University of Gdańsk

Subject card

Subject name and code	International Transport and Logistics, PG_00199441		
Field of study	International Economic Relations		
Date of commencement of studies	October 2026	Academic year of realisation of subject	2026/2027
Education level	Master'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	1	Language of instruction	Polish
Semester of study	2	ECTS credits	3.0
Learning profile	academic	Assessment form	exam
Conducting unit	Department of Sustainable Market Processes -> Faculty of Economics -> Rector		
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor	dr Magdalena Jażdżewska-Gutta	
	Teachers	dr Magdalena Jażdżewska-Gutta	

Lesson types							
	Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Project	Seminar	SUM
	Number of study hours	15.0	15.0	0.0	30.0	0.0	60
	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	60	0.0	15.0	75

Subject objectives	The aim of the course is to acquaint students with basic knowledge in the field of international transport and logistics, as well as with methods and tools that can be used in supply chain management.

Learning outcomes

Course outcome	Subject outcome	Method of verification
[MSGMU2_U09] can innovatively solve problems in the field of international economic relations and the functioning of economic entities on the international market, adapting existing or developing new methods and tools	The student is able to solve tasks in the field of transportation and international logistics in an innovative way, using existing methods and tools, and to prepare a project concerning a selected transport or logistics problem..	[SU1] oral statement/conversation/ discussion [SU2] presentation/project/paper/ report [SU4] test/exam - oral or written
[MSGMU2_W02] has an in-depth knowledge and understanding of theory in the field of international economics, international economic relations and complementary disciplines	The student is familiar with advanced terminology in the areas of transport, forwarding, logistics, and supply chain management.	[SW4] test/exam - oral or written
[MSGMU2_W09] has a knowledge of selected areas of the functioning of a modern enterprise in the national and international environment; understands the conditions, principles and consequences of decisions taken in its structures aiming at the development, and the dependencies among enterprises on the international market	The student has in-depth knowledge of the importance of transport and logistics in a modern enterprise and understands the consequences of decision-making in this area for the functioning of an enterprise in the domestic and international environment, including in the context of preparing a project on a selected transport or logistics problem.	[SW4] test/exam - oral or written [SW2] presentation/project/paper/ report
[MSGMU2_W11] has a theoretically grounded knowledge of the key issues of managing a business entity on the national and international market and of selected detailed issues of the international supply chain	The student has a theoretically grounded and in-depth knowledge of transport, logistics, and supply chain management in both national and international contexts.	[SW4] test/exam - oral or written
[MSGMU2_K01] is ready to recognise the importance of knowledge of economics in the process of identifying and solving problems in the area of international economic relations and to consult experts in case of difficulties in solving them independently	The student is ready to acknowledge the importance of knowledge in economics for solving problems in transport and logistics and to seek the opinions of experts in this field.	[SK2] presentation/project/paper/ report [SK4] test/exam - oral or written
[MSGMU2_U06] can identify types of risks related to international operations of enterprises and correctly determine their consequences and methods of mitigation, with a skilful application of theory, using appropriate research method	The student is able to identify and assess the types of risks associated with the international activities of enterprises in relation to transport, logistics, and supply chain management.	[SU2] presentation/project/paper/ report [SU4] test/exam - oral or written
[MSGMU2_U07] can plan and manage a commercial transaction on the international market, conduct effective negotiations, analyse and critically assess the course of the transaction	The student is able to plan a commercial transaction using transport and logistics services, as well as analyze and critically evaluate its course.	[SU1] oral statement/conversation/ discussion [SU2] presentation/project/paper/ report [SU4] test/exam - oral or written

Subject contents	**Lecture:** 1. Concepts and general principles of transport, freight forwarding, logistics and supply chain management 2. Maritime transport in international supply chains 3. Air cargo transport 4. Road transport in international freight operations 5. Rail and intermodal transport in international freight operations 6. Logistics infrastructure and the organisation of logistics networks 7. Logistics strategies of international enterprises 8. Contemporary challenges and development trends in logistics **Classes:** 1. Internationalisation of enterprise logistics 2. Planning of an international logistics network 3. Logistics customer service and transport decisions 4. Lean game and improvement of logistics processes 5. Transport documents and delivery terms in practice 6. Case studies in transportation and international logistics 7. Student project presentations and summary of classes During consultations, students' individual questions will be discussed, doubts will be clarified, and additional explanations concerning the course content will be provided. Project preparation: 30 hours. Students prepare a presentation on a selected issue in transportation and international logistics. The work includes choosing and defining the scope of the topic, searching for academic literature, legal acts, international conventions, industry reports and company materials, analysing the selected transport or logistics problem, preparing presentation materials, and formulating conclusions for class discussion.
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Knowledge of the basics, principles, and procedures of international trade, the organization and functioning of global enterprises, and the fundamentals of microeconomics.

Assessment methods and criteria

Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade
Project/presentation	51.0%	35.0%
Active participation	51.0%	10.0%
Written exam	51.0%	55.0%

Recommended reading

Basic literature	J. Neider, Transport międzynarodowy, IV wyd. zmienione, Polskie Wydawnictwo Ekonomiczne, Warszawa 2019. J. Neider, Leksykon: transport, spedycja, logistyka, Polska Izba Spedycji i Logistyki, Gdynia 2015 C.C. Bozarth, R.B. Handfield, Wprowadzenie do zarządzania operacjami i łańcuchem dostaw, Wyd. 5, Helion, Gliwice 2021. Podręcznik spedytora, pod red. J. Neidera i D. Marciniak-Neider, Polska Izba Spedycji i Logistyki, Gdynia 2023.

	Supplementary literature	Usługi logistyczne, red. W. Rydzkowski, Biblioteka Logistyka, Poznań 2011. J. Witkowski, Zarządzanie łańcuchem dostaw. Koncepcje - Procedury - Doświadczenia, PWE, Warszawa 2010 D. Marciniak-Neider, Warunki dostaw towarów w handlu zagranicznym, Polska Izba Spedycji i Logistyki, Gdynia 2020. M. Jażdżewska-Gutta, Transport i spedycja w handlu międzynarodowym [w:] Transport, ubezpieczenia i spedycja w handlu międzynarodowym - poradnik dla przedsiębiorców, red. J. Kowalska, A. Nagrodkiewicz, Polska Agencja Rozwoju Przedsiębiorczości, Warszawa 2011.
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Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed		
Work placement	Not applicable	

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