

Subject card

Subject name and code	Socio-Cultural Dimensions of Mobility and Transport, PG_00209007						
Field of study	Sociology						
Date of commencement of studies	October 2024		Academic year of realisation of subject		2026/2027		
Education level	Bachelor's studies		Subject group		Obligatory subject group in the field of study Optional 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	6		ECTS credits		2.0		
Learning profile	academic		Assessment form		credit		
Conducting unit							
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor		dr Jacek Mianowski				
	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		2.0		18.0	50
Subject objectives	Identification and analysis of socio-cultural factors that determine human mobility and transport at the micro-, meso- and macro-levels						

Learning outcomes	Course outcome	Subject outcome	Method of verification
	[SOCL3_W03] The graduate knows and understands in an advanced way the relationships between the relationship between micro and macro social structures and institutions, on a national and international scale in the fields of private life, work, politics, civil society, etc	Participants in the course have an advanced knowledge and understanding of the relationships between national and international social structures and institutions which, in social and cultural terms, shape the movement of people in both the private and public spheres.	[SW2] presentation/project/paper/report
	[SOCL3_W06] The graduate knows and understands in an advanced way basic methods of quantitative and qualitative sociological research, including observation, interview, document analysis, and knows how to develop and report the results of research The graduate knows and understands in an advanced way basic methods of quantitative and qualitative sociological research, including observation, interview, document analysis, and knows how to develop and report the results of research	Participants in the course are familiar with and understand the methods of sociological research that they can use to produce a report on the issue of diverse forms of mobility and passenger transport.	[SW2] presentation/project/paper/report
	[SOCL3_U03] The graduate is able to analyse the causes and course of social processes and phenomena	Participants in the course are able to analyse the causes and development of social and cultural processes and phenomena relating to the spatial movement of people.	[SU8] observation of student's independent or team work
	[SOCL3_K02] The graduate is ready to cooperate effectively and assume various roles in a group	Participants in the sessions are prepared to cooperate and collaborate effectively within the group, taking on different roles depending on the objectives and needs of users of various modes and means of transport.	[SK5] implementation of a problem task
	[SOCL3_K03] The graduate is ready to appropriately determine priorities in the implementation of a specific task	Course participants are able to set appropriate priorities when carrying out tasks related to the social processes of people's movement within physical spaces.	[SK5] implementation of a problem task
	[SOCL3_U01] The graduate is able to interpret social phenomena using sociological concepts and sociological imagination	Participants in the course are able to interpret social phenomena occurring in the context of people's movement within physical space, drawing on concepts from sociology and sociological imagination.	[SU1] oral statement/conversation/discussion

Subject contents	Ecology, climate and the transformation of transport systems		
	Opportunities and challenges in applying the 880 cities concept and the 15-minute city model in the context of excessive private car use in urban areas		
	Urban cycling movements. Origins. Ideas. A repertoire of social actions		
	Sustainable urban transport a comparative analysis of selected cities		
	Mobility and transport in the context of water systems (blue infrastructure)		
	Bicycles, scooters and mopeds in urban spaces areas of complementarity and contradiction		
	The scope and methods of using cargo bikes in selected regions of Poland and/or Europe		
	The potential of cable cars in urban transport in selected European and global countries		
	Functions and types of vehicles and equipment used in life-threatening situations		
	The use of drones in transport, as illustrated by selected European and African countries		
	The possibilities and limitations of using autonomous vehicles in public transport in selected countries		
	Transport exclusion of rural residents		
	Car culture vs. cycling culture in selected European cities		
	Prerequisites and co-requisites	An understanding of the fundamental concepts of general sociology	
Assessment methods and criteria	Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade
	Participation in the implementation of problem-based tasks	51.0%	50.0%
	Preparation of a written presentation/report	51.0%	50.0%
Recommended reading	Basic literature	Cresswell, T. (2006). <i>On the Move: Mobility in the Modern Western World</i> . Routledge	
		Adey, P. (2017). <i>Mobility</i> . Routledge.	
	Supplementary literature	Urry J. (2010). Mobile Sociology, <i>The British Journal of Sociology</i> , 61	
	eResources addresses		
Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed	Analysis of dispersed and integrated practices of human movement within the physical environment		
	Who does a sustainable city belong to?		
Work placement	Not applicable		

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