

STUDY IN ENGLISH IN THE HEART OF EUROPE

UNIVERSITY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES



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Dear prospective students,

University of Social Sciences is the largest private educational institution in Poland, with more than 25 years of experience. We provide high-quality education to students from all over the world. The University offers a wide range of Bachelor's and Master's programs in major cities in Poland and in the branch campus in London. Our offer also includes MBA and PhD studies and a unique American Master's degree program in cooperation with Clark University.

Our goal is to equip students and graduates with specialist knowledge and practical skills needed in the 21st century's labor market, both at the local and international levels. Therefore, all of our programs are developed in close cooperation with partner companies and institutions and provide students with an opportunity to participate in internship programs and various projects in a real-world business environment.

In this brochure, you will find the University's offer, information about our international projects, interesting facts and admission requirements – everything you may need in order to choose the best education for you and plan your career.

I believe that studies at University of Social Sciences are a great way to pursue your academic and professional passions, earn awards in scientific and sports competitions, participate in student activities, develop your interests in university clubs and make friends for life.

Prof. dr hab. Roman Patora Rector of University of Social Sciences



UNIVERSITY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

The University of Social Sciences is one of the most experienced and largest private universities in Poland. It offers education on undergraduate, graduate, MBA and PhD levels, as well as an opportunity to finish an American Master degree program with Clark University (USA).



WHY UNIVERSITY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES?

- High-standard modern educational infrastructure in major cities in Poland such as Warsaw, Lodz, Cracow and others, including a branch campus in London.
- International students come from countries such as: Norway, India, Mexico, Italy, Turkey, Ukraine, Kazakhstan, Nigeria, Iraq, Pakistan, Nepal and many others.
- University's buildings are conveniently located in the center of each city. Modern campuses are equipped with all tools necessary in top quality and practical education process. The well-prepared facilities include lecture rooms, workrooms, language labs, computer laboratories and conference halls, all with a wireless Internet connection. Additionally, students may use the University library, a gym and a canteen.
- The University has longstanding teaching experience in international education. It employs over
 500 lecturers from Poland and abroad. The academic staff was selected from top-class researchers
 and renowned business practitioners with corporate experience.
- Study programs are created in cooperation with employers and taught by lecturers with practical experience from Poland and abroad (the USA, Canada, the UK, France, Israel and others).
- Practical business training. Students do not just learn the theory of different subjects, but also use this theory in a working environment during projects organized in cooperation with companies. They take part in meetings and conferences with business practitioners.
- Close collaboration with Clark University enabling students to obtain the American Master's diploma and to complete their studies in the USA and participate in an internship program a gateway to an international career!
- · Possibility of accommodation in the University's dormitory (at an attractive price).
- Student exchange within the Erasmus+ program and bilateral agreements with prestigious partner universities all over the world.
- Assistance of the Academic Career Centre.
- Additional activities, including sports, getting acquainted with the Polish culture, sight-seeing, student events and competitions.







Accreditation

All studies organized by University of Social Sciences have positive evaluations of the Polish Accreditation Committee. The accreditation is granted for the longest possible period. The State Accreditation Committee in Poland is the only statutory body entrusted with the responsibility of evaluating the quality of higher education - its opinions and resolutions have a legally binding effect.

The NECHE accreditation

Master's programs offered within the cooperation with Clark University are accredited by New England Commission of Higher Education. NECHE is the nation's oldest regional accrediting association whose mission is the establishment and maintenance of high standards for all levels of education, from pre-K to the doctoral level. Its accreditation has been awarded to such academies as Harvard University, Massachusetts Institute of Technology and Yale University.

The most popular non-public university in Poland

according to the Ministry of Science and Higher Education

Top 10 private universities in Poland non-public universities Perspektywy ranking

One of the best universities in Poland in employers' opinion Wprost ranking

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RANKINGS

Top MBA programs in Poland Wprost ranking

2nd MBA program in Poland in graduates' opinion Perspektywy ranking (2014)



WHAT MAKES POLAND SUCH A GREAT PLACE TO BEGIN YOUR INTELLECTUAL JOURNEY?

