



MEDICAL  
UNIVERSITY  
OF LODZ



**Medical University of Lodz**

# 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. 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.



Poland, the largest country among the newest members of the European Union has one of Europe's youngest populations - half of its citizens are less than 35 years old. Out of nearly 39 million Poles almost 2 million are university students.



Polish diplomas are recognized in the European Union (EU) and worldwide, in countries like the USA, Canada and Australia. Studying in Poland gives you a solid education and a better chance to find a good job in the EU and beyond!



# To study in Lodz



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

**Establishment:** First half of 14th century

**City rights:** 1423

**Population:** around 750 000



In the 19th century Lodz was one of the Europe's biggest and fastest growing textile industry centers.

At that time, a new identity of the city – „a promised land” and “a city of many cultures” was created.

The city where people of different nationalities and religions shared the same dream of success.

## „43. Lodz, Poland

The Hollywood of Poland reclaims its industrial past.

Poland's third-largest city and the movie-making headquarters of the country (with a film school that started the careers of Roman Polanski and Andrzej Wajda). Lodz has seen its labyrinth of textile warehouses and industrial-era relics repurposed for artistic and entrepreneurial ventures. ....”

**Lodz, the former textile industry empire, now becomes a city of modern technologies, a city of culture and grand events.**

**New York Times located Lodz on the list of the 45 places to Go in 2012.**



# 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**
- » **Faculty of Pharmacy**
- » **Faculty of Health Sciences**
- » **Faculty of Biomedical Sciences and Postgraduate Training**
- » **Military Faculty of Medicine**
- » **Division of Studies in English**





## MUL in numbers:

- » 8 500 students
- » over 350 foreign students
- » 1 600 employees,  
including 180 professors,  
180 associate professors,  
over 850 PhD academics
- » 4 teaching hospitals\*
- » 61 clinics
- » 25 departments
- » 1 558 beds
- » 83 000 hospitalized persons
- » 45 962 square meters of didactic space
- » 24 didactic buildings
- » 4 dorms
- » 1 152 places in the dormitories

\* The Medical University has not only four 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.



# WHY STUDY AT MUL?

- » **The best medical education in Poland – 1<sup>st</sup> rank in the National Medical Exam in 2011 and 2012**
- » **Top quality of education in Europe, brand new Dentistry Teaching Center**
- » **Knowledge and practice at reasonable costs**
- » **Clinical training in 4 clinical hospitals**
- » **Over 60 years of tradition in medical education**
- » **The most academic 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.

Introduced NBME exams help to prepare our international students to pass USMLE exams in the USA.





Our educational offer, gradually and consequently modified and widened, raises great interest among both international and Polish students. Medical teaching in English was initiated in 2003/2004. Presently over 350 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:

- » **2-year M.Sc. program**  
(requires Bachelor degree),
- » **6-year MD program**  
(requires high school certificate),
- » **4-year MD program**  
(completion of pre-medical program minimum at the level of BSc degree),
- » **5 DMD program**  
(requires high school certificate),
- » **3-year B.Sc. Nursing program**  
(requires high school certificate),
- » **4-year PhD program**  
(requires MD or MSc diploma).



## 2-YEAR M.Sc. Medicinal Biotechnology - for B.Sc. graduates

Master program in Medical Biotechnology designed for B.Sc. in any subject of Life/Biological Sciences. Specializing in medical biotechnology will give broad competence in biochemistry, microbiology and molecular genetics, with emphasis on molecular biology. The program is based on two modules: science module and bio-business module.

Requirements: Bachelor's degree or equivalent in relevant biological subject or other relevant discipline.

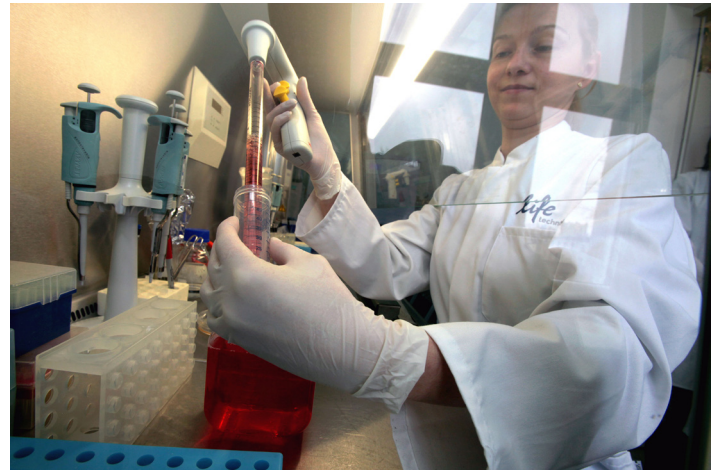
English – good command of written and spoken, IELTS or TEOFL certificates preferable. Telephone/skype interview-required.

## 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 (advance placement) 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 Skype interview/entrance exam.





» English competency written and spoken confirmed by the respective certificates as: CAE, CPE, TOEFL PBT (min 500 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.

### 4-YEAR MD - for college/university graduates

» The 4-year MD curriculum, as a part of the 6-year program, is tailor-made for those university students from USA, Canada, Taiwan or American universities in other countries, who meet the following admission criteria:



<b>Chemistry/general</b>	I and II	8 credits	incl.lab.
<b>Living Costs</b>	I and II	8 credits	incl.lab.
<b>Additional Fees</b>	I and II	8 credits	incl.lab.
<b>Total</b>	I and II	8 credits	incl.lab.

