

Intercultural Communication II Educational subject description sheet

Basic information

Study programme

Studia o Niemczech

Speciality

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Organizational unit

Collegium Polonicum Słubice

Study level

First-cycle programme

Study form

Full-time

Education profile

General academic

Didactic cycle

2024/25

Subject code

31SONS.12HS.00867.24

Lecture languages

German

Course type

Obligatory

Block

Humanities and social subjects

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Period	Activities and hours	Number of
Semester 2	Classes: 30, Graded credit; including sub-activities:	ECTS points
	Synchronous classes: 25	4

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Goals

Code	Goal
C1	Developing intercultural communicative competence; understanding the essence of "cultural standards".
C2	Developing the ability to analyse so-called "critical incidents".
C3	Understanding cultural diversity and its impact on effective communication (German-Polish, German-US American, German-Ukrainian etc.) and efficient action.
C4	Acquiring knowledge of dimensions of intercultural differences by R. Gesteland.
C5	Understanding the impact of cultural differences on intercultural negotiations.
C6	Understanding the impact of cultural differences on nonverbal communication.
C7	Developing an awareness of cultural and multicultural diversity in Europe.
C8	Developing an attitude of openness towards otherness.

Entry requirements

no

Subject learning outcomes

Code	Outcomes in terms of	Learning outcomes	Examination methods
Knowled	lge - Student:	1	
W1	has general knowledge of the theory of culture and communication and know the main types of cultures;	SON_K1_W01, SON_K1_W02, SON_K1_W03	Written colloquium
Skills - 9	Student:		'
U1	characterizes and analyse different cultures using the typologies he/she has learned;	SON_K1_U02, SON_K1_U03, SON_K1_U04, SON_K1_U11, SON_K1_U12	Written colloquium, Project, Multimedia presentation
U2	searches for information on the topics discussed using a variety of Polish and German-language sources;	SON_K1_U02, SON_K1_U12	Written colloquium, Project, Multimedia presentation
U3	understands cultural diversity and its impact on effective communication and performance;	SON_K1_U03, SON_K1_U04	Written colloquium, Project, Multimedia presentation
U4	engages in discourse and critical reflection on the content presented;	SON_K1_U04, SON_K1_U06, SON_K1_U08	Project, Multimedia presentation
Social competences - Student:			
K1	is aware of cultural and worldview diversity;	SON_K1_K01, SON_K1_K06	Project

Study content

No.	Course content	Subject learning outcomes	Activities
1.	Cultural standards and their impact on intercultural communication.	W1, U1, U2, U3, K1	Classes, Synchronous classes
2.	"Critical incidents" in intercultural communication (German-Polish, German-US American, German- Ukrainian) – case studies.	W1, U1, U2, U3, U4, K1	Classes, Synchronous classes
3.	Dimensions of cultural differences according to R. Gesteland.	W1, U1, U2, U3, K1	Classes, Synchronous classes
4.	Intercultural negotiations – the profiles of negotiators.	U1, U3, U4, K1	Classes, Synchronous classes
5.	Intercultural negotiations - simulation games.	U2, U3, U4, K1	Classes, Synchronous classes
6.	Nonverbal communication in an intercultural context.	U1, U2, U3, U4, K1	Classes, Synchronous classes

Additional information

Activities	Teaching and learning methods and activities	
Classes	Discussion, Work with text, Case study, Problem-based learning, Game/simulation, Workshop method, Project method, Audio and/or video demonstrations, Work in groups	

Activities	Credit conditions
Classes	A prerequisite for successful completion of the course is the completion of a project and presentation of its results in the form of a multimedia presentation via the MS-Teams platform, as well as the completion of a written colloquium.

Literature

Obligatory

- 1. Bolten, Jürgen: Interkulturelle Kompetenz. Erfurt: Landeszentrale für politische Bildung Thüringen, 2003.
- 2. Fink, L./ Gruttauer, S./ Thomas, A.: Beruflich in der Ukraine. Trainingsprogramm für Manager, Fach- und Führungskräfte. Göttingen: Vandenhoeck & Ruprecht, 2009.
- 3. Fischer, Katrin/ Thomas, Alexander/ Dünstl, Sonja: Beruflich in Polen. Trainingsprogramm für Manager, Fach- und Führungskräfte (Handlungskompetenz im Ausland). Göttingen: Vandenhoeck & Ruprecht, 2007.
- 4. Heringer, Hans Jürgen: Interkulturelle Kommunikation. Tübingen/ Basel: A. Francke Verlag, 2014.
- 5. Slate, E.J./ Schroll-Machl, S.: Beruflich in den USA. Trainingsprogramm für Manager, Fach- und Führungskräfte. Göttingen: Vandenhoeck & Ruprecht, 2009.

Optional

1. Wilczyńska, Weronika/ Mackiewicz, Maciej/ Krajka, Jarosław: Komunikacja interkulturowa. Wprowadzenie. Poznań: Wydawnictwo Naukowe UAM, 2019.

Calculation of ECTS points

Activities	Activity hours*
Classes	30

Preparation for classes	15
Preparation of a multimedia presentation	15
Preparation of a project	20
Preparation for the exam	20
Student workload	Hours 100
Number of ECTS points	ECTS 4

^{*} academic hour = 45 minutes

Efekty uczenia się dla kierunku

Kod	Treść
SON_K1_K01	The graduate is ready to constantly updating knowledge and skills and demonstrating openness to new ideas
SON_K1_K06	The graduate is ready to adopt an attitude of openness and tolerance towards other cultures
SON_K1_U02	The graduate can make appropriate use of acquired subject knowledge to formulate and analyse research problems and to justify their choices
SON_K1_U03	The graduate can correctly select and use methods, tools, research paradigms and concepts appropriate for the study of cultural texts, with particular emphasis on German studies and Polish-German relations
SON_K1_U04	The graduate can interpret literary and other cultural texts on the basis of the knowledge gained and using standard methods and tools typical of literary, linguistic and cultural studies in the context of German studies and Polish-German relations
SON_K1_U06	The graduate can argue factually and professionally and formulate conclusions using the views of other authors in German
SON_K1_U08	The graduate can reflect on their own written and oral contributions and modify them under the supervision of the lecturer/tutor
SON_K1_U11	The graduate can prepare oral presentations in German on topics related to literary, linguistic, historical and cultural studies in the context of German studies and German-Polish relations
SON_K1_U12	The graduate can is able to use German in accordance with the requirements of level B2+ of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages and a second modern language (English) at level A2+ of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages
SON_K1_W01	The graduate knows and understands the place, significance and interrelationship of literary, linguistic and cultural studies with other human sciences, in particular philosophy, history, art studies and social sciences in the context of German studies and German-Polish relations
SON_K1_W02	The graduate knows and understands to an advanced degree, topics, concepts and issues in literary and linguistic studies and cultural sciences, history and intercultural communication
SON_K1_W03	The graduate knows and understands to an advanced degree, the terminology, theories and methodologies of literary and linguistic studies, intercultural studies and cultural sciences, history and intercultural communication, as well as their application in the study of cultural texts with a particular emphasis on German studies and German-Polish relations,