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DECLARATION OF SOLIDARITY WITH UKRAINE

The Senate of the University of Gdańsk unanimously supported the resolution - Declaration of solidarity with Ukraine.

- 'The situation has changed dramatically. We are dealing with a dramatic conflict beyond our borders,' - said prof. dr hab. Piotr Stepnowski, Rector of UG during today's meeting of the UG Senate. - 'UG can be involved in helping Ukraine. We may be asked to provide support to potential refugees. I appeal to students to prepare themselves to receive students from Ukraine.'

UG's position has been sent to KRASP.

Resolution no. 7/22
of the Senate of the University of Gdańsk
of 24 February 2022

Declaration of solidarity with Ukraine

On the basis of § 28 section 1 point 25 of the Statute of the University of Gdańsk of 13 June 2019 (with amendments) – the following is adopted:

§ 1.

The Senate of the University of Gdańsk, through its long-standing cooperation with the academic community in Ukraine, the presence of Ukrainian students and employees as members of our community, and its concern for mutual European values such as freedom, equality and justice, feels entitled to condemn unequivocally Russia's military aggression against independent Ukraine and to express solidarity with the citizens of Ukraine in this difficult period of struggle to uphold the sovereignty and integrity of their country.

This statement is also a declaration of participation in all programmes of the Polish National Agency for Academic Exchange to be established in an offer of support for Ukrainian citizens who study and work in Poland.

§ 2.

The Resolution shall enter into force on the date on which it is adopted.

Chair of the Senate
Rector
of the University of Gdańsk

Prof. Piotr Stepnowski,
corresponding member of the Polish Academy of Sciences

PROF. UG ALEKSANDER KUCZABSKI REPRESENTATIVE OF THE RECTOR FOR AID TO UKRAINE

The Rector of the University of Gdańsk appointed dr. hab. Aleksander Kuczabski, prof. UG from the Department of Regional Development at the WNS as the Rector's Representative for assistance to Ukraine. He is coordinating aid actions for refugees from Ukraine and the tasks of the units which are to prepare the admission of refugees to studies and scientific work at the University of Gdańsk. The Representative will be supported in his activities by a team of University staff familiar with the Ukrainian environment.

MORE INFORMATION:

[HTTPS://UG.EDU.PL/NEWS/EN/2853/PROF-UG-ALEKSANDER-KUCZABSKI-REPRESENTATIVE-RECTOR-AID-UKRAINE](https://ug.edu.pl/news/en/2853/prof-ug-aleksander-kuczabski-representative-rector-aid-ukraine)

FUNDRAISER TO HELP STUDENTS AND ACADEMICS FROM UKRAINE

In the face of Russian military aggression against Ukraine, we have started a fundraising campaign to help students and academics from Ukraine who, fleeing the war, will become members of the University of Gdańsk academic community.

[HTTPS://UG.EDU.PL/NEWS/EN/2838/FUNDRAISER-HELP-STUDENTS-AND-ACADEMICS-UKRAINE](https://ug.edu.pl/news/en/2838/fundraiser-help-students-and-academics-ukraine)

An email

ukraina@ug.edu.pl

has been launched to which you can send your requests for help, academic initiatives and reports on the need to support students and scientists from Ukraine.

ACADEMIC PSYCHOLOGICAL SUPPORT CENTRE

The Academic Psychological Support Centre is ready to offer help. The centre is ready to help you struggle with various emotions.

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More information:
www.centrumwsparcia.ug.edu.pl

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ТОЩО

INTERVIEW WITH PROF. JOHN DUNN

IT IS AN AMAZING EXPERIENCE TO WORK WITH THE STUDENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF GDAŃSK'.

As part of the 'Visiting Professors' programme in the winter semester, the University of Gdańsk was visited by the American historian prof. John Dunn of Valdosta State University and his students. During his stay, he conducted research and lectures, and his students were able to learn about Polish culture and history. On January 5, 2022, prof. Dunn returned to the States but continues to cooperate with researchers from the UG Department of History.

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**Visiting Professors
Programme UG**

UG AT EXPO IN DUBAI

Representatives of the Association of Fahrenheit Universities participated in the education fair held as part of the Polish Science Week at EXPO 2020 in Dubai. The University of Gdańsk, Gdańsk University of Technology and Gdańsk Medical University presented their educational offer to candidates interested in studying in Poland. It was a great opportunity to interest young people from all over the world in studying in our country. As part of the visit to the EXPO, talks were also held with universities from the United Arab Emirates to explore the possibilities for cooperation.



