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Pomeranian Universities

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Pomeranian universities in numbers

92,000 students are educated in the Pomeranian Voivodeship, of which approximately **4% are from abroad.**

The universities are located in 7 cities: **Gdańsk, Gdynia, Sopot, Słupsk, Wejherowo, Chojnice and Starogard.** Some of them rank very high on Polish and world rankings.

“Perspektywy 2024” places two universities in the top 10 best in Poland, Gdańsk University of Technology, as one of only nine Polish institutions, was included in the prestigious Shanghai ranking.

92.000

students

3500

foreign students

Pomeranian universities in numbers

20

Universities

1

University of Technology

7

Academies

1

Universities Association

Fahrenheit Universities:

Gdańsk University of Technology
University of Gdańsk
Medical University of Gdańsk

Universities:

WSB Merito University
Gdynia Maritime University
Pomeranian University in Słupsk
SWPS University

Academies:

Ateneum Academy
Polish Naval Academy
Academy of Music
Academy of Fine Arts
Sopot Academy of Applied Sciences
Gdansk University of Physical Education and Sport
Polish-Japanese Academy of Information
Technology

Other academic institutions:

Gdańska Szkoła Wyższa
Gdańska Wyższa Szkoła Humanistyczna
Kaszubsko-Pomorska Szkoła Wyższa
Pomorska Szkoła Wyższa
Powszechna Wyższa Szkoła
Humanistyczna "Pomerania"
University of Administration and Business
University of Security
Wyższa Szkoła Inżynierii Gospodarki
Wyższa Szkoła Komunikacji Społecznej
Wyższa Szkoła Społeczno-Ekonomiczna
Wyższa Szkoła Zdrowia w Gdańsku
Powiślański University
Academy of Tourism and Hotel
Management

Fahrenheit Universities

Fahrenheit Universities (University Association)

faru.edu.pl/en



41000

students

4000

scientific and
research employees

1700

phD students

31

scientific discipline

The Medical University of Gdańsk, the Gdańsk University of Technology and the University of Gdańsk have been implementing joint initiatives in the areas of science, education and organization for many years. Thanks to the establishment of the Association of Universities, it is possible to deepen the existing cooperation and create **one of the strongest academic centers in Poland in Pomerania**.

UG- University of Gdańsk

PG- Gdańsk University of Technology

GUMed- The Medical University of Gdańsk

Achievements

Until 2020, GUT and UG jointly completed 21 grants from foundations such as the FNP, NCN and the Ministry of Education. FarU organizes annually the Quality Day, the Panel of Champions, the Pomeranian Scientists' Night and scientific conferences.

Future

The Association's task is to effectively use the resources of the three universities by supporting research and development and recommendations regarding doctoral schools.

Gdańsk University of Technology

15000

students

1300

scientific and
research employees

8

faculties

37

studies

pg.edu.pl/en

GUT is the second most frequently chosen technical university every year. Thanks to the Excellence Initiative program, four scientific centers were established: Bio TechMed, EkoTech, Digital Technologies and Future Materials. In cooperation with the socio-economic environment, two university-wide, interdisciplinary research and implementation centers were created: Offshore Wind Energy, Hydrogen Technologies and Nuclear Energy.

GUT achieves success in 14 scientific disciplines and is a member of the Fahrenheit Universities Association. There are 104 scientific clubs and student organizations at the university. Every year, hundreds of patents and projects are created, covering areas from innovative solutions for Formula Student cars to energy generators from sea and ocean waves. The university has 276 laboratories and a Kraken supercomputer with a power of 13.6 Pflops, one of the fastest in Europe. The GUT complex also includes the TASK Center, providing access to the national and global IT network.

Studies related to sector

Faculty of Management and Economy

- Economic Analytics
- Economy
- Data Engineering
- Engineering Management

University of Gdańsk

20000

students

2000

scientific and
research employees

11

faculties

89

studies

The university is one of 9 belonging to the European University of the Seas, supporting research commercialization and innovation through the International Cooperation Office and the Technology Transfer Center. Every year, it attracts hundreds of young students through foreign internships and programs such as "Young leaders of research groups".

