Poznan University of Medical Sciences

The Poznan University of Medical Sciences (PUMS) is one of the best and largest medical universities in Poland, with over 92 years of sound academic experience and a great growth potential. Our University is a leading medical school in Poland and is currently recognized as the largest educational, research, and clinical center in Poland (according rankings of “Perspektywy,” “Rzeczpospolita,” and “Wprost”). It offers the highest number of specialties for students to choose from, and the research and clinical teaching is conducted here in close partnership with six clinical hospitals. In the academic year 2012-2013, there are over 8,000 students enrolled in the University, including nearly 1,000 international students. Its academic personnel is comprised of over 1,000 faculty members and teaching staff employed in Medical Faculty I, Medical Faculty II, Faculty of Pharmacy and Faculty of Health Sciences, all of which are affiliated with the English program. Most of them are medical practitioners and doctors of medicine; around a hundred represent different scientific disciplines; and nearly a hundred are doctors of dentistry.

One of the top priorities for the continued growth of the University is the expansion of the various forms of collaboration in the areas of teaching and research. The Poznan University of Medical Sciences maintains and develops various forms of cooperation with foreign research centers and universities worldwide through: joint research, participation in international programs and research projects; joint publications and participation in scientific conferences; as well as through numerous student and faculty exchanges. To this date, the University has entered into more than 30 long-term partnership agreements with medical universities and research centers worldwide.

Over the years, members of the PUMS faculty and research staff have been receiving prestigious awards and wide recognition for the excellent quality of their work, research and teaching, and some have been sought after by the world’s advanced medical centers. For example, in 2008 Dr. Maria Siemionow, a PUMS graduate and professor of surgery, has been responsible for leading the landmark face transplantation surgery at the Cleveland Clinic in the U.S.A.

The University continually develops and upgrades its teaching methods investing in highly specialized equipment and facilities in order to reflect the current advances in medical technology. For example, in 2010 it opened the first-in-Poland Center for Medical Simulation, followed by a state-of-the-art Conference and Teaching Center and the modernized the Main Medical Library, and it is currently building a Center for Scientific Medical Information. PUMS is also one of the co-founders of the Interdisciplinary Center for NanoBioMedical Research.

Students enrolled at PUMS may choose from the following five fields of study in English:

- 4-year M.D. program (since 1993)
- 6-year M.D. program (since 1995)
- 5-year D.D.S. program (since 2001)
- 6-year Pharm. D. program (since 2004 as a 5-year program, in 2009 replaced by a 6-year program)
- 3-year BSc in Physiotherapy program (since 2009)

These activities demonstrate the dynamic growth of the Poznan University of Medical Sciences into the strong and lively academic center that it is today. We invite you to come and see for yourself!

**Fields of study in English:**
- BSc in Physiotherapy Program
- 4-year MD Program
- 6-year MD Program
- 5-year DDS Program
- PharmD Program

**Facts & figures:** Established in 1919 • 1336 academic staff members • 8100 students (77% women) • 900 foreign students

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3-year B.Sc. in Physiotherapy Program

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- degree
  Bachelor of Science in Physiotherapy

- duration
  3 years (6 semesters)

- language
  English

- ECTS points
  180

- description
  The Physiotherapy program is based on the Polish curriculum just with English as the language of instruction. It is designed for international candidates who have a good educational foundation in basic sciences; demonstrate an appropriate level of maturity, motivation and commitment to a career in Physiotherapy; and who are in good health. Prospective candidates may be admitted into the program after submitting their high school transcripts and after attending a preliminary interview conducted by University Admissions staff at one of the Admissions Offices around the globe.

- tuition
  For the most current information on fees, please visit our website at www.pums.edu.pl

- deadline
  June 28, 2013

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- education requirements
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  (2) official high school/college transcript(s);
  (3) receiving a positive assessment at the preliminary interview with PUMS Admissions staff when candidates’ knowledge of Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Mathematics, and English will be verified in both oral and written form;
  (4) two letters of recommendation on school letterhead—one from a science faculty member and another from a guidance counselor, school principal, or teacher in a different subject area;
  (5) completed application form;
  (6) medical health certificate issued by a physician that includes a chest x-ray report;
  (7) proof of TB and Hepatitis B vaccinations;
  (8) proof of health insurance valid in Poland, the EHIC for European citizens;
  (9) photocopy of a valid passport;
  (10) three recent passport-size photographs (no head cover) signed on the back;
  (11) the SAT/ACT scores;
  (12) written proof of English proficiency for candidates who have not completed their education in the English language;
  (13) copy of a student visa or other document confirming that the stay in Poland is legal.
  For more detailed information on admission requirements, please visit our website at www.pums.edu.pl

- Forms of student recognition:
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4-year M.D. Program

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degree
Doctor of Medicine

duration
4 years (8 semesters)

language
English

ECTS points
240

description
The four-year M.D. Program offered by the Poznan University of Medical Sciences at the Center for Medical Education in English is designed for U.S., Canadian, and other international college graduates who have completed their pre-medical courses and who have obtained satisfactory grades in Biology, Chemistry, Physics, and English. The curriculum at PUMS is based on the American M.D. program and follows the American standards of education. The University is recognized by the United States Department of Education and by the relevant student loan providers.