**(8 credits are equal to one year of studies)**



» Each candidate should demonstrate completion of pre-medical program minimum at the level of BSc degree.

» If the pre-medical studies were not conducted in English, the English knowledge certificate is required, such as CAE, CPE, TOEFL PBT (min 500 points), IELTS (min 6.0) points.

The command of English of candidates who cannot present any of above certificates will be assessed during the entrance exam.

### 3-YEAR B.Sc. Nursing – 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

» Standard level of knowledge in Biology, documented by the school leaving certificate/diploma. The grades required should be above the average.

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

» English competency written and spoken confirmed by the respective certificates as CAE, CPE, TOEFL PBT (min 500 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.





## 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 and certified copy of or certification about studies completion and the predicted date of master thesis defense
- » **MD or MSc diploma** (for graduates from foreign universities) - original and certified copy (apostille) certified by local 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".



# Admission for the academic year 2014/2015

Admission for the academic year 2014/2015 will start in January 2014.

All candidates are cordially **welcome** to start application procedure at their earliest convenience.

Entrance exams in form of Skype interview will begin in April 2014.

All information on our website  
[www.studymed.umed.pl](http://www.studymed.umed.pl)

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# Overall costs

Costs	4MD	5DMD	6MD	BSC Nursing
<b>Tuition</b> (yearly)	12000 Euro	13000 Euro	10500 Euro (I-II year) 11000 Euro (III-IV year)	5000 Euro
<b>Dormitory</b> (10 months)	4000-8500 Pln 1000-2000 Euro	4000-8500 Pln 1000-2000 Euro	4000-8500 Pln 1000-2000 Euro	4000-8500 Pln 1000-2000 Euro
<b>Living Costs</b> (10 months)	9000 Pln 2079 Euro	9000 Pln 2079 Euro	9000 Pln 2079 Euro	9000 Pln 2079 Euro
<b>Additional Fees</b>	100 Euro - Application Fee 200 Euro - Admission Fee	100 Euro - Application Fee 200 Euro - Admission Fee	100 Euro - Application Fee 200 Euro - Admission Fee	100 Euro - Application Fee 200 Euro - Admission Fee
<b>Total</b>	16379 Euro	17379 Euro	14879 Euro	9379 Euro

**Without travel costs, visa costs and additional costs**





## Division of Dentistry - 5DMD program

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

The main goal of the dental studies is to educate well-qualified dental practitioners able to enter the profession of a Doctor of Dental Medicine (lat. Doctor Medicinae Dentium – pol. Lekarz dentysta) with excellent clinical skills, able to conduct scientific research, provide professional dental health care based on human approach, and teach dental students.

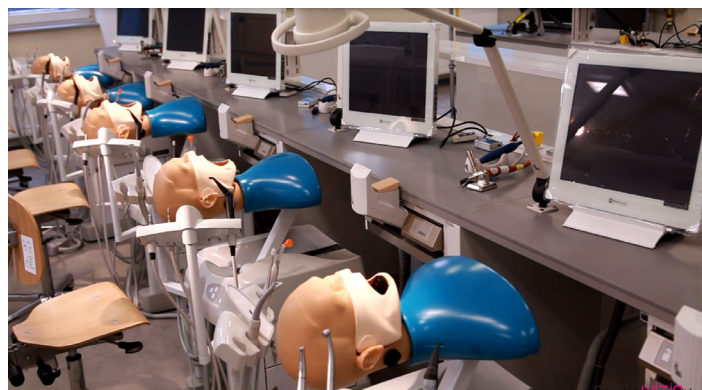
In 2012 a brand new Teaching Centre, one of the most modern clinical centres in Europe, was opened with new classrooms and lecture halls, complete with computer-compatible projectors and PA systems, with clinical rooms equipped with the most modern dental units and phantom rooms with working stations for 20 students each.

**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.

The Institute of Dentistry of the Medical University of Lodz is equipped with 165 clinical units. Such an extensive background enables the education of dentistry students in areas of endodontics, pediatric dentistry, orthodontics, dental prosthetics, dysfunctions of oromandibular system, oral surgery, periodontology and oral mucosal diseases. Modern clinical and didactic infrastructure and highly qualified academic staff make it possible for the dentistry graduates of the Medical University of Lodz to manifest high-quality world-standard knowledge and practical skills. The Institute of Dentistry and the Teaching Centre host numerous scientific conferences and symposia, as well as the specialization and development courses which assist in improvement of professional knowledge and qualifications.







The **Clinical and Teaching Centre** houses the **University Laboratory of Material Research** and the **University Laboratory of Preclinical Didactics in Dentistry** with four big laboratories fully equipped for analytical sample research.



# Accommodation

The University provides housing on campus in three dormitories/residence halls. Especially freshmen and sophomore students 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 available 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.

Those who prefer to live outside the campus will be provided with a list of private flat renting agencies.

The Dormitory number III offers a small, yet well equipped gym and a meeting hall. The surrounding area with parking space around is under constant surveillance. The majority of rooms, which have a panoramic view on the city downtown or its green suburbs, have a balcony. Each room in a 2-single-room unit is furnished with bedding, a study desk, chairs,

shelves and a wardrobe, refrigerator and a landline for incoming calls and room-to-room connections. Free internet access is available in every room. There is a shared bathroom and lavatory in each unit. There is a kitchen furnished with cabinets and oven (no utensils), and laundry rooms with washing machines and dryers on each floor.

