

University of Lodz / Poland / European Union

To whom it may concern,

Thank you very much for being interested in the study offer of the University of Lodz, located in Poland (European Union). Below please find crucial information about the University of Lodz which will answer most of your questions to help you make a decision about your study destination.

The **University of Lodz is a public (state) university in Poland**. As a responsible higher education institution, it focuses its actions on intercultural and social integration. There are 95 nationalities currently studying at the University of Lodz. Our University builds academic community around the values of respect for cultural, religious and community identities as well as social sensitivity. UL strives to educate active global citizens, who think critically, understand the complexity and the diversity of perspectives which underlie most global problems.



The **University of Lodz** was established in 1945 and it has been long one of the biggest and most popular universities in Poland. 12 faculties and a branch unit of the University provide programmes in 90 fields of study and 160 specializations. In addition, the University offers several doctoral programmes, more than 50 postgraduate study programmes (including an MBA programme, and those financed by the ESF), as well as studies in English and French. More than 32 000 students attend



the University of Lodz. This figure includes students of all levels: those of undergraduate, graduate, as well as postgraduate, and PhD programmes. Each year there are over 2400 international students coming for full time/ degree studies or within mobility programs at the University of Lodz! We hear mix of languages in the halls of the University. Thus, a diverse multicultural and multigenerational community is built, drawing on the best traditions of the city of Lodz.

International students often take part in different activities that originated at the University of Lodz within its **University Diversity** project. The main goal is to promote equality and intercultural dialogue, and to build strong and lasting relations based on embracing diversity. Join Us! Unite and excel! The interest in studying at the University of Lodz is determined not only by a high quality of instruction, but also by modern programmes of study adapted to the changing demands of the labour market. The University treats international cooperation as a way to foster its development and continue the city's tradition. Our institution regularly hosts guest speakers, renowned politicians, businessmen and cultural representatives from Poland and abroad. UL is one of only six Polish Universities which gained a place in the **QS World University Rankings 2017**.

The **city of Lodz** is a beautiful, historical and green city. It creates welcoming atmosphere and diverse environment: you can always find something for yourself – it is full of cultural events, festivals and parties. Staying in the centre of Poland will make it easier for you to travel and explore new places during your stay here (the city is surrounded by a network of motorways and expressways which provide the city with excellent connections to different Polish and European destinations).

2. Information relevant to international students



While studying international students can obtain residence card that allows them to take up part time jobs. After getting the diploma, a graduate can work legally in Poland.

As far as labour market is concerned, Lodz's key sectors of industry includes logistics and transport, BPO, IT, home appliances, R&D, services related to fairs, exhibitions and tourism, as well as science and education. Our students find employment in international companies such as Infosys, Fujitsu, Accenture, Deloitte, BSH,



Comarch, UPS or Hutchinson. There are a lot of possibilities to work in companies where the language of communication is English. Still, please note that for formal purposes the official language of Poland is Polish.

The Career Office of the UL empowers students to reflect on their talents and experiences, explore their career options and achieve their career goals. By working directly with students and collaborating with a broad array of partners, communities and networks, our team facilitates programs, activities and services that enable students to take ownership of their career decisions and lead meaningful professional lives. We are organizing recruitment days, job fairs, internships and traineeships, workshops for students and alumni led by representatives of companies and well-structured career counselling.

A candidate, who undertakes studies on the tuition fee basis at the University of Lodz, shall pay study fees whose amount in the first study year is increased by the equivalent of 120 Euro, regardless of the number of programmes started in the application by the student. The amount of the increased payment is non-refundable. The tuition fee per one academic year is 2000 – 3000 EUR (depending on the study programme).

