

SUBJECT CARD

1. Basic information

Subject	Demography
Faculty	Faculty of Law
Field of studies	International Relations
Specialization	international business
PRK level	6 PRK
Education level	
Form of studies	full-time studies
Group of activities	—
Number of ECTS points	3
Type of subject	obligatory
Total number of hours	30 h
Didactic cycle	2022/2023 winter
Academic semester	1
Academic year	1
Education profile	general academic
Year of implementation	2022/2023
Language of instruction	English
Teacher(s)	prof. dr hab. Sławomir Kurek

Semester, number of ECTS points, type of subject, number of hours

Semester	Lecture
1	30 godz. 3 ECTS

2. General objectives

C1	The aim of this course is providing knowledge based on teaching effects on the main demographic processes (fertility, mortality and migration) and structures (age and sex composition, socio-economic structures). The course enable the students to use methods and analysis of population processes. In addition to this, the course aims at paying attention to world population problems (such as population ageing, population decline, overpopulation) and their consequences. Celem kursu jest dostarczenie w oparciu o efekty kształcenia wiedzy na temat podstawowych procesów demograficznych (rodność, umieralność, migracje) i struktur (wg płci i wieku oraz społeczno-ekonomicznych). Przedmiot ten umożliwia wykorzystanie metod i analizy procesów ludnościowych. Ponadto, zadaniem przedmiotu jest zwrócenie uwagi na światowe problemy ludnościowe (takie jak starzenie się społeczeństwa, depopulacja czy przeludnienie) i ich konsekwencje.
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3. Introductory requirements

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4. Learning outcomes

W1	Knowledge: defines basic terms and demographic measures and describes main demographic concepts, knows basic processes and social-demographic structures and their association with political and economic processes, characterises disparities in selected social-demographic phenomena on an international scale,
U1	Skills: analyses and interprets modern demographic processes in the world and evaluates their impact on political and economic situation predicts demographic trends in the future identifies demographic problems in different regions of the world and presents possible solutions, has a good command of English that allows for doing exercises connected with the use of knowledge on socio-demographic phenomena on the level B2 of Common European Framework of Reference for Languages
K1	Social competence: understands the need to enhance and update the knowledge of the socio-demographic phenomena and correctly identifies the associated problems

5. Course program

Lecture (30 h)

Code	Detailed description of the topic blocks (semester: 1)
Wyk1	1. Definition of demography and its role in socio-economic life (2 godz.) 2. Methods of demographic analysis (2 godz.) 3. Demographic data and sources (censuses, registration, estimates; 2 godz.) 4. Population and its distribution (2 godz.) 5. Population growth (2 godz.) 6. Population composition (by sex and age; 2 godz.) 7. Population ageing and its consequences (2 godz.) 8. Natural increase (2 godz.) 9. Fertility and its determinants (2 godz.) 10. Mortality (2 godz.) 11. Demographic theories (first and second demographic transition; 2 godz.) 12. Migration and its causes (2 godz.) 13. Socio-economic Structure of population (2 godz.) 14. Demographic projection (2 godz.) 15. Analysis of population processes in the world and their consequences (2 godz.)

6. Didactic methods

Lecture	
M17	Multimedia presentation
M20	Lecture
M21	Use of distance learning tools

7. Student workload

Number of hours under supervision	Student workload
Lecture	30 h
Including e-learning:	0 h

Student's own work	
zapoznanie się z literaturą	45 h

Total workload	
Total number of hours for the course	75 h
Total number of ECTS points	3 ECTS

8. Conditions for course completion

Course completion criteria

completion of tasks on e-learning platform

Lectures (Final exam / Final pass)	
Grade 5:	90%
Grade 4,5:	80%
Grade 4:	70%
Grade 3,5:	60%
Grade 3:	50%

9. Literature

Basic literature

- [1] D. Yaukey, D. L. Anderton, J. Hickes Lundquist — Demography: The Study of Human Population, Long Grove, Illinois, 2008, Waveland Press
- [2] S. H. Preston, P. Heuveline, M. Guillot — Demography. Measuring and modelling population processes, Oxford, 2001, Blackwell Publishers
- [3] Carlson E. — Reformulating Second Demographic Transition Theory [in] R. Schoen (ed.), Analytical Family Demography,, -, 2019, The Springer Series on Demographic Methods and Population Analysis, vol. 47, Springer International Publishing,

Supplementary literature

- [1] G. L. Peters, R. P. Larkin — Population geography, Dubuque, Iowa, 2008, Kendall Hunt publishing company [2] T. Frejka, T. Sobotka — Fertility in Europe: Diverse, delayed and below replacement. In: Demographic Research, Special Collection 7: Childbearing Trends and Policies in Europe,, Rostock, 2008, Demographic Research [19, 3: 1546 www.demographic-research.org] [3] D. J. Van de Kaa — The idea of a second demographic transition in industrialized countries, National Institute of Population and Security Research, 2003, The Japanese Journal of Population, [No. 1, Vol. 1 http://www.ipss.go.jp/webj-ad/WebJournal.files/population/2003_4/Kaa.pdf]. [4] R. Lesthaeghe — The second demographic transition, 19862020: sub-replacement fertility and rising cohabitationa global update, -, 2020, Genus [vol. 76, no 10]

Additional aids

- [1] World Population Data Sheet, www.prb.org — Population Reference Bureau (red.) , Washington DC, 2020

11. Information about academic teachers

The person responsible for the card

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