specialists and heads of hospital

Yi Jiang, student from Dominican Republic



Why PUMS? Great Experience!!!

I'm glad to be in Poznan, even though I actually didn't think of coming to Poland in the first place. The atmosphere of college town of Poznan is perfect for a medical student. I have wonderful classmates from all over the world, and there is so much to learn from the professors! Even though my Polish is very weak, there is always someone willing to help making it much easier to live here, especially when there is so much cultural difference.

departments in Europe, North America, South Africa and elsewhere. Last year a team led by dr Maria Siemionow, a graduate and professor of surgery of Poznan University of Medical Sciences, performed a landmark face transplant in Cleveland Clinic, USA.



University of Wrocław

➔ **History.** The University of Wrocław is the second oldest university in Poland, with a history of more than three centuries. Founded by Leopold I Habsburg the university evolved from a modest school run by Jesuits into one of the biggest academic institutions in Poland.

After World War II a group of Polish professors, formerly from Lvov (now in Ukraine), started teaching and research activities at the University of Wrocław.

Since the beginning of the 20th century, the University of Wrocław has produced 9 Nobel Prize winners: Theodore Mommsen, Phillip

students and around 1300 doctoral students at 10 Faculties. 9000 students graduate from the University every year.

The first and foremost focus of the University of Wrocław is research. Students have numerous links with their fellow researchers from other higher education institutions in Poland and throughout the world. The success of our researchers has been recently recognized by the Polish authorities, who have significantly increased funding for both equipment and research at our University by 80% compared to previous year. The University motivates young people to be come involved in research by providing excellent mentoring programmes, good facilities and scholarship programmes for students requiring financial assistance.

Educational offer. The University offers a broad range of courses taught in Polish and English in over 70 areas of study offered by 10 Faculties: philology, history and pedagogy, social sciences, law, administration and economics, mathematics and computer science, chemistry, physics and astronomy, biotechnology, biological sciences, and earth science and environmental al management. All courses have three stages, according to the EU-wide Bologna process: a

Lenard, Eduard Buchner, Paul Ehrlich, Fritz Haber, Friedrich Bergius, Erwin Schrödinger, Otto Stern and Max Born.

Today the University of Wrocław is the largest university in the region and teaches over 38 000

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- BA in English Philology
- BSc in Computer Science
- MA in English Philology
- MA in Classics
- MSc in Experimental Physics
- MSc in Theoretical Physics
- MSc in Computer Physics

- MSc in Biotechnology
- MSc in Chemistry
- MSc in Computer Science
- MSc in Mathematics
- MA in Tourism
- MA in Geography and Environmental Management

Fields of study in English

- MA in Geology and Environmental Geosciences
- MA in Managerial Economics
- MA in International Relations
- MA in Political Science

Fields of study in Polish

- administracja (Administrative Sciences)
- antropologia (Anthropology)
- archeologia (Archeology)
- astronomia (Astronomy)
- biologia (Biology)
- biotechnologia (Biotechnology)
- chemia (Chemistry)
- dziennikarstwo i komunikacja społeczna (Journalism and Social Communication)
- ekonomia (Economics)
- etnologia (Ethnology)
- europeistyka (European studies)
- filologia polska (Polish Philology)
- filologia: angielska, germańska, klasyczna, klasyczna i kultura śródziemnomorska,

- niderlandzka, francuska, hiszpańska, słowiańska (Philology: English Philology, German Philology, Classical Philology, Classical Philology and Ancient Culture, Dutch Philology, French Philology, Spanish Philology, Slavic Philology)
- filozofia (Philosophy)
- fizyka (Physics)
- fizyka techniczna (Technical Physics)
- geografia (Geography)
- geografia z biologią (Geography with Biology)
- geografia z historią (Geography with History)
- geologia (Geology)
- historia (History)
- historia sztuki (History of

- Art) ● informacja naukowa i bibliotekoznawstwo (Information and Library Science)
- informatyka (Computer Science)
- kulturoznawstwo (Cultural Studies)
- matematyka (Mathematics)
- muzykologia (Musicology)
- ochrona środowiska (Environmental Protection)
- pedagogika (Pedagogy)
- politologia (Political Sciences)
- prawo (Law)
- psychologia (Psychology)
- socjologia (Sociology)
- stosunki międzynarodowe (International Relations)
- zoologia (Zoology)

Facts & figures

- Established in 1702
- 3414 academic staff members
- 38 000 students
- 400 international students

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three-year Bachelor program, a two-year Master program and an optional 4-year doctoral program. There is also a wide range of continuing education programs.

