

Subject card

Subject name and code	Bilateral Polish-German specialist translation of medical texts, PG_00149488						
Field of study	Applied Linguistics						
Date of commencement of studies	October 2025		Academic year of realisation of subject		2026/2027		
Education level	Master'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		4.0		
Learning profile	academic		Assessment form		credit		
Conducting unit	Institute of Applied Linguistics -> Faculty of Languages -> Rector						
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor		dr Grażyna Kulpa-Woś				
	Teachers						
Lesson types	Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Project	Seminar	SUM
	Number of study hours	0.0	30.0	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		68.0	100
Subject objectives	Developing translation skills from German into Polish and from Polish into German in the field of medical texts, as well as consolidating, systematizing and expanding the vocabulary of German in the field of medicine.						

Learning outcomes	Course outcome	Subject outcome	Method of verification
	[LSMU2_W07] Knows and understands advanced methods of linguistic analysis in comparative German-Polish or English-Polish studies.	The student knows and understands advanced methods of linguistic analysis in the field of comparative German-Polish studies.	[SW4] test/exam - oral or written [SW5] implementation of a problem task
	[LSMU2_W08] He knows and understands the concepts and principles of copyright protection, intellectual property, legal conditions, economic conditions, as well as the idea of entrepreneurship.	The student knows and understands the concepts and principles of copyright protection and is aware of the responsibility for maintaining the precision of specialized translations and appropriately recording intellectual properties.	[SW1] oral statement/ conversation/discussion
	[LSMU2_K04] He demonstrates a critical attitude towards the knowledge he acquires and can appreciate its importance in solving problems in translation and linguistic communication (scientific and everyday).	The student demonstrates a critical attitude towards the acquired knowledge and can appreciate its importance in solving problems in the field of translation and language communication.	[SK1] oral statement/conversation/ discussion [SK8] observation of student's independent or team work
	[LSMU2_U03] Has the ability to integrate and apply knowledge from linguistics, psychology and sociology in professional and scientific situations.	The student can integrate and apply knowledge from the fields of translation, psychology and sociology when performing translations.	[SU3] text preparation/written work [SU4] test/exam - oral or written [SU5] implementation of a problem task
	[LSMU2_U05] He has the ability to substantively argue and present his own views and formulate conclusions.	The student has the ability to substantively argue and present his or her own views and formulate conclusions regarding the texts he or she translates and those of others.	[SU1] oral statement/conversation/ discussion [SU8] observation of student's independent or team work
	[LSMU2_U08] He has language skills at the level of C2 for English and C1 for German according to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages in everyday life and in professional situations.	The student has language skills at level C1 for German according to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages in everyday life and in situations related to the profession, e.g. translator.	[SU1] oral statement/conversation/ discussion [SU2] presentation/project/paper/ report [SU3] text preparation/written work [SU4] test/exam - oral or written [SU8] observation of student's independent or team work
	[LSMU2_W02] Has a structured, in-depth knowledge that includes terminology, theory and methodology in linguistics.	The student has structured, in-depth knowledge of terminology, theory and methodology in the field of specialized translations in the field of medicine.	[SW4] test/exam - oral or written [SW3] text preparation/written work [SW5] implementation of a problem task
	[LSMU2_K03] Recognizes the need to adhere to ethical standards related to his profession.	The student recognizes the need to comply with ethical standards related to the profession of a translator.	[SK1] oral statement/conversation/ discussion
	[LSMU2_U06] He has the ability to form critical judgments about (re)translated written and oral texts and to correct errors in them on the basis of his knowledge and experience.	The student has the ability to formulate critical judgments about (trans)lated written texts in German and Polish and correct errors in them based on knowledge and experience.	[SU1] oral statement/conversation/ discussion [SU5] implementation of a problem task [SU6] demonstration of practical skills [SU8] observation of student's independent or team work
Subject contents	[LSMU2_U02] He is able to independently acquire knowledge and plan his further scientific and professional development.	The student is able to independently acquire knowledge and plan his or her further scientific and professional development in the field of specialized translations.	[SU1] oral statement/conversation/ discussion [SU8] observation of student's independent or team work
	[LSMU2_U01] He is able to search, analyze, evaluate and select information using spoken and written sources and form critical judgments based on them.	The student is able to search, analyze, evaluate and select information using spoken and written sources in the field of specialized translations in the field of medicine.	[SU1] oral statement/conversation/ discussion [SU3] text preparation/written work [SU4] test/exam - oral or written [SU8] observation of student's independent or team work
Subject contents	Texts on human anatomy and physiology (including the skeletal and muscular system, digestive, respiratory, circulatory and nervous systems; hormonal management), diagnostics, therapy, specialized texts in the field of surgery, dermatology, cardiology, oncology, dentistry, neurology and medicine alternative. In addition: articles from medical magazines and websites selected by the lecturer.		
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Knowledge of German and Polish enabling the achievement of expected learning outcomes.		

Assessment methods and criteria	Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade
	presence and active participation in classes	0.0%	10.0%
	a final test involving a written translation of a text	51.0%	60.0%
	systematic preparation in writing of issues indicated by the teacher	0.0%	30.0%
Recommended reading	Basic literature	• Szczęsny A., Kozłowska Z. : Tłumaczenie pisemne na język polski. Kompendium. Warszawa 2018. • Ganczar, M., Rogowska B., Medycyna. Język niemiecki. Ćwiczenia i słownictwo specjalistyczne, Warszawa, 2007. • articles selected by the instructor from medical magazines and websites.	
	Supplementary literature	• . • Lipczuk, R., Leibfried, E., Nerlicki, K., Lehr- und Übungsbuch zur deutsch-polnischen Übersetzung, Szczecin, 2001. • Hönig, H.G., Kussmaul, P., Strategie der Übersetzung. Ein Lehr- und Arbeitsbuch, Tübingen, 1996. • Szafrński M. : Deutsch fuer Mediziner: Podręcznik z płytą CD. PZWL: Warszawa 2008. • Tomak, T. : Deutsch fuer Mediziner: Medizinisches Fachpersonal. Fakultet zdravstvenih studija: Rijeka 2017. • Zarzycki Ł. : Dylematy tłumacza. 2017.	
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Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed	Documentation of clinical trials Summary of Product Characteristics (SmPC) and Package Leaflet. Material safety data sheets. Patient cards. Case reports. Declarations of conformity of medical devices,		
Work placement	Not applicable		

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