PLN 76 million was obtained for the creation of the International Center for Research on Anticancer Vaccines and the International Center for the Theory of Quantum Technologies.

Continuation of innovative research and projects in the area of blue biotechnology, biodiversity, marine ecosystems, sustainable urban development, biomedicine, and further membership in networks of excellence, including RECOURSE, Center of Excellence for Baltic Development, BioMoBil etc.

Studies related to sector

Faculty of Management

- Finance and Accounting
- Informatics and Econometrics
- Insurance-interdisciplinary studies
- Management
- Management of health care institutions
- Sports Management

Faculty of Law and Administration

- Administration
- Criminology and Criminal Justice
- Criminology
- Taxes
- Law (as the only university in Poland offering the subject of maritime law)

Faculty of Social Sciences

- Diplomacy
- Journalism and Social Communication
- Philosophy
- Spatial management
- Politology
- Psychology
- Sociology
- Tourism and Hospitality

Faculty of Economics

- Business and Ecological Technology
- Economy
- International Business
- Logistics and Mobility
- International Economic Relations

WSB Merito University

17500

students

5

faculties

19

studies

merito.pl/gdansk

Merito University is one of the largest groups of private universities in Poland. The university focuses on innovation and a natural combination of business and education. Experts, practical and up-to-date knowledge are the goals translated into individual teaching programs. It offers first-cycle, second-cycle studies, MBA and Executive MBA studies.

Over 5,000 companies have become partners, having a real influence on shaping the teaching programs, which translates into practical skills of students. According to the Perspektywy 2022 ranking, WSB Merito University has become the most frequently chosen private university in Poland.

The IBM CAS Lab IoT laboratory is the future of Merito University and other research centers. It is dedicated to the development of the architecture of IoT Edge-Fog-Cloud systems and Big Data processing, using artificial intelligence methods.

Studies related to sector

Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities

- Philology
- Pedagogics
- Psychology in business

Faculty of Law and Administration

- Administration
- Homeland Security
- Law in Business
- Law
- International Relations

Faculty of Business

- Finance and Accounting
- Tourism and Recreation
- Management

Pomeranian University in Słupsk

3500

students

400

scientific and
research employees

11

faculties

35

studies

The Pomeranian University plays a key role in building a knowledge-based society using modern information technologies. It establishes cooperation with institutions such as Winona State University and the Słupsk Chamber of Industry and Commerce.

As part of the project, the Monoprofile Medical Simulation Center of the University of Medical Sciences systematically develops medical qualifications and shapes the model of cooperation between the university and medical entities. The aim is to adapt aspects of education to the needs of the labor market.

As part of the "Stop - 4th Planet from the Sun" project, UP is dedicated to educating and supporting the development of children and youth in the area of astronomy and space techniques. The main goal of the initiative is to create a Mars rover.

Studies related to sector

Institute of Security and Sociology

- National Security
- Cybersecurity Engineering
- Sociology
- International relations

Institute of Law and Administration

- Law
- Administration

Institute of Management

- Logistics
- Management
- International Business

SWPS University

2250

students

1

faculty

3

studies

The SWPS University has 10 faculties in 5 Polish cities, and the Faculty of Psychology has existed in Sopot since 2002. Over 2,250 graduates have completed their studies there, and the curriculum is adapted to current scientific findings. The university has won over 20 grants in the last 10 years, and the Psychological Research Laboratory is equipped with modern equipment, including an eye tracker and the Biopac system.

According to the Perspektywy 2022 ranking, SWPS University is one of the two best units offering psychology studies. Cyberpsychology, Clinical Psychology, Business Psychology, Investigative Psychology and Clinical Sexology groups are developing at the university.

Since 2016/17, the SONA system has been implemented here, which is used by numerous foreign universities (Yale and Harvard). There are two research centers on the Sopot campus: the Center for Research on the Biological Basis of Social Functioning and the Center for Research on Poznań and Behavior.

