



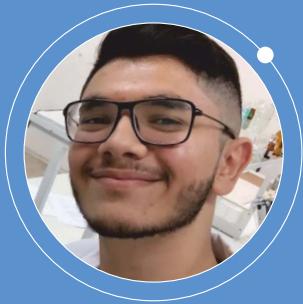
MEDICAL
UNIVERSITY
OF LODZ



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REVIEWS



Yousif Jihad, Iraq

6MD program

Describing the Medical University of Łódź I would use the word unique. The courses are vast and taught with many different techniques and every professor has a different way of portraying the information and making sure the students are well-informed and understand the course content. Every year I'm growing as a person and as a medical student and the university has a big role in helping me shape my career as a future doctor. Ever since I came to Łódź, I've had Łodz of fun!



Hadi AbuSamra, Syria

6MD program

So far, my experience has been one of pride at being able to participate in my university. Professors here are so helpful and open to students. Moreover, they are always willing to help, support and assist at all levels.

I would recommend M UL to everyone who is interested in medicine.



Niloufar Ramezanpour, Canada

5DMD program

I chose to study at the Medical University of Łódź because it gives me the opportunity to reach my long-term goal and dream of becoming a dentist. Also a small number of students in each group gives us the opportunity to get one-to-one interactions with the professors in order to learn more efficiently. The dental clinic of the university gets a lot of patients compared to other cities in Poland which again gives us all the opportunity to see more patients and that is always a dream come true for any medical student. Łodz is a great and diverse city and each year it is attracting more and more students from the whole world. This would be a once in a lifetime chance if you want to meet new people while becoming a step closer to your goal.

● TO STUDY IN POLAND

POLAND IS LOCATED IN THE MIDDLE OF EUROPE

It links East and West not only geographically but also culturally.

The country's territory is 322,575 sq km;
inhabited by 38 million people.

Poland is a member of:

- ▶ **the European Union (EU)**
- ▶ **the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO)**
- ▶ **the United Nations (UN).**

Poland is a country of beautiful landscapes.

Its territory extends across several geographical regions,
from the Baltic Sea in the north to the Carpathian Mountains in the south,
through the post-glacial lakes districts like the Masurian Great Lakes,
lowlands and highlands.





The number of foreign students is constantly growing at the Polish Universities.

It has increased more than 10 times since the beginning of 21st century.

Polish diplomas are recognized in the European Union (EU) and worldwide, in countries such as the USA, Canada and Australia.

Studying in Poland gives you a high quality education and a better chance to find a good job in the EU and beyond!



● TO STUDY IN LODZ

The city of **Łódź** is situated in the centre of the territory of Poland.

Establishment: First half of 14th century

City rights: 1423

Population: around 700 000

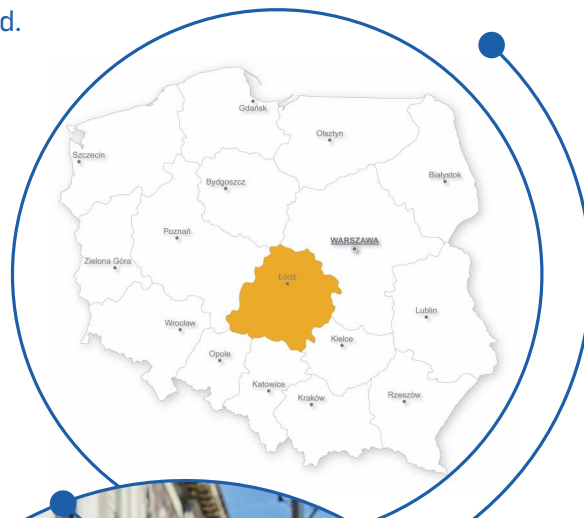
Lodz is known for...

- ... numerous universities hosting students from all around the world. That is why it is called a 'student-friendly city'
- ... world famous festivals:
International Festival of Photography,
Light Move Festival – Festival of Kinetic Art of Light,
Lodz Design Festival
- ... being one of the greenest cities in Poland (over 40 parks and recreation grounds)
- ... Manufaktura – the biggest in Eastern Europe shopping & entertainment centre located in former factory complex
- ... Piotrkowska Street
– the longest promenade in Poland
- ... and many more!

COME TO EXPERIENCE IT ALL!