Poland is a member of the European Union, located in Central Europe. It is a modern, multicultural and multinational country deeply rooted in tradition and full of creative energy. Poland is a thriving center of academic life where high quality education is offered at a reasonable price and costs of living are relatively low in comparison to other European countries. Each year, more and more international students choose to begin their studies or careers in Poland. The University campuses are located in major cities: Warsaw, Lodz and Cracow, all of which offer a wide range of job opportunities in the IT, banking or logistics sectors.

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POLAND OVERVIEW

Official name: Republic of Poland (short form: Poland) Government type: republic Location: Central Europe Border countries: Belarus, Czech Republic, Germany, Lithuania, Russia (Kaliningrad Oblast), Slovakia, Ukraine Language: Polish Capital city: Warsaw Major cities: Gdansk, Cracow, Lodz, Poznan, Wroclaw Population: around 38 mln inhabitants Climate: The climate of Poland is mostly temperate throughout the country. Summers are usually very warm (even hot) with average temperatures between 20-30 °C (68-86 °F) and winters are rather cold (sometimes with heavy snowfall) with average temperatures around or below 0 °C (32 °F). Member of the European Union: Since 2004 Monetary unit: zloty (PLN) **BACHELOR / ENGINEERING** IN ENGLISH

University of Social Sciences provides a wide range of Bachelor's Degree programs, which will expose you to the changing realities of the future work experience.

The course develops both professional knowledge and practical business capabilities. It means that you'll not just be learning the theory of your different subjects, but you will also use this theory in a working environment.

INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS

The modern business environment becomes

increasingly international. The International

Business Management program equips Students

with the tools, techniques, and concepts necessary

to analyse and understand how international

business is conducted and how companies and

countries can thrive in today's global marketplace.

The program of studies concentrates on the

realities of managerial experience in both the public

and private sectors. It covers theory as well as practice leading to the solution of managerial

problems in the international context. Therefore

Students will be able to combine their studies of

management with a particular focus on global

business issues, allowing them to acquire critical

and analytical skills, along with a wide range of

cross-cultural, communication and team-working

skills, which will be directly transferable to the

workplace whatever career they choose to follow.

They will develop their ability to question and

critically assess international business issues to

find innovative options and solutions.

MANAGEMENT

ENGLISH STUDIES

Professional communication in English is nowadays a factor determining the success of companies and employees personal success. Effective achievement of specific communication objectives is possible thanks to the excellent skills of language as a communication tool. The undergraduate program in English Studies brings together the knowledge and expertise in the field of linguistics and professional communication, aiming to develop the competence to use language as an instrument of interpersonal, business, mass and intercultural communication. It also focuses on practical skills and combines several modules, such as: linguistics, intensive language learning, as well as cultural and historical background of the English speaking countries.

The curriculum is designed according to modern standards and provides the opportunity to gain practical skills that go beyond the traditional boundaries of philology (including the international language of business, marketing and the media).

INTERNATIONAL TOURISM AND HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT

Tourism and hospitality are expanding global industries resulting in an increased demand for skilled managers to lead and develop international organisations. The International Tourism and Hospitality Management program equips Students with the tools, techniques, and concepts necessary to analyse the major influences affecting the international hospitality business environment, as well as a deep-rooted understanding of the issues currently shaping the international hospitality management. The program concentrates on the realities of managerial experience in both the public and private sectors. It covers theory as well as practice leading to the solution of managerial problems in tourism and hospitality industry. Therefore Students will be able to combine their studies of management with a particular focus on international tourism and hospitality issues, allowing them to acquire critical and analytical skills, along with a wide range of communication and team-working skills, which will be directly transferable to the workplace whatever career they choose to follow. They will develop their ability to question and critically assess international tourism and hospitality issues to find innovative options and solutions.





