University of Gdańsk

Subject card

Subject name and code	Basics of Criminal Procedure - auditorium classes, PG_00131756						
Field of study	Criminology						
Date of commencement of studies	October 2026		Academic year of realisation of subject	2027/2028			
Education level	Bachelor's studies		Subject group	Obligatory subject group in the field of study 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	Department of Criminal Procedure and Criminalistics -> Faculty of Law and Administration -> Rector						
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor		dr hab. Łukasz Cora				
	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		0.0	20.0		50
Subject objectives	Students' assimilation and understanding of the basic principles of Polish criminal procedural law, understanding and assimilating to a basic extent the conceptual grid of criminal procedural law and using it freely. Knowledge of the basic regulations of procedural criminal law and the ability to interpret and apply the provisions.						

Learning outcomes	Course outcome	Subject outcome	Method of verification
	[KRYML3_U01] Is able to apply theoretical knowledge in criminology and related scientific disciplines to analyse, interpret, and solve complex and non-routine problems related to crime and security in changing and not fully predictable conditions. The graduate is able to communicate with the environment, justify their own position, and independently plan and pursue lifelong learning.	Student is able to apply knowledge in the fields of criminology, criminal procedure law, and related academic disciplines to analyze and interpret complex issues related to the conduct of criminal proceedings, particularly those concerning the determination of guilt, the collection and evaluation of evidence, and the protection of the rights of participants in the proceedings, as well as formulate and justify their own position under changing and not fully predictable conditions. They are able to independently develop and update their knowledge of criminal procedure law.	[SU1] oral statement/conversation/ discussion [SU4] test/exam - oral or written
	[KRYML3_W05] At an advanced level, knows and understands the fundamental principles of criminal liability and punishment, as well as the types, rules and institutional framework of penal measures.	Student has an advanced knowledge and understanding of the fundamental principles of criminal procedural law, the objectives and functions of criminal proceedings, the rules governing their conduct, the status and rights of participants in the proceedings, and the basic procedural institutions, including the rules for initiating, conducting, and concluding proceedings, as well as the fundamental principles of evidence-taking.	[SW4] test/exam - oral or written
	[KRYML3_U02] Is able to analyse social phenomena, participate in debates, present and critically evaluate different viewpoints, and discuss them using specialised terminology. Is also able to identify and analyse moral and legal dilemmas in professional practice.	Student is able to analyze the social and legal aspects of criminal proceedings, participate in debates concerning issues in criminal proceedings, present and evaluate various positions, and argue using appropriate legal terminology. The student is able to identify and analyze moral and legal dilemmas related to the pursuit of the objectives of criminal proceedings and the protection of the rights of participants in such proceedings.	[SU1] oral statement/conversation/ discussion [SU4] test/exam - oral or written

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2.Modes of criminal prosecution.

3.Principles of criminal trial.

4.Participants in the process and their categories

5.Selected issues of procedural actions.

6.Selected issues of evidence in the criminal trial.

7.Coercive measures in the criminal process.

8.Basic information on procedural grounds.

9.Pre-trial proceedings.

10.Proceedings before the court of first instance.

11.Appellate proceedings.

12.Code special proceedings.

13.Extraordinary remedies.</td></tr>
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<tr><td>Recommended reading</td><td><table><tr><td>Basic literature</td><td>K. Woźniewski, Prawo karne procesowe. Zarys instytucji, current edition

S. Waltoś, P. Hofmański, Proces karny. Zarys systemu, current edition</td></tr><tr><td>Supplementary literature</td><td>J. Grajewski, Przebieg procesu karnego, current edition

J. Sprack, A practical approach to criminal procedure, Oxford-New York current edition</td></tr><tr><td>eResources addresses</td><td></td></tr></table></td></tr>
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Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed	Notice of crime Victim as a party of criminal process Indictment
Work placement	Not applicable

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