„As prestigious as... NYC! Lodz can be called a stepsister of New York City, as they have much in common. Both cities experienced their fastest growth in the 19th century (population increased several hundred times!). Both have grid street plans in their centres.

They use post-industrial interiors as apartments (lofts), art studios, galleries, etc. They are excellent film settings – about 250 films have been shot in Lodz.”



„Łódź na WEEKEND in Łódź”
The City of Lodz Office

TO STUDY AT THE MEDICAL UNIVERSITY OF LODZ



The Medical University of Lodz (MUL)

is one of the largest state-owned medical universities and one of the leading research centers in Poland.

The University has the following faculties and divisions:

- ▶ **Faculty of Medicine (Medicine/Dental Medicine)**
- ▶ **Faculty of Pharmacy**
- ▶ **Faculty of Health Sciences**
- ▶ **Faculty of Biomedical Sciences and Postgraduate Training**





MUL in numbers:

- ▶ 11 000 students
- ▶ 842 foreign students
- ▶ 2493 employees, including 354 professors,
- ▶ 3 teaching hospitals*
- ▶ 80 clinics
- ▶ 3 faculties: 15 programs taught in Polish and 4 taught entirely in English
- ▶ 1558 beds
- ▶ 86 000 patients
- ▶ 45 962 square meters of didactic space
- ▶ 24 didactic buildings
- ▶ 4 dorms

* The Medical University has not only three clinical hospitals, but also there are agreements between 4 affiliated hospitals. Those hospitals together offer 2 652 beds and perform over 1 1067 major operations.

● TO STUDY IN POLAND

- ▶ **The best medical education**
 - MUL's Faculty of Medicine represents the highest level of scientific research in Poland according to the Committee for Evaluation of Scientific Units (A+ category)
- ▶ **75 years of tradition in medical education**
- ▶ **New way of studying - Medical Simulation Centre**
 - the medicine of XXI century within arm's reach
- ▶ **Multicultural environment**
 - students from 64 different countries
- ▶ **Top quality of education in Europe, the most modern Dentistry Teaching Centre**
- ▶ **Knowledge and practice at reasonable costs**
- ▶ **The most academic student-friendly environment in the heart of Poland**



Our programs are comprehensive enough to be accepted internationally.

Thanks to the ECTS (European Credit Transfer System) our students can be fully mobile, and continue education in other countries.

MUL diploma is recognized by Medical Council in Canada, by US Department of Education and ECFMG as well as in European Union. The introduction of NBME exams helps to prepare our international students for USMLE exams in the USA.



Our educational offer, gradually and consequently modified and expanded, raises great interest among both international and Polish students. Medical teaching in English was initiated in 2003/2004. Presently almost 850 foreign students from various countries (USA, Canada, Norway, Taiwan, Saudi Arabia, Spain, Sweden, Great Britain, Nigeria, Germany, Malaysia, India, Ireland, France and others) attend medical and dental programs taught entirely in English.

We offer the following programs wholly taught in English:

- ▶ **6-year MD program**
(requires high school certificate),
- ▶ **5-year DMD program**
(requires high school certificate),
- ▶ **4-year PhD program**
(requires MD or MSc diploma),
- ▶ **8-month Premedical Preparatory Course**
(requires high school certificate).



● ADMISSION CRITERIA

6-YEAR MD and 5-YEAR DMD - for high school/secondary school graduates

- ▶ High school diploma or a secondary school leaving certificate qualifying for admission to a university or medical school in a home country.
- ▶ Extended level of knowledge in 2 of the following subjects: Chemistry, Biology, Physics, Mathematics – documented by the school leaving certificate/diploma. The grades required should be above the average.



The above knowledge is to be verified during the MS Teams interview/entrance exam.

- ▶ English competency written and spoken confirmed by the respective certificates such as: CAE, CPE, TOEFL IBT (min 75 points), IELTS (min 6.0 points) if the secondary education was not conducted in English.

The command of English of candidates who cannot present any of above certificates will be assessed during an interview.



8-month - Premedical Preparatory Course

Preparatory Course taught in English is organized by the Medical University of Lodz for the international students planning to apply for medical and dentistry programs in order to repeat and improve the knowledge required on the entrance exam. It also aims at making up the differences of candidates' knowledge in the prerequisite subjects to help them in their first year of studies.

