

Subject card

Subject name and code	Introduction to Sociology - wykład, PG_00167905						
Field of study	Criminology						
Date of commencement of studies	October 2025		Academic year of realisation of subject		2025/2026		
Education level	Bachelor's studies		Subject group		Optional subject group		
Mode of study	part-time studies		Mode of delivery		at the university		
Year of study	1		Language of instruction		Polish		
Semester of study	1		ECTS credits		3.0		
Learning profile	academic		Assessment form		credit		
Conducting unit	Faculty of Law and Administration -> Rector						
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor		dr hab. Jarosław Załęcki, prof. UG				
	Teachers		dr hab. Jarosław Załęcki, prof. UG				
Lesson types	Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Project	Seminar	SUM
	Number of study hours	15.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	15
	E-learning hours included: 0.0						
Learning activity and number of study hours	Learning activity	Participation in didactic classes included in study plan		Participation in consultation hours		Self-study	SUM
	Number of study hours	15		0.0		60.0	75
Subject objectives	The aim of teaching the subject is to familiarise students with elements of the basics of sociology such as: the theory of social personality, attitudes, social stratification, conflict. Students will become acquainted with the issues of culture, social development, the theory of collectivities and social groups. The lecture will equip students with the basics of sociological thinking.						
Learning outcomes	Course outcome		Subject outcome		Method of verification		
Subject contents	Sociology as a scientific discipline - origins, subject matter, research methods						
	Theory of social personality - self, personal patterns, social roles, attitudes, stereotypes						
	Social collectivities: social circle, group, congregation, public, crowd						
	Social stratification (stratification)						
	Social conflicts - types of conflicts, course of conflicts, ways of solving them, social effects						
	Sociotechnics and methods of influencing social attitudes						
	Culture - the sociological approach						
	Social control - theories of deviance / sources of crime						
Prerequisites and co-requisites	no entry requirements						
Assessment methods and criteria	Subject passing criteria		Passing threshold		Percentage of the final grade		
	zaliczenie pisemne / test		51.0%		100.0%		
Recommended reading	Basic literature		A. Giddens. Socjologia. Warszawa 2006				

	Supplementary literature	P. Sztompka. Socjologia. Analiza społeczeństwa. Kraków 2002 B. Szacka. Wprowadzenie do socjologii. Warszawa 2003 r. N. Goodman. Wstęp do socjologii. Warszawa 1997 B. Cialdini. Wywieranie wpływu na ludzi. Teoria i praktyka. Gdańsk 2001 E. Aronson. Psychologia społeczna. Serce i umysł. Warszawa 1997
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Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed	Which research method is used to diagnose and analyse the structure of a small social group? 1. participatory observation 2. sociometry 3. field experiment 4. focus interview (facus)	
Work placement	Not applicable	

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