

Subject card

Subject name and code	Optional lecture no. 5 - criminology: Feminist criminology, PG_00210076						
Field of study	Criminology						
Date of commencement of studies	October 2026		Academic year of realisation of subject		2027/2028		
Education level	Master's studies		Subject group		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	4		ECTS credits		2.0		
Learning profile	academic		Assessment form		credit		
Conducting unit	Faculty of Law and Administration -> Rector						
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor		dr hab. Anna Babicka-Wirkus				
	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 aim of the course is to provide students with in-depth theoretical and practical knowledge on the functioning of the system for protecting women against discrimination and violence and the phenomenon of discrimination and crime in the context of gender.						

Learning outcomes	Course outcome	Subject outcome	Method of verification
	[KRYMMU2_K01] Is aware of the level of their knowledge and skills, critically evaluates them, understands the need for lifelong learning, and recognizes the importance of knowledge in solving cognitive and practical problems; when unable to solve a problem independently, seeks the opinions of experts.	Is aware of the need for lifelong learning.	[SK2] presentation/project/paper/report
	[KRYMMU2_W01] Has in-depth knowledge of the nature of legal sciences and penal sciences, their place within the system of sciences, their mutual relationships, and the main directions of their development, as well as their connections with other fields of science and the axiological and social determinants of activities related to counteracting crime.	Has in-depth knowledge of terminology related to feminist criminology.	[SW2] presentation/project/paper/report
	[KRYMMU2_W06] Has in-depth knowledge and is familiar with the terminology used in psychology, sociology, and related disciplines applied in criminology, and understands the fundamental dilemmas of contemporary civilization associated with these fields. The graduate is also familiar with the basic principles of intellectual property and copyright protection, as well as the conditions for the creation and development of various forms of entrepreneurship.	Has in-depth knowledge of terminology related to feminist criminology and derived from other social sciences.	[SW4] test/exam - oral or written [SW2] presentation/project/paper/report
Subject contents	1. Introduction and basic concepts 1.1. The concept of feminist criminology - main trends, concepts and research 1.2. Gender discrimination - concepts 1.3. Women and criminal law 2. The issue of the phenomenon of gender crime 2.1. Incorporating a gender perspective into the protection of human rights 2.2. Women as victims of crime - introduction 5. A woman in penitentiary isolation 2.3. Women as perpetrators introduction 2.3.1. Female murderers 2.3.2. Female perpetrators of domestic violence 2.3.3. Sexual crimes 3. The issue of gender violence 3.1. The extent of the phenomenon of violence and its manifestations 3.2. Barriers to the elimination of gender violence (stereotypes and their control, facts and myths) 3.3. Strategies for combating gender violence an international perspective 3.4. Using the achievements of victimology to strengthen the status of the injured party 3.5. The crime of abuse 3.6. The crime of rape 3.7. Crimes related to prostitution, pornography and human trafficking 4. Characteristics of womens crime conditions and dimensions of the phenomenon 4.1. Infanticide 4.2. Termination of pregnancy and the issue of womens responsibility 4.3. Murder of a domestic tyrant 4.4. Criminal policy towards women perpetrators of crimes 5 Woman in prison		
Prerequisites and co-requisites	None		
Assessment methods and criteria	Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade
	colloquium	51.0%	60.0%
	project	51.0%	40.0%

Recommended reading	Basic literature	M. Grzyb, Kryminologia feministyczna, (w:) E. Drzazga, M. Grzyb (red.) Nowe kierunki w kryminologii, Scholar, Warszawa 2018. Bieńkowska E., Ofiary przestępstw w postępowaniu karnym nowe standardy Unii Europejskiej, Prokuratura i Prawo 2014, nr 4. Błońska B., Zjawisko prostytucji w Polsce w świetle badań kryminologicznych, Warszawa 2009. Budyn-Kulik M. Zabójstwo tyrana domowego. Studium prawne i wiktymologiczne: Miękkie Verba. 2005. Brzezińska J., Habzda-Siwek E. Kobiety - sprawczynie przestępstw. Wybrane aspekty. Warszawa 2012. Cybalski M. Przemoc stosowana przez kobiety. Kraków 2014. Hołyst B. (2023). Psychologia kryminalistyczna. teoria i praktyka śledczo-sądowa. Warszawa: Difin, r.23, 46, 47, 51 Lasocik Z., Handel ludźmi jako przestępstwo i naruszenie praw człowieka wyzwania dla kryminologii, Archiwum kryminologii 2007, t. 28.
	Supplementary literature	Równość praw kobiet i mężczyzn; Ustawodawstwo UE i RE. Orzecznictwo ETS i ETPC. Teksty i komentarze. Centrum Praw Kobiety. Warszawa 2000 Smolin M., Zasada równości płci. Studium komparatystyczne standardów Rady Europy i Unii Europejskiej, Warszawa 2013. Zielińska E., Handel Kobietami jako naruszenie praw kobiet [w:] Handel ludźmi. Zapobieganie i ściganie, pod red. Z. Lasocika, Warszawa 2006. Zielińska E., Indywidualna ocena służąca ustaleniu szczególnych potrzeb ofiary w zakresie ochrony, w świetle unormowań art. 22 dyrektywy Parlamentu Europejskiego i Rady 2012/29/UE [w:] Indywidualna ocena służąca ustaleniu indywidualnych potrzeb ofiar przestępstw w zakresie ochrony, pod red. L. Mazowieckiej, Warszawa 2015.
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Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed		
Work placement	Not applicable	

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