Assessment system. As in most countries, in Poland the national quality assessment system is part of a national strategy for improving the quality of education. Every four years the Ministry of Education evaluates Faculties of all Polish universities. In 2008 9 out of 10 of our Faculties qualified in the highest category and one was in the second highest category.

International university. University of Wrocław is an international university. It is not only because of a large number of foreign students coming to us – around 400 a year, but also because lots of our students – around 800 a year – go to European universities and to universities outside Europe. We have Partnership Agreements with about 600 universities and scientific institutions in Europe, Asia and USA. We collaborate with excellent universities with high positions in international rankings. Our university

takes part in following programs: LLP Erasmus, Leonardo da Vinci and ISEP (International Students Exchange Programme). University of Wrocław is a partner in two European programs of master's studies in English, as a part of Erasmus Mundus: Master in Global Studies and Master in MONABIPHOT (Molecular nano- and biophotonics for telecommunications and biotechnologies).

Jayaraj Manepalli student from India



Genuine warmth

When I first arrived in Wrocław, I was touched by the people's hospitality – everyone at the University went overboard to help us settle down. It was a relief to find that a comfortable number of young people speak English. The presence of so many students in the city makes you feel at home. The whole experience has been enriching and exciting for me as I understood the culture and lifestyle better, discovered a genuine warmth and friendliness in the Polish people who appear to be similar in many ways to people back home.

The Academic Business Incubator assists students and faculty members in starting their own businesses by providing advice, organizing conferences and seminars, subsidizing selected investments and offering office space.



University of Agriculture in Krakow

➔ **Education.** One of the oldest Polish universities, the University of Agriculture in Krakow is continuing agricultural studies first initiated at the Jagiellonian University in 1890. Since 1953 the University has been operating as an independent institution. At present the University of Agriculture has 7 faculties and two Interfaculty Studies: Biotechnology and Landscape Architecture, it provides education for over 12 700 students in 18 main fields and 38 specializations, including Agroecology taught in English. Following Bologna Process the University offers three-degree studies (BA, BSc, MA, MSc. and

The University conducts a wide student exchange with other universities of agriculture and life sciences in Poland within the frame of MOSTAR programme which has been created specifically for this purpose. Students, keen on extending their professional knowledge and learning research skills are actively involved in 12 student scientific organizations, participating in conferences held specially to allow for the wide presentation of their research results. Increasing number of students and teachers travel abroad to study or teach lectures within LLP-ERASMUS or exchange experiences within the frame of Leonardo da Vinci programme. Currently we exchange students with over 40 universities in the EU. In the frame of CEEPUS programme our students can travel for study periods to Austria, Albania, Czech Republic, Hungary, Slovakia, Slovenia and Romania. Moreover, the university exchanges students and teachers on the basis of bilateral agreements with universities in the Ukraine and in the United States. The university regularly hosts lectures presented by guest speakers from foreign scientific institutions.

Student facilities. The University has 3 campuses and 8 main didactic facilities with

PhD), as well 33 other post-graduate programmes for Master Diploma holders. The Quality Assurance System ensures high standard of teaching. Most of the 18 main fields of studies have obtained accreditation of the State Accreditation Commission.