Studies related to sector

Faculty of Psychology

- Psychology in Business

Ateneum Academy

1600

students

3

faculties

12

studies

ateneum.edu.pl

Ateneum Academy, whose history dates back to the 17th century, focuses primarily on humanities, especially philology. In cooperation with ISTRAD Instituto Superior De Estudios Linguisticos Y Traduccion conducts education in the field of applied linguistics at the University's branch in Seville, Spain. From March 2022, the university operates as the Academy of Applied Sciences.

The British Council Examination Center and the University of the Third Age operate here. The university has established cooperation with a network of institutions aimed at enabling students to practically apply the acquired knowledge.

The following cooperate with the Ateneum Academy: Polish Association of Sensory Integration, Civil Aviation Office, Istituto Italiano di Cultura, Universitat Karlsruhe, Academic Business Incubators, BIG Autohandel Gdańsk, Institute of European Consultants and others.

Studies related to sector

Faculty of Social Sciences

- Business and Languages
- Management

Polish Naval Academy of the Heroes of Westerplatte

2200

students

4

faculties

16

studies

amw.gdynia.pl

Naval Academy Heroes of Westerplatte plays a key role in the formation of professional soldiers and civilian students, from Poland and abroad. It has a modern eight-lane swimming pool and a 5 m deep diving pool for professional diver training.

The uacademy operates the AMW Product Certification Center for the needs of national defense and security and the Maritime Technology Center, which authorizes the conduct of business activities in the field of production and trade in explosives, weapons, ammunition and technology for military or police purposes.

The Maritime Cybersecurity Center is a think tank operating within the Maritime Command and Operations Department of the Maritime University. His main competences include issues related to cybersecurity management, cybercrime and securing maritime and space infrastructure.

AMW- Polish Naval Academy of the Heroes of Westerplatte

Studies related to sector

Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences

- SC International relations
- SC Pedagogics
- SC Human Resource Management

SC - civil studies

Academy of Fine Arts in Gdańsk

900

students

5

faculties

8

studies

asp.gda.pl

For nearly 80 years, the Academy of Fine Arts in Gdańsk has been shaping young creators who participate in the most important events in the field of culture, art and design in the region, country and abroad. Currently, approximately 900 students study at the Academy of Fine Arts in first and second cycle studies. Students are educated by a staff of 150 experienced academic teachers. Locally, the university cooperates with key cultural institutions in the region, consulates and the business community.

The most important undertakings of the Academy of Fine Arts include the National Exhibition of the Best Diplomas of the Academy of Fine Arts, the International Foundry Workshops, and Art'em All in the Gdańsk Shipyard. Within the walls of the Academy of Fine Arts there is a Sound Laboratory for inter-departmental activities in the field of computer techniques for recording and sound-adding moving images.

The Academy provides its students with the opportunity to develop in an artistic direction in the traditional sense of the word, but also allows them to acquire competences necessary to work in business, primarily in design, visual communication or the fashion sector.

Studies related to sector

Faculty of Sculpture and Intemedia

- Sculpture
- Intermedia
- Photography

Faculty of Design

- Design

Faculty of Graphic

- Grafika

Faculty of Architecture

- Interior Design
- Architecture of Cultural Space

Sopot Academy of Applied Sciences

1300

students

200

scientific and research
employees

8

faculties

19

studies

sopocka.edu.pl

The university offers education in three areas: finance, business and design. Study plans and programs are consulted with representatives of business and industry institutions. The university has over 140 partnerships. Students take part in prestigious competitions: Sketch has power, Jazz not war and Inspireli Awards.

The Global Business Services Program is a prestigious course developing managerial skills in the area of finance and accounting. In the IARP TOP 10 2021 ranking of pass rates for construction qualifications among universities educating architects, SANS was ranked first among private universities educating architects in Poland.

The economic cooperation undertaken by the university is aimed at creating practical study programs. The Employers' Convention operates at SANS as an advisory voice for business practitioners. It is attended by representatives of companies such as: ESO Audit, ARP, HK Finance Sp. z o.o., Grupa LOTOS S. A.

