



## Uniwersytet Mikołaja Kopernika

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# Nicolaus Copernicus University

Nicolaus Copernicus University (NCU) in Toruń was established in 1945. It is one of the largest universities in northern Poland and is outstanding in terms of academic potential, variety of courses, forms of education, and number of students. In the past years, NCU was classified among five best universities in the country, which confirms high standards of education.

Nicolaus Copernicus University not only offers most common courses such as Law or Economics, but also humanistic courses (e. g. Sociology, Philosophy), medical (6-year MD Program) and technical courses (e. g. Automation and Robotics, Informatics). Wide range of courses at Fine Arts Faculty is very impressive (e. g. Graphics, Sculpture, Painting). NCU is one of the four universities and colleges in Poland, which teaches in the field of conservation and restoration of art pieces. Being proud of our patron Nicolaus Copernicus, the greatest Polish astronomer, we place strong

emphasis on keeping high standards of teaching in the field of astronomy. In addition, NCU is the only university in Poland, which has the most modern and best equipped radio astronomy observatory.

### Accommodation – Campuses

There are two university campuses in Toruń: the Center Campus and the Bielany Campus, as well as campus in Bydgoszcz. The University currently owns 12 student dormitories with accommodation for more than 3,300 students, including modern and fully equipped student dormitory in Bydgoszcz. Free Internet access is provided in all student dormitories.

### Students life

Both campuses in Toruń and Bydgoszcz have a lot to offer. There are more than 200 students scientific associations. People keen on physical activity will find their place in various sections of the Academic Sports Association. Moreover, NCU

has its own students club OD NOWA which offers wide range of cultural events during the whole year.

### Good to know

SAMORZĄD STUDENCKI, the Students' Self-Government (each faculty has its representative) is the official representative of all NCU students. Its main task is to cooperate with the authorities of the University and the faculties in matters relating to courses, students' social and material welfare, as well as cultural matters such as Juvenalia. At that time, students are taking control over Nicolaus Copernicus hometown and for few days possess keys to the city.

Those, who are willing to participate in classes taught in Polish, but feel that their level of Polish is insufficient, can join one-year intensive Polish course offered by NCU. For more information go to:

[http://jezyk-polski.umk.pl/wersja\\_a/index.html](http://jezyk-polski.umk.pl/wersja_a/index.html)

## Programmes of study in English

- BSc in Chemistry
- BA in English Studies

## Fields of study in Polish

- *biologia* Biology • *biotechnologia* Biotechnology
- *ochrona środowiska* Environmental Studies • *geografia* Geography • *chemia kosmetyczna* Cosmetic Chemistry • *chemia* Chemistry • *astronomia* Astronomy • *automatyka i robotyka* Automatics and Robotics • *fizyka* Physics • *fizyka techniczna* Technical Physics • *informatyka stosowana* Applied Informatics
- *filologia polska* Polish Philology • *filologia angielska* English Studies • *filologia bałkańska* Balkan Studies • *filologia germańska* German Studies • *filologia romańska* French Studies • *filologia rosyjska* Russian Studies • *filologia włoska* Italian Studies • *filologia klasyczna i studia śródziemnomorskie* Classical and Mediterranean Studies • *japonistyka* Japanese Studies
- *lingwistyka stosowana fr+arab* Applied Linguistics – French and Arabic • *lingwistyka stosowana wł+ hiszp* Applied Linguistics – Italian and Spanish • *komparatystyka literacko-lukturowa* Comparative

- BSc in Nursing
- BSc in Physiotherapy
- BA in Public Policy
- MSc in Chemistry
- MA in English Studies

- *studia w Literaturze i Kulturze* studies in Literature and Culture • *kulturoznawstwo* Cultural Studies • *filozofia* Philosophy • *kognitywistyka* Cognitive Science • *polityka społeczna* Social Policy • *sociologia* Sociology • *międzyzobszar. indywid.* *studia hum.* Inter-faculty Studies in Humanities • *informatyka* Informatics • *matematyka* Mathematics • *matematyka i ekonomia* Mathematics and Economics • *ekonomia* Economics • *finanse i rachunkowość* Finance and Accountancy • *zarządzanie* Management • *archeologia* Archeology • *archiwistyka i zarządzanie dokumentacją* Archival Science and Documentation Management • *studia bałtyckie* Baltic Studies • *historia* History • *historia sztuki* Art History • *wojskoznawstwo* • *zarządzanie informacją naukową* • *bibliotekoznawstwo* • *pedagogika* Education • *pedagogika specjalna* Education of Special Needs • *praca socjalna* Social Work • *bezpieczeństwo wewnętrzne* Internal Safety • *dziennikarstwo i ko-*

- MSc in Environmental Studies
- MA in Management
- MSc in Mathematics
- Medicine (6-year MD Programme)
- MA in Theology

- *munikacja społeczna* Journalism and Social Communication • *politologia* Political Science • *stosunki międzynarodowe* International Relations • *prawo* Law • *administracja* Administration • *malarstwo* Painting • *grafika* Graphic Art • *rzeźba* Sculpture • *edukacja artystyczna* Visual Arts Education • *konserwacja i restaur. dzieł sztuki* Conservation and Restoration of Works of Art • *krytyka artystyczna* • *ochrona dóbr kultury* Protection of Cultural Heritage • *teologia* Theology • *nauki o rodzinie* • *kierunek lekarski* Medicine • *biotechnologia* Biotechnology • *farmacja* Pharmacy • *analiza medyczna* Medical Analytics • *kosmetologia* Cosmetology • *audiofonologia* • *dietetyka* Dietetics • *elektrodiagnostyka* Electrodiagnosis • *fizjoterapia* Physiotherapy • *pielęgniarstwo* Nursing • *położnictwo* Midwifery • *ratownictwo medyczne* Emergency Medical Care • *zdrowie publiczne* Public Health

**Facts & figures:** • 1945 – year of NCU establishment • 2147 – number of academic staff • 26 760 – number of students  
• 271 – number of foreign students

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