

# BA in International Relations

## specialization: Estudios Latinoamericanos

<b>Institution</b>	Department of Latin American Studies, Faculty of International and Political Studies, University of Lodz
<b>Name of the programme</b>	International Relations (stosunki międzynarodowe) Specialization- Estudios Latinoamericanos
<b>Degree to obtain</b>	BA in International Relations
<b>Duration</b>	6 semesters (3 academic years)
<b>Language of instruction</b>	English (basic module) and Spanish (specialization courses)
<b>ECTS points</b>	182
<b>Programme description</b>	<p>The Latin American Interdisciplinary Studies programme is based on the output of several scientific disciplines within which different approaches, perspectives and research methodologies are used. Within the frameworks of disciplines in which contemporary Latin American studies are developed, it is proper to mention: international relations and political studies, anthropology and sociology of politics, history and cultural studies.</p> <p>The main goal of this specialization is the depiction of broad spectrum of crucial issues concerning Iberian and Latin American societies such as the processes of formation and change of the identity (the race, ethnicity, nation), the importance of political and economic relations, the roots of conflicts and security issues, cultural constructs including gender studies.</p> <p>Due to the wide empirical experience of the faculty in conducting research in the field of Iberian Peninsula and the Andean, Mesoamerican and Cono Sur regions special emphasis will be placed on a parallel transfer of theoretical and practical knowledge. An integral part of most activities will be materials with visual documentation.</p> <p>The graduate of Estudios Latinoamericanos specialty within the degree course of international relations has knowledge of basic terminology in the field of social sciences and humanities. Has comprehensive knowledge in Iberian and Latin American studies which allows her/him to conduct analysis, investigations and make descriptions of socio-political and socio-cultural phenomena and processes within the region. She/he is aware of the complexity and variability of the patterns of political, social and cultural life and of the multiplicity of scientific perspectives applied in their investigations. The acquired knowledge and possibilities of improving foreign language skills serve the purpose of educating graduate which is</p>

	<p>highly qualified in intercultural dialogue.</p> <p>The specific knowledge of Iberian Peninsula and Latin America, as well as proficiency in Spanish language, creates an opportunity for the graduate to acquire an interesting job in national, international, governmental, non-governmental organizations and EU's institutions dedicated to cooperation of Iberian and Latin American countries, and in analytical centres as well as in mass media. The graduate is also prepared to commence second degree studies in the field of social sciences and humanities (political sciences, international relations, journalism and social communication, sociology, cultural studies).</p>
<b>Tuition</b>	<p>The charge of 2500 PLN/year applies for Polish and the EU/EFTA citizens. 2500 EUR/year for students from outside the EU/EFTA, exclusive of an additional 120 EUR charge that covers administrative fee (for students of Polish origin the tuition is reduced by 50%).</p> <p>Please check UL website for updates about payments.</p>
<b>Deadline for application</b>	15 July 2017
<b>Requirements</b>	<p>Candidates holding high school diploma, B.A Degree (Bachelor) or M.A. Degree (Master) from a higher education institution may apply.</p> <p>A transcript of records showing the subjects and grades and good command of English and Spanish are required. Graduation from studies in English or Spanish would be an asset.</p> <p>For detailed information about the admission procedure please visit: <a href="http://www.iso.uni.lodz.pl">www.iso.uni.lodz.pl</a></p>
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