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the future
today!**



POZNAŃ
UNIVERSITY
OF LIFE SCIENCES

”
Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world
“

N. Mandela



over
100
years of
academic tradition

over
70
years as an independent
University

over
750
academic teachers
and scientists

3
study programs
in English – BSc

26
interesting fields
of study

29
postgraduate
courses

10
study programs
in English – MSc

over
1300
employees

almost
7000
students

6
faculties

over
100
professors

25
student
science clubs

Important dates



1870 – Agricultural Halina School

1919 – Faculty of Agriculture and Forestry at the Poznań University

1951 – An independent Higher School of Agriculture

1972 – The name changed to the Agricultural University

2008 – The name changed to the Poznań University of Life Sciences

The University yesterday and today



The Poznań University of Life Sciences (PULS) is an institution with a rich history dating back to the late 19th century, rooted in an academic tradition from 1870. This was when, thanks to the efforts of August Cieszkowski, the university's current patron, Agricultural Halina School was established in Żabikowo near Poznań. This historical connection reflects the university's deep ties to the agricultural heritage of the region and its ongoing mission to advance the natural sciences and sustainable agriculture.

Today, it is a dynamic, modern university that combines a passion for science with innovative solutions for sustainable development. Our educational programs are designed to meet the challenges of the contemporary world, and the research conducted at the university sets new directions in agriculture, ecology, biotechnology, and life sciences. We invest in state-of-the-art laboratories and research infrastructure, and our faculty members are experts who inspire the pursuit of new solutions.



The structure of Poznań University of Life Sciences



■ **Faculties:**

Faculty of Agriculture, Holiculture and Biotechnology

Faculty of Forestry and Wood Technology

Faculty of Veterinary Medicine and Animal Science

Faculty of Food Science and Nutrition

Faculty of Environmental and Mechanical Engineering

Faculty of Economics

■ **Institution-wide didactic units:**

Doctoral School

Library and the Scientific Information Centre

Publishing House of the Poznań University of Life Sciences

Foreign Language Centre

Student Cultural Centre

The Sports Centre

■ **Experimental Centres**

■ **Centre for Innovation and Technology Transfer**

■ **Central Administration Units**

■ **Centre for Lifelong Learning**

■ **Support and Development Centre**

■ **Complex of Life Schools in Poznań**

A scientific and research University



The Poznań University of Life Sciences is a leading research centre that has ranked among the top life sciences universities in Poland for years. With its extensive research infrastructure and modern laboratories, the university conducts innovative, world-class research. Faculty members actively participate in international research projects, collaborating with leading institutions and companies worldwide. The university's research areas include sustainable agriculture, environmental protection, biotechnology, food science and nutrition, wood science, forestry, animal health and welfare, information technology, economics and finance management in agri-food sector and rural areas. Through an interdisciplinary approach, this research contributes to solving key global challenges such as climate change, food security, and biodiversity conservation.

The Poznań University of Life Sciences also supports the development of young scientists by offering numerous research programs, internships, and publication opportunities in prestigious scientific journals. Our university is a place where a passion for science meets real social needs, creating innovations that make the world a better place.



Educational University



The Poznań University of Life Sciences is an institution that has long been educating future specialists in fields such as agriculture, forestry, wood science, environmental protection, biotechnology, food technology, animal health and welfare, and agri-food economics. The study programs are designed to provide students not only with solid theoretical knowledge but also with practical skills essential for today's job market. With an experienced teaching staff, modern laboratories, and close collaboration with industry, we prepare graduates to meet the challenges of the future. Students at every level have the opportunity to participate in research projects, internships, and international exchanges, further enriching their experience and competencies. The Poznań University of Life Sciences is a place where the leaders of tomorrow are shaped, ready to drive scientific and economic progress sustainably and innovatively.

PULS is where future leaders of innovation and sustainable development are born. We educate professionals who change the world. Our graduates are sought-after specialists on the job market, equipped with the latest knowledge and practical skills.



A prestigious University



The Poznań University of Life Sciences is a prestigious institution that has been educating leaders in life and environmental sciences for over a century. Our exceptional scientific achievements, innovative approach to education, and close collaboration with leading research centers worldwide make us one of the most prominent academic centers in Poland. Students at our university have access to modern laboratories, unique equipment, and a faculty composed of renowned experts. The study programs are carefully designed to meet the highest academic standards, providing a comprehensive education that opens doors to careers both domestically and internationally.

The Poznań University of Life Sciences is a place where tradition meets modernity, and the quality of education and reputation attract the best students and scientists. By choosing PULS, one becomes part of an elite academic community that plays a key role in shaping the future of science and technology.



