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SWPS – Poland's top private humanities-centred university*

- ▶ Psychology
- ▶ English Studies
- ▶ International Project Management
- ▶ International Business Relations

SWPS enjoys the status of Poland's top private humanities-centred university in the League Table of Non-Public Masters Higher Education Institutions 2011 according to Perspektywy (career advice magazine) and Rzeczpospolita (Polish daily newspaper).

Warsaw

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Psychology

Masters: 10 semesters, full-time studies**

Specialisation

- General Psychology

Advantages

- At SWPS you have a unique opportunity to learn about various cultures by studying with students from Poland, other European countries as well as with students from the United States, China, and Africa;
- You have the chance to learn from distinguished scholars and experts from Poland, Europe and the US, and to use the most modern and innovative resources;
- Our wide choice of elective courses gives you the possibility to develop your own, unique study programme in line with your interests;
- As you specialise in General Psychology, the knowledge and skills acquired during your studies will enable you to find jobs in a variety of fields;
- All courses are taught in English (40% of courses may be in Polish).

For students who wish to transfer to SWPS Psychology in English from a different university or who have already completed a degree (for example, a BA) in psychology or related fields (BA or MA), there is a possibility of completing the course of your studies in fewer than 10 semesters (approximately 6 semesters).

If you wish to improve your chances on the employment market and wish to enhance your knowledge of psychology, without having to study for five consecutive years, this programme is the ideal option for you.

Courses (examples):

- Biological Foundations of Human Behaviour;
- Mental Health;
- Psychology of Personality;
- Social Psychology;
- Psychology of Emotions and Motivation;
- Psychology of Individual Differences;
- Cognitive Psychology;
- Developmental Psychology;
- Individually-supervised Project;
- Psychology as a Helping Profession.

Opportunities

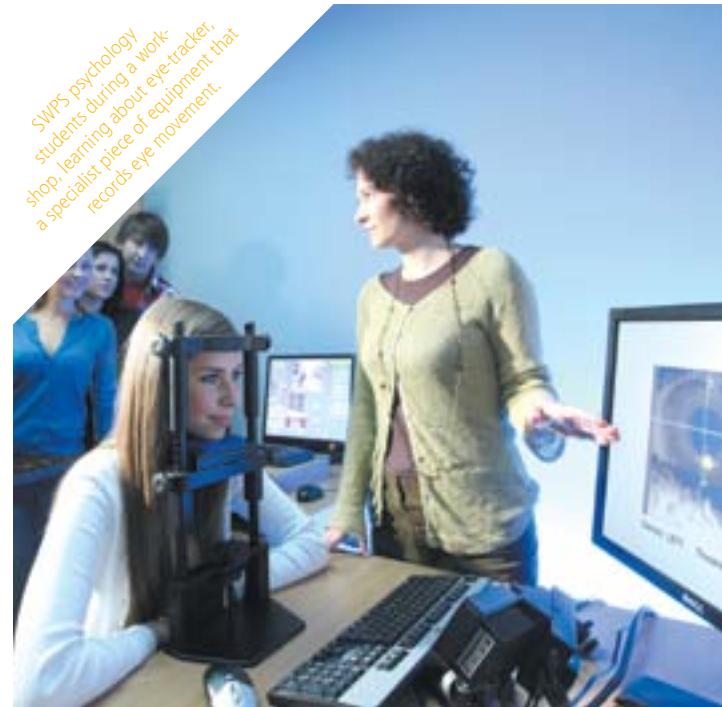
Former SWPS students of Psychology in English have found work in elementary schools (including bilingual schools), in academia and higher education, administration, marketing and advertising, marketing research, and psychiatric hospitals.

More information: www.psychology.swps.edu.pl

Tuition: approximately 3,500 €/year

Best Psychology Department

SWPS is the only higher educational institution of its kind in Poland to have received a positive quality rating from the State Accreditation Committee (PKA), an independent institution responsible for assessing the quality of education in Poland.



**students transferring from a different university or those who have completed a degree (for example, a BA) in psychology or related fields may complete their studies sooner.