Duration: Bachelor - 3 years, 6 semesters Engineering - 3,5 years, 7 semestres



Mode: full/part time basis

Language:

100% English

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Admission deadline: 15 September - Fall intake 15 February - Spring intake



15 February - Spring intake Diplomas:

Bachelor`s / Engineer's / degree from University of Social Sciences

COMPUTER SCIENCE

The undergraduate study program in Computer Science is adapted to the needs of computer and IT services market and the use of information technology in the operation of any business, public administration institutions, health care units or non-governmental institutions. It prepares IT management specialists for positions in innovative organizations implementing the latest IT concepts. The programs focuses on practical courses, workshops, trainings and internships, so that graduates have high qualifications in the area of analysis and improvement of business processes, effective project team building and successful IT implementations and are prepared to find satisfying work in businesses utilizing modern computer technologies. The obtained degree will allow graduates to acquaint students with the work of a computer specialist, software developer and the processes of generating, converting and transferring data using specific tools (software and hardware).



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Duration: 2 years, 4 semesters



Language: 100% English

Admission deadline: 15 September - Fall intake 15 February - Spring intake



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Diplomas: Master`s degree from University of Social Sciences



After successfully completing undergraduate education, students may continue the completed program at a graduate level or select a different major. The University also offers a double-degree program with a European Master's degree from University of Social Sciences and an American Master's degree from Clark University.

MOST POPULAR BACHELOR & MASTER STUDIES IN ENGLISH



MORE PROGRAMS IN ENGLISH

- Cosmetology
- European Studies
- Finance & Accounting

STUDIES IN POLISH

- Administration
- Computer Science
- Cosmetology
- English Studies
- Finance & AccountingFilm & Audiovisual Arts
- Geodesy and Cartography
- Graphic Design
- International Relations
- Japanese Studies
- Journalism & Social Communication

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- International Law & Administration
- Journalism & New Media
- Physiotherapy
- Transport & Logistics
- Law
- Logistics
- Management
- National Security
- Nursing
- Pedagogy
- Physiotherapy
- Psychology
- Public Health
- Social Work
- Sociology



WHY AMERICAN STUDIES WITH CLARK UNIVERSITY?

Internationally recognized Master's degree obtained from Clark University (USA).

Prestigious accreditation of New England Commission of Higher Education.

Interactive, practice-oriented courses conducted with the use of new technologies and case studies.

Highly qualified instructors with international business experience, from the USA, Poland, the UK, Israel and other countries.

Intensive English language courses giving the opportunity to obtain international certificates TOEFL and TOEIC.

Possibility to transfer to the American Campus of Clark University in Worcester, MA for the final one or two semesters of studies.

Possibility to take part in a 1-year internship program in the USA in accordance with the completed degree program.



Currently we offer three Master's degrees in Poland: Master of Science in Communication, Master of Science in Information Technology and Master of Public Administration. We are very excited about that. The program in Poland is the same academic program that we offer in the United States, so the students who study here are getting a US-based, American diploma. Students who participate in the program in Poland do have an opportunity to come to the United States, to our main flagship campus in Worcester, Massachussetts to spend their last one or two semesters. There, they study with American students, with other international students and get an experience what life is like on the American campus.

> Amy Daly Gardner Associate Dean International Programs Clark University

CLARK UNIVERSITY

Clark University is a teaching and research institution founded in 1887. Clark is the oldest graduate institution in the United States and one of only three New England universities, with Harvard and Yale, to be a founding member of the prestigious Association of American Universities.

Clark University is well known for its internationalism and academic interest in international affairs. Students from more than 90 different nations are studying at Clark University; several hundred Clark students are studying outside of the United States in University-partner programs.

Clark's Polish partner is the University of Social Sciences. Since 2004, on the basis of the agreement concluded between the two universities, a wide range of English-speaking degree programs has been offered in Lodz and Warsaw. The cooperation between both universities has become an excellent example of a Polish-American transfer of knowledge and skills both on an academic level as well as on the institutional arena.





