COURSE SPECIFICATION

Course code	full-time programme:	**M#2-S2-ME-301**
	part-time programme:	
Course title in Polish	**Ochrona patentowa i prawo autorskie**	
Course title in English	**Patent and Copyright Protection**	
Valid from (academic year)	**2024/2025**	

GENERAL INFORMATION

Programme of study	**MECHANICAL ENGINEERING**
Level of qualification	**second-cycle**
Type of education	**academic**
Mode of study	**full-time programme**
Specialism	**all**
Department responsible	**Department of Quality Management and Intellectual Property Protection**
Course leader	**dr Magdalena Kotulska-Kmiecik**
Approved by	**dr hab. Jakub Takosoglu, prof. PŚk, Dean of the Faculty of Mechatronics and Mechanical Engineering**

COURSE OVERVIEW

Course type		**basic**
Course status		**compulsory**
Language of instruction		**English**
Semester of delivery	full-time programme	**Semester III**
	part-time programme	**Semester III**
Pre-requisites		**NO**
Examination required (YES/NO)		**NO**
ECTS value		**1**

Mode of instruction		**lecture**	**class**	**laboratory**	**project**	**seminar**
No. of hours per semester	full-time programme	**15**				
	part-time programme	**9**				

LEARNING OUTCOMES

Category of outcome	Outcome code	Course learning outcomes	Corresponding programme outcome code
Knowledge	W_01	The student has organized knowledge of the sources and principles of copyright and patent protection. Is able to define important legal concepts and institutions and interpret legal norms in the field of copyright and patent protection. Is able to apply the provisions of copyright law and industrial property law in typical factual situations.	**MiBM2_W13**
Skills	U_01	The student is able to obtain information from literature, databases and other sources, also in foreign languages; is able to combine the obtained information, analyze and interpret it, draw conclusions, formulate and justify opinions. He knows the rules for applying for protection of inventions and utility models to the extent that allows him to competently cooperate with a patent agent. He knows how to protect the products of his creative work.	**MiBM2_U03** **MiBM2_U14** **MiBM2_U15**
	U_02	The student is able to recognize the legal aspects when solving technical problems in the field of mechanics and machine construction.	**MiBM2_U09** **MiBM2_U14** **MiBM2_U16**
Competence	K_01	The student systematically follows the development of the technical fields that interest him on the basis of patent documentation and technical literature. He studies patent descriptions, intellectual property law literature and court decisions in this field.	**MiBM2_K01**
	K_02	The student is able to use other people's technical solutions, works and databases in a responsible manner. Is aware of the importance of professional conduct and compliance with the principles of professional ethics.	**MiBM2_K02** **MiBM2_K05**

COURSE CONTENT

Mode of instruction	Topics covered
lecture	The concept of intellectual property law and its place in the legal system. Models of protection of intellectual property; copyright protection and patent protection – differences. Copyright protection: content and scope of copyright; fair use of protected works; civil and criminal liability for copyright infringement. Protection of computer programs; licenses for the use of computer programs and other copyright agreements; plagiarism. Protection of technical solutions, i.e. inventions and utility models: conditions for patentability and ability to be protected; the content of the patent and the content of the utility model protection right; cessation of protection. Patent protection offices and organizations; procedure for applying for formal protection in Poland and the EU; procedure for dealing with secret inventions. Famous inventors and inventions in the field of engineering and technical sciences.

ASSESSMENT METHODS

Outcome code	Methods of assessment					
	Oral examination	Written examination	Test	Project	Report	Other

W_01			X	X		
U_01			X	X		
U_02			X	X		
K_01						X
K_02						X

ASSESSMENT TYPE AND CRITERIA

Mode of instruction	Assessment type	Assessment criteria
lecture	non-examination assessment	Obtaining at least 50% points on the test; preparing and presenting a multimedia presentation

OVERALL STUDENT WORKLOAD

ECTS weighting												
No.	Activity type	Student workload										Unit
		full-time programme					part-time programme					
		L	C	Lb	P	S	L	C	Lb	P	S	
1.	Scheduled contact hours	15										h
2.	Other contact hours (office hours, examination)	2										h
3.	**Total number of contact hours**	**17**										h
4.	**Number of ECTS credits for contact hours**	**0,7**										ECTS
5.	**Number of independent study hours**	**8**										h
6.	**Number of ECTS credits for independent study hours**	**0,3**										ECTS
7.	**Number of practical hours**	**0**										h
8.	**Number of ECTS credits for practical hours**	**0,0**										ECTS
9.	**Total study time**	**25**										h
10.	**ECTS credits for the course** *1 ECTS credit = 25-30 hours of study time*	**1**										ECTS

READING LIST

1. Adamczak A, du Vall M., (red.), *Ochrona własności intelektualnej*, UOTT UW, Warszawa 2010
2. Sieńczyło-Chlabicz J. (red.), *Prawo własności intelektualnej. Teoria i praktyka*, Wolters Kluwer Polska, Warszawa 2021
3. Szewc A., (red.), *Leksykon własności przemysłowej i intelektualnej*, Zakamycze, Kraków 2003
4. Ustawa o prawie autorskim i prawach pokrewnych z 4.02.1994 r. (t.j. Dz. U. z 2022 r. poz. 2509)
5. Ustawa – prawo własności przemysłowej z 30.06.2000 r. (t.j. Dz. U. z 2023 r. poz. 1170).