

The programme of study (PRK) at the Interdisciplinary Doctoral School

Within the framework of the Interdisciplinary Doctoral School (MSD), the PhD students prepare their doctoral dissertations containing elements of using earlier achievements in at least two selected fields of science, with indication of the leading one, or a single-field project without indicating the leading discipline. This means that each PhD student of the Interdisciplinary Doctoral School (MSD) indicates his/her leading field.

The indication of the leading field implies undertaking education under the programme offered by the relevant Doctoral School (e.g. the Doctoral School of Exact and Natural Sciences, the Doctoral School of Social Sciences, or the Doctoral School of Exact and Natural Sciences). This concerns the completion of general university classes intended for all the PhD students of the University of Warsaw and of the methodical workshops in didactics and practical classes, as well as the "Scholar's workshop" in the number of hours established for a given School. In the case of seminars and specialisation classes, the PhD students should complete them according to the number of hours established for a given School. They do not have to use the School's offer, but may take advantage of the offer from other Schools, depending on their scientific interests and needs. The programme of study is approved by the supervisor.

The only specificity of the Interdisciplinary Doctoral School (MSD) is that no interdisciplinary conference is organised, unlike in the programmes of the other Schools. The PhD students of the Interdisciplinary Doctoral School (MSD) do not have to participate in interdisciplinary conferences. At the same time, they are obligated to participate in the "integrational" seminar organised especially for the PhD students of the Interdisciplinary Doctoral School (MSD), encompassing 8 meetings per year, with three didactic hours each. The educational results are the same as in the case of two editions of interdisciplinary conferences in other Schools. The PhD students will be obligated to participate in 5 seminars a year and present at least two speeches during the entire educational process (30 minutes of presentation + discussion). Where a given PhD student expresses his/her willingness to participate in a conference organised by another Doctoral School, s/he should report such an initiative to the school's director.

Name	Number of compulsory hours	Number of voluntary hours	Semester	PRK 8
Interdisciplinary "integrational" seminar	30 30		I-IV V-VIII	UW_1, UW_2, UK_1, UK_3, UK_4, UU_1, UU_2, KK_1, KK_2