SANS-Sopot Academy of Applied Sciences

Studies related to sector

Intercollegiate Faculty of Business and Linguistics

- Business and Languages

Faculty of Finance and Economy

- Economy
- Finance
- Finance and accounting ACCA

The Polish-Japanese Academy of Information Technology (PJAiT)

1000

students

2

faculties

8

studies

9

specialisations

gdansk.pja.edu.pl

PJAiT in Gdańsk focuses on practical classes co-led by employees of IT companies. The scope of teaching is constantly improved in cooperation with the best companies on the IT market, and students decide on the specializations they launch. The university offers certified courses like CISCO, LPIC. Students learn programming (Java, C/C++, Python, Scala, PHP), databases and design.

According to the Perspektywy 2022 ranking, PJAiT was once again the best private technical university in Poland. In 2023, PJATK hosted the ACM RACS 2023 international conference.

PJAiT students benefit from internships and apprenticeships in respected companies in Pomerania. The university places emphasis on the ability to work independently and innovatively, including preparing students for pre-incubation of products they produce as part of ongoing projects.

Studies related to sector

Faculty of New Media Art

- Graphics

Gdańsk School of Higher Education

830

students

2

faculties

5

studies

16

postgraduate studies

gsw.gda.pl

GSW develops its educational offer in terms of the regional labor market and the needs of Pomeranian institutions, and also takes care of the development and promotion of science among the inhabitants of Pomerania and the surrounding area. GSW emphasizes its relationship with the economic sector, which has a real impact on educational programs. Thanks to this, the university boasts a reputation as a practical unit that meets the needs of the changing labor market.

The university tries to respond to global needs and that is why international conferences are organized there, such as: International Scientific Conference on the functioning of the state and organizations in the face of global crises.

GSW offers a wide range of postgraduate studies and training. They aim to encourage the inhabitants of Pomerania to educate themselves, change their profession and deepen their skills. There is a Scientific and Technical Information Center at GSW, which helps students become scientists and entrepreneurs.

GSW-Gdańsk School of Higher Education

Studies related to sector

Faculty of Social Sciences

- Administration
- Law in Business
- Engineering Management

Kashubian-Pomeranian University

750

students

4

studies

18

postgraduate
studies

kpsw.pl

KPSW is a non-public university operating since 2003, focusing on higher vocational studies with a practical profile at the first and second level of education. Due to the concern for the socio-economic development of Kashubia and Pomerania and the increase in the level of education, the university established contact with 38 entities from the socio-economic environment. The KPSW partner also has the opportunity to indicate the topics of diploma theses with the possibility of using them in his/her activities.

In 2020, KPSW obtained the status of a winner of the 10th edition of the National Higher Education Certification Program - University of Leaders. Students can associate in scientific circles such as: the Scientific Circle of Masters of Business and Administration, Sociology and Psychology and Last Chance 30:2.

KPSW focuses on practice and strong connections with the socio-economic environment. They establish numerous cooperations, e.g. with the District Police Headquarters in Wejherowo. This will allow for improving the quality of education in specialties related to state security.

KPSW-Kashubian-Pomranian University

Studies related to sector

Faculty of Social and Natural Sciences

- Administration and Internal Security
- Management
- Sociology

Pomeranian Higher School

2800

students

5

studies

18

postgraduate
studies

twojestudia.pl

PSW has been located in Kociewie for 22 years and has so far educated over 3,000 graduates. The mission of the university is to educate staff supporting the development of the Pomeranian Voivodeship. PSW focuses on the development of its students and establishes local cooperation with business, with companies such as: Polpharma, KFC, DB Schenker, GP people and met-lak.

PSW in Starogard Gdański is the first higher education institution in Kociewie. Within the university walls there are 3 fully equipped computer rooms with 37 workstations. PSW is a dynamically developing institution that cooperates with partners in Poland and abroad.

PSW has signed cooperation agreements with the National University, Lviv University of Technology, Polish Academy of Social Sciences and Humanities, Central Institute of Human Development of the University of Ukraine, Lviv National University. Ivan Franko.