English Studies

Bachelors: 6 semesters, full-time or extramural studies

Masters: 4 semesters, full-time or extramural studies

Specialisations

- Translation Studies;
- Cultural and Media Studies;
- English with Business Studies;
- English Studies with Computer Applications.

Advantages

- You will gain practical knowledge and skills extending beyond the traditional language studies curriculum, in areas such as business studies, international studies, and communication in the working environment;
- Advanced and proficiency level English as well as an additional foreign language (French, German, Spanish, Italian);
- You will learn from the very best: renowned experts, foreign lecturers and dynamic young, emerging scholars. As a result we provide an exceptionally wide range of courses of the highest standards;
- The SWPS English Institute is one of the largest private English Studies departments in Poland.

Courses (examples):

- Translation Studies Theory;
- Computer-Assisted Translation Tools (TRADOS);
- Translating Terminology (English-Polish);
- E-learning for Foreign Language Learning;
- Intercultural Communication;
- English for Law and Business;
- Topics in American/British Studies;
- Contemporary Media Culture;
- Analysis and Interpretation of Literary Texts;
- Classic and Modern American and British Cinema.

Opportunities

After completing an SWPS English Studies degree, you will be proficient in English which will be an exceptional advantage in gaining employment anywhere in the world. Former SWPS English Studies students have found work in: the media, translation companies, language schools, national and local administration, NGOs, cultural and educational institutions, and PR agencies.

Tuition

Bachelors: 1,600 €

Masters: 1,800 €



International Project Management

Bachelors: 6 semesters, full-time or extramural studies

Advantages

- The programme is addressed to those who consider themselves humanists and are passionate about the social side of organisation and life;
- You will discover new cultures and learn how to use your knowledge in the practice of management;
- You will obtain theoretical and practical knowledge of management in multicultural settings;
- What is more, you will gain extensive knowledge of the legal regulations that impact on international and local business, not to mention advanced language and communication skills;
- The programme's small groups will give you an opportunity to build excellent relationships with both your fellow international classmates and your tutors.

Courses (examples):

- Business Decision Making;
- Organisational Diagnostics;
- Marketing across Cultures;
- Cross-cultural Communication;
- International Project Management;
- Principles of Negotiation;
- Statistics and Quantitative Techniques;
- Business English;
- Multicultural Psychology;
- European Cultural Heritage;
- Cultural Anthropology;
- Organisational Culture.

Opportunities

After graduating, International Project Management students have a wide range of management career prospects in all sectors of the economy, for example in: small business, corporations, consulting, public services, administration, as well as NGOs, EU agencies, diplomacy, and international organizations.

Tuition: 3,500 €

International Business Relations

Bachelors: 6 semesters, full-time studies

Advantages

- After graduation, you will be an exceptionally well-qualified specialist, familiar with the latest trends in the development of European business, the needs of the market as well as Europe's differing cultures and customs;
- You will be taught by the best lecturers in Poland;
- The International Business Relations programme combines the key study areas of Business Studies, Law, Internationalisation, in order to provide a practical-oriented degree programme;
- Proficiency level of Business English. In addition you have the opportunity to learn Polish or another foreign language during your studies.

Courses (examples):

- Cultural and International Relations;
- Political and Economic Geography;
- Foreign Policy of European States;
- Political Science;
- International Law;
- International Economy;
- Interests and Values in International Politics;
- Cross-Cultural Competencies.

Opportunities

After obtaining this degree, you will be able to successfully run your own business, or work as an independent analyst in the field of international economics. What is more, you will have a wide range of management career prospects in all sectors of the economy, where advanced linguistic skills are needed, especially in: European business, corporations, administration, and international organisations.

Tuition: 3,500 €

MODERN STUDIES AT A MODERN UNIVERSITY

About Us

• University of Social Sciences and Humanities in Warsaw is a modern centre for research and learning. It offers interdisciplinary degree programmes in the humanities in Warsaw, Wrocław, Sopot, Katowice and Poznań. Since it was established over 15 years ago, SWPS has become one of the most important and highly regarded psychology centres in Poland. SWPS has a tradition of organising regular scientific, popular science and cultural events. The school has had the pleasure of hosting many renowned scientists, famous artists and media personalities. As a socially responsible institution, SWPS supports the development of art and culture with its regular 'High Voltage Culture' events and exhibitions.

