University of Gdańsk

Subject card

Subject name and code	The Profession of Anthropologist, PG_00200597		
Field of study	Ethnology		
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
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	credit
Conducting unit	Division of Polish Ethnology and Anthropology of History -> Institute of Anthropology -> Faculty of History -> Rector		
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor	dr Małgorzata Dubasiewicz	
	Teachers		

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						

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	18.0	50

Subject objectives	
	1.To familiarise students with the contemporary labour market and its requirements 2.To present areas of the economy in which anthropologists may find employment 3.To present professional biographies of anthropologists working in various companies, institutions 4. to establish contacts with potential employers

Learning outcomes

Course outcome	Subject outcome	Method of verification
[ETNOL3_W12] Has an advanced knowledge of cultural institutions, their significance in the transmission, maintenance, and creation of cultural values; is up-to-date with contemporary cultural life	_W12 He/she has knowledge of the cultural institution in which she/he my find work and of their importance in the transmission maintenance and creation of cultural goods	[SW3] text preparation/written work [SW5] implementation of a problem task
[ETNOL3_U11] Is able to apply aquired knowledge of cultural and religious studies to formulate and solve complex and unusual problems in unpredictable situations. Is able to independently select theoretical and research tools appropriate for changing cultural and social phenomena	_U11 Can independently plan his/her own career path taking into account ethnological (anthropological) training and skills	[SU1] oral statement/conversation/discussion [SU5] implementation of a problem task
[ETNOL3_K05] Is aware of the dilemmas associated with practicing the profession	_K05 Is aware of the ethical and professional dilemmas asocciaded with practising anthropology	[SK1] oral statement/conversation/discussion [SK5] implementation of a problem task
[ETNOL3_W09] Knows and understands basic concepts and principles of industrial property protection and copyright law	_W09 He/she knows and understands the principles of industrial property protection and copyright and understands the need to respect them	[SW2] presentation/project/paper/report [SW3] text preparation/written work
[ETNOL3_K03] Is willing to think and act in an entrepreneurial manner	_K01 Is ready to think and act in an entrepreneurial and innovative way respond to the changing needs of the institution and the economy	[SK3] text preparation/written work [SK5] implementation of a problem task
[ETNOL3_K06] Is convinced of the importance of behaving in a professional manner, reflecting on ethical issues, and observing professional ethics	_K06 Has a belief in the importance of behaving in a professional manner , and adhering to the professional ethics of the anthropologist	[SK1] oral statement/conversation/discussion [SK5] implementation of a problem task
[ETNOL3_U10] Can effectively plan and organise their work individually and in a team	_U10 Can plan and organise individual and team work effecitively	[SU5] implementation of a problem task
[ETNOL3_W11] Knows and understands basic principles of creation and development of various forms of entrepreneurship	_W11 Knows the principles, stages of creation and development of varoious forms of entrepreneurship related to ethnology and cultural anthropology	[SW2] presentation/project/paper/report [SW5] implementation of a problem task

Subject contents

1.Introduction to labour market issues, familiarising students with skills and attitudes valued by employers;

2.To familiarise students with a wide range of companies, institutions in which anthropologists can potentially find employment;

3.To learn about the good practice of interviewing invited anthropologists who work in various institutions, companies, run their own businesses;

4.Visits to selected companies/institutions and learning about their specifics

Prerequisites and co-requisites

Assessment methods and criteria

Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade
Active patricipation in activites	0.0%	30.0%
Written credit work	51.0%	70.0%

Recommended reading	Basic literature	*Anthropology involved* (?), eds. F. Wróblewski, Ł. Sochacki, J. Steblik, Wydawnictwo UJ, Kraków 2008 Drucker P., *Post-capitalist society,* trans. G. Kranas, Wydawnictwo Naukowe PWN, Warszawa 1999 Dobrzyński K., Wartecki A.,S*elected issues of organizing and managing cultural institutions,* Poznań 2004 Robbins S.P., DeCenzo D.A. ,*Management basics,* trans. A. Ihrlich, , Warszawa 2002
	Supplementary literature	*Professional culture of ethnologists in Poland,* eds. M. Brocki, K. Górny, W. Kuligowski, Wrocław 2006 Hastrup K., *The road to anthropology. Between experience and theory*, transl. E. Klekot, Kraków 2008
	eResources addresses	
Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed	What can you do after graduating in ethnology ? Social researcher skills valued by employers. Qualitative research - an opportunity for anthropologists.	
Work placement	Not applicable	

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