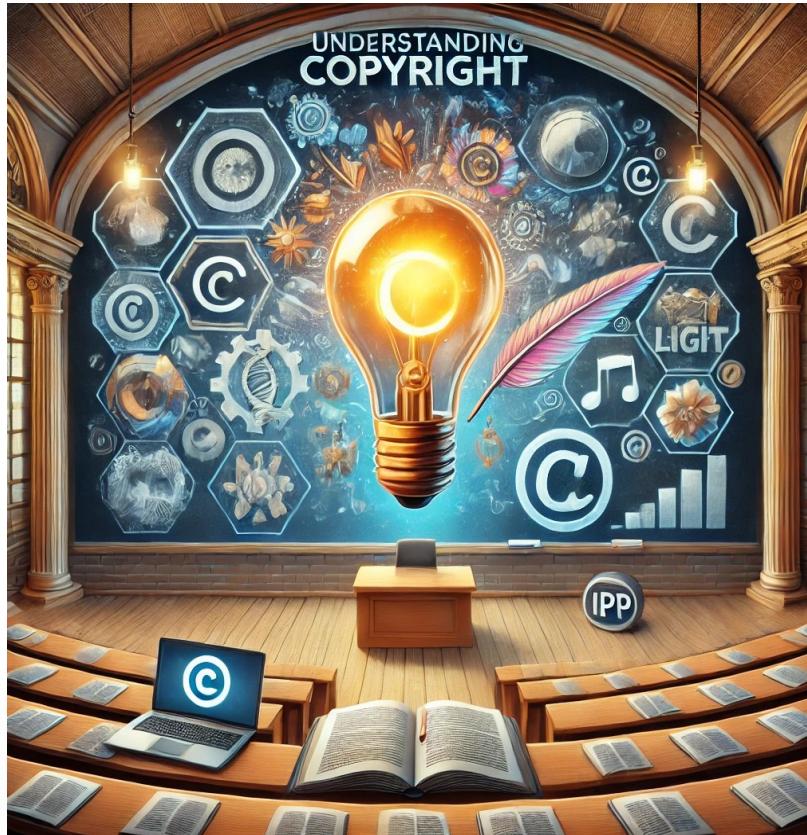


# Intellectual Property Protection

## part 0: Information on the organisation of the course BA and MA programmes in English



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# About the lecture

- Mateusz Kopyt – Finance and Accounting Chair, Faculty of Economic Sciences, University of Warsaw
- Course 6h – held in-room – 3 meetings (2h each)
- Test (exam) – in class (in December or in January)
- The general idea of the intellectual property protection
  - paying special attention to **copyright law**
    - in the scope of *studying, scientific and research work ...*
- **Office hours: see WNE website, Thursdays 16:45-17:30 room B007, forum on course website available**
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# Crediting rules

- Attending the lecture is obligatory\*
- Passing the test based on the lecture materials
  - Multiple choice test (one correct answer)
    - with possible questions to complete (up to 1-2 questions of this type)
  - General knowledge without reference to legal acts
  - about 30 min.
  - above 50% necessary to pass\*
  - *Exact date: December or January – soon will be announced*
  - Re-sit – in the beginning of the spring semester - I hope not needed ☺

\* In the exceptional case of not being able to attend all classes, it will be possible to take a pass test with a higher threshold of correct answers (67%).

# Questions (example)

- Patent protection regulations are included in the Act:
  - a)... b)... c)... (a proper name to choose)
- Copyright protection arises:
  - a) at the time of registration
  - b) since the work has been established**
  - c) since the work has been established and registered
- A student drew a flower for a friend during a lecture. He/she is subject to:
  - a) copyright protection**
  - b) patent protection
  - c) imprisonment

# Recommended readings

- **The Act of February 4, 1994 on copyright and related\* rights (Journal of Laws 1994 No. 24 Item 83 as amended – the act from 1994 with amendments)**
- **The Act of June 30, 2000 on industrial property law (Journal of Laws 2001 No. 49 Item 508 as amended – the act from 2000 with amendments)**

## In Polish:

- *Co pracownik i student szkoły wyższej o prawie autorskim wiedzieć powinien, Alina Domańska-Baer, UOTT, Warszawa 2012*
- *Co pracownik i student szkoły wyższej o ochronie własności przemysłowej wiedzieć powinien, Alicja Adamczak i inni, UOTT, Warszawa 2009*

## Supplementary:

- Marek Łazewski, *Ochrona własności intelektualnej - podstawy*, UOTT UW, Warszawa 2008
  - Janusz Barta, Ryszard Markiewicz, *Prawo autorskie i prawa pokrewne. Wprowadzenie*, Wolters Kluwer, Warszawa, 2024 (pozycja zaawansowana)
  - *In English: problem to find but ...*
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- <http://isap.sejm.gov.pl/> - parliamentary (Sejm) legal acts database (good source for legal acts – in Polish)
- Polish Patent Office: <https://uprp.gov.pl/pl/o-urzedzie/akty-prawne> - page has been changed recently (more information in English)
- Wikipedia: [https://en.wikisource.org/wiki/Polish\\_Copyright\\_Law](https://en.wikisource.org/wiki/Polish_Copyright_Law) (check how up-to-date the text is)
- WIPO portal: <https://www.wipo.int/portal/en/index.html>
- WIPO resources: <https://www.wipo.int/wipolex/en/legislation/results?countryOrgs=PL&last=true> (also legal acts)
- Portal: <https://legalnakultura.pl/pl> (about Copyright law) – mainly in Polish
- **See our course website for more up-to-date information on recommended reading.**

**Good luck on the course for all of us!**