

## Subject card

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| Subject name and code                       | WPiA - Human rights in the 21st century - between theory and practice, PG_00179143                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |                                                          |                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                     |                                                                                        |            |     |
| 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                                                                                                                                                                    |                                     |                                                                                        |            |     |
| Mode of study                               | full-time studies                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                                                          | Mode of delivery                                                                                                                                                                 |                                     | e-learning                                                                             |            |     |
| Year of study                               | 1                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                                                          | Language of instruction                                                                                                                                                          |                                     | Polish<br>Polish                                                                       |            |     |
| Semester of study                           | 1                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                                                          | ECTS credits                                                                                                                                                                     |                                     | 2.0                                                                                    |            |     |
| Learning profile                            | academic                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                                                          | Assessment form                                                                                                                                                                  |                                     | credit                                                                                 |            |     |
| Conducting unit                             | Department of Human Rights and Intellectual Property Law -> Faculty of Law and Administration -> Rector                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                                                          |                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                     |                                                                                        |            |     |
| Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)    | Subject supervisor                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |                                                          | dr Anna Podolska                                                                                                                                                                 |                                     |                                                                                        |            |     |
|                                             | 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: 30.0                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |                                                          |                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                     |                                                                                        |            |     |
| 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                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                  | 0.0                                 |                                                                                        | 20.0       | 50  |
| Subject objectives                          | The primary purpose of the lecture is to provide students with basic knowledge of human rights protection and to explain the concept of human rights, the scope of their regulation, as well as protection in domestic and international law. Students will also learn about the jurisprudence of Polish courts and the European Court of Human Rights, including in cases against Poland concerning the European Convention on Human Rights. |                                                          |                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                     |                                                                                        |            |     |
| Learning outcomes                           | Course outcome                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |                                                          | Subject outcome                                                                                                                                                                  |                                     | Method of verification                                                                 |            |     |
|                                             |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |                                                          | Students understand what human rights are and their importance in the modern world. Students know the protection mechanisms available in the national and international systems. |                                     | [SK1] oral statement/conversation/discussion<br>[SK5] implementation of a problem task |            |     |

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| Subject contents                                               | 1. The concept and history of human rights.<br><br>2. National system of protection.<br><br>3. General characteristics of the international system of human rights protection- the essence and elements of the system of human rights protection:<br><br>- Development of international human rights protection<br><br>- Universal system of human rights protection<br><br>- Regional systems of human rights protection<br><br>4. Selected guarantees of human rights.<br><br>5. Human rights and new technologies. |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                               |
| Prerequisites and co-requisites                                |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                               |
| Assessment methods and criteria                                | Subject passing criteria                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | Passing threshold                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | Percentage of the final grade |
|                                                                | tasks/project/presentation                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | 51.0%                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | 70.0%                         |
|                                                                | attendance                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | 30.0%                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | 30.0%                         |
| Recommended reading                                            | Basic literature                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | J. Holda, Z. Holda, D. Ostrowska, Human Rights. Outline of the lecture, Warsaw 2011W. Brzozowski, A. Krzywoń, M. Wiącek, Human rights, Warsaw 2018K. Orzeszyna, M. Skwarzyński, R. Tabaszewski, Prawo międzynarodowe praw człowieka, Warsaw 2020 |                               |
|                                                                | Supplementary literature                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | M. Balcerzak, S. Sykuna (eds.), Lexicon of human rights protection. 100 basic concepts, Warsaw 2010J. Blau, Human Rights, Abingdon 2016J. Donnelly, Universal human rights in theory and practice, Ithaca 2013                                   |                               |
|                                                                | eResources addresses                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                               |
| Example issues/<br>example questions/<br>tasks being completed | - Who is obligated under human rights?- Examples of divisions of human rights.- What is discrimination.- Which system of human rights protection is the most effective.- Assessment of the fulfillment of human rights in Poland.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                               |
| Work placement                                                 | Not applicable                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                               |