- ▶ High school diploma or a secondary school leaving certificate qualifying for admission to a university or medical school in a home country.
- ▶ Extended level of knowledge in 2 of the following subjects: Chemistry, Biology, Physics, Mathematics – documented by the school leaving certificate/diploma. The grades required should be above the average.

Admission is based on formal verification of the documents.

- ▶ English competency written and spoken confirmed by respective certificates such as: CAE, CPE, TOEFL IBT (min 59 points), IELTS (min 5.5 points) if secondary education was not conducted in English.

The command of English of candidates who cannot present any of above certificates will be assessed during an interview.





4-YEAR PhD - Doctoral studies in English

The Medical University of Lodz runs a PhD program in medicine, dentistry, pharmacy and biomedical research. This program is addressed to international candidates who are looking for research and teaching opportunities in the field related to life sciences.

The candidate should submit the following documents:

- ▶ **MD or MSc diploma** (for graduates from Polish universities) - original or certified copy or certification of studies completion and the predicted date of master thesis defense.
- ▶ **MD or MSc diploma** (for graduates from foreign universities) - original or certified copy with apostille stamp from the Ministry of Education or respective local authorities.
- ▶ **Transcript of record**
- ▶ **Publications and other science achievements list**
- ▶ **Certificate confirming English language skills**

The quality of our teaching remains one of the highest among Polish universities, which is reflected by official inspections and rankings. The students of the Faculty of Medicine are the winners of the most prestigious scientific awards like "Medical Laurels" of the Polish Academy of Science or Best Student Awards like "Primus Inter Pares".



● DIVISION OF DENTISTRY - 5DMD PROGRAM

The Division of Dentistry at the Medical University of Lodz realizes a **5-year DMD program in English language**, with a complex medical-dental curriculum.

Dentistry studies in Lodz are a perfect combination of tradition and experience with modern technologies. The Institute of Dentistry with the new Teaching Centre is an ultra-modern complex able to simultaneously accommodate 2500 students.

Dental education begins in special phantom rooms, with the design oriented towards improving students' practical skills through simulation of their future clinical work.

The Laboratory of Preclinical Didactics in Dentistry is unique in Poland and implements the world educational standards. It comprises 3 simulation rooms equipped with 50 modern phantom units and 13 dental units.



• ADMISSION

All candidates are cordially **welcome** to start application procedure from February.

Entrance exams in form of MS Teams interview will begin in April.

All information on our website
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● FACILITIES

The Medical Simulation Center – the medicine of XXI century within arm's reach

The Medical Simulation Center (CSM) consists of a hospital emergency department, intensive care unit, operating rooms, labour and maternity rooms and technical skills training rooms for students, doctors, nurses and paramedics. The main idea of CSM is to train students and medical teams of different specializations on how to work together and provide proper medical care to the future patient.

The Medical Simulation Center is located in The Clinical-Didactic Center (251 Pomorska St). Usable floor area of the Center - 4 800 m².



Library

Our University has a completely renovated library with a 24-hour access to bookshelves, Wi-Fi operating throughout the building, self-service photocopiers and printers, rooms for individual and group work, self-checks, self-return points.

Accommodation

The University provides housing on campus in three dormitories/residence halls. Especially freshmen are advised to stay at the dorms. Here you will feel at home with helpful English-speaking staff and your fellow students who will help you in the orientation process as well as with your Polish.

The majority of teaching departments are located in the dorm's vicinity. Other university departments or clinics are accessible by public transport.

The dorms represent various levels of housing conditions which is reflected in the rent. There is a check-in deposit (one-monthly rent) paid together with the first rent payment refundable at check-out.



● FACTS ABOUT POLAND

Facts about Poland you probably didn't know about:

- ▶ Our constitution was the first official fundamental law in Europe and second in the world after the American Constitution.
- ▶ The Błędowska Desert (Pustynia Błędowska) is the only natural desert in Europe.
- ▶ Marie Skłodowska-Curie is the only woman scientist who has been awarded the Nobel Prize twice.
- ▶ Nicolaus Copernicus, astronomer, formulated a model of the universe that placed the Sun rather than Earth at the center of the universe.



- ▶ Kazimierz Funk, biochemist, was the first to discover vitamin B1. He's the author of the term vitamin.
- ▶ Polish mountain climbers were the first to reach the Himalaya summits during winter.
- ▶ 8 Poles have been awarded Nobel Prize.





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