STUDY IN THE USA

One of the biggest advantages of the University of Social Sciences and Clark University joint programs is the possibility to take one or two semesters at the American campus in Worcester, MA. Clark University is located one hour west of Boston – the largest city in New England.

Completing the program in the USA is a great opportunity to experience American student life and culture, improve language skills, meet interesting people from all over the world, travel to the most beautiful places in America and gather unforgettable experiences.

Since the beginning of our cooperation with Clark University, the number of candidates interested in managerial studies in English has been increasing. The Clark University and University of Social Sciences studies are the largest American program in Poland considering the number of graduates, with more than 1000 graduates so far. Our MBA studies are combined with the Clark University Program. Graduates receive an MBA diploma from University of Social Sciences and a prestigious American Master's degree from Clark University's College of Professional and Continuing Education. The MBA curriculum is designed for management professionals and specialists who wish to expand their qualifications and it guarantees both wide and specialized management knowledge in five concentrations.

I cordially encourage you to have a deep insight into our offer and to choose the program that fits your needs and expectations the most.

Prof. dr hab. Łukasz Sułkowski Vice-Rector of University of Social Sciences





Clark University Master program can be combined with full-time Master (in Polish - Magister) program from University of Social Sciences. The 2-year integrated program is available for those who want to get a European Master degree besides an American diploma.



MASTER OF SCIENCE

THE SKILL EMPLOYERS WANT MOST

Master of Science in Communication program is designed for those who want to improve their ability to manage teams, work in groups, communicate effectively and use the latest new media technology.

By developing proficiency in written, oral, visual and new media communication, learning to manage teams and to work in groups, you will acquire the skills not just to promote your organization's messages, ideas and services, but to advance to a leadership position and transform an organization Expertise in communication is essential to build a successful career in marketing, human resources, public relations, advertising, consulting or any other chosen field.

Program coursework emphasizes systemic thinking that will help you develop practical managerial strategies and effectively market your organization's products and services. Classes focus on ways to transform companies, communities and cultures through innovative management, effective communication and creative use of technology.

MASTER IN PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

PREPARE TO TAKE THE LEAD IN GOVERNMENT AND NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS

Looking for an alternative to a business career? The demand for individuals with analytical and leadership skills is high and growing in organizations related to healthcare system.

MPA: Health Administration program provides theoretical and practical knowledge in the field of management and related sciences regarding the objectives, principles and problems of healthcare institutions. It prepares graduates to perform the basic functions of process management in economic and administrative organizations, develop the skills related to recognizing, diagnosing and solving the problems of managing human, material, financial and information resources of an economic and administrative nature.

In addition, these studies provide the opportunity to exchange international and intercultural experiences during classes conducted in modern laboratories using educational techniques tailored to the needs of each student.



Duration: 24 or 18 months



Mode: part time basis



Language: 100% English

Admission deadline: 16 October (24- month mode) 1 March (18- month mode)



Diploma: Chosen Master diploma from Clark University, USA

Certificate from University of Social Sciences (Społeczna Akademia Nauk, Poland)

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY KNOWLEDGE EVERY ORGANIZATION NEEDS

Knowledge of information technology is needed for virtually every organization today, in every country. Those who know how to apply that knowledge effectively are valuable to any employer. MSIT program prepares graduates to work in modern companies implementing the latest IT systems and concepts that allow to support business processes while maintaining maximum cost effectiveness.

The ability to efficiently use computer technologies in business environment requires not only knowledge in the field of IT, but also a thorough knowledge of business. The main goal of the MSIT program is developing managerial and communication competences, with particular emphasis on the analysis and improvement of business processes, effective building of project teams, as well as skillful IT implementations. The curriculum gives the opportunity to acquire universal and current knowledge required while working in the IT department in any company, public administration unit, medical and health institution or non-governmental institution.