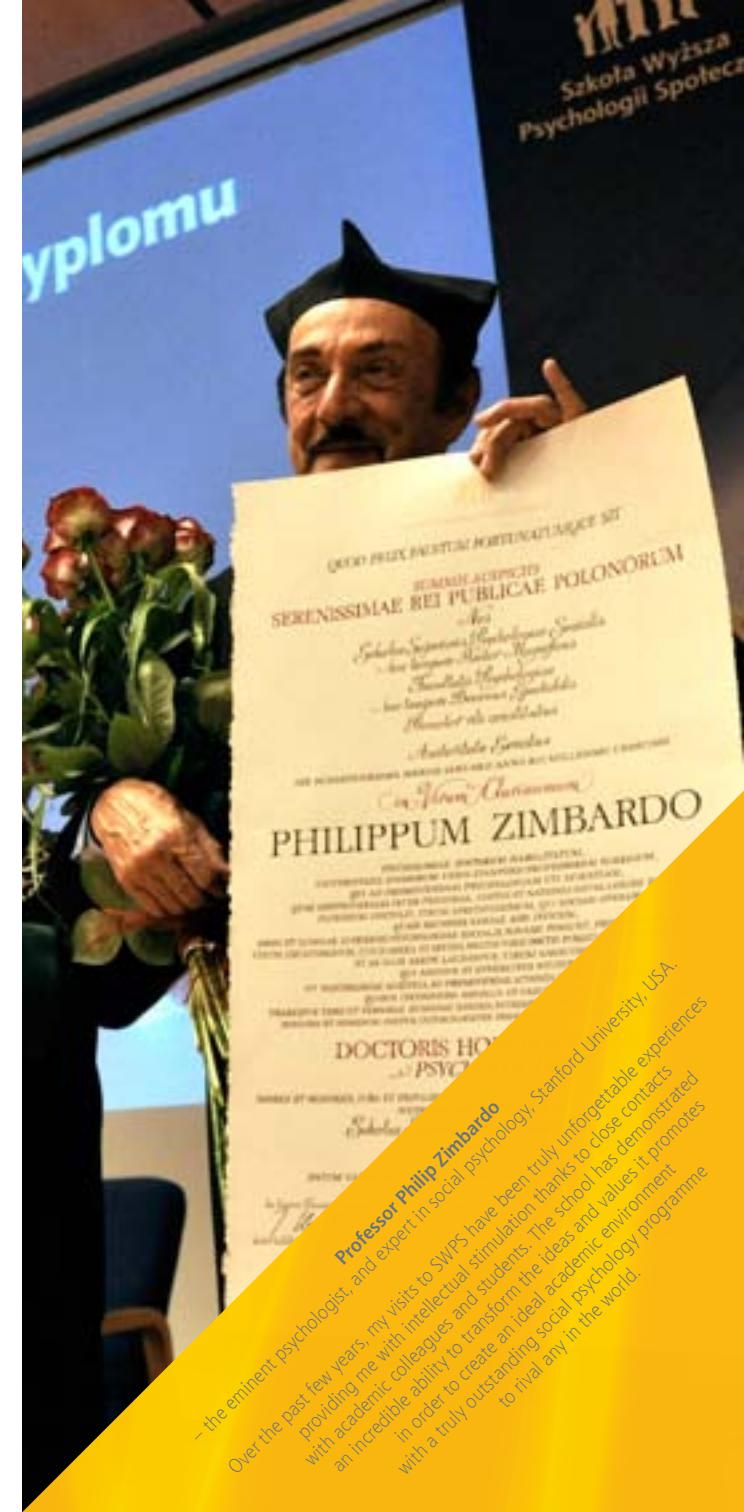
• SWPS is able to confer PhD degrees in Psychology, Law, Cultural Studies and Sociology. It also has the right to award post-doctoral titles to doctors of Psychology and Cultural Studies.

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• Every year, SWPS obtains EU grants for a variety of international research EU projects, co-funded by the European Commission.

Careers Office

• Our Career Office staff are always ready to help you with career advice, student job information, graduate opportunities, paid and voluntary work, help with writing CVs and preparing for job interviews, and advice on work experience.



