

# General rules for undertaking studies by foreigners

## Foreigners may undertake studies on the basis of:

- 1) international agreements;
- 2) agreements concluded by the University with other higher institutions from abroad;
- 3) decision of the minister;
- 4) decision of the Polish National Agency for Academic Exchange (NAWA) minister;
- 5) the administrative decision of the Rector of the University.

## You may apply for full-time Polish-language studies without fee if you're a foreigner and:

- 1) you're a citizen of the member state of the **EU, Swiss Confederation, EFTA** – parties to the **EEA** or you're a family member of such a citizen;
- 2) you have been granted a **residence permit** or the **EU long-term residence permit**;
- 3) you have been granted a **stay permit** in connection with the circumstances referred to in *Art. 159 section 1* or *Art. 186 section 1 point 3* or *4 of the Act of 12 December 2013 on Foreigners*;
- 4) you have a **refugee status** granted in Poland or you're under **temporary protection** or **subsidiary protection** in Poland;
- 5) you have a **Polish-as-a-foreign-language certificate** at least at **C1 level** (*Art. 11a section 2 of the Act of 7 October 1999 on the Polish language*);
- 6) you have a **Polish Charters** (aka *Karta Polaka*, Pole's Card, Polish Card) or you've been issued a decision on the **determination of your Polish origin**;
- 7) you're a **spouse**, an **ascendant**, or a **descendant of a Polish citizen** and you **live in Poland**;
- 8) you have been granted a **stay permit** in connection with the circumstances referred to in *Art. 151 section 1* or *Art. 151b section 1 of the Act of 12 December 2013 on Foreigners*, or you're staying in Poland in connection with the use of **short-term mobility of a scientist** under the conditions set out in *Art. 156b section 1 of this Act* or you have a **national visa** in order to conduct scientific research or development work.

If the fee-free terms don't apply to you, you may apply to study and participate in research for a fee.

Fees for studying in the University paid by foreigners are determined by the Rector.

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