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● Msc – specialization: agroecology

- rolnictwo (Agriculture)
- ochrona środowiska (Environmental Protection)
- zarządzanie (Management)
- ekonomia (Economics)
- zootechnika (Animal Husbandry)
- rybactwo (Fishery Studies)
- biologia (Biology)
- inżynieria środowiska (Environmental Engineering)

● Msc – Animal Breeding and Live Stock Production

- geodezja i kartografia (Geodesy, Surveying and Cartography)
- gospodarka przestrzenna (Spatial Management)
- leśnictwo (Forestry)
- ogrodnictwo (Horticulture)
- technika rolnicza i leśna (Agriculture and Forestry Engineering)

Fields of study in English

Fields of study in Polish

- zarządzanie i inżynieria produkcji (Management and Production Engineering)
- technologia żywności i żywienie człowieka (Food Technology and Human Nutrition)
- towaroznawstwo (Commodity Science)
- biotechnologia (Biotechnology)
- architektura krajobrazu (Landscape Architecture)

Facts & figures

● Established in 1953 ● 742 academic staff ● 12 615 students (65% women)

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modern, well equipped laboratories, lecture halls and seminar rooms; 4 dormitories provide accommodation for c.a. 2000 people, there are 3 main canteens and fast food bars in all teaching facilities. The students have their student culture club, sports club, folk dance ensemble, University choir, cabaret, amateur theatre and vocal group. Didactic facilities are adapted for the disabled.

Research. Currently the University employs 741 academic staff members. The main research areas comprise: ● Multifunctional rural development ● Sustainable agriculture ● Environmental protection ● Farm animal breeding and husbandry, animal welfare ● Environmental engineering ● Modern methods of forest monitoring and protection, forest climatology ● Biological and ecological research on pathogens and plant pests ● Biotechnology in crop breeding; application of biotechnology in genetic research; agroecology ● Ecoenergetics ● Production of healthy and safe food.

International Cooperation. Since 1990 the University has actively participated in the EU educational programmes (Tempus, CEEPUS, Erasmus, Leonardo da Vinci, Jean Monnet) and research projects within the 5th and 6th Framework Programme and INTERREG. Currently the University scientists are also realizing projects co-financed from Norwegian Fund and Swiss funds, as well as various activities financed from the EU structural funds.

Academic staff members take part in COST actions and conduct joint research on the

basis of 34 bilateral agreements signed with partner institutions in Europe, United States and Asia.

The University is a member of University Network of European Capitals of Culture (UNeECC) – an organization promoting the cities – European Capitals of Culture. In 2008 it joined the European University Association (EUA), which provides opportunity for developing cooperation with foreign universities.

Four international conferences are organized regularly and several international scientific events take place at the University each year.

Annually about 450 University researchers participate in international conferences and symposia worldwide.

**Pol Laviolette
student from Belgium**



Continue studies in Krakow

I had heard so many positive things about Krakow that I didn't hesitate choosing the destination for my training. The training came up to my expectations. I learnt so many things with impressive scientists, who helped me a lot to prepare and present my final paper providing. Parallel to this training, my residence in Cracow was a real pleasure, I had a lot of fun. For all these positive points, I wish with all my heart to continue my studies at the University with the object to obtain a master degree.

Every year the University hosts about 200 people who come to study, for training or for consultations.



The University of Warsaw

→ **The University of Warsaw (UW)**, founded in 1816, is the top higher education institution in Poland offering over 80 fields of studies and specializations within the humanities, exact and natural sciences. In 2010 the UW celebrates the 200th anniversary of the birth of Fryderyk Chopin, a great composer who was a student at the Royal University of Warsaw in the years 1826–1829.

Why is it worth studying at the University of Warsaw? The interest in studies at the University of Warsaw is determined not only by the

mention the last landmark discovery of the earliest tetrapod tracks that changes our understanding of the origins of tetrapods – human distant ancestors. The UW scholars regularly receive awards and win competitions for research grants and the UW students are well-educated and very competitive, winning many contests and championships.

The UW infrastructure is constantly improved and developed. Renovated and expanding university buildings provide convenient environment to study. Scientific and vocational development of the UW students is supported by appropriate offices, organizations, and cooperation with numerous institutions and companies that increases opportunities of graduates at the labour market.

International cooperation. Firm cooperation with most of the renowned foreign educational institutions strengthens international position of the University of Warsaw. In 2009 over 170 universities from 51 countries of the world cooperated with UW through bilateral agreements and over 350 were partners within the European Union's Erasmus programme. Over 4700 young people from different countries from all over the world have selected the University of Warsaw – the most internationalized Polish university – as the place to pursue their education.

