

Subject card

Subject name and code	AGING ECONOMY, PG_00067185							
Field of study	EKONOMIA STARZENIA SIĘ							
Date of commencement of studies	October 2024		Academic year of realisation of subject			2025/2026		
Education level	first-cycle studies		Subject group		Optional 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	4		ECTS credits		2.0			
Learning profile	general academic profile		Assessment form			assessment		
Conducting unit	Department of Entrepreneurship and Institutional Environment -> Faculty of Management and Economics -> Faculties of Gdańsk University of Technology						Economics ->	
Name and surname	Subject supervisor dr inż. Anita Richert-Kaźmierska							
of lecturer (lecturers)	Teachers							
Lesson types	Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Projec			SUM
	Number of study hours	0.0	30.0 0.0 0.0		0.0		0.0	30
		-learning hours included: 0.0					-	
Learning activity and number of study hours	Learning activity	Participation in classes include plan		Participation in consultation hours		Self-study		SUM
	Number of study hours	30		5.0		15.0		50
Subject objectives	The aim of the course is to prepare students for interdisciplinary and practice-oriented analysis of the economic, social, and demographic processes associated with population ageing, drawing on knowledge from economics, social policy, management, and new technologies. It also seeks to develop students ability to critically use data and propose solutions for the labour market, pension systems, the silver economy, and the social services sector, while fostering attitudes of responsibility, collaboration, and ethical reflection in the face of contemporary societal challenges							
Learning outcomes	Course out	come	Subject outcome Method of verification				fication	
	[K6_U06] Acquires new specialized knowledge related to the field of economic analytics by planning a personal lifelong learning strategy		The student is able to acquire and systematize new knowledge in the field of the economics of ageing by applying methods of economic analysis, demographic forecasting, and comparative social policy analysis. They subsequently use this knowledge to interpret processes occurring in the labour market, pension systems, the silver economy, and care services, while planning their own competency development within a lifelong-learning framework			[SU1] Ocena realizacji zadania [SU3] Ocena umiejętności wykorzystania wiedzy uzyskanej w ramach przedmiotu [SU5] Ocena umiejętności zaprezentowania wyników realizacji zadania		
	[K6_K03] Critically evaluates their own knowledge necessary to solve cognitive and practical problems, supplementing gaps with input from external experts.		The student is prepared to critically evaluate and select knowledge related to the economics of ageing, drawing on demographic and economic data, expert opinions from the fields of economics, social policy, and gerontology, as well as the outcomes of group discussions. They then formulate responsible conclusions that take into account social, ethical, and economic consequences in the context of demographic challenges and public policies			[SK5] Ocena umiejętności rozwiązywania problemów występujących w praktyce [SK1] Ocena umiejętności pracy w grupie [SK4] Ocena umiejętności komunikacji, w tym poprawności językowej		

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Subject contents	Course content – exercises Demographic ageing of the population versus ageing of society						
	Territorial differentiation in the pace and scale of demographic ageing						
	Factors determining the progression of ageing in Polish society						
	Population ageing and economic development						
	The labour market in the context of demographic ageing						
	The silver economy						
	Age management and age-diverse team management in enterprises						
	Pension systems						
	The care system for older adults						
	Telecare and telemedicine in care for older adults						
	Gerontechnology						
	Intergenerational cooperation and integration						
	Social activation of older adults						
Policy on older people versus policy on ageing							
Prerequisites and co-requisites							
Assessment methods	Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade				
and criteria	group tasks	50.0%	30.0%				
	written assessment	60.0%	50.0%				
	essey	50.0%	20.0%				
Recommended reading	Basic literature Nyce, S.A., Schieber, S.J. (2011). Ekonomiczne konsekwencje starzenia się społeczeństwa. Warszawa: WN PWN. Jurek, Ł. (2012). Ekonomia starzejącego się społeczeństwa. Warszawa: Difin. Gawron, G., Klimczuk, A., Szweda-Lewandowska, Z. (2021). Starzenie się populacji. Aktywizacja, koprodukcja i integracja społeczna osób starszych. Katowice: Wydawnictwo Uniwersytetu Śląskiego.						
	Supplementary literature	Morgan, L.A., Kunkel, S.R. (2011). Aging society and life course. New York: Springer Publishing Company. Krzyżowski, Ł., Kowalik, W., Suwada, K., Pawlina, A. (2014). Młodzi emeryci w Polsce. warszawa: WN Scholar. Kubiak, M. (2016). Polityka społeczna wobec ludzi starych w Polsce na tle współczesnych przemian społeczno-gospodarczych. Gdańsk: Wydawnictwo Uniwersytetu Gdańskiego.					
	eResources addresses						
Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed	What is the significance of progressive population ageing for the labour market? A demand-side and supply-side perspective. Principles of age management in age-diverse teams. What is the silver economy?						
Practical activites within the subject	Not applicable						

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