

Subject card

Subject name and code	Prison Life Sociology - lecture, PG_00201624						
Field of study	Criminology and Criminal Justice						
Date of commencement of studies	October 2027		Academic year of realisation of subject		2028/2029		
Education level	Bachelor's studies		Subject group		Optional subject group		
Mode of study	full-time studies		Mode of delivery		at the university		
Year of study	2		Language of instruction		English		
Semester of study	3		ECTS credits		4.0		
Learning profile	academic		Assessment form		credit		
Conducting unit	Faculty of Law and Administration -> Rector						
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor		dr hab. Anna Babicka-Wirkus				
	Teachers						
Lesson types	Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Project	Seminar	SUM
	Number of study hours	15.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	15
	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	15		2.0		83.0	100
Subject objectives	The aim of the course is to familiarize students with the specificity of prison subculture in the sociological aspect.						

Learning outcomes	Course outcome	Subject outcome	Method of verification
	[CCJL3_K01] is prepared to actively participate in groups, social or legal projects, organisations and institutions related to criminology in its broadest sense and to the administration of justice, while being able to communicate with both specialists and non-specialists in criminology.	Is aware of the need to expand competencies and professional qualifications as well as improve skills, and is able to independently determine directions for his/her own development and education.	[SK1] oral statement/conversation/discussion
	[CCJL3_W05] has advanced knowledge of the human being, particularly as an entity shaping social structures and the principles governing their functioning, as well as functioning within these structures.	Possesses basic knowledge about human functioning in a complex social reality.	[SW2] presentation/project/paper/report
	[CCJL3_W02] Has advanced knowledge and understanding of facts, concepts, and relationships between selected natural and social phenomena, as well as products of human thought, particularly from the perspective of legal determinants related to prohibited acts, as well as the etiology and phenomenology of crime, key social and psychological phenomena, and the fundamental dilemmas of contemporary civilization connected with security, crime, and the protection of human rights.	Has advanced skills in observing, diagnosing, and rationally assessing universal psychological situations, as well as analyzing the motives and patterns of human behavior.	[SW2] presentation/project/paper/report
Subject contents	Prison life sociology introductory remarks Penitentiary institutions in Poland Prison as a difficult situation Conflicts in prison isolation Second life in prison Prison tattoos and their meanings Language specificity in a penitentiary institution Jailbirds Dangerous prisoners Juvenile offenders Women in prison		
Prerequisites and co-requisites	None		
Assessment methods and criteria	Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade
	presentation	51.0%	100.0%

Recommended reading	Basic literature	Bosworth M. (2010). <i>Explaining U.S. Imprisonment</i>. SAGE. Condry R. & Schaff S. (2018). <i>Prisons, Punishment, and the Family: Towards a New Sociology of Punishment?</i> Oxford University Press. Foucault M. (1995). <i>Discipline and Punish: The Birth of the Prison</i>. Trans. A. Sheridan. Pollock J.M. (Ed.) (2006). <i>Prisons: Today and Tomorrow</i>. Second Ed. Jones and Bartlett Publishers. Scott D. & Flynn N. (2014). <i>Prison & Punishment</i>. SAGE.
	Supplementary literature	Ciosek M., Psychologia sądowa i penitencjarna, Warszawa 2001 <i>Forum Penitencjarne</i> Harvey J. (2012). <i>Young men in Prison. Surviving and adapting to life inside</i>. Routledge. Kamiński M. M., <i>Gry więzienne</i>, Warszawa 2006 Moczydłowski P., <i>Drugie życie więzienia</i>, Warszawa, 2002 <i>Przegląd Penitencjarny i Kryminologiczny</i> <i>Przegląd Więziennictwa Polskiego</i> Przybyliński S., <i>Podkultura więzienna wielowymiarowość rzeczywistości penitencjarnej</i>, Kraków 2010. Przybyliński S., <i>Więźniowie niebezpieczni ukryty świat penitencjarny</i>, Kraków 2012
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Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed		
Work placement	Not applicable	

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