



Subject card

Subject name and code	Architect's Professional Ethics, PG_00067461						
Field of study	Architecture						
Date of commencement of studies	October 2025		Academic year of realisation of subject		2026/2027		
Education level	second-cycle studies		Subject group		Obligatory subject group in the field of study Humanistic-social 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	2		Language of instruction		Polish		
Semester of study	3		ECTS credits		2.0		
Learning profile	general academic profile		Assessment form		exam		
Conducting unit	Department Of Housing And Architecture Of Public Buildings -> Faculty Of Architecture -> Wydział Politechniki Gdańskiej						
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor		dr hab. inż. Robert Idem				
	Teachers						
Lesson types and methods of instruction	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		33.0	50
Subject objectives	The aim of the course is to acquire knowledge about the social role of architects and the competence to carry out independent activities in the field of architecture.						
Learning outcomes	Course outcome		Subject outcome		Method of verification		
	[K7_K01] is ready to undertake and perform work in a professional manner, including compliance with the principles of professional ethics and taking responsibility for the taken actions		Is aware of the professional responsibility related to the profession of architect.		[SK5] Assessment of ability to solve problems that arise in practice		
	[K7_W06] knows and understands the nature of the architectural profession and its role in society, and the principles of professional presentation of architectural and urban concepts		Has knowledge of the social challenges of architecture.		[SW1] Assessment of factual knowledge		
Subject contents	<div>- The profession of architect as a function of responsibility</div> <div>- Perception of the profession of architect as a profession of public trust</div> <div>- Codification of professional deontology norms</div> <div>- Code of Professional Ethics for Architects</div> <div>- Standards of professional performance and scope of services of an architect</div> <div>- Professional ethics in practice - examples</div>						

Prerequisites and co-requisites			
Assessment methods and criteria	Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade
	final test	60.0%	80.0%
	written work	60.0%	20.0%
Recommended reading	Basic literature	Idem R., Ethical aspects of the sustainable architectural design, Architectus, 2/2011 Kodeks Etyki Zawodowej Architektów, IARP, 2005 Kuczyński K., Zawód-architekt: o etyce zawodowej i moralności architektury, Oficyna Wydawnicza PW, 2004 Kuczyński K., Warsztat architektoniczny jako funkcja etyki zawodowej, 1985 Standardy wykonywania zawodu i zakres usług architekta, IARP, 2006	
	Supplementary literature	Fisher T., Ethics for Architects, 50 Dilemmas of Professional Practice, Princeton Architectural Press, 2010 Wasserman B., Sullivan P., Palermo G., Ethics and the Practice of Architecture, John Wiley and Sons, 2000	
	eResources addresses	Adresy na platformie eNauczanie:	
Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed	Architects have an obligation to the public to act in accordance with a/ the spirit and letter of the law b/ the letter of the law c/ the spirit of the law		
Work placement	Not applicable		

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