



# The Doctoral School of Kazimierz Wielki University

## programme in English

Come and study for your PhD in Bydgoszcz! At the KWU Doctoral School you can pursue your doctoral research in the following disciplines:

- linguistics,
- literary studies,
- materials engineering,
- mechanical engineering,
- biological sciences,
- earth and related environmental sciences,
- physical sciences,
- psychology.

The admission limit for the programme in English is one person per discipline.

### Scholarship

A doctoral scholarship is awarded to all doctoral candidates who do not already have a doctoral degree. For the first two years you will receive a scholarship of 3466.9 PLN gross monthly, while for the final two years (after positive mid-term evaluation) - 5340.9 PLN gross monthly. The scholarship covers social security contributions; health insurance (from the National Health Fund) will cost approx. PLN 60 per month.

### Accommodation

Each doctoral candidate from abroad has a reserved place in the KWU dormitory. There is a fee for accommodation in the dormitory (approximately PLN 700 per month). Accommodation for spouses and children is not guaranteed.

### Programme

The training programme includes:

- general and specialist classes (a total of 100 hours in the first two years)
- doctoral seminars (180 hours in total)
- work placement (a total of 60 hours of teaching or co-teaching in the third and fourth year)

Doctoral school education lasts 4 years.

### Recruitment

Candidates register in the IRK system from 18 to 29 August 2025. The recruitment procedure is carried out remotely.

In the assessment procedure the recruitment committee awards points for:

- the candidate's scientific activity (0-15 points),
- the candidate's additional activities (0-5 points),
- the candidate's scientific potential (0-30 points).

**The recruitment fee: 200 PLN**

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