

UNIWERSYTET KARDYNAŁA STEFANA WYSZYŃSKIEGO w WARSZAWIE

This Diploma Supplement follows the model development by the European Commission, Council of Europe and UNESCO/CEPES. The purpose of the supplement is to provide sufficient independent data to improve the international "transparency" and fair academic and professional recognition of qualification (diplomas, degrees, certificates etc.). It is designed to provide a description of the nature, level, context, content and status of the studies that were pursued and successfully completed by the individual named on the original qualification to which this supplement is appended. It should be free from any value judgements, equivalence statements or suggestion is not provided, an explanation should give the reason why.

DIPLOMA SUPPLEMENT valid with the diploma no.....

I. INFORMATION IDENTIFYING THE HOLDER OF THE QUALIFICATION

1. Surname:
2. First name (s):
3. Date of birth (day, month, year):
4. Student identification number or code:

II. INFORMATION IDENTIFYING THE QUALIFICATION

1. Diploma no.:.....
2. Name of qualification and title conferred ¹⁾:.....
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3. Main field of study and field of specialization:
4. Name and status of awarding institution ¹⁾:
5. Name and status of institution administering studies ²⁾:
6. Language(s) of instruction/examination:

III. INFORMATION ON THE LEVEL OF THE QUALIFICATION

1. Level of qualification:
2. Official length of programme:.....
3. Access requirements:

IV. INFORMATION ON THE CONTENTS AND RESULTS GAINED ³⁾

1. Mode of study:
2. Programme requirements:

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- 3. Programme details – modules or units studied and individual achievements, grades/marks/(ECTS) credits obtained:
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- 4. Grading scheme and, if available, grade distribution guidance:
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- 5. Overall classification of the qualification ¹⁾:.....
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V. INFORMATION ON THE FUNCTION OF THE QUALIFICATION

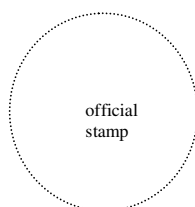
- 1. Access to further study:
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- 2. Professional status:.....
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VI. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ³⁾

- 1. Additional information, including practical placements completed, awards received:.....
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- 2. Sources of further information:.....
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VII. CERTIFICATION OF THE SUPPLEMENT

- 1. Date:.....
- 2. Signature and name-bearing stamp or seal of the head of the organizational unit:
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VIII. INFORMATION ON THE NATIONAL SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION

1. Criteria of access to the national system of higher education

The total number of years of primary and secondary education is 12 or 15. At the end of the secondary education cycle the student can take the maturity examination (*egzamin dojrzałości - matura*), i.e. standardised national secondary school achievement examination, and receives the maturity certificate (*świadectwo dojrzałości*), which allows him to apply for admission to a higher education institution.

2. Higher education system

The system of higher education and the basis of its functioning are defined by the Act of 27 July 2005 – Law on Higher Education. The provisions of the Act are applied to public and non-public higher education institutions, and the degree programmes of studies are provided under the same rules and after complying with the same conditions. The higher education institutions, irrespective of their statutes, are divided into *a university-type higher education institution* and *a non-university higher education institution*.

A university-type higher education institution is a higher education institution in which at least one organizational unit is authorized to confer the academic degree of doctor.

A non-university higher education institution is a higher education institution providing first-cycle, second-cycle or long-cycle programmes which is not authorized to confer the academic degree of doctor.

The degree programmes at the higher education institutions are provided as first-cycle programmes, second-cycle programmes, long-cycle programmes, and third-cycle programmes (doctoral programmes).

First-cycle programmes leading to the degree of *licencjat* last between six and eight semesters, and first-cycle programmes leading to the degree of *inżynier* last seven or eight semesters.

Second-cycle programmes leading to the degree of *magister* last three or four semesters.

Long-cycle programmes leading to the degree of *magister* last between nine and twelve semesters.

Doctoral programmes cannot exceed four years and their graduates receive certificates of completion of doctoral studies. In a separate procedure they receive the academic degree of *doktor* of a specific field of science or *doktor* within a scope of art.

Degree programmes and doctoral studies are provided as full-time programmes and part-time programmes.

3. Titles awarded to graduates of higher education institutions

- licencjat, licencjat pielęgniarstwa (in nursery) or licencjat położnictwa (in midwifery), inżynier, inżynier pożarnictwa (in fire-fighting), inżynier architekt (in architecture) and inżynier architekt krajobrazu (in landscape) – awarded to the graduates of the first-cycle programmes;

- magister or an equivalent degree: magister sztuki (in the field of fine arts), magister farmacji (in pharmacy), magister inżynier, magister inżynier architekt, magister inżynier krajobrazu (in landscape), magister inżynier pożarnictwa (in fire-fighting), magister pielęgniarstwa (in nursery), magister położnictwa (in midwifery), lekarz (in the field of medicine), lekarz dentysta (in the field of dentistry), lekarz weterynarii (in the field of veterinary).

4. Credit points – ECTS

The number of ECTS (European Credit Transfer System) points provided by the curriculum of one semester studies is 27 up to 33, and for the whole academical year is 60. The number of points for the completion of the first-cycle programme is 180 up to 240; for the completion of the second-cycle programme is 90 up to 120, and for the completion of the long-cycle programme is 270 up to 360.

5. Academic degrees, degrees in the field of fine arts, academic titles, a title in the field of fine arts

The academic degrees are the degrees of *doktor* and *doktor habilitowany* of a specified field of science within the scope of a given discipline of science.

The degrees within the scope of art are the degrees of *doktor sztuki* and *doktor habilitowany sztuki* of a specified field of fine arts within a scope of a given discipline of fine arts.

Academic degrees are awarded by organizational units of higher education institutions, the Polish Academy of Sciences, and by other scientific and research institutes.

The academic title is the title of *profesor* of a specified field of science, the title within the scope of fine arts is the title of *profesor* of a specified field of fine arts. The title of *profesor* is conferred by the President of the Republic of Poland.

1) In the case of translation into a foreign language, the names given remain in the original language.

2) Indicate the status of the higher education institution offering the higher education programme concerned: State/non-State, and names of institutions administering studies in the original language.

3) Items IV.2-4 and points VI.1-2: pages may be added, where necessary.