Results of the Quality Evaluation of scientific activity for 2017–2021
At the Jan Kochanowski University of Kielce, 21 disciplines were evaluated, in 5 fields of science and art, in which a total of 942 people conducted their activity. The obtained scientific categories authorise the award of doctoral and habilitated doctor degrees in 18 disciplines of science and art.

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10,000 students
58 fields of study
12 fields of study at Collegium Medicum
5 faculties located in Kielce
1 filia branch in the town of Sandomierz
17 institutes
3 departments
1,465 employees
929 academic teachers
536 non-academic employees
80 professors
206 associate professors
2 visiting professors
5 student residence
850 beds in student residences
University Sports Centre organizes recreational activities: swimming, gym exercises, and aerobics. People looking for additional activities can join sports sections where they prepare for league games under the supervision of coaches and instructors. Basketball, athletics, swimming, table tennis, football, handball, and volleyball – these are options for the active ones. Classes take place in a modern facility with a spacious, full-size handball hall and stands for 300 seats, an aerobics room, a gym, and rehabilitation facilities. The basketball players of the JKU Polish Academic Championship successfully represent Kielce in national competitions. University Sports Centre has been organizing ski camps in Bukowina, sailing camps, and hiking rallies for over 50 years.

The Centre conducts teaching activities consisting in organizing and running foreign language classes and implements the university’s strategy for teaching foreign languages. At the University, the Foreign Languages Centre conducts examinations confirming knowledge of a foreign language. It has the status of a TELC Examination Centre and it is authorized to conduct international examinations. In addition, it organizes paid language courses that can be attended by full-time and part-time students, students of supplementary Master’s degree studies, postgraduate and doctoral students, university employees, and other people.

Welcome Centre is an information point for international full-time students and visitors. The service provides assistance with respect to formal matters related to their stay at the JKU (including: visa and residency in Poland, health insurance, student accommodation). International students and visitors can contact Welcome Centre in English by email, phone or the main messaging apps. Welcome Centre promotes inclusion, diversity, and international cooperation.

The meetings of the Children’s University introduce the youngest residents of our region to the world of science. Open University carries out scientific projects addressed to talented pupils from schools in Kielce. It also invites seniors to interesting lectures at the University for Seniors. It organizes open lectures.

Academic Career Office organizes job fairs, business cafes and workshops introducing young people to the labour market. The Office also organizes meetings with representatives of the business world and institutions offering employment to our graduates.

The Centre is responsible for organizing student life at the University, including organizing concerts, authors’ meetings and yearly student festivals. Cultural life is centred around the WSPAK Student Club. The Centre also coordinates the activities of science clubs and organizes an annual conference for young scientists from the JKU.
The Jan Kochanowski University is a university without barriers. A room sound system, special computer stations in the University Library for the blind and visually impaired, the possibility of renting audio recorders and electronic enlargers are just some examples of the facilities for disabled people. Support Centre for Persons with Disabilities helps to obtain financial support and adapt the form of classes and professional internships to individual needs.

Doctoral School of the Jan Kochanowski University provides doctoral students with education in five field sections covering seventeen scientific disciplines. Currently, over 100 doctoral students are studying at the Doctoral School, including over a dozen of foreigners. As part of the four-year education, doctoral students have the opportunity to complete domestic and foreign internships, participate in national and international conferences, go on study visits abroad, and publish in prestigious scientific journals.

The Library is a centre of education, information, and culture, which uses the most modern forms of transferring knowledge and information. It offers wide access to over 600,000 books and journals, out of which over 60,000 books and 1,700 journals are published in open access. The beautiful and spacious Library building has 318 places to work, and the library collections are placed on shelves with a total length of 21 kilometres.

The Jan Kochanowski University Press publishes books and scientific journals, and also undertakes its distribution. The modernly equipped Printing Department also serves promotional and publishing activities for the University.
MEDICAL SIMULATION CENTRE
al. IX Wieków Kielc 19A, room no. B 1.27
(Collegium Medicum)
25-317 Kielce
tel. 41 349 69 29

Modernly equipped rooms and laboratories supported by computer systems serve the students of Collegium Medicum. They are especially used by future physicians, nurses, midwives, and paramedics. Classes are held with phantoms that can perfectly imitate various human symptoms and actions – they breathe, cry, and even bleed. Modern diagnostic equipment connected to them shows the same conditions as in a living person. Thanks to this, it is possible to perform the most complex medical procedures, perform them once again, and watch a video of the conducted simulation.