PSW-Pomeranian Higher School

Studies related to sector

Faculty

- Administration
- Logistics
- Internal Security
- Management

Pomerania University of Humanities

770

students

7

studies

14

postgraduate
studies

pomeraniachojnice.edu.pl

Pursuant to the Agreements concluded with External Stakeholders, the University cooperates with the Fuhrmann Foundation, the Guild of Various Crafts, the Detention Center, the Shelter for Juveniles, the Pomeranian Employer's Association and other institutions. The University has a vibrant Student Government and Student Scientific Clubs such as the Young Teachers' Circle, the Active Administration Students' Circle and the Philosophy of Education Student Scientific Circle.

PWSH participates in and organizes numerous projects aimed at supplementing and improving the qualifications of its students, such as "Innovative model of legal, psychological and pedagogical assistance for counteracting violence", or e-learning courses for students of PWSH Pomerania as an additional element of the education process.

The university focuses on inclusiveness and continuous education of its teaching and research staff. It offers training to raise awareness and competences in the field of disability and how to teach socially marginalized people.

PWSH-Pomerania University of Humanities

Studies related to sector

Faculty of Humanities and Administration

- Psychology
- Administration
- English Philology

University of Administration and Business

3600

students

2

faculties

9

studies

22

postgraduate
studies

wsaib.pl

WSAiB in Gdynia is an international university that has been enabling foreign students to study at the bachelor's, master's and postgraduate levels for many years. The university boasts a high pass rate for legal applications (referring to the ranking of the Ministry of Justice 2021). Law students are involved in running the Student Legal Clinic, where they also learn their profession.

WSAiB takes 1st place in competitions such as: The Metropolitan Institute's Competition for the best master's thesis on urban and metropolitan topics 2022 and the Polish Economic Society's Competition for the best bachelor's thesis in the field of logistics 2022.

WSAiB teaches in a forward-looking way and implements modern education methods such as mentoring and tutoring. The scientific staff consists of practitioners. There is also an Entrepreneurship Incubator at WSAiB, which supports students in the process of building and developing their business ideas.

WSAiB-University of Administration and Business

Studies related to sector

Faculty of Management

- Finance and Accounting
- Management
- Logistics

Faculty of Law and Administration

- Administration
- Law

Higher School of Social Communication

85

students

6

studies

27

postgraduate
studies

The aim of the university is, among others, education at the bachelor's level in the field of pedagogy in the field of broadly understood social communication, in which interpersonal relations and the processes of creating, transforming and using information determine all social changes. Having information, according to WSKS, becomes a kind of capital, and modern systems of communication between people contribute to the creation of new socio-political institutions.

The university provides interesting professional internships in renowned companies throughout the Tricity. The university focuses on treating each student individually and showing them the path to creating their own future.

The goal of WSKS is to give its graduates freedom to move around in the modern world and to enable them to compete with graduates of renowned universities in their dream professions and to aspire to political careers.

WSKS-Higher School of Social Communication

Studies related to sector

Faculty

- Administration
- Psychology
- Master of Business Administration-postgraduated studies

The University of Social and Economics in Gdańsk

415

students

7

studies

5

postgraduated
studies

wsse.edu.pl

WSSE is a private vocational university founded in 2001. The university cooperates with the city of Gdańsk, moodle and Symfonia, which deals with business software. The university is guided by the principles of future-oriented school education, i.e. it focuses on planning the future, puts emphasis on innovation, self-assessment, knowledge management and the practical use of the Internet. One of the university's mottos is Plato's thought: "knowledge is a second sun for people."

The university introduces numerous innovations that improve the quality of education at the institution, such as: introducing the possibility of obtaining a master's degree in pedagogy after just three semesters of study, educational programs that improve the quality of life in harmony with nature, introducing teaching content in the field of broadly understood ecological safety and organizing studies in ecopedagogy .

WSSE- The University of Social and Economics in Gdańsk

Studies related to sector

Faculty

- Management
- Administration
- Psychology



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