Study programmes taught in the English language with the tuition fee

UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMMES (BA – Bachelor's degree) – 2500 EUR per one academic year:

- BUSINESS MANAGEMENT
- CLIMATOLOGY
- COMPUTER SCIENCE, specialization: Computer Science in English
- ECONOMICS, specialization: Economics in English
- MATHEMATICS, specialization: Financial Mathematics
- INTERNATIONAL AND POLITICAL STUDIES, specializations: American Studies, Security Studies, Politics and Policy in Europe, International Communications, Asian Studies
- INTERNATIONAL MARKETING
- MANAGEMENT AND FINANCE
- NANOTECHNOLOGY

GRADUATE PROGRAMMES (MA – Master's degree)

- BUSINESS MANAGEMENT – 2500 EUR
- COMPUTER SCIENCE, specialization: Computer Science in English – 2500 EUR
- ECONOMICS AND INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS – 2500 EUR
- ENGLISH STUDIES – 2000 EUR
- ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, specialization: Ecohydrology – 3000 EUR
- INTERNATIONAL AND POLITICAL STUDIES, specializations: Governments and Governance, Conflict Management and Negotiations, International Marketing – 2500 EUR

PHD courses are offered in foreign languages on the individual basis, once the supervising professor is established.

**Documents for admission:**

1. Completed APPLICATION FORM
2. Secondary education certificate/diploma with the transcript of records stamped with an Apostille in the country of their origin
3. Eligibility statement (migration certificate) saying that the certificate/diploma allows the candidate to study at the university level in their country
4. English language certificate at least at B2 level or a proof you have studied in English
5. Cover letter written by a candidate
6. Health insurance policy
7. Medical certificate
8. Copy of passport photo page
9. 2 electronic passport photos

Deadline for submitting application is 15th of July.

Halls of Residence/ Dormitories are in offer for all first year full-time students (cost below). The place is not guaranteed though. University offers offer double and triple room; there are no single rooms available. Monthly cost of living per person (average), Lodz, Poland:

Degree	Accommodation	Food/cost of living	Textbooks	One-year medical insurance
Bachelor	85-100EUR (350-400PLN)	125EUR (500PLN)	13EUR – 33EUR (50-130PLN)	125EUR (500PLN)
Master	85-100EUR (350-400PLN)	125EUR (500PLN)	13EUR – 33EUR (50-130PLN)	125EUR (500PLN)
PhD	90-300EUR (360-1200PLN)	125EUR (500PLN)	63EUR – 88EUR (250-350PLN)	125EUR (500PLN)
Research	90-300EUR (360-1200PLN)	125EUR (500PLN)	63EUR – 88EUR (250-350PLN)	125EUR (500PLN)

Students' dormitory, double room – from 85 to 100EUR

Rent – a room in an apartment – 125EUR

Rent – an apartment – from 300EUR up

Textbooks – the lowest cost includes photocopying and using the library. The higher cost estimates the price of new books. Food – the cost depends on the student. 125 EUR does not include restaurants and going out.

