

A COURSE SYLLABUS – DOCTORAL SCHOOL
REGARDING THE QUALIFICATION CYCLE FROM 2024/2025 TO 2028/2029

REGARDING THE QUALIFICATION CYCLE FROM 2022/2023 TO 2026/2027

GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT COURSE	
Course title	OPTIONAL SPECIALIZED SUBJECT: ARCHAEOLOGY IN THE MODERN WORLD, THE MODERN WORLD IN ARCHAEOLOGY
Name of the unit running the course	Doctoral School at University of Rzeszów
Type of course (<i>obligatory, optional</i>)	optional specialized
Year and semester of studies	Year I, semester II and year III, semester VI
Discipline	archaeology
Language of Course	Polish
Name of Course coordinator	Tomasz Bochnak, PhD, prof. UR
Name of Course lecturer	Tomasz Bochnak, PhD, prof. UR
Prerequisites	Knowledge of terminology and concepts used in archaeology

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF COURSE

(100-200 words)

The aim of the course is to develop in doctoral students a critical view of archaeological sources and ancient written sources and to develop the ability of multifaceted analysis and interpretation. The doctoral student should be aware that the interpretation that comes to mind is not necessarily correct and should attempt to falsify it and test other interpretive paths. To achieve this goal, various examples of conclusions built on more or less reliable premises are discussed in class. How reliable are the accounts of ancient authors? How are the differences in tomb equipment interpreted, in the inventories of burials with a male or female model of equipment? Are such interpretations a reflection of current cultural trends?

Linked to this issue are comments on the place that archaeology occupies in modern life, in a social and cultural context. What was and is the purpose of archaeological expositions? What was and is the general perception of the archaeologist and archaeology as a science? To what extent does archaeology conform to these perceptions?

COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES AND METHODS OF EVALUATING LEARNING OUTCOMES				
Learning outcome	The description of the learning outcome defined for the course	Relation to the degree programme outcomes (symbol)	Learning Format (Lectures, classes,...)	Method of assessment of learning outcomes (e.g. test, oral exam, written exam, project,...)
Knowledge (no.)	knows and understands, has knowledge			
P8S_WG1	Has adequate theoretical knowledge and is familiar with the current scientific achievements (including world achievements) in the field of the studied discipline; is oriented in the general issues of related disciplines, has the knowledge to relate to the paradigms of the discipline;	P8S_WG	conversation,	written work

P8S_WG2	Knows the prevailing development trends and the latest research achievements in the practiced discipline;	P8S_WG	conversation,	written work
P8S_WG3	Knows, understands and can apply the professional terminology used in the discipline in the native and foreign languages;	P8S_WG	conversation,	written work
P8S_WK1	Knows and understands the impact of the development of technology and technology on the progress of civilization; understands the impact of the development of technology and technology on science and culture;	P8S_WK	conversation,	written work
Skills (no.)	can			
P8S_UW1	using interdisciplinary knowledge, is able to identify and solve the research problem, define the purpose of the research, formulate the hypothesis and the object of scientific research, develop research techniques, methods and tools, and make conclusions based on the results of scientific research;	P8S_UW	conversation,	written work
P8S_UW2	use the available scientific literature to define and solve research problems, is able to apply appropriate methods to develop new elements of scientific achievements;	P8S_UW	conversation,	written work
P8S_UW3	use their interdisciplinary knowledge to analyze and evaluate the results of scientific research, forming an opinion on this basis, including critical judgments;	P8S_UW	conversation,	written work
P8S_UK6	carry out research work using foreign language literature;	P8S_UK	conversation,	written work
Social competence (no.)	is ready to			
P8S_KK3	with his knowledge of the studied discipline, is ready to define and solve cognitive and practical problems.	P8S_KK	conversation,	written work

LEARNING FORMAT – NUMBER OF HOURS						
Semester (no.)	Lectures	Seminars	Lab classes	Internships	others	ECTS
II i VI	-	15		-	-	2

METHODS OF INSTRUCTION

- CONVERSATION CLASSES IN THE TRADITIONAL FORM;
 - CLASSES WITH MULTIMEDIA PRESENTATION;
 - DISCUSSION.

COURSE CONTENT

Seminar

1 Theme: archaeology of future time

The key to the class is the catalog for the exhibition "Futur antérieur - Trésors archéologiques du 21st siècle," where a number of everyday objects are presented as archaeological artifacts and provided with the usual commentary, sometimes completely wrong, but logical for archaeological expositions.