CENTRE FOR PANCREATIC DISEASE RESEARCH
al. IX Wieków Kielc 19A, room no. D 3/11
(Collegium Medicum)
25-317 Kielce
tel. 41 349 69 78

The Centre operates within the structure of Collegium Medicum. The tasks of the Centre include conducting epidemiological studies of acute and chronic pancreatic inflammation and pancreatic cancer, as well as genetic analysis of pancreatic diseases and related prevention.

MEDICAL STAFF TRAINING CENTRE
al. IX Wieków Kielc 19A, room no. D 2/19
(Collegium Medicum)
25-317 Kielce
tel. 41 349 69 02
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The tasks of the Centre include, in particular, the organization of the postgraduate education process for medical staff and the implementation of courses and trainings based on programs approved by the minister of health. The Centre also undertakes activities aimed at lifelong education and improving the professional qualifications of health care workers.

CENTRE FOR PSYCHOLOGICAL SUPPORT AND PSYCHOEDUCATION
al. IX Wieków Kielc 19A
(Collegium Medicum)
25-317 Kielce
tel. +48 506 112 606 or +48 604 122 413
(in case of need for immediate intervention)

The Centre began operating during the pandemic when personal and social isolation resulted in increased levels of anxiety and difficult situations. The Centre offers psychological support provided by experienced therapists.
The JKU is a university with an established position in Poland. Half of our students come from outside the Świętokrzyskie Province, including many foreign students. Over 300 young people from Europe, Asia and Africa study at the University. In the Ukrainian cities of Vinnytsia and Dnieper, we are the most popular Polish university. We carry out international exchange programs under the Erasmus+ Programme and we have agreements with over a hundred foreign universities. As part of the Erasmus+ Programme – Cooperation with partner countries (KA107, KA171) and our own partnership agreements, we have been visited by students and employees of universities from outside the European Union. The studies in English within the English Division are an important part of the medical MD programme. We also run Scandinavian studies, biotechnology, data engineering and visual arts in English.

The University not only allows you to acquire knowledge, but also provides conditions for the development of social competences and strengthening interpersonal bonds. We attract young people with interesting cultural, sports, and entertainment offers. We make sure that there is no room for boredom in students’ schedules.

You can start your university adventure with an integration camp at the Baltic Sea called “Adapciak” which is attended by the first-year students. Skiing and sailing camps have become a tradition. The winter camps, in Bukowina Tatrzańska, have been organized almost since the beginning of the University’s existence. Many graduates of our University fondly recall the first skiing skills they acquired in the Podhale region under the supervision of our University instructors. We still go there today. In the summer time, students go on cruises to Masuria and sports camps in the Bay of Gdaňsk. There is also the traditional “Run through the Campus” organized during the annual student festival and the star rally, taking place each June, with the finish line in the Żeromszczyna region in Ciekoty (a place where a renowned Polish writer Stefan Żeromski spent his childhood).

Recreation is organized by the University Student Government Council which represents the academic community before the University authorities on a daily basis. Its privilege also includes the organization of the largest student event in the city – Juwenalia, the annual student festival. Interesting initiatives are created at the Science and Culture Centre. It supports student science clubs and takes care of cultural life. The latter purpose is primarily served by the WSPAK Student Club. Social life flourishes there: meetings with interesting people, concerts, discos, and many other events take place. The Club is located on the academic campus, close to comfortable student residence halls.

There are 850 beds for students in the student residences halls with permanent and free access to the Internet. The location of the student campus is one of its advantages. You can walk to your classes and get to any part of Kielce by bus. Music enthusiasts equipped with beautiful voices become members of the University Choir under the direction of professional professors. Our students participate in many actions: they donate blood and organize preventive and health campaigns in shopping centres. The JKU is a place where you can develop your talent and do something good for others.
Kielce - A FRIENDLY PLACE

Kielce is a unique city. It is situated among not very high, but one of the oldest in Europe, picturesque mountains whose name comes from the Holy Cross. They were the destination point of pilgrimages of Polish kings and they are considered to be the cradle of our culture. Kielce is the only provincial city with five nature reserves, and apart from that, there are numerous caves, revitalized inoperative mines, and two ski lifts. These attractions are located among the housing estates of the 200,000-people city. Guests who come here are delighted with Kielce’s nature and monuments.

Kielce is an ideal place to practice sports, both recreational and competitive. We have the strongest handball team in the country – our players have been playing in the handball league for several years. The city’s showcase is Targi Kielce, one of the largest exhibition and congress centres in Europe.

