University of Gdańsk

# Subject card

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| Subject name and code | Contemporary International Relations, PG_00183809 | | |
| Field of study | Sightseeing and Historical Tourism | | |
| Date of commencement of studies | October 2026 | Academic year of realisation of subject | 2028/2029 |
| Education level | Bachelor'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 | 3 | Language of instruction | Polish |
| Semester of study | 5 | ECTS credits | 3.0 |
| Learning profile | academic | Assessment form | exam |
| Conducting unit | Division of 20th Century History -> Institute of History -> Faculty of History -> Rector | | |
| Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers) | Subject supervisor | dr hab. Przemysław Różański | |
| | Teachers | | |

**Lesson types**

| Lesson type | Lecture | Tutorial | Laboratory | Project | Seminar | SUM |
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| 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 |
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| Number of study hours | 30 | 2.0 | 43.0 | 75 |

**Subject objectives**

The aim of the course is to present basic issues related to the functioning of international relations, their entities and relations between participants of international relations in the political and economic dimension. Another aim of the classes is to equip the student with the ability to understand complex problems of the modern world and regional differences in this area.

**Learning outcomes**

| Course outcome | Subject outcome | Method of verification |
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| [KiTHL3_W01] Has an advanced knowledge and understanding of selected issues of world history in chronological and thematic terms, as well as the comparative history of Europe, recognizing its place and significance in the history of the world | K_W01: The student knows selected issues of general history in terms of chronological and thematic; knows the comparative history of Europe, especially in relation to contemporary international political and economic relations. | [SW4] test/exam - oral or written |
| [KiTHL3_K04] It is ready to recognize and respect different points of view determined by different national and cultural backgrounds; showing understanding for the world of values and attitudes of people in different periods and historical contexts | K_K04: The student is ready to recognize and respect different points of view determined by different national and cultural backgrounds; demonstrating understanding of the world of values and attitudes of people in various historical periods and contexts, especially in the context of contemporary international political and economic relations. | [SK4] test/exam - oral or written |
| [KiTHL3_U09] Can take part in debate; formulates theses and argues using the views of various authors of historical works in the field of professional literature known to him | K_U09: The student is able to take part in a debate; formulates theses and argues using the views of various authors of historical works in the known field. | [SU4] test/exam - oral or written |

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<tr><td>Subject contents</td><td>International relations as a scientific discipline<br><br>Factors shaping international relations<br><br>Actors of international relations<br><br>Subjects of international relations<br><br>Conditions of international economic relations<br><br>Poland in international relations<br><br>The Asia-Pacific region in international relations<br><br>Genesis of the Cold War<br><br>Bipolar political system in the world during the Cold War rivalry</td></tr>
<tr><td>Prerequisites and co-requisites</td><td></td></tr>
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<tr><th>Subject passing criteria</th><th>Passing threshold</th><th>Percentage of the final grade</th></tr>
<tr><td>assesment of semester work</td><td>50.0%</td><td>50.0%</td></tr>
<tr><td>assessment of the colloquium in written form</td><td>40.0%</td><td>40.0%</td></tr>
<tr><td>activity on classes, participation in discussion</td><td>10.0%</td><td>10.0%</td></tr>
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<tr><td>Recommended reading</td><td>
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<tr><td>Basic literature</td><td>Kłonczyński, An outline of contemporary international political and economic relations. Script for students<br><br>Stachura (ed.), Contemporary international political relations</td></tr>
<tr><td>Supplementary literature</td><td>Pietraś (ed.), International political relations<br><br>Bajor et al., Outline of international relations in the modern era,</td></tr>
<tr><td>eResources addresses</td><td></td></tr>
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<tr><td>Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed</td><td>Contemporary international relations - science and social reality<br><br>Subjects of international relations<br><br>Actors of contemporary international relations<br><br>Instruments of international relations<br><br>Bipolar balance of power in the world during the Cold War</td></tr>
<tr><td>Work placement</td><td>Not applicable</td></tr>
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