The MBA@SAN program is designed for management professionals and specialists who wish to expand their qualifications through a managerial component. The programs guarantees both wide and specialized management knowledge in the fields of communication and marketing, information technology and healthcare. You will receive the highest quality managerial education, together with knowledge and experience that can be effectively used at every stage of a company's or another organization's development.

WHY MBA@SAN?

- · more hours devoted to the practical use of knowledge
- final exams in a form of group projects
- · Capstone project carried out for an external company
- an opportunity to exchange experiences among participants by using their knowledge of managerial issues
- instructors teaching MBA modules are a group of renowned specialists with working experience in their fields, carefully selected to teach different aspects of business education
- verification of the curriculum by independent assembly of representatives of business organizations
- additional lectures held for the MBA students by renowned specialists in the field of business and economics
- career counseling by American experts
- access to additional materials related to economy and management

MBA@SAN WITH AMERICAN MASTER DIPLOMA



Duration: 24 or 18 months



Mode: part time basis



Language: 100% English



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Addmision deadlines: 16 October (24- month mode) 1 March (18- month mode)

Diploma:

Chosen Master Diploma from Clark University, USA MBA Diploma from University of Social Sciences (Społeczna Akademia Nauk, Poland)

MBA TRACKS

The MBA@SAN program from University of Social Sciences is always combined with a Master's degree from Clark University. You can customize your MBA program according to your career goals by choosing one of the offered American degrees: MSPC, MSIT, MPA.

- MBA in Professional Communication
- MBA in Information Technology
- MBA in Healthcare Administration

ENGLISH LANGUAGE COURSE

The Course is designed for all international candidates who wish to study at the University of Social Sciences, in order to generally prepare them for studying and living in Poland in the coming years.

The course consists of different parts which are complementary and conducted separately but simultaneously.

- Study-related English conversations
- Introduction to Poland
- Basics of the Polish language

Although the course is optional, it is absolutely recommended for those candidates who wish to arrive in Poland 3 months before the beginning of studies, get familiar with the Polish culture and customs, get acquainted with the city they will live in, leave the basics of the Polish language, travel a little bit but also practice and improve English, if it is not their mother tongue. The course is full-time and classes are held during the week. During the course of the program, field trips and additional accurates will be organized for the students to best prepare them for their educational.

1-YEAR POLISH LANGUAGE COURSE

The 1-year Polish language course is designed for all international candidates who wish to study at the University of Social Sciences in program where language of instruction is Polish.

The duration of the Course is 1 year and it precedes the selected Bachelor or Master program. The course is full-time and classes are held during the week. The total number of hours is 900.

At the end of the Course, participants will take a Polish language exam which will confirm their readiness for studying in Polish. Should the result not be satisfactory, the participants will be offered entering into a study program in English.

It is mandatory to register for a selected Bachelor or Master program together with the 1-year language course.





DOCTORATE Ph.D.



Duration:

4 years

University of Social Sciences runs 3 Ph.D. programs for those who wish to extend their understanding of management & economics, information technology and applied linguistics.

The aim of the program is to educate future researchers, teachers and professionals, and to contribute to the development and application of scientific knowledge at an international level. For the program, we seek people interested in conducting innovative academic research and ready to explore multi-disciplinary research opportunities.



MANAGEMENT & ECONOMICS

The curriculum of the studies includes a comprehensive and interesting program allowing students to develop their scientific skills through workshops in methodology of qualitative and quantitative research, developing research papers and scientific publications. Additionally, all students realize a specialization module, within which they have an opportunity to develop their individual scientific interests in a chosen management-related field. This individual approach facilitates the development of scientific qualifications.

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

Institute of Information Technologies of University of Social Sciences offers Ph.D. seminars in the following three specializations:

- Applied IT
- Expert system
- Complex adaptation systems

The specializations cover issues resulting from practical IT applications and latest trends observed in science across the world and can be applied in almost every field of economy, science or social life. Thus, PhD dissertations in Information Technologies may be developed by specialists in various areas.

