University of Gdańsk

Subject card

Subject name and code	Marine Geology Seminar I, PG_00204999		
Field of study	Oceanography		
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 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	1	Language of instruction	Polish
Semester of study	1	ECTS credits	4.0
Learning profile	academic	Assessment form	credit
Conducting unit	Laboratory of Marine Geology -> Department of Chemical Oceanography and Marine Geology -> Faculty of Oceanography and Geography -> Rector		
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor	dr hab. Małgorzata Witak, prof. UG	
	Teachers		

Lesson types

Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Project	Seminar	SUM
Number of study hours	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	30.0	30

E-learning hours included: 0.0

Additional information:

presentation, discussion, outline of the master's thesis

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	3.0	67.0	100

Subject objectives

Learning about the issues of the Master's thesis based on literature sources.

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<tr><td>[OCEANMU2-U02] is able to fluently and accurately use scientific terminology when presenting and discussing oceanographic issues, and to propose and justify innovative solutions</td><td>can be fluent and properly apply scientific terminology in presenting and discussing problems in the field of marine geology</td><td>[SU1] oral statement/conversation/ discussion
[SU2] presentation/project/paper/ report</td></tr>
<tr><td>[OCEANMU2-W01] knows and understands in-depth specialized terminology used in oceanography and related sciences (in Polish and a selected foreign language)</td><td>knows and understands, at an advanced level, the terminology used in marine geology in field of master's thesis and related sciences (in Polish and selected foreign language)</td><td>[SW1] oral statement/ conversation/discussion
[SW2] presentation/project/paper/ report</td></tr>
<tr><td>[OCEANMU2-W05] knows and understands the principles of planning and conducting field and laboratory research as well as advanced methods and tools of scientific research, especially in the field of the studied specialty</td><td>knows and understands in depth the principles of planning and conducting field and laboratory research and the applied research methods and tools necessary to carry out the chosen master's thesis</td><td>[SW1] oral statement/ conversation/discussion
[SW2] presentation/project/paper/ report</td></tr>
<tr><td>[OCEANMU2-U08] is able to prepare a study of a given issue/ problem in Polish and a selected foreign language in written form (short scientific text, documented research work) and orally (paper, presentation) and discuss with specialists on topics related to oceanographic issues, with particular emphasis on the studied specialty</td><td>is able to prepare a thesis outline and an oral presentation (paper) and to discuss topics related to the thesis</td><td>[SU2] presentation/project/paper/ report</td></tr>
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<tr><td>Subject contents</td><td>Selection of the problem area pursued in the thesis. Characteristics of the chosen area of research. Principles of correct preparation of literature list in scientific works. Construction of the thesis Presentation of selected geological aspects in the form of a verbal presentation. Dissertation outline.</td></tr>
<tr><td>Prerequisites and co-requisites</td><td></td></tr>
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<tr><td>participation in the discussion</td><td>51.0%</td><td>20.0%</td></tr>
<tr><td>synopsis</td><td>51.0%</td><td>30.0%</td></tr>
<tr><td>presentation</td><td>51.0%</td><td>50.0%</td></tr>
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<tr><td>Basic literature</td><td>Subject-specific literature, depending on the topic of the master's thesis</td></tr>
<tr><td>Supplementary literature</td><td>Subject-specific literature, depending on the topic of the master's thesis</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>1. Present the problem statement of the thesis.

2.Present the characteristics of the research area</td></tr>
<tr><td>Work placement</td><td>Not applicable</td></tr>
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