University of Gdańsk

Subject card

Subject name and code	State Security Strategy (Classes), PG_00205619						
Field of study	National Security						
Date of commencement of studies	October 2027		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 practical vocational preparation		
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		2.0		
Learning profile	practical		Assessment form		credit		
Conducting unit	Faculty of Social Sciences -> Rector						
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor		dr Piotr Robakowski				
	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	The objective of the course "Security Strategy" is to equip students with advanced knowledge and skills necessary for analyzing, developing, and implementing security strategies at various organizational levels. Students will be introduced to the theoretical foundations of security strategy, including threat analysis, risk assessment, and crisis management. The course also covers the study of global and local security trends, the role of international institutions, and the impact of politics.						

Learning outcomes

Course outcome	Subject outcome	Method of verification
[BNL3_U13] Is prepared to actively participate in public life, able to formulate opinions, take positions, engage in discussions, and assess the risk and potential consequences of actions undertaken in the field of security.	He assesses the risk and potential consequences involved in the implementation of various security strategies.	[SU4] test/exam - oral or written
[BNL3_U12] Is able to analyse and evaluate the political decision-making process in the context of security activities.	He is capable of analyzing and evaluating the political decision-making process in the context of creating security policy	[SU4] test/exam - oral or written
[BNL3_K05] Is able to prioritize goals and methods of action, and to think and act in an entrepreneurial manner.	He possesses the ability to prioritize goals and methods of action within the framework of security strategies. `	[SK1] oral statement/conversation/ discussion
[BNL3_K04] Is prepared to be active in the labour market and is aware of the need to improve qualifications for responsible performance of professional roles.	He is prepared for the job market and is aware of the necessity of continuously improving his qualifications.	[SK1] oral statement/conversation/ discussion
[BNL3_W10] Has advanced knowledge of the activities of public institutions working to promote security.	He has knowledge about activities of public institutions functioning in the area of security strategy."	[SW1] oral statement/ conversation/discussion
[BNL3_W09] Has knowledge of the essence, dynamics and specificity of security threats in various spheres of social life.	He has basic knowledge about the nature, dynamics, and specifics of security threats as reflected in various strategies.	[SW1] oral statement/ conversation/discussion
[BNL3_W14] Has knowledge of the principles of creating and developing various forms of entrepreneurship, including individual, local, and social entrepreneurship, in the context of security-related issues.	He knows and understands the principles of creating and developing various forms of entrepreneurship, including individual, local, and social entrepreneurship, within the framework of achieving specific strategic goals.	[SW4] test/exam - oral or written [SW1] oral statement/ conversation/discussion
[BNL3_U06] Is able to analyse the causes and effects of security threats and indicates countermeasures. Plans own and team's work in the field of threat analysis and risk assessment.	He is capable of analyzing the causes and effects of security threats as reflected in various strategies.	[SU1] oral statement/conversation/ discussion
[BNL3_W11] Has advanced knowledge about security strategies at the provincial and national levels.	He has basic knowledge of security strategies at both the regional (provincial) and national levels.	[SW4] test/exam - oral or written

Subject contents	**Introduction to Security Strategy:** **Definitions and Basic Concepts History and Development of Security Strategy** **White Paper on Security:** • Analysis of Key Assumptions and Objectives • Role of the White Paper in Shaping Security Policy • Examples of Applications and Case Studies **National Security Strategy:** • Goals and Priorities of the National Security Strategy • Process of Creating and Implementing the Strategy • Impact of the Strategy on Defense and Internal Security Policy **European Union Development Strategy:** • Goals and Directions of EU Development • Links between EU Development and Security • International Cooperation and the Role of the EU in the Global Security System **Cybersecurity Strategy:** • Definition and Importance of Cybersecurity • Threats and Challenges in Cyberspace • Methods and Tools for Protection against Cyber Attacks • Examples of Cyber Attacks and Their Consequences **Social Strategy:** • Social Security as an Element of Security Strategy • Social Policies and Their Impact on Stability and Security • Role of Social Institutions in Ensuring Security **Sustainable Development Strategy:** • Concept of Sustainable Development and Its Importance for Security • Sustainable Development and Natural Resource Management • Examples of Implementing Sustainable Development Strategies in the Context of Security **Application of Security Strategy in Practice:** • Case Studies and Analysis of Real Scenarios • Workshops and Practical Projects **Summary and Conclusions:** • Key Conclusions from the Analysis of Security Strategies • Future Challenges and Directions for the Development of Security Strategies
Prerequisites and co-requisites	
Assessment methods and criteria	

Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade
	60.0%	20.0%
	60.0%	80.0%

Recommended reading	Basic literature	• **Andrzej Misiuk, "Bezpieczeństwo wewnętrzne w Polsce. Zarys systemu", Wydawnictwo: PWN, 2013** • **Tomasz Aleksandrowicz, "Cyberbezpieczeństwo. Zarys problematyki", Wydawnictwo: Difin, 2016** • **Bogdan Zdrodowski, "Polityka bezpieczeństwa Polski", Wydawnictwo: Aspra-JR, 2014** • **Marek Chodakiewicz, "Bezpieczeństwo międzynarodowe", Wydawnictwo: Arcana, 2010** • **Jerzy Stańczyk, "Współczesne bezpieczeństwo narodowe", Wydawnictwo: Difin, 2016**
	Supplementary literature	• **tr Sienkiewicz, "Bezpieczeństwo informacyjne państwa", Wydawnictwo: Scholar, 2012** • **Robert Czulda, "Bezpieczeństwo energetyczne Polski", Wydawnictwo: UŁ, 2013** • **Europes Common Security and Defence Policy: Capacity-Building, Experiential Learning and Institutional Change" by Michael E. Smith**
	eResources addresses	

Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed	**Definitions and Basic Concepts of Security Strategy:** • Define the concept of security strategy. • Discuss the differences between national security strategy and defense strategy. **History and Development of Security Strategy:** • Provide a brief historical overview of the development of security strategy. • What were the key events and documents influencing the shaping of security strategy? **White Paper on Security:** • Explain the role of the White Paper on Security in shaping security policy. • Discuss the main assumptions and objectives of the White Paper on Security. **National Security Strategy:** • List and discuss the goals and priorities of the National Security Strategy. • Describe the process of creating and implementing the National Security Strategy. **European Union Development Strategy:** • What are the main goals and directions of the European Unions development in the context of security? • Discuss the links between the development of the EU and international security. **Cybersecurity Strategy:** • Define cybersecurity and discuss its significance in the context of contemporary threats. • What are the main threats and challenges in cyberspace? **Social Strategy:** • Discuss the importance of social security as an element of the security strategy. • How do social policies impact the stability and security of a state? **Sustainable Development Strategy:** • Explain the concept of sustainable development and its significance for security strategy. • Provide examples of the implementation of sustainable development strategies in the context of security. **Application of Security Strategy in Practice:** • Present a case study illustrating the effective implementation of a security strategy. • What are the key lessons learned from the analysis of real scenarios related to security? **Analysis of Future Challenges in the Field of Security:** • What are the future challenges for security strategy at the national and international levels? • What are the predicted directions for the development of security strategies in the coming decades? **Impact of Globalization on Security Strategy:** • Discuss the impact of globalization on shaping security strategies. • What are the main benefits and threats associated with globalization in the context of security? **Role of International Organizations in Security Strategy:** • What role do international organizations (e.g., UN, NATO) play in security strategy? • Provide examples of international cooperation in the field of security.
Work placement	Not applicable

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