The beauty of nature goes hand in hand with the power of the mind, as the history of Kielce shows. It was in the city on the Silnica River that a famous Polish scientist Stanisław Staszic founded the School for Academic and Mining Education, the first technical university in Poland. Among the picturesque hills surrounding Kielce, there is one called “Karczówka”, on the slopes of which lead ore was mined centuries ago. Stefan Żeromski, one of the greatest Polish writers, used to walk around Karczówka. Many of such writers were present in Kielce and today’s Świętokrzyskie Province, including Mikołaj Rej, Henryk Sienkiewicz and Witold Gombrowicz. Another famous Polish writer Gustaw Herling-Grudziński was born and raised here.

The Jan Kochanowski University refers to the rich traditions of the city and the whole region and provides an impulse for the further development of Kielce as a university city. It contributes to the scientific, cultural, social and economic potential of the Świętokrzyski region.
**BIOTECHNOLOGY IN ENGLISH**

- Bachelor’s degree studies (first-cycle)

ADMISSION PROCESS
Scored subjects: mathematics, biology, a third elective subject (chemistry, physics, physics with astronomy).

Candidates are required to prove their English language skills by submitting one of the specified certificates, if secondary education was not conducted in English. If candidates do not have any such certificates, they take an English language interview at B2 level.

**DATA ENGINEERING IN ENGLISH**

- Bachelor’s degree studies (first-cycle)

ADMISSION PROCESS
Scored subjects: Polish, mathematics, a foreign language.

Candidates are required to prove their English language skills by submitting one of the specified certificates, if secondary education was not conducted in English. If candidates do not have any such certificates, they take an English language interview at B2 level.

**MEDICINE IN ENGLISH**

- 6-year MD Programme

ADMISSION PROCESS
Admission is carried out on the basis of the results of the secondary school-leaving examinations in biology or chemistry and mathematics or physics. Additionally, written and spoken English skills must be confirmed with the respective certificates if the secondary education was not conducted in English.

**VISUAL ARTS IN ENGLISH**

- Master’s degree studies (second-cycle)

ADMISSION PROCESS
The admission process for Master’s degree studies of graduates in visual arts and conservation of works of art includes a graduation competition. The admission process for Master’s degree studies for graduates in others disciplines consists of assessing artistic aptitude, including reviewing a portfolio of previously prepared artworks (a portfolio of artworks should include drawings and painting studies of still life, architectural objects, landscape, human figure).

For candidates for English-language studies who do not have the relevant language certificates (listed in the applicable admission resolution), there is an additional interview in English concerning interests and motivations related to taking up art studies.
The faculty includes: Institute of Medical Sciences, Institute of Health Sciences, Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences.

We offer ambitious, attractive, and practical studies with a modern base located in the city centre. Currently, Collegium Medicum is one of the best-equipped medical faculties in the country – it combines tradition with modernity. Such dynamic development was possible thanks to the efforts of the faculty and university authorities, the European Union structural funds, and subsidies from the state budget. As part of these funds, a modern scientific and didactic base was created to develop students’ practical skills – with specialized equipment, laboratories, and medical simulation rooms, including Medical Simulation Centre, Posturology Laboratory, Laboratory of Nutrition Planning and Dietetics.

Students receive practical training in: clinics and departments of Kielce hospitals and other hospitals in the Province, in facilities providing outpatient specialist care and primary health care, as well as in dietetics, beauty and wellness clinics. Good results of admission processes prove the constantly growing interest in the faculty’s education offer.

Collegium Medicum is authorized to award the academic degrees of doctor and habilitated doctor in the field of medical sciences and health sciences, in the disciplines of medical sciences and health sciences.

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Faculty of Humanities has qualified staff and excellent didactic facilities (radio and television studios, language laboratories, modern studios), enabling comprehensive education in seven fields of study: Polish philology, English philology, German philology, history, journalism and social communication, applied linguistics, general speech therapy. Students can also study or complete internships abroad under the Erasmus+ Programme. We also educate doctoral students at the Doctoral School. The Faculty includes: the Institute of History, the Institute of Literary Studies and Linguistics, the Institute of Media, Journalism and Social Communication, the Centre for Polish Culture and Language, and the University Media Centre.

The Faculty operates the Centre for Polish Culture and Language which educates foreign students in the field of Polish language, culture and history of Poland, and also organizes Polish language qualification exams and summer language schools for foreign students.

