

Subject card

Subject name and code	International Protection of Human Rights, PG_00190997						
Field of study	Political Studies						
Date of commencement of studies	October 2026	Academic year of realisation of subject			2027/2028		
Education level	Bachelor's studies	Subject group			Obligatory subject group in the field of study Optional subject group 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	2	Language of instruction			Polish		
Semester of study	3	ECTS credits			2.0		
Learning profile	academic	Assessment form			credit		
Conducting unit							
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor		dr Margot Stańczyk-Minkiewicz				
	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		0.0		20.0	50
Subject objectives	The purpose of the lecture is to acquaint the student with the possibilities of rights protection provided by global and European human rights mechanisms. It is assumed that after the MOPC subject, the student should be able to navigate the universal and European space in the field of human rights and independently cope with the assertion of rights before international institutions (at least at the initial stage). He should also be able to evaluate and use the information reaching him in the field of international human rights protection. It should also be emphasized that the subject is aimed at expanding the student's general knowledge.						

Learning outcomes	Course outcome	Subject outcome	Method of verification
	[POLL3_W11] Has an advanced knowledge of the mechanisms of governance and political decision-making, including knowledge of the principles and relationships between management, organizing and other interactions between entrepreneurship and politics, has advanced knowledge of the threats and challenges facing politics, including the principles of creating and developing forms of individual entrepreneurship.		[SW4] test/exam - oral or written
	[POLL3_W06] Has knowledge in the field of comparative politics and is able to analyze and compare political processes, institutions, and the actions of states and organizations, including international ones, across different regions of the world.		[SW1] oral statement/ conversation/discussion
	[POLL3_U08] Uses an axionormative system and specific rules and norms. He is also able to use the indications of socio-political doctrines and various concepts of politics to learn and assess political reality.		[SU4] test/exam - oral or written
	[POLL3_K06] Thanks to the awareness of the existing relationships between politics and historical, economic, social and cultural phenomena and processes is ready to critically evaluate them.		[SK1] oral statement/conversation/ discussion
	[POLL3_U02] Is able to analyze and describe the origins and course of social, political, economic, legal, ethical, and cultural processes and phenomena from a historical perspective, as well as in contemporary states and globally, using theoretical knowledge.		[SU4] test/exam - oral or written
	[POLL3_K03] Is prepared to work in public organisations and institutions, including public administration bodies, political parties and other national and international organisations.		[SK1] oral statement/conversation/ discussion
	[POLL3_W15] Has advanced knowledge of significant events, processes, phenomena, and structures related to the history of Poland, Europe, and the world.		[SW1] oral statement/ conversation/discussion
	[POLL3_W14] Has advanced knowledge of the political organization of societies, states, and other political actors, the processes of their transformation, as well as relationships and networks at the local, regional, national, and international levels, within the framework of the selected module (specialization).		[SW1] oral statement/ conversation/discussion
	[POLL3_K01] Is prepared to participate in public life and in teams implementing social, political and civic projects at various levels of participation, and uses the acquired knowledge, skills and competencies to act in an entrepreneurial manner.		[SK1] oral statement/conversation/ discussion

Subject contents	<p>Lectures: The concept and genesis of human rights. The concept and genesis of international protection. Generations of human rights. Freedom of religion as an example of 1st generation rights. The right to work as an example of a 2nd generation right. The right to live in a healthy environment as an example of a 3rd generation right. Exercises Sources of protection/sources of law . Domestic versus international protection (using the example of religious rights and the rights of immigrants). Entities involved in the MOPC. Overview of rights - III generations of human rights. Universal Declaration of Human Rights, Covenants on Human Rights, European Convention on Human Rights and selected special protection treaties. Review mechanisms. UN (proceedings before committees). RE (proceedings before the ECHR). EU (EU Ombudsman, right to good administration). OSCE. OAS, AU. Special protection (women, children, disabled, migrants, elderly, etc.).</p>		
Prerequisites and co-requisites	No prerequisites		
Assessment methods and criteria	Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade
Recommended reading	Basic literature	<p>A. Literature required for final course credit (passing the exam): A. 1. used during the class: B. Gronowska, T. Jasudowicz, M. Balcerzak, M. Lubiszewski, R. Mizerski, Human rights and their protection, Toruń 2010. A.2. studied independently by the student: J. Holda, Z. Holda, J.A. Rybczynska, D. Ostrowska: Human rights. Outline of the lecture. Wolters KLUWER Poland 2008.</p>	
	Supplementary literature	<p>B. Supplementary literature: International documents on human rights indicated in the lecture</p>	
	eResources addresses		
Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed			
Work placement	Not applicable		

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