

Subject card

Subject name and code	Forensic aspects of crime - lecture, PG_00132854						
Field of study	Criminology						
Date of commencement of studies	October 2024	Academic year of realisation of subject			2025/2026		
Education level	Master's studies	Subject group			Obligatory subject group 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			exam		
Conducting unit	Faculty of Law and Administration -> Rector						
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor		dr Magdalena Kasprzak				
	Teachers		dr Magdalena Kasprzak prof. dr hab. Joanna Izdebska prof. dr hab. Adam Lesner dr Joanna Dzido				
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						
	Additional information: Problem-based lecture.Classes in the classroom.Online classes.						
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	Transfer of knowledge in the field of forensics and the possibilities of its use in evidentiary proceedings, discussion of procedural and forensic activities in the field of crimes against life and health. Detailed analysis of the investigation of the scene of the event (inspection) in the context of crimes against life and health. Consideration of profiling forensic activities in relation to individual types of crimes.						

Learning outcomes	Course outcome	Subject outcome	Method of verification
	[KRYMMU2_KK07] He/she is able to think and act in a resourceful way	The ability to adapt the techniques and tools of substantive forensics to achieve the intended goal.	[SK1] oral statement/conversation/discussion [SK2] presentation/project/paper/report [SK5] implementation of a problem task [SK8] observation of student's independent or team work
	[KRYMMU2_UW05] He/she is able to assess the usefulness of typical procedures and good practice to carry out tasks connected with various spheres of criminology	Knowledge and ability to apply forensic procedures when carrying out various types of analyses and tasks, also in the field of sciences related to forensics.	[SU1] oral statement/conversation/discussion [SU4] test/exam - oral or written [SU5] implementation of a problem task [SU6] demonstration of practical skills
	[KRYMMU2_KK01] The graduate is aware of the level of his/her knowledge and skills, and also understands the need of lifelong learning	The ability to evaluate one's own knowledge and the ability to independently expand its scope.	[SK1] oral statement/conversation/discussion [SK5] implementation of a problem task [SK6] demonstration of practical skills
	[KRYMMU2_UK06] He/she is able to supplement knowledge and skills independently and critically, widened by interdisciplinary dimension	The ability to assess the level of knowledge possessed in the field of forensics and related sciences.	[SK1] oral statement/conversation/discussion [SK2] presentation/project/paper/report [SK5] implementation of a problem task
	[KRYMMU2_KR08] He/ she is aware of the level of own knowledge and skills, and understands the need for lifelong learning	The ability to evaluate one's own knowledge and the ability to independently expand its scope.	[SK1] oral statement/conversation/discussion [SK5] implementation of a problem task [SK6] demonstration of practical skills
	[KRYMMU2_UW02] He/she acquires knowledge independently and develops his/her professional skills using various sources (in native and foreign language) and modern technologies	The ability to expand one's knowledge and skills through the analysis of a variety of substantive sources.	[SU1] oral statement/conversation/discussion [SU2] presentation/project/paper/report [SU5] implementation of a problem task [SU6] demonstration of practical skills
	[KRYMMU2_UW01] The graduate utilizes theoretical knowledge in the field of criminology and the related scientific disciplines to analyze and interpret problems connected with widely understood crime	The ability to use knowledge of forensics and related sciences to identify occurring phenomena and behaviours.	[SU1] oral statement/conversation/discussion [SU2] presentation/project/paper/report [SU4] test/exam - oral or written [SU5] implementation of a problem task
	[KRYMMU2_WG01] The graduate demonstrates widened knowledge about legal science and related penal sciences, their the place in the system of sciences and mutual relation	Information about the role of forensics and related sciences in the Polish legal system and their mutual interactions.	[SW4] test/exam - oral or written [SW1] oral statement/conversation/discussion [SW2] presentation/project/paper/report [SW5] implementation of a problem task
	[KRYMMU2_WG04] The graduate demonstrates widened knowledge about various types of crime and the ways of preventing crime	Knowledge of the role of forensics in the legal system and related sciences.	[SW4] test/exam - oral or written [SW1] oral statement/conversation/discussion [SW2] presentation/project/paper/report [SW5] implementation of a problem task

Subject contents	<p>Forensic part:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Analysis of the scope of detective and evidentiary activities. 2. Initial activities aimed at determining and apprehending the perpetrator of the crime. 3. Investigation of the scene. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Stages/phases of examining the scene. - Methods of conducting an examination of the scene. - Schemes of conducting an examination of the scene. 4. Analysis of individual crimes in the context of the circumstances of their commission and the principles of conducting an examination. <p>Chemical part:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Code and non-code crimes against health and life, taking into account the use of chemical substances. 2. Discussion of chemical substances that can be used to commit crimes against health and life. 3. Elements of toxicology. 4. Elements of the chemistry of explosives and propellants. 5. Pharmacological agents potentially used in euthanasia, abortion. 6. Medical crimes. 7. Doping. <p>Biological part:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Discussion of biological factors that may play a role in crimes against health and life. 2. Review of selected representatives of groups such as viruses, bacteria, fungi, plants and animals, including the most common poisonous and venomous species. 3. Ontogenesis of man.
Prerequisites and co-requisites	

Assessment methods and criteria	Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade
	Test - exam	60.0%	60.0%
	Presentation - paper	40.0%	40.0%
Recommended reading	Basic literature	<p>1. E. Gruza, M. Goc, J. Moszczyński, Kryminalistyka. Czyli o współczesnych metodach dowodzenia przestępstw, wyd. Wolters Kluwer Polska, 2020.</p> <p>2. J. Kasprzak, B. Młodziejowski, W. Kasprzak, Kryminalistyka. Zarys systemu, wyd. Difin, Warszawa 2015.</p> <p>3. J. Widacki (red.), J. Konieczny, T. Widła, Kryminalistyka, wyd. C.H.Beck, Warszawa 2018.</p> <p>4. Selected literature on the subject matter.</p>	
	Supplementary literature	<p>1. T. Hanausek, Kryminalistyka. Zarys wykładu, wyd. Wolters Kluwer Polska, Warszawa 2015.</p> <p>2. B. Hołyst, Kryminalistyka, wyd. Wolters Kluwer Polska, Warszawa 2017.</p> <p>3. James E. Girard, Criminalistics, Jones and Bartlett Publishers, 2017.</p> <p>4. Selected literature on the subject matter.</p>	
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Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed	Independent analysis of problem issues. Case studies.		
Work placement	Not applicable		

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