A supportive University



The University runs a Support and Development Centre which offer:

- supporting candidates, students, graduates and employees in various aspects of their activity related to PULS
- developing social skills and competences of PULS students and employees
- supporting students in equal access to education
- creating conditions for people with disabilities to fully participate in recruitment, education and scientific activities
- career coaching, self-development
- meetings with employers
- open lectures
- creating and advising on application documents

The University is involved in many dedicated projects which enable the students to enroll for apprenticeships and internships (whether remunerated or not) and to take up a job in a company with a mentoring program in place. In that area, cooperation is established with specialized institutions and operators who take into consideration the specifics of education at the University or its Faculties.



An international University



As part of various international programs, academic exchange in education and professional development is supported for both students and academic staff. Students have the opportunity to study and complete internships at foreign universities or institutions under the Erasmus+ program. Academic and administrative staff can also participate in exchanges through this program. The university has 110 partnership agreements under the Erasmus+ program, 41 signed international agreements for scientific and research cooperation, and collaborates with 37 countries. The Erasmus+ program enables the admission of foreign students for studies and internships, as well as guest lecturers.

The University also offers courses in English. Bachelor's degree programs are available in Economics and Finance Management in the Agri-food Sector, Land Resource Management and Crop Plant Biology and Production. At the Master's level, programs are offered in Agronomy, Animal Production Management, Biotechnology, Wood Science, Horticulture: Seed Science and Technology, Environmental Engineering and Protection, Geoinformation and Spatial Management, Agri-food Economics and Trade, Food Science and Nutrition, and Forestry. Graduates from higher education institutions, both domestic and international, also have the opportunity to continue and supplement their education in English through the university's Doctoral School.





A development University



STUDENT CULTURE CENTRE

In addition to University classes, the students may find something for their bodies and souls. Anyone interested in folk dance and song may pursue their hobbies and passions in the „Łany” – The Folk Song and Dance Ensemble which has been a part of the University’s history already since 1974, and has been tremendously successful both in Poland and abroad. In addition to „Łany”, there is also the „Venator” – Hunters Trumpet Band which plays Polish and international hunting music and more, and the „Coro da Camera” Academic Choir playing musical pieces of various styles, from classical works to modern popular music.

STUDENT SCIENCE CLUBS

The Poznań University of Life Sciences offers a broad range of optional classes. The students may broaden their horizons, pursue their interests and passions and enjoy a purely scientific experience as they participate in many interesting research groups. The University runs 25 student science clubs supervised by devoted active leaders.

SPORTS CENTRE

The University has a Sports Centre, a well-equipped modern facility with indoor and outdoor courts, team sports halls, fitness zone and spa. The University also cooperates with an equestrian centre and a swimming complex. The centre includes 17 sports units under the University Club of the Academic Sports Association. The trainings are attended by more than 250 students who represent the University in many national and international sport events. Many of them have significant sporting achievements, especially in mountain biking, sport shooting, floorball or equestrianism.





Lifelong University



CENTRE FOR LIFELONG LEARNING

The Poznań University of Life Sciences promotes education services aimed at updating and extending the graduates' knowledge and improving their professional skills in accordance with the Lifelong Learning concept. It offers courses, trainings and workshops, coordinates the post-graduate programs and runs the Life Sciences University of the Third Age. Also, it delivers and promotes the academic lessons offering targeted at junior secondary schools and secondary schools.

POSTGRADUATE COURSES

Postgraduate programs are a great way of supplementing your knowledge and skills. They are intended for holders of a first-cycle (or higher) diploma. This is an excellent starting point for your career that satisfies your hunger for specialist knowledge. Also, it helps you find your own career path. The Poznań University of Life Sciences offers a wide range of various postgraduate programs so that every graduate may find a field of interest to them.

About Poznań



Poznań is one of the Poland's largest and oldest cities. Historically, it is the cradle of the Polish state which dates back to the tenth century. More than a thousand years of history have left many vestiges which, today, attract visitors to the modern yet historical capital of Wielkopolska. Located in the central-western part of Poland, in the Warta river basin, Poznań is the central point and capital of the Wielkopolskie voivodeship. Today, with a population of over 536 000, it is one of the Poland's largest cities.

Poznań boasts a large number of public and non-public higher education institutions which lead the national university ranking. More than a thousand professors are there to assist the students. The 25 universities offer over 200 majors, state-of-the-art education centers, extended international exchange programs, modern, high-quality campuses and programs that help the graduates enter the labor market. Poznań hosts over 102 000 students, including about 4 000 foreigners from more than 90 countries around the world. Each year, 25 000+ students graduate from the universities of Poznań.

Poznań, one of the Poland's largest financial and business centers, is the trade fair city which organizes over 50 trade events attracting nearly half a million visitors each year. A city of specialists and new technologies, Poznań is also a dynamically growing business center where the world's largest companies have their offices. In Poznań, almost 127 000 companies are active, and the number of foreign-owned companies is one of the highest in Poland. For many years, Poznań has had one of the country's lowest unemployment rates. The city might be said to be attractive and friendly to young entrepreneurs.



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