3. International mobility scholarships

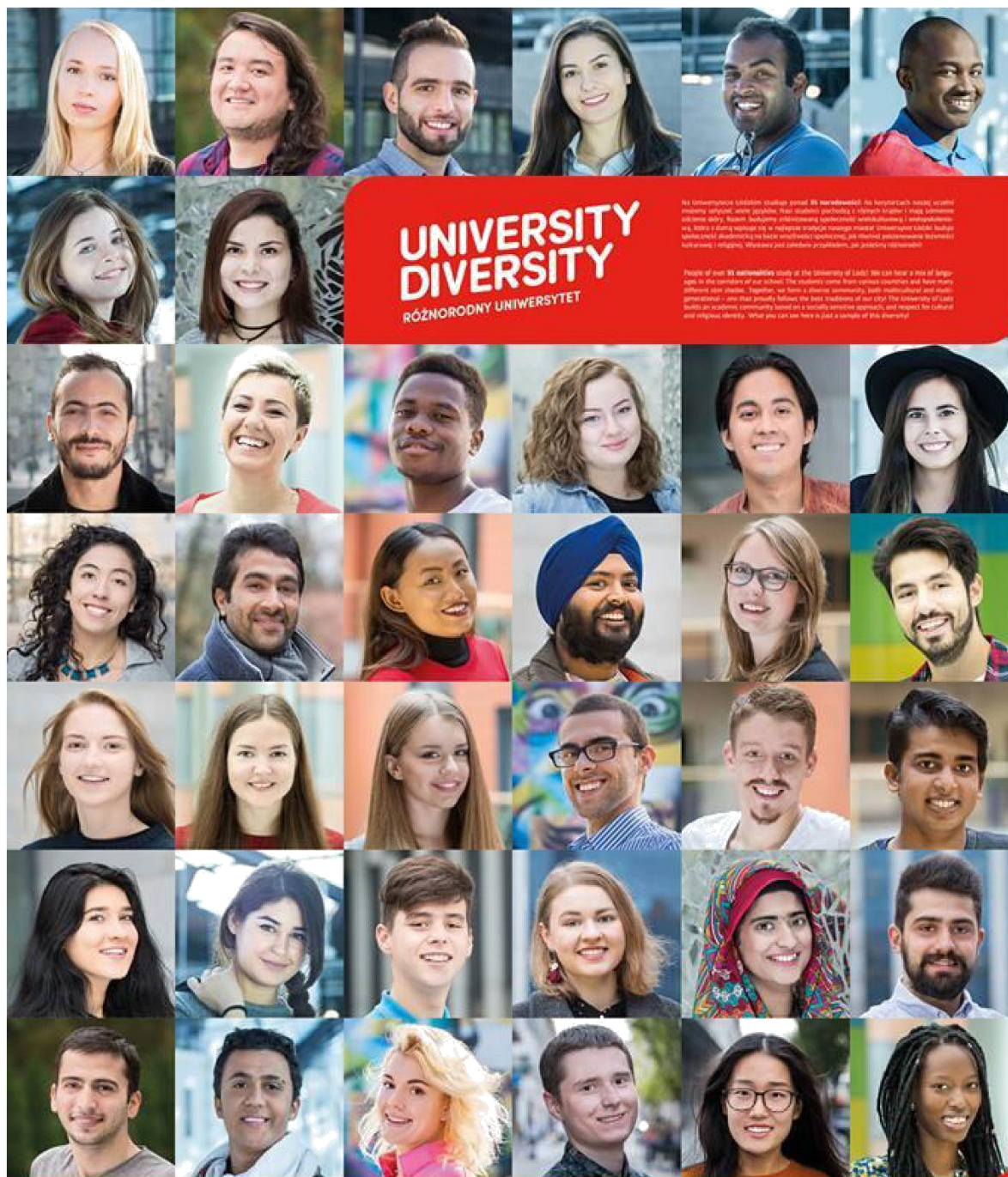
Full time students (within BA, MA or PhD programs) of the University of Lodz are eligible to take part in EU student exchange program called Erasmus+ and have a possibility to spend a semester or a year abroad on full scholarship in one of 30 European countries. Additionally, there are many opportunities to go on exchange to study with a high amount scholarship in other countries within Credit Mobility Programme or Mizuta Scholarship in Japan. The University of Lodz offers Erasmus+ KA107 scholarships of the Credit Mobility Program only for partner universities.



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RÓŻNORODNY UNIWERSYTET

Na Uniwersytecie Łódzkim studiują ponad 35 tysięcy osób. Na naszym uniwersytecie spotkasz ludzi z różnych krajów, z różnych kultur, z różnych wyznań, z różnych orientacji seksualnych. Razem tworzymy różnorodną społeczność akademicką i społeczną. Jesteśmy różnorodni, bo różnorodność jest siłą. Jesteśmy różnorodni, bo różnorodność jest siłą. Jesteśmy różnorodni, bo różnorodność jest siłą.

People of over 35 nationalities study at the University of Lodz. We can hear a mix of languages in the corridors of our school. Our students come from various countries and have many different ideas, beliefs. Together, we form a diverse community, both multicultural and multi-generational – one that proudly follows the best traditions of our city. The University of Lodz builds an academic community based on a socially sensitive approach, and respects the cultural and religious diversity. What you can see here is just a sample of this diversity!



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