2Theme: The manners of archaeology, or the limits of certainty and uncertainty.

How can archaeological data supported by the results of natural analyses be interpreted?

Using the example of finds from Konarzewo and Modlniczka, two concepts of interpretation of finds will be discussed of a funerary nature.

3 Theme: Criticism of written sources.

Tacitus and Ptolemy, "Germania" and "Geography". The class will discuss the image of the stranger (barbarian) in antiquity and in modern times, as well as about the narrative of distant, exotic lands.

4 Theme: female roles, male roles,

How can the incompatibility of archaeological and anthropological gender markers be interpreted?

The class will discuss hypotheses explaining this discrepancy, including in the context of contemporary culture

5 Theme: Funerary archaeology and the funerary present

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The class will focus on various forms of burial, both in prehistory and today.

How does the form of the grave and its furnishings serve to create an image of the deceased?

6 Theme: archaeology and propaganda

The class will focus on the role of archaeology in nineteenth- and twentieth-century state propaganda.

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-z Theme: papers prepared by doctoral/doctoral students

COURSE ASSESSMENT CRITERIA

The subject ends with an exam.

A doctoral student/postdoctoral fellow prepares for the conversion course before the class, seeking answers to questions formulated during the previous classes.

As an exam, a doctoral student/doctoral candidate prepares a paper on a topic indicated by him/her on issues related to the subject of the course.

To obtain a passing grade, a conversion factor for the corresponding percentage of points obtained is applied:

- up to 50% - insufficient (the written work does not meet the criteria)

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- **51% - 60% - sufficient**, (the written work contains a narrow range of knowledge, supported by basic literature for the subject)

- **61% - 70% - sufficient plus**, (the written work contains a range of knowledge, supported by the basic literature for the subject):

- **71% - 80% - good**, (written work contains a range of knowledge, supported by primary and secondary literature for the subject).

- **81% - 90% - good plus**, (written work contains a comprehensive range of knowledge, supported by primary and secondary literature for the subject):

- **91% - 100% - very good** (the written work contains an extensive range of knowledge, supported by literature beyond the obligatory literature for the subject):

**TOTAL PhD STUDENT WORKLOAD REQUIRED TO ACHIEVE THE INTENDED LEARNING OUTCOMES
– NUMBER OF HOURS AND ECTS CREDITS**

Activity	Number of hours
Scheduled course contact hours	15
Other contact hours involving the teacher (consultation hours, examinations)	1
Non-contact hours – student's own work (preparation for classes or examinations, project, etc.)	39
Total number of hours	55
Total number of ECTS credits	2

INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS

Compulsory literature:	<p>Andrzejowski J., Kokowski A., Leiber Ch. (red.) 2004 Wandalowie. Strażnicy bursztynowego szlaku. Katalog wystawy, Lublin-Warszawa.</p> <p>Błażejewski A. 2003 Nieśmiertelność płci. Śmierć i płeć w obrządku pogrzebowym kultury przeworskiej, [w:] Kobieta- Śmierć- Mężczyzna, Funeralia Lednickie, spotkanie 5, Poznań, 73-80</p> <p>Byrska-Fudali, M., Przybyła, M. M. 2010. Bog deposit of burnt human remains from site 2 in Modlniczka, dist. Cracow/Depozyt bagienny przepalonych szczątków ludzkich ze stanowiska 2 w Modlnicze, pow. krakowski, Sprawozdania Archeologiczne 62, 439-489.</p> <p>Czarnecka K. 1990 Struktura społeczna ludności kultury przeworskiej. Próba rekonstrukcji na podstawie źródeł archeologicznych i analizy danych antropologicznych z cmentarzysk, Warszawa.</p> <p>Godłowski K. 1974 Konfrontacja i ocena wartości archeologicznych i antropologicznych wyznaczników płci w odniesieniu do grobów ciałopalnych z okresu późnolateńskiego i rzymskiego, [w:] Metody, wyniki i konsekwencje badań kości z grobów ciałopalnych, Poznań, 63-70</p> <p>Kara M. 2022. Archaeology, mainly Polish, in the current discussion on the ethnogenesis of the Slavs. Slavia Antiqua 63, 65-128.</p> <p>Kolendo J. 2009/2010 Kalisia i Leukaristos : dwa „miasta” w „Geografii” Ptolemeusza i zagadnienie współrzędnych geograficznych w „Wielkiej Germanii”, Światowit 8 (49), Fasc. B., 77-87.</p> <p>2008 Komentarze, [w:] P. Cornelius Tacitus, Germania/ Publius Cornelius Tacitus, Germania. Przekład Tomasz Płociennik, Wstęp i komentarz Jerzy Kolendo, Fontes Historiae Antiquae, Zeszyty Źródłowe Zakładu Historii Społeczeństw Antycznych pod redakcją Leszka Mroziewicza. Marii Musielak, Zeszyt X, Poznań, s. 105-205.</p>
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	<p>Kolendo J., Płociennik T. 2015 Vistula amne discreta. Greckie i łacińskie źródła do najdawniejszych dziejów ziem Polski, Warszawa.</p> <p>Makiewicz, T. et al. (= Makiewicz, T., Kaczor, W., Krąpiec, M., Makowiecki, D., Miłosz, E., Polcyn, M.) 2008 Studnia – cmentarzysko z okresu wędrówek ludów w obrębie kompleksu osadniczego w Konarzewie (stan. 5), pow. Poznań Ziemiński. Nowy typ cmentarzyska kultury przeworskiej, [w:] Kultura przeworska. Odkrycia – interpretacje – hipotezy. Tom II. (Eds. J. Skowron, M. Olędzki). Łódź. 299-355.</p> <p>Małysa A. 2007 Unstimmigkeiten bei der Geschlechtsbestimmung der Toten- Fehlanzeige, Symbol oder Grabsitte? Ein Deutungsversuch auf der Grundlage der Grabfunde der Przeworsk-Kultur, Przegląd Archeologiczny 55, 109-144.</p> <p>Piotrowska D. 1997–1998. Biskupin 1933–1996: archaeology, politics and nationalism. Archaeologia Polona 35-36, 255-285. 1999. Biskupińskie prawdy i legendy, czyli prasłowiański Biskupin a współczesna Polska. Z otchłani wieków 54/3, 54-57. 2004. Biskupin – ideologie – kultura. [w:] B. Gediga, W. Piotrowski (red.), Archeologia, kultura, ideologie. (= Prace Komisji Archeologicznej O/PAN we Wrocławiu 15 = Biskupińskie Prace Archeologiczne 3), Wrocław-Biskupin, 91-155. https://www.swissinfo.ch/ger/kultur/archaeologie-im-futur-ii-wie-man-4023-unsere-welt-sieht/48480682</p>
Complementary literature:	<p>Belard Ch. 2015 La notion de genre ou comment problématiser l'archéologie funéraire, Nouvelles d'archéologie 140 (Genre et archéologie), 23-27.</p> <p>Bochnak T. 2010 L'armement dans les tombes féminines à l'âge du Fer en Pologne, [w:] The weaponry and the combat or parade gear – marks of the prestige and social status in the tombs of the Bronze and Iron Ages, Proceedings of the 12th International Colloquium of Funerary Archaeology, Brăila, 22nd-24th October 2010, Istros 16, Brăila, 13-36. 2021. Cum grano salis, or about the Anartophracti in the Słonne Mountains, Acta Archaeologica Carpathica 56, s. 309-334.</p> <p>Byrska-Fudali M., Przybyła, M. M. 2012 Badania ratownicze na stanowisku 2 w Modlniczce, gm. Wielka Wieś, I[w:] Raport 2007-2008. Tom 1 (Ed. S. Kadrow). Warszawa. 509-553.</p> <p>Ciechanowicz J., Wielowiejski P. 1996 Słowiański Biskupin to naukowa legenda! Rozmowa z prof. Jerzym Kolendo, historykiem i archeologiem. Archeologia Żywa 1(1), 3-8.</p> <p>Flutsch L. 2002 Futur antérieur Trésors archéologiques de 21e siècle après J.-C. Lausanne.</p>

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*(1 ECTS CREDIT CORRESPONDS TO 25 - 30 HOURS OF THE TOTAL WORKLOAD OF A DOCTORAL STUDENT, NEEDED TO ACHIEVE THE ESTABLISHED EFFECTS).

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Date and signature of the Course lecturer

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