Professor Philip Zimbardo
— the eminent psychologist, and expert in social psychology, Stanford University, USA.
Over the past few years, my visits to SWPS have been truly unforgettable experiences providing me with intellectual stimulation thanks to close contacts with academic colleagues and students. The school has demonstrated an incredible ability to transform the ideas and values it promotes in order to create an ideal academic environment with a truly outstanding social psychology programme to rival any in the world.

We Are Always Happy to Help You

- If you do not speak Polish, do not worry! Our friendly and helpful team of international officers and student volunteers are always happy to provide you with comprehensive assistance that will make studying in Poland as problem-free as possible.
- We will pick you up from the airport or railway station, take you to your dorm or other accommodation, help with checking in at the dorm or looking for accommodation and then negotiating/signing a rental agreement. We will help you communicate with non-English speaking university staff, and give you a hand opening up a bank account or even finding a grocery store.
- You can always turn to our international officers if you have any health problems or need advice about anything else.

Top-class Specialists

- You learn from the best at SWPS. Our teaching and research staff are made up of Poland's premier researchers and lecturers. SWPS experts regularly make appearances in the media as commentators and pundits. Tenured academics such as Professors Dariusz Doliński, Andrzej Falkowski, Radosław Markowski and Bogdan Wojciszke, also lecture at the world's most prestigious universities.
- SWPS has had the pleasure of hosting many world-famous scientists and artists; also the psychologists Robert Cialdini, Philip Zimbardo; advisor to US President Bill Clinton Martin Seligman, the world-famous marketing expert Bruce Newman, and the well-known British artist and performer Polarbear.

Preparatory School English and Polish language courses

Course aims

- improving your receptive (listening and reading) and productive skills (speaking and writing);

E-studies

- All administrative matters can be undertaken using Wirtualna Uczelnia (Virtual University) which allows you to keep in touch with the Dean's Office, lecturers and other students.
- Lecture notes can be downloaded online when and where you want via our modern e-learning platform.
- You are kept updated about all that is going on at SWPS at www.swps.pl/english/.
- The SWPS Wi-Fi network allows you to connect to the internet anywhere on the school's premises.

International Studies

- Would you like to travel abroad, discover new countries and cultures? As an SWPS student, you have the opportunity to take advantage of foreign scholarships to any one of our 71 partner universities within the Erasmus Program. You also have the chance to study in Korea (Hanyang University) and China (Beijing City University and Capital Normal University in Beijing).
- Psychology students have the opportunity to spend part of their study programme at our partner universities in the US (California State University) or the UK (Bangor University). You will then be granted an international diploma from SWPS and our foreign partner.
- SWPS is a genuine international centre of learning. We have over 200 students from 5 continents and 40 different countries.

- introducing specialised vocabularies for both Polish and English, which is a prerequisite for active participation in lectures and classes at SWPS;
- introducing you to Polish culture, history and society to prepare you to study in Poland.

600 hours of English and 120 hours of Polish
Course fees: 3,400 Euro/2 semesters (one academic year)

The Heart of Poland

- Warsaw is the commercial and academic centre of the country and region. It is an extremely vibrant and rapidly developing city with 2 million residents, including 300,000 students. The city provides unlimited opportunities to study, work and enjoy music, cinema, theatre, art and sport. It is also the most multicultural city in the region, with people from 120 countries living and working here. Come and experience unforgettable Warsaw!
- You can get to the university from the city centre by bus or tram in around 20 minutes. The university's premises are found in the unique pre-war district of Praga, which year on year attracts hordes of tourists wanting to see Warsaw's pre-war industrial architecture.

Heart of Europe

- Poland lies in Central Europe and can be easily reached from every part of the globe, not least from its neighbouring countries: Germany, the Czech Republic, Slovakia, Lithuania, Belarus, Russia or Ukraine. You can also travel to Poland from Sweden by ferry, or fly from London (which takes around 2.5 hours).
- Poland is famous for its breathtaking mountains, sea and lakes; and is also home to the only desert in Europe. Your time in Poland will be a wonderful opportunity to develop your passion for sports and outdoor pursuits.