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education requirements
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(2) college transcript;
(3) receiving a positive assessment at the preliminary interview with PUMS Admissions staff when candidates’ knowledge of Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Mathematics, and English will be verified in both oral and written form;
(4) two letters of recommendation on school letterhead from a science faculty member and from a guidance counselor, principal or teacher in a different subject area; original or a copy certified by a notary public;
(5) completed application form;
(6) medical health certificate issued by a physician that includes a chest x-ray report;
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(9) photocopy of a valid passport;
(10) three recent passport-size photographs (no head cover) signed on the back;
(11) the MCAT/GAMSAT/UKCAT/BMAT scores;
(12) written proof of English proficiency for candidates who have not completed their education in the English language;
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5-year *D.D.S.* Program

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- **degree**  
  Doctor of Dental Surgery  

- **duration**  
  5 years (10 semesters)  

- **language**  
  English  

- **ECTS points**  
  300  

- **description**  
The five-year D.D.S. Program offered by the Poznan University of Medical Sciences at the Center for Medical Education in English is designed for U.S., Canadian, and other international college graduates who have completed their pre-medical courses, and who have obtained satisfactory grades in Biology, Chemistry, Physics, and English. The curriculum for the English five-year D.D.S. program at PUMS follows the one taught to the Polish students. Upon completion, successful students will receive the degree of Doctor of Dental Surgery, D.D.S. Those graduates who plan to practice dentistry in North America will have to complete two additional years of study in the United States or Canada, making it a total of seven years to obtain a license. It is a standard requirement for all graduates with a foreign degree in North America.

- **tuition**  
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  2. official high school/college transcript(s);  
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  11. the SAT/ACT scores;  
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6-year M.D. Program

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degree
Doctor of Medicine

duration
6 years (12 semesters)

language
English

ECTS points
360

description
This program is based on the Polish curriculum and is designed for European and other international candidates who have graduated from high school. The course is divided into two parts:

Part I takes up the two preclinical years and is devoted primarily to the following subjects: Anatomy, Medical Biology, Chemistry, Biochemistry, Histology and Embryology, Physiology, Medical Latin, and Medical Polish. During that time the clinical aspects of these subjects are gradually introduced as well.

Part II starts in the third year and takes up the remaining four years of the course. Upon completing all of the theoretical and clinical subjects, and after passing all of the required examinations, students are awarded the degree of Medical Doctor–M.D.

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(11) one of the following standardized tests results*** taken no earlier than in 2009:
   a) SAT with min. score of 1300 points;
   b) ACT with min. composite score of 100 points; [*** Applicants to the 6-year M.D. program who do not have the above-mentioned score reports are required during the preliminary interview to take an internal, one-best-answer, 60-minute test with 16 questions in Biology, 16 questions in Physics, and 16 questions in Chemistry];
(12) a written proof of English proficiency for candidates who have not completed their education in the English language: possible documents may be any English proficiency standardized test, e.g., TOEFL, passed at the following levels: Internet-based test: 75 points, Computer-based test: 203 points, Paper-based test: 537 points, or a written confirmation from school about candidates’ proficiency in English; 13) copy of a student visa or other document confirming that the stay in Poland is legal.

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6-year Pharm.D. Program

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- duration
  6 years (12 semesters)

- language
  English

- ECTS points
  330

- description
  The six-year Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm.D.) Program in English offered by the Poznan University of Medical Sciences is designed for U.S., Canadian, and other international high school or college graduates whose goal is to receive a degree in pharmacy.
  Candidates for this program may be accepted after demonstrating a necessary record of academic achievement in Biology, Chemistry, and English; and after passing a preliminary interview with the PUMS Admissions staff.
  This six-year Pharm. D. curriculum fully complies with the standards and guidelines for professional programs in pharmacy defined by the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE). It also adheres to the Directive 2005/36/EC of the European Parliament and to the requirements of the Council on the Recognition of Professional Qualifications.
  Interested candidates who are high school graduates may apply for admission to the first year, i.e., the first pre-pharmacy year; whereas college graduates may apply for admission to the third year, i.e., the first professional year, of the Pharm. D. program.

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