



Subject card

Subject name and code	Basics of Earth Science, PG_00042798						
Field of study	Environmental Engineering						
Date of commencement of studies	October 2021	Academic year of realisation of subject			2021/2022		
Education level	first-cycle 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	1	Language of instruction			Polish		
Semester of study	1	ECTS credits			5.0		
Learning profile	general academic profile	Assessment form			exam		
Conducting unit	Department of Geotechnics, Geology and Marine Civil Engineering -> Faculty of Civil and Environmental Engineering						
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor	dr hab. Małgorzata Pruszkowska-Caceres					
	Teachers	dr inż. Maria Przewłocka, doc. PG dr hab. inż. Beata Jaworska-Szulc dr hab. Małgorzata Pruszkowska-Caceres					
Lesson types and methods of instruction	Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Project	Seminar	SUM
	Number of study hours	30.0	15.0	15.0	0.0	0.0	60
	E-learning hours included: 0.0						
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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	60	8.0		60.0		128
Subject objectives	Student gets acquainted with internal and external geological processes, their influence on abiotic environment of men; ability to interpret geological maps and cross-sections.						
Learning outcomes	Course outcome	Subject outcome			Method of verification		
	[K6_U04] can recognize basic rocks and minerals, can create and read maps and geological and hydrogeological sections; can read and interpret geological documentation	Student identifies and describes common rock forming minerals and common rocks – igneous, sedimentary and metamorphic. Student analyzes and interprets geological maps, cross-sections, measurements of layer orientation (the dip and the strike).			[SU1] Assessment of task fulfilment [SU2] Assessment of ability to analyse information		
	[K6_W13] understands processes shaping the surface of the Earth and processes leading to the formation of deposits of mineral, rock and fossil fuels; understands the water cycle in nature, the mechanisms of formation of groundwater resources; has a structured and theoretically founded knowledge in the field of geology, hydrogeology, and hydrology	Student describes internal and external geological processes; explains natural geological threats; interprets the influence of geological processes on the Earth's relief and mineral composition.			[SW1] Assessment of factual knowledge		

Subject contents	<p>Lecture: geological time, the Earth's origin, the Earth's layers, basis of stratigraphy; internal processes (volcanism, plutonism, metamorphism); plate tectonic theory; basis of tectonics; isostasy; the rock cycle; external processes (weathering, erosion, mass wasting); glacial, stream, marine, eolian processes.</p> <p>Laboratory: minerals (definition, physical properties, origin, identification of basic minerals), igneous, sedimentary, metamorphic rocks (origin, mineral composition, textures, classification, identification);</p> <p>Tutorials: geological intersection, geological maps analysis, geological cross-section drawing</p>		
Prerequisites and co-requisites	geography, chemistry – level of secondary school		
Assessment methods and criteria	Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade
	practical exercises	100.0%	20.0%
	written exam	60.0%	50.0%
	colloquiums	60.0%	30.0%
Recommended reading	Basic literature	<p>1. Mizerski W: Geologia dynamiczna. Wyd. Naukowe PWN, Warszawa 2006 (2004)</p> <p>2. Książkiewicz M: Geologia dynamiczna. Wyd. Geologiczne, Warszawa 1979</p> <p>3. Jaroszewski W: Przewodnik do ćwiczeń z geologii dynamicznej. Wyd. Geologiczne, Warszawa 1986</p> <p>4. Czubla P, Mizerski W, Świerczewska-Gładysz E: Przewodnik do ćwiczeń z geologii. Wyd. Naukowe PWN, W-wa 2004</p>	
	Supplementary literature	<p>1. Jaroszewski W, Marks L, Radomski A: Słownik geologii dynamicznej. Wyd. Geologiczne, Warszawa 1985</p> <p>2. Roniewicz P: Przewodnik do ćwiczeń z geologii dynamicznej. Polska Agencja Ekolog., Warszawa 1999</p> <p>3. Thompson & Turk: Modern Physical Geology Saunders College Publishing, 1996</p>	
	eResources addresses	<p>Podstawy nauk o ziemi 2021/2022 - Moodle ID: 17559 https://enauczanie.pg.edu.pl/moodle/course/view.php?id=17559</p>	
Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed	<p>Indicate geological events occurring at divergent plate boundaries</p> <p>What are the main rock forming minerals of gabbro; indicate the stage of magma crystallization for this rock.</p> <p>Describe conditions of granite forming</p> <p>What is the subduction zone ?</p> <p>What are the main processes responsible for the Earth relief?</p>		
Work placement	Not applicable		