ERASMUS + RECRUITMENT



Erasmus+

Recruitment for student mobility within the Erasmus+ Programme for the academic year 2022/2023 is now open. The information campaign preceding it attracted a great deal of interest. Information meetings organised centrally and by individual departments participating in the programme attracted around 600 students. Therefore, we await with great optimism the results of the recruitment process, which will end on 11 March 2022.



FULBRIGHT U.S. SCHOLAR PROGRAM

The next call for Polish-U.S. Fulbright Commission scholar programmes to go to the USA is now open:

- **Fulbright Graduate Student Award 2023-24** - a programme for those interested in pursuing a second or third degree in the USA, providing funding for the first year of study of up to \$47,000, with the possibility of renewal for an additional year. The call for applications runs until 22 April.
- **Fulbright Junior Research Award 2023-24** - a programme for persons preparing a doctoral dissertation at Polish scientific institutions.

The aim of the scholarship, which lasts from 4 to 10 months, is to implement one's own research project at an American university, non-profit research institute or non-governmental organisation in the USA, related to the subject of the prepared doctoral dissertation. The call for applications runs until 27 May.

- **Fulbright Senior Award 2023-24** - a programme enabling persons employed at Polish academic and scientific institutions to carry out independent research or research and teaching projects at a host institution in the USA. The scholarship, lasting from 3 to 10 months, is addressed to research and teaching staff at any stage of their career after obtaining a doctoral degree. The call for applications runs until 27 May.

- **The Fulbright STEM Impact Award 2022-2023** is a programme for individuals who lead research projects in STEM fields and are employed at Polish academic and scientific institutions. The call for applications runs until 27 May.

JOANNA DEMONE VISITING GRADUATE STUDENT AWARD

The Polish Studies Program in the Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures at the University of Toronto

 offers a [scholarship for a short-term research internship](#).

ULAM NAWA - SUPPORTS VISITS OF RESEARCHERS FROM ABROAD

Within the Programme it is possible to invite researchers from abroad, regardless of age, represented field or country of origin - including Polish scientists working permanently abroad (they may constitute up to 10% of scholarship holders in the intake). Universities and scientific and research institutes may invite to Poland specialists in their priority areas who will significantly develop the institution's research, strengthen teaching or assist the institution in preparing applications for prestigious grants.

Under the Ulam NAWA programme, arrivals are possible with the aim of:

- carrying out scientific research
- post-doctoral training
- acquiring material for research or scientific publication

In addition to the above activities, the arrival may also include teaching. Stays of foreign scientists in Poland may last from 6 to 24 months, and the beneficiary will receive for the duration of the stay a monthly stipend of PLN 10,000 and a mobility allowance to cover travel costs.

ERASMUS+ INCOMING STUDENTS

We are pleased to announce that the summer semester 2021/2022 at the University of Gdańsk launched on February 21st, 2022.

We have welcomed 92 students from 23 countries such as Norway, Italy and Croatia.

We are also hosting students from non-European countries - Ghana, Kenya and Israel. We were delighted to acknowledge that 18 winter semester students enjoyed the Erasmus+ experience so much that they wished to extend their stay for the whole academic year.

The Erasmus+ Office invited the newcomers to participate in the online Orientation Weekend. While Friday was spent on ice-breaking activities and sharing tips on living in Poland, Saturday was purely dedicated to the legal procedures and answering students' most burning questions. The weekend concluded with a professional virtual tour of Gdańsk on Sunday.



Erasmus+

NAWA CHAIR - YOU CAN APPLY FOR A PRESTIGIOUS GRANT!

The **NAWA** Chair Programme offers universities and other scientific institutions a long-term financial package to invite a foreign scientist of world renown and for him/her to build a research team.

More details
on the [NAWA](#) website



NAWA CHAIR



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FOR ACADEMIC EXCHANGE

The applicant may be a researcher with a minimum of a PhD degree, employed at a foreign university or a foreign scientific/research centre.

It is also possible to submit an application for the second time in the programme by a researcher who holds at least a PhD degree or an equivalent degree obtained abroad and who, together with an institution of the Polish system of higher education and science, has been awarded a Seal of Excellence certificate under the Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions Individual Fellowships programme (edition 2021). NAWA recognises the MSCA Seal of Excellence certificate as a binding verification of the quality of the application.

THE ULAM
PROGRAMME



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