APPLIED LINGUISTICS

Applied Linguistics program for Ph.D. candida:es provides scientific support in developing research in the field of English language and culture. The curriculum is designed to provide modern philological tools to analyze and solve practical linguistic issues, present the methodology of language teaching and translations. Each year the importance of this field of studies has been significantly increasing together with advancement in methods of communication, especially in an international context.



When I was applying for admission in Clark University, I never thought for a moment what I can expect and I was overwhelmed by what I saw. Upon my arrival I was welcomed very warmly and affectionately by the staff of the university. I was immediately seduced by the framework and infrastructure available to us, especially the availability of teachers and the quality of their education is welcome. What can I say about Lodz? It is a real architectural jewel with all these drawings on buildings, the friendliness of the people and their openness. The city offers a real professional integration with its many international companies. In short, studying in Clark and living in Lodz was the most beautiful thing that could happen to me and I am really enjoying it.

Atexandre Dhan Soumare, Svory Con



Learning is a never ending process. People are always learning as they are always in search of knowledge. I believe that academic institutions are like the waterfalls which satisfy the thirst of knowledge. My search of that waterfall completed when I got into this university. I feel myself blessed to be showered with the unique taste of the teaching-learning process here. It is a great experience to study with a large group of international students. I find it exciting and adventurous to study in a new place and acquire not only an international degree but also gain the knowledge about different cultures, customs, religions & traditions at the same time.

Shanta Dahal, Nepal

I never considered coming to Clark as an option. It was an opportunity which came my way. I am so glad that I grabbed it with my both hands. Studying at Clark is a whole new experience for me as it develops my overall skills of communication and management. The faculty members are highly skilled and the education system is run much more the American way which helps us grow globally.

Manit Eushitahai Parikh, India



STUDY IN WARSAW

- Warsaw is the capital and the largest city in Poland. This city is perfectly located in the middle of Europe with convenient connections to other cities in Poland, countries and continents.
- Thanks to the wide educational offer in Warsaw, there is the largest number of international students in Poland. With a great cultural mix of students and young people, you will not feel alone and you will know a lot of different and interesting people.
- Warsaw is the hub of culture and science on European level.
 Here, you will find there many interesting museums, concerts and exhibitions.
- Knowledge of English and other foreign languages is common among young people, and you can easily communicate in offices, restaurants, and simply walking in the streets.
- The cost of living in Warsaw is much lower than in other European cities and capitals.
- The largest University of Social Sciences campus is located here.

Approximate costs of living

Accommodation: 150-200 EUR per month

Food and other living expenses: 300-400 EUR per month

STUDY IN LODZ

- Lodz is the third largest city in Poland located in the center of the country, about 1,5 hour from Warsaw.
- It's one of the biggest academic centers where you will find over 100,000 students from Poland and other countries and this number is still growing.
- Lodz is well know for cuisine. It is very easy to eat well here

 no matter whether you want traditional Polish cuisine or dishes from all over the world, you will find what you are looking for.
- Lodz is one of the biggest international business centers in Poland.
- Wide offer of cultural and sports events that are cheap, well-organized and interesting. Lodz is a cultural phenomenon called the city of festivals with more than 70 international events organized each year!
- It's well known for the high level of personal security
 Lodz is a foreigner friendly city.
- Costs of living are lower than in the capital city of Warsaw.
- The University's main campus is located here

Approximate costs of living

Accommodation: 100-150 EUR per month

Food and other living expenses: 200-300 EUR per month.



HOW TO APPLY

GET A EUROPEAN OR AN AMERICAN DEGREE IN POLAND!

- 1. Register in the online admissions system and choose the program of studies: apply.san.edu.pl
- 2. Upload scans of the enrolment documents (your educational certificates, passport or ID card, proof of English language proficiency)

3. After positive verification of your application, you will be guided through the registration procedure.

VISIT: APPLY.SAN.EDU.PL

YOU WILL BE GUIDED THROUGH THE REGISTRATION PROCEDURE AND VISA PROCESS.





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