

Subject card

Subject name and code	Marine spatial planning law, PG_00131516						
Field of study	Marine Hydrography						
Date of commencement of studies	October 2025		Academic year of realisation of subject			2027/2028	
Education level	Bachelor's studies		Subject group			Obligatory subject group in the field of study Humanistic-social subject group	
Mode of study	full-time studies		Mode of delivery			at the university	
Year of study	3		Language of instruction			Polish	
Semester of study	5		ECTS credits			2.0	
Learning profile	practical		Assessment form			credit	
Conducting unit	Department of Maritime Law -> Faculty of Law and Administration -> Rector						
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor		dr hab. Dorota Pyć				
	Teachers						
Lesson types	Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Project	Seminar	SUM
	Number of study hours	30.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	30
	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	30		3.0		25.0	58
Subject objectives	To obtain an in-depth knowledge of maritime spatial planning law, including the knowledge of legal institutions and procedures that apply to maritime spatial planning and management, in particular in Polish maritime areas, and to present the scope of tasks within the competences granted to maritime administration bodies, and other cooperating bodies, responsible for maritime spatial planning and management in Poland.						

Learning outcomes	Course outcome	Subject outcome	Method of verification
	[HML3-K01] correctly identify and resolve professional dilemmas, especially in the aspects of security and entrusted property	Recognises the law as a method of regulating social relations and is sensitive to the value system underpinning maritime spatial planning law. Remains critical in expressing opinions and open to new views.	[SK1] oral statement/conversation/discussion
	[HML3-U08] independently use the professional literature available in traditional and electronic form, make an assessment, critical analysis and synthesis as well as the correct interpretation of the information obtained	He/she is able to use independently the legal professional literature available in traditional and electronic form, to evaluate, critically analyse and synthesise and correctly interpret the acquired information in the field of maritime planning and spatial development.	[SU1] oral statement/conversation/discussion [SU4] test/exam - oral or written
	[HML3-W13] global environmental problems resulting from the development of civilisation, in particular strong anthropopressure in the coastal regions of seas and oceans	He/she knows and understands the global environmental problems resulting from the development of civilisation, in particular the strong anthropopression in the coastal regions of the seas and oceans, and the legal conditions of maritime spatial planning, as well as the benefits of maritime spatial planning and management.	[SW4] test/exam - oral or written [SW1] oral statement/conversation/discussion
	[HML3-W14] basic legal regulations regarding the sustainable development of the marine environment and nature protection	Is familiar with the basic legal regulations on sustainable development of the marine environment and nature conservation and marine spatial planning in global, regional and national dimensions	[SW4] test/exam - oral or written [SW1] oral statement/conversation/discussion
Subject contents	1. Introduction to maritime spatial planning law 2. Terminology of maritime spatial planning and development 3. Legal status of maritime areas in international and Polish law 4. Legal basis of maritime spatial planning in international law 5. Maritime spatial planning in European Union law 6. Maritime spatial planning and development in Polish law 7. Objectives and principles of maritime spatial planning and development 8. Legal instruments of maritime spatial planning and development 9. Role and functions of institutions in maritime spatial planning and development 10. Development and implementation of maritime spatial planning 11. Monitoring and evaluation of maritime spatial planning 12. Public participation in maritime spatial planning and development 13. Cross-border cooperation in maritime spatial planning 14. Maritime spatial planning and development - A case study 15. Governance and culture in the maritime space		
Prerequisites and co-requisites			
Assessment methods and criteria	Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade
	written assessment	51.0%	100.0%

Recommended reading	Basic literature	Bąkowski T., Planowanie i zagospodarowanie przestrzenne polskich obszarów morskich, Gdańsk 2018 Pyć D., The Role of the Law of the Sea in Marine Spatial Planning, [w:] Zaucha J., Gee K. (red.) Maritime Spatial Planning: past, present, future, Palgrave Macmillan 2019, s. 375-395, DOI: 10.1007/978-3-319-98696-8_16. Pyć D., Implementation of Marine Spatial Planning Instruments for Sustainable Marine Governance in Poland; TransNav, the International Journal on Marine Navigation and Safety of Sea Transportation, vol. 13, No 2, DOI:10.12716/1001.13.02.06, s. 311-316, 2019; http://www.transnav.eu/Article_Implementation_of_Marine_Spatial_Py%C4%87,50,901.html# Pyć D., The Polish Legal Regime on Marine Spatial Planning, Maritime Law, vol. XXXIII, Gdańsk 2017, http://journals.pan.pl/Content/103207/PDF/7+pyc.pdf Pyć D., Zasady morskiego planowania przestrzennego i zintegrowanego zarządzania strefą przybrzeżną, Prawo Morskie, t. XXIX, Gdańsk 2013, https://www.czasopisma.pan.pl/dlibra/show-content?id=93279&zasady-morskiego-planowania-przestrzennego-i-zintegrowanegozarzadzaniastrefa-przybrzezna-dorota-pyc Zaucha J., Gospodarowanie przestrzenią morską, Sopot 2018, https://rcin.org.pl/Content/67566/WA51_87360_PAN152893r2018_Gospodarowanie.pdf SEAPLANSPLACE 2021. Podręczniki do MSP: https://seaplanspace.ug.edu.pl/knowledge/
	Supplementary literature	Ustawa z dnia 21 marca 1991 r. o obszarach morskich Rzeczypospolitej Polskiej i administracji morskiej Rozporządzenie RM z dnia 14.04.2021 w sprawie przyjęcia planu zagospodarowania przestrzennego morskich wód wewnętrznych, morza terytorialnego i wyłącznej strefy ekonomicznej w skali 1:200 000 Rozporządzenie z dnia 13 stycznia 2017 r. w sprawie szczegółowego przebiegu linii podstawowej, zewnętrznej granicy morza terytorialnego oraz zewnętrznej granicy strefy przyległej Rzeczypospolitej Polskiej Rozporządzenie z dnia 17 maja 2017 r. w sprawie wymaganego zakresu planów zagospodarowania przestrzennego morskich wód wewnętrznych, morza terytorialnego i wyłącznej strefy ekonomicznej Dyrektywa 2014/89/UE ustanawiająca ramy planowania przestrzennego obszarów morskich (dyrektywa MSP)
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Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed		
Work placement	Not applicable	

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