

Subject card

Subject name and code	GIS and Remote Sensing I - laboratories, PG_00120426						
Field of study	Geography						
Date of commencement of studies	October 2025		Academic year of realisation of subject		2025/2026		
Education level	Bachelor's studies		Subject group		Obligatory subject group in the field of study Subject group related to scientific research in the field of study		
Mode of study	full-time studies		Mode of delivery		at the university		
Year of study	1		Language of instruction		Polish		
Semester of study	2		ECTS credits		1.0		
Learning profile	academic		Assessment form				
Conducting unit	Geographic Information System (GIS) Laboratory -> Faculty of Oceanography and Geography -> Rector						
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor		mgr Zbigniew Trusewicz				
	Teachers						
Lesson types	Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Project	Seminar	SUM
	Number of study hours	0.0	0.0	15.0	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		5.0		10.0	30
Subject objectives	- Familiarization with the capabilities and practical applications of GIS - Learning the principles of cartographic image composition - Understanding selected methods of graphic analysis - Ability to analyze geographic data using GIS - Presentation of results, map composition, and printing - Proficiency in GIS software (ArcGIS/ArcGIS Pro or QGIS) at basic and intermediate levels - Knowledge of analytical methods in processing aerial and satellite images - Basic skills in remote sensing of the geographic environment - Ability to conduct remote sensing analysis using ArcGIS/SNAP/QGIS						

Learning outcomes	Course outcome	Subject outcome	Method of verification
	[GEOGRL3-U05] find and select the necessary information from professional literature and other sources, including electronic sources	The student is capable of locating and selecting necessary spatial data information from specialized literature and other sources, including electronic sources, and employs remote sensing terminology to a degree enabling the retrieval and selection of essential information from specialized literature and other sources, including electronic sources. Contents: B.1-B.16.	[SU2] presentation/project/paper/report [SU4] test/exam - oral or written [SU5] implementation of a problem task
	[GEOGRL3-W08] at an advanced level methods and principles development of data on the natural and anthropogenic environment, and methods of their analysis and interpretation	The student knows and understands advanced methods and principles for processing data on the natural and anthropogenic environment, as well as methods for their analysis and interpretation using GIS tools. Additionally, he/she knows and understands advanced methods and principles used in remote sensing for processing data on the natural and anthropogenic environment, as well as the research and measurement techniques used during visual and digital interpretation in the process of acquiring geographic and social data. Contents: B.1-B.16	[SW4] test/exam - oral or written
	[GEOGRL3-U07] use geoinformatics techniques and simple statistical tools and methods of spatial analysis to determine relationships between a variety of variables specific to the geographic environment and present the results of the analyses performed	The student can utilize geoinformatic techniques along with basic statistical tools and spatial analysis methods to determine relationships between various variables characteristic of the geographic environment and present the results of conducted analyses. Contents: B.3-B.16.	[SU2] presentation/project/paper/report [SU4] test/exam - oral or written [SU5] implementation of a problem task
	[GEOGRL3-K03] work in a group and perform various roles in it, take care of the entrusted equipment and the safety of themselves and others	Working independently or as part of a team, the student takes responsibility for their own work and jointly undertaken tasks. They ensure the proper care of entrusted equipment and prioritize safety in their own work and for others. Contents: B.1-B.16.	[SK8] observation of student's independent or team work

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	[GEOGRL3-U06] apply methods and research tools of geographic sciences, including conducting observations and field measurements, and assess their suitability for the tasks in which the application objective of geography can be achieved	The student is able to apply methods and research tools in physical geography by utilizing GIS tools, and assess their suitability for achieving tasks with practical geographic applications. Moreover, by employing appropriate methods and research tools in remote sensing, the student gathers data from aerial and satellite photographic images and digital imagery, which are utilized for remote sensing of the geographic environment, identifying spatial locations of its elements, and determining relationships between them necessary for human activity planning, as well as identifying areas threatened by anthropogenic pressures. Contents: B.1-B.16. The student can apply their knowledge to solve complex and atypical problems, and perform tasks under conditions that are not entirely predictable by selecting appropriate sources and information from them, as well as by employing suitable methods and tools, including advanced information and communication technology (ICT) techniques. Contents: B.3-B.16.	[SU2] presentation/project/paper/report [SU4] test/exam - oral or written [SU5] implementation of a problem task
Subject contents	B.1 Understanding GIS concepts and GIS software B.2 Application of metadata and ability to acquire, process, and create them B.3 Creating cartographic compositions according to cartographic principles B.4 Working with non-spatial point data B.5 Acquisition and processing of vector data B.6 Georectification of raster and vector sources B.7 Importing and processing data in various formats B.8 Exploration and analysis of spatial data B.9 Modeling vector data in interpolation B.10 Digital Elevation Model (DEM) analysis B.11 Discussion and utilization of vector and raster analysis functions B.12 Methods for delineating watersheds and streams based on DEM B.13 Traditional techniques of remote sensing analysis B.14 Analysis of natural disaster impacts and flood extent B.15 Vegetation indices in remote sensing B.16 Comparison of Satellite Image Classification Methods		
Prerequisites and co-requisites			
Assessment methods and criteria	Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade
	test	51.0%	40.0%
	practical and theoretical exercises	51.0%	60.0%
Recommended reading	Basic literature	- Davis D., 2004, GIS dla każdego, Wydawnictwo Mikom, Warszawa. - Gotlib D., Iwaniak A., Olszewski R., 2007. GIS. Obszary zastosowań. PWN Warszawa. - Urbański J., 2012, GIS w badaniach przyrodniczych (ebook), Centrum GIS, Uniwersytet Gdański. - Sitek Z., 1997. Wprowadzenie do teledetekcji lotniczej i satelitarnej, Wydawnictwa AGH, Kraków. - Adamczyk J., Będkowski K, 2007. Metody cyfrowe w teledetekcji. Wydawnictwo SGGW. - Kurczyński Z., 2006. Lotnicze i satelitarne obrazowanie Ziemi, Oficyna wydawnicza Politechniki Warszawskiej, Warszawa - Kryza M., Szymanowski M., Wieczorek M., 2007, The Application of Selected Interpolation Methods for Modelling Extreme Air Temperature in South-Western Poland, Przegląd Geofizyczny, 52(1):61-82.	

	Supplementary literature	- Richards J.A., Jia X., 2006. Remote sensing digital image analysis. Springer. - Butowtt J., Kaczyński R., 2003, Fotogrametria, Wojskowa Akademia Techniczna, Warszawa. - Lyon J.G., 2003, GIS for water resources and watershed management, CRC Press. - Tomlinson R., Thinking about GIS, 2013, Esri Press. - Zwoliński Z. (red.), 2010, GIS woda w środowisku. Bogucki Wydawnictwo Naukowe, Poznań. - Markowski M., Golus W., Kwidzińska M., 2015, Aplikacyjność metod oceny wielkości opadów zasilających oczka Pomorza Gdańskiego [w:] D. Absalon, M. Matysik, M. Ruman [red.] Nowoczesne metody i rozwiązania w hydrologii i gospodarce wodnej, Komisja Hydrologiczna Polskiego Towarzystwa Geograficznego, Sosnowiec, s. 287-298. - Bajkiewicz-Grabowska E., Markowski M., Lemańczyk K., 2016, Application of geoinformation techniques to determine zones of sediment resuspension induced by wind waves in lakes (using two lakes from Northern Poland as examples), Limnological Review 1/2016.
	eResources addresses	Adresy na platformie eNauczanie:
Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed		
Work placement	Not applicable	

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