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#### EUROPEAN CREDIT TRANSFER AND ACCUMULATION SYSTEM (ECTS)

pl. M. Skłodowskiej-Curie 5, 60-965 Poznań

# **COURSE DESCRIPTION CARD - SYLLABUS**

Course name

Statistical methods in scientific research

Course

Field of study Year/Semester

Engineering management 1/1

Area of study (specialization) Profile of study

general academic

Level of study Course offered in

Second-cycle studies Polish

Form of study Requirements
part-time compulsory

Number of hours

Lecture Laboratory classes Other (e.g. online)

10

Tutorials Projects/seminars

10

**Number of credit points** 

3

#### Lecturers

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# **Prerequisites**

- 1. The student has knowledge of mathematics in the field of mathematical analysis and probability theory and is able to use a calculator and statistical tables
- 2. The student has the ability to think logically, associate facts, analyze issues and correctly reasoning
- 3. The student is aware of the need to know the methods of data analysis when studying various subjects in the field of management engineering

# **Course objective**

The aim of the course is to learn the basic methods of mathematical statistics and to gain the ability to apply acquired knowledge to analyze problems in various fields, including technical

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# **Course-related learning outcomes**

### Knowledge

- 1. The student knows the methods and tools of mathematical statistics and their application to model processes and phenomena occurring in organizations (P7S\_WG\_03)
- 2. The student knows the appropriate computational techniques and programming, supporting the methods of mathematical statistics and understands their limitations (P7S WG 02)

#### Skills

- 1. The student is able to use theoretical knowledge to describe and analyze the causes and course of social processes and phenomena (cultural, political, legal, economic) and is able to form their own opinions and select critical data and methods of analysis (P7S\_UW\_01)
- 2. The student is able to correctly interpret and explain social, cultural, political, legal, economic phenomena and mutual relations between social phenomena (P7S\_UW\_06)
- 3. The student is able to properly analyze the causes and course of social processes and phenomena (cultural, political, legal, economic), formulate their own opinions on this subject and put simple research hypotheses and verify them (P7S\_UW\_07)

# Social competences

- 1. The student understands the need for further education and development of acquired skills (P7S KK 01)
- 2. The student is able to properly set priorities for the implementation of the task specified by himself or other (P7S\_KK\_02)
- 3. The student understands the social aspects of the practical application of acquired knowledge and the associated responsibility (P7S\_KR\_02)
- 4. The student is able to act in an entrepreneurial manner (P7S\_KO\_03)

### Methods for verifying learning outcomes and assessment criteria

Learning outcomes presented above are verified as follows:

Lecture - written final test

Tutorials - one long test + activity

#### Assessment criteria:

below 50% - 2,0 50%-59% - 3,0 60%-69% - 3,5

70%-79% - 4,0 80%-89% - 4,5 90%-100% - 5,0

### **Programme content**

1. A reference to elements of descriptive statistics, such as arithmetic mean, variance, standard deviation, proportion for both detailed and grouped series

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- 2. Elements of probability theory random events, classical and axiomatic definition of probability, probability properties, conditional and total probability, Bayes formula
- 3. Discrete random variables, their distributions and characteristics
- 4. Continuous random variables, their distributions and characteristics
- 5. Point and interval estimation of the population average, variance and standard deviation, and proportions in the population

# **Teaching methods**

Lecture - multimedial presentation + short examples on the blackboard + long examples using MS Excel

Tutorials - solving problems; discussion about obtained results

### **Bibliography**

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### Breakdown of average student's workload

	Hours	ECTS
Total workload	75	3,0
Classes requiring direct contact with the teacher	20	1,0
Student's own work (literature studies, preparation for laboratory	55	2,0
classes/tutorials, preparation for tests/exam, project preparation) <sup>1</sup>		

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> delete or add other activities as appropriate