

Upon completing the studies in Political Science, the graduate acquires tertiary education covering political science and public administration, as well as other disciplines within the field of social sciences and humanities (including sociology, philosophy and psychology). The graduate holds broad, interdisciplinary knowledge on characteristics of political phenomena and processes, as well as various determining factors of those phenomena and processes.

Thanks to studying in English, the graduates are very well prepared to work in an international environment, and with the basic course of Polish, they may function well in mixed teams. Research experience allows them to conduct research in the field of political science, including the implementation of third-cycle studies.

Graduates have knowledge of the political phenomena and processes taking place in Central and Eastern Europe, including Poland and, more broadly, in the world. The graduates can apply scientific methods to analyze the complex social and political reality, to forecast tendencies and development directions and to design measures and strategies of its practical transformation. The graduates can collect, order and prioritize information on social and political phenomena and processes, to analyze and design functioning of political agents, such as social groups, political parties, public organs, decision-making centers, as well as to understand the role of needs, interests and value systems of individuals, groups and organizations – motivating them to political actions, further to explain circumstances and course of cooperation and conflicts between political agents, explain decision-making processes, create and implement political projects, e.g. political campaigns. They can apply various methods and techniques of affecting political behaviors of participants of political and – more broadly – social life.

By completing the obligatory courses, the graduates gain basic education in political science, complemented by the selected specialization.

The graduate of the Public Policy specialization holds knowledge and skills necessary for people whose professional responsibilities in business, public services or non-governmental organizations involve co-governance with public administration of measures aimed at solving specific social problems.

The graduate of the Central and East European Studies holds extensive knowledge about Central and Eastern Europe, considering the political, social and economic context, as well as international activities of the Central and Eastern European states. The graduate has analytical skills and is an attractive prospective employee for government agencies, non-governmental organizations and business, where knowledge of political and cultural characteristics of the Central and Eastern Europe is a necessary condition in operations.

The graduate of the Political Communication specialization displays knowledge and practical skills in social and political communication, allowing them to work in this area not only at file-and-rank positions, but also on the decision-making and management level. They may work as a media advisor, media content creator, specialist for media in politics, social communication specialist, and also as a manager of the same areas. Potential employers for the graduate include advertising agencies, market research institutes, PR departments of public and commercial institutions, media organizations, non-governmental organizations, political organizations, development agencies and local government units.