

**Study plan, 2026/2027**

*Sustainable Development, second-cycle studies, general academic profile*

**I year, 1 semester**

Name of the subject	Form of classes / number of hours in the semester		Number of ECTS credits	Form of crediting the class
	lectures	exercises		
Challenges of the Social Dimension of Sustainability	-	30	3	Z
Climate Change and its Human Aspect	-	45	3	Z
Sustainable Development Law, Functioning of Nature and Ecosystem Services	30	30	4	E
Introduction to Ocean Science and Polar Research		30	2	Z
Global Changes – Synthetic Outlook and the Concept of Sustainable Development	30	-	3	E
Economics of Sustainability	30	30	4	E
Waste Management	10	65	5	Z
<b>Elective classes<sup>1</sup></b>				
• The World at the Crossroads	-	30	2	Z/E
• Reclamation, Remediation and Renaturalization of the Environment	-	30	2	Z/E
<b>Total</b>	min. 420		<b>30</b>	

Elective classes<sup>1</sup> – from the given proposals, courses to be chosen by students for **2 ECTS**

**I year, 2 semester**

Name of the subject	Form of classes / number of hours in the semester		Number of ECTS credits	Form of crediting the class
	lectures	exercises		
Agriculture, Food Production and Biodiversity	30	30	4	E
Geographic Information System (GIS) as Support in Decision Making Process	-	30	2	Z
Cost-Benefit Analysis and Natural Resources	-	30	2	Z
International Environmental Law	-	15	1	Z
Urban Sustainability	30	30	4	E
Management of Natural Resources	-	45	3	Z
The Principles of Ecosystem Services Assessment	-	30	2	Z
Diploma Seminar	-	30	2	Zal
<b>Elective classes<sup>2</sup></b>				
• Environmental Monitoring and Assessment	-	45	3	Z/E
• Communication, Education and Cooperation	-	45	3	Z
• Photography and visual language - an introductory workshop for scientists	-	45	<b>3</b>	Z
Interactions of Human and Nature (field classes)	-	60	4	Z
<b>Total</b>	min. 450		<b>30</b>	

Elective classes<sup>2</sup> – from the given proposals, courses to be chosen by students for **6 ECTS**

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**II year, 3 semester**

Name of the subject	Form of classes / number of hours in the semester		Number of ECTS credits	Form of crediting the class
	lectures	exercises		
Development of Mind and Science: Philosophical Inquiries,	-	30	2	Z
Indicators of Sustainable Development,	-	30	2	Z
Green Innovations – Strategies and Diffusion	-	30	3	E
Sustainable Development and Beyond. New Concepts for the Future	-	30	2	Z
Sustainability Reporting	-	30	2	Z
Sustainable Development Strategies – Global, Regional, Local and Institutional	-	30	3	Z
Diploma Seminar II	-	30	3	Zal
Elective classes <sup>3</sup> :				
• Sustainable development of space	-	30	3	Z/E
• Entrepreneurship, Leadership & CSR,	-	30	3	Z/E
• Environmental Impact Assessment,	-	30	3	Z/E
• Designing Development Research: Case-Based Learning from the Global South	-	30	3	Z/E
Elective classes (OGUN in humanities) <sup>4</sup>		20	2	Z /E
Elective classes (OGUN) <sup>5</sup>		30	2	Z/E
<b>Total:</b>		min. 350	<b>30</b>	

Elective classes <sup>3</sup> – from the given proposals, courses for **9 ECTS** should be selected

Elective classes (OGUN in humanities)<sup>4</sup>– courses to be chosen from the UW’s offer of subjects in the fields of humanities: <https://rejestracja.usos.uw.edu.pl/>

Elective classes (OGUN)<sup>5</sup>– subject to be chosen from the UW’s offer or other Universities.

**II year, 4 semester**

Name of the subject	Form of classes / number of hours in the semester		Number of ECTS credits	Form of crediting the class
	lectures	exercises		
Sustainable Development Practicum	-	120	7	Z
Greenwashing	-	15	1	Z
Diploma Seminar III/ Writing Diploma Project <sup>6</sup>	-	30	20	ZAL
Elective classes (OGUN in humanities) <sup>4</sup>		20	2	Z/E
<b>Total</b>		min. 185	<b>30</b>	

Elective classes (OGUN in humanities)<sup>4</sup>– courses to be chosen from the UW’s offer of subjects in the fields of humanities: <https://rejestracja.usos.uw.edu.pl/> Full descriptions of subjects can be found on the website: <https://usosweb.uw.edu.pl>

Diploma Seminar III/Writing Diploma Project <sup>6</sup> – credit for submitting the diploma dissertation

**explanations:**

E – exam, Z – graded credit, Zal – pass a subject