University's prestige resulting from high quality of education offered to young people but also modern programs of studies adapted to the needs of the changing world as well as scientific researches conducted at the University, the results of which are highly valued in the world. It's adequate just to

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Fields of study in English

Degree programmes:

- MA International Economics
- MA International Business Program
- MA Studies in Political Science
- MA Development Economics
- Graduate MA Program in International Relations

- MA Quantitative Finance
- BA Philosophy Studies in English
- MA Philosophy of Being, Cognition and Value Studies in English
- MA Psychology Studies in English
- MA American Studies

Non-degree programmes:

- Executive MBA
- International MBA Programme

Fields of study in Polish

- administracja (Administration)
- archeologia (Archaeology)
- astronomia (Astronomy)
- bezpieczeństwo wewnętrzne (Internal Security)
- bioinformatyka i biologia systemów (Bioinformatics)
- biologia (Biology)
- biotechnologia (Biotechnology)
- fizyka (Physics)
- chemia (Chemistry)
- dziennikarstwo i komunikacja społeczna (Journalism and Mass Communication)
- ekonomia (Economics)
- etnologia (Ethnology)
- europeistyka (European studies)
- filologia (Philology)
- filologia polska (Polish Philology)
- filozofia (Philosophy)
- finanse i rachunkowość (Finance and Accounting)
- geografia (Geography)
- geologia (Geology)
- gospodarka przestrzenna (Spatial Economics)
- historia (History)
- historia sztuki (History of Art)
- informacja naukowa i bibliotekoznawstwo (Scientific Information and Book Studies)
- informatyka (Informatics)
- informatyka i ekonometria (Informatics and Econometrics)
- kulturoznawstwo (Cultural Studies)
- matematyka (Mathematics)
- muzykologia (Musicology)
- ochrona środowiska (Environmental Protection)
- orientalistyka (Oriental Studies)
- pedagogika (Education)
- politologia (Political Science)
- polityka społeczna (Social Policy)
- praca socjalna (Social Work)
- prawo (Law)
- profilaktyka społeczna i resocjalizacja (Social Prevention)
- psychologia (Psychology)
- socjologia (Sociology)
- stosunki międzynarodowe (International Relations)
- wiedza o kulturze (Cultural Studies)
- zarządzanie (Management)

Facts & figures

- Established in 1816
- 3200 academic staff
- 66 000 students (65% women)
- 4700 foreign students

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A bagful of Nobels.

2007 **Leonid Hurwicz** – Nobel Prize in Economics. This Russian-born American researcher of Polish ancestry graduated in law from the University of Warsaw in 1938.

1995 **Joseph Rotblat** – Nobel Peace Prize in recognition for his efforts to reduce the role played by nuclear arms in international politics and to eliminate such arms in the longer run. Rotblat studied at the UW's Department of Mathematics and Natural Sciences and obtained a PhD in physics in 1938. In 1932-1934, he also attended lectures at the UW's Department of Humanities.

1980 **Czesław Miłosz** – Nobel Prize in Literature. One of the most outstanding Polish poets and writers, Miłosz studied at the UW's Department of Law for a year in 1932. During World War II, he worked as a janitor at the Warsaw University Library.

1978 **Menachem Begin** – Nobel Peace Prize. He received it jointly with Egyptian President

Anwar Sadat for their political efforts for peace in the Middle East. Begin studied at the UW's Department of Law in 1931-1935 where he obtained a master's degree.

1905 **Henryk Sienkiewicz** – Nobel Prize in Literature. Sienkiewicz enrolled at the UW's

Adeniyi Benjamin Illedewa
 Faculty of Economic Sciences and Faculty of Management
 student from Nigeria



Home for international students

Since being very young I have dreamed of coming to abroad to pursue my education. I chose University of Warsaw because it has good reputation. It is one of the leading Universities for its quality of education, as well as world class facilities with affordability of fees. Warsaw is simply a home for international students like me. I must confess that, when I sit sometimes and remember this enjoyment and fantastic trip, it dawn on me that it is an experience. I would love to have again.

Department of Law in 1866, but then he changed his major twice. First he moved to the UW's Department of Medicine, and then to the UW's Department of Philology, where he completed his studies without a degree in 1871.