POLISH

PROGRAMS OF STUDY

Undergraduate Program

Polish Minor (total 18 credit hours)

Students also have the option of selecting an interdisciplinary degree in **Central and East European Studie**s. See the online calendar or consult the Department for details.

COURSES (not all courses offered every year)

Language Courses (6 credit hours)

POL 1890 Introductory Polish
POL 2890 Intermediate Polish
POL 3890 Advanced Polish
POL 2690 Polish Language & Culture **(travel)**

Literature and Culture Courses (3 credit hours) (taught in English)

POL 1900 Love, Heroes and Patriotism in Contemporary Poland
POL 2600 Polish Culture until 1918
POL 2610 Polish Culture 1918 to the Present
POL 2660 Special Topics in Polish Literature and Culture (eg: Toilet Paper Hostages: Cultural Representations of Poland in the 20th Century)
SLAV 2260 Russia, Ukraine and Poland: Cultures in Dialogue 1
SLAV 2270 Russia, Ukraine and Poland: Cultures in Dialogue 2

To find out which courses are offered in a specific year, please go on-line to Aurora Class Schedule or contact the department.
Students entering university with knowledge of Polish, but without Grade 12 standing, may be granted written permission by the department head to enter POL 2890.

FUNDING AND AWARDS

The Department awards scholarships and bursaries each year at all levels of study. At the undergraduate level two bursaries and over twenty awards, ranging from a hundred to over a thousand dollars are given to students who perform well in individual courses. Preference is given to major or minor students.

Students registered in the Polish Minor program are eligible for:

- Dr. Victor Turek Polish Student Scholarship
- Consulate General of the Republic of Poland Award
- Summer Travel Award

TALKS, FILMS, AND MEETINGS

The Department co-sponsors an annual lecture by a Distinguished Visitor and public presentations on Central and Eastern Europe.

Information on public talks, visitors from Europe and conferences, video and film showings, and notification of other events can be found on the Department website.

The Department hosts annual potlucks and social gatherings.

The German Slavic Student Room is available for student meetings and gatherings in 101-C Tier Building.

Students are warmly invited to participate in the **Polish Students' Club.**

CAREERS

The study of languages and literatures provides training for a wide range of professions that require skills in communication, interpretation and research. A first-hand understanding of an area and fluency in one of its languages is often a necessity for careers in translation, journalism, politics, commerce or travel.

Our graduates have found jobs in the diplomatic field, media, publishing and editing, local heritage and cultural agencies, business, and bilingual education.

SUMMERS ABROAD in POLAND

The Department offers summer language seminars in Krakow (Poland). Students can take courses in the language, literature and culture that can be credited towards a degree. Travel award is available.

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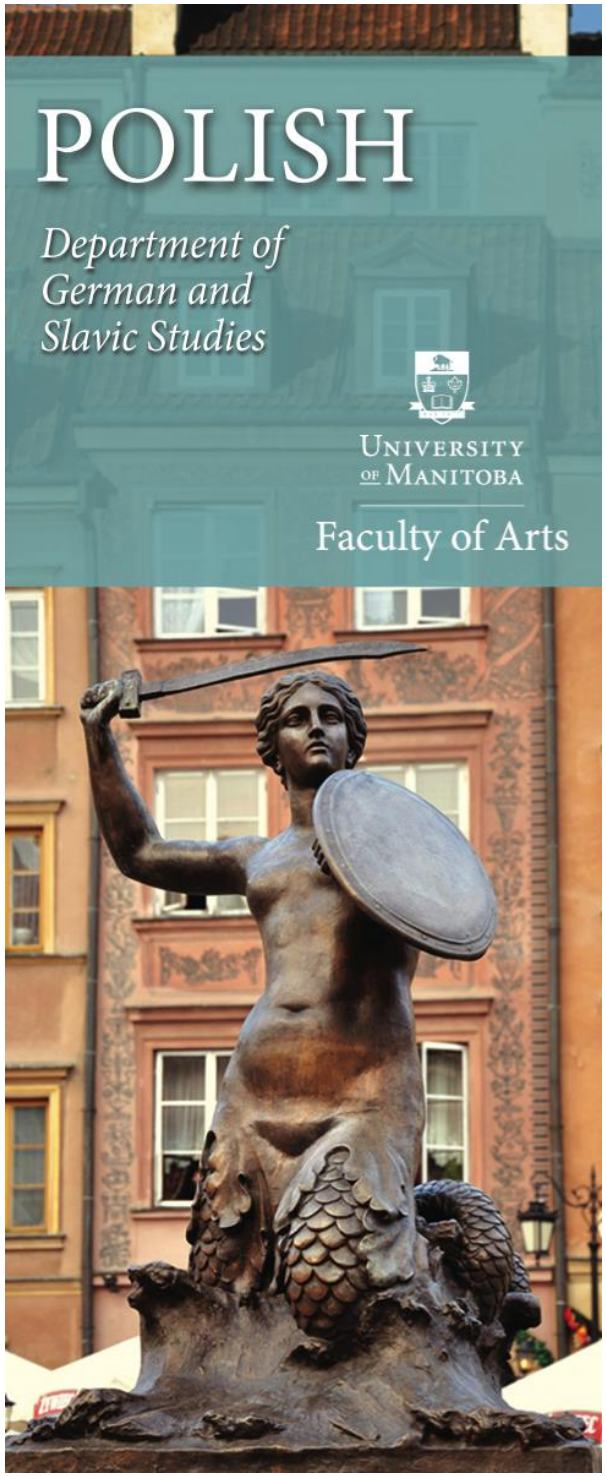
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