

### POZNAN UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY

**EUROPEAN CREDIT TRANSFER AND ACCUMULATION SYSTEM (ECTS)** 

# **COURSE DESCRIPTION CARD - SYLLABUS**

Course name

Fundamentals of toxicology [S1IFar1>PT]

Course

Field of study Year/Semester

Pharmaceutical Engineering 3/6

Area of study (specialization) Profile of study

general academic

Level of study Course offered in

first-cycle polish

Form of study Requirements full-time compulsory

**Number of hours** 

Lecture Laboratory classes Other (e.g. online)

0 0

Tutorials Projects/seminars

0 0

Number of credit points

2,00

Coordinators Lecturers

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# **Prerequisites**

The student starting this subject should have a basic knowledge of anatomy as well as human physiology and pathophysiology. The student should also possess knowledge about the biochemistry of processes related to the absorption, metabolism and elimination of xenobiotics. They should have a basic understanding of the processes taking place in cells at the molecular level. They should have knowledge about the structure of DNA and proteins. The basic knowledge about enzymes: regulation of their expression and well kinetics will be also necessary. They be able to classify chemical compounds (both organic and inorganic) due to their reactivity and molecular structure (e.g. non-polar polar compounds). They should also have basic knowledge of physical chemistry and such processes like evaporation, diffusion or interactions between molecules having an electric charge.

# Course objective

1. General Principles of Toxicology, history and scope of toxicology, principles of toxicology, mechanisms of Toxicity 2. Disposition of toxicants, Absorption, Distribution, and Excretion of Toxicants, Biotransformation of Xenobiotics 3. Non-organ-directed toxicity, chemical carcinogenesis, genetic toxicology, developmental toxicology 4. Target Organ Toxicity selected problems caused by xenobiotics in liver, kidney, central nervous system, endocrine system 5: Toxic Agents, Toxic Effects of Solvents and Vapours, Toxic Effects of Radiation and Radioactive Materials, Toxic Effects of Plants and Animals, Toxic Effects of Calories 6: Environmental Toxicology Nanotoxicology and Air Pollution 7. Applications of Toxicology, Ecotoxicology, Food Toxicology, Occupational Toxicology, Regulatory Toxicology

# Course-related learning outcomes

#### Knowledge:

kw\_1, kw\_5, kw\_8 kw\_22, kw\_23 the absovent knows the mechanisms of action of poisons, knows the basic mechanisms that modulate the course of poisoning, knows the most important toxic compounds used in the pharmaceutical industry, has knowledge of how to avoid poisoning and and knows basic antidotes.

#### Skills:

k\_u3, k\_u10, ku\_12, k\_u22 the absolvent is able to secure the workplace in terms of toxicological safety, the absolvent is able to interpret the information contained in the material safety data sheets.

### Social competences:

k\_k1, k\_k2, k\_k3, k\_k4 knows that the pharmaceutical industry can have a destructive impact on the environment and the people and animals inhabiting it, can actively participate in its reduction processes.

# Methods for verifying learning outcomes and assessment criteria

Learning outcomes presented above are verified as follows:

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One test exam containing 60 questions and lasting 60 minutes, the threshold of passing 31 correct answers.

### Programme content

none

### **Teaching methods**

Lectures supported by multimedia

# **Bibliography**

**Basic** 

Casarett & Doull Podstawy toksykologii" - Curtis D. Klaassen, John B. Watkins III, red. wyd. pol Barbara Zielińska-Psuja, red. wyd. pol. Andrzej Sapota

Additional

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#### Breakdown of average student's workload

	Hours	ECTS
Total workload	60	2,00
Classes requiring direct contact with the teacher	30	1,00
Student's own work (literature studies, preparation for laboratory classes/ tutorials, preparation for tests/exam, project preparation)	30	1,00