The high standard of scientific research is based upon: numerous scientific publications of Faculty’s employees which are published in prestigious scientific journals; national and international conferences; lectures by recognized authorities of the modern world of science; numerous scientific journals published by the Faculty (“The JKU Philological Studies”, “Historical Almanac”, “Respectus Philologicus”, “Token”, “InScriptum”, “Infotheses”, “Bibliographical and Journalistic Annal”). We also put great emphasis on establishing cooperation with partners from outside the academic environment, who are potential employers for graduates of the Faculty of Humanities.
Faculty of Exact and Natural Sciences (FENS) is a dynamically developing unit of the Jan Kochanowski University, employing approximately 160 research and didactic staff and cooperating with leading universities and research centres in the world. The Faculty includes: the Institute of Biology, the Institute of Chemistry, the Institute of Physics, the Institute of Geography and Environmental Sciences, the Department of Mathematics, the Centre for Research and Analysis, and the Centre for Computing and Computer Modelling. The FENS is the leader at the JKU in terms of the number of realized research projects and it actively cooperates with national enterprises and the ones from the Świętokrzyskie Province.

There are approximately 1,000 students studying at the FENS in 16 fields of study (two of them are lectured in English), as well as 31 doctoral students at the Doctoral School. Students can choose from many interesting educational paths, including those preparing for a teaching profession. They also have the opportunity to carry out some teaching classes at foreign universities under the Erasmus+ Programme. Students, doctoral students and employees of the FENS can choose from 15 specialized research laboratories enabling them to conduct high-level scientific research, both in the field of exact and natural sciences, as well as, due to the specificity of the Faculty, unique interdisciplinary research. The laboratories are equipped with high quality research equipment, that is unique on an international scale (e.g. high quality confocal microscope, virtual radiotherapy laboratory, measurement ambulance for air pollution research, surface energy analyser). An important distinguishing feature of the scientific research conducted at the Faculty is extensive national cooperation with the Blood Donation and Blood Treatment Centre, the Holy Cross Cancer Centre, the Central Office of Measures, the Provincial Police Headquarters, the Świętokrzyski National Park, and international cooperation with the Tokyo Institute of Technology, Tianjin University of Technology, and the European Organization for Nuclear Research (CERN) in Geneva, among others.
MATHEMATICS
- Bachelor's degree studies (first-cycle) & Master's degree studies (second-cycle)

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
- Bachelor's degree studies (first-cycle) & Master's degree studies (second-cycle)

AGRICULTURE
- Engineer's degree studies (first-cycle)

DIAGNOSTIC SYSTEMS IN MEDICINE
- Bachelor's degree studies (first-cycle)

TOURISM AND RECREATION
- Bachelor's degree studies (first-cycle)

SUSTAINABLE TOURISM
- Master's degree studies (second-cycle)

BIOLOGY
- Bachelor's degree studies (first-cycle) & Master's degree studies (second-cycle)

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- Bachelor's degree studies (first-cycle) & Master's degree studies (second-cycle)

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- Bachelor's degree studies (first-cycle) & Master's degree studies (second-cycle)

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- Bachelor's degree studies (first-cycle)

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- Master's degree studies (second-cycle)

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- Engineer's degree studies (first-cycle)

GEOGRAPHY
- Bachelor's degree studies (first-cycle) & Master's degree studies (second-cycle)

GEOINFORMATION WITH SPATIAL MANAGEMENT
- Bachelor's degree studies (first-cycle)

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
- Engineer's degree studies (first-cycle)

DATA ENGINEERING
- Engineer's degree studies (first-cycle)

BIOLOGY
- Bachelor's degree studies (first-cycle) & Master's degree studies (second-cycle)

PHYSICS
- Master's degree studies (second-cycle)

TECHNICAL PHYSICS
- Engineer's degree studies (first-cycle)

GEOGRAPHY
- Bachelor's degree studies (first-cycle) & Master's degree studies (second-cycle)

GEOINFORMATION WITH SPATIAL MANAGEMENT
- Bachelor's degree studies (first-cycle)

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
- Engineer's degree studies (first-cycle)

DATA ENGINEERING
- Engineer's degree studies (first-cycle)
The mission of the Faculty has always been focused on preparing future pedagogues and teachers, and now, also psychologists and social workers, to carry out professional tasks. We offer studies in the following fields: education, preschool and early school education, special education, social work, and psychology.

The Faculty of Education and Psychology includes the Institute of Education which has rich traditions, as well as the Department of Psychology which has been educating students since 2016. The scientific, teaching, and organizational activities of the Faculty are focused on the fields of education and psychology. The Faculty is home to 8 student scientific clubs whose members organize meetings, participate in numerous conferences, conduct scientific and educational activities, and volunteer.

The Faculty is located in a renovated building adapted for people with disabilities. Since 2013, it has been connected to the modern CEART facility – Artistic Education Centre – built as part of a project co-financed by the European Union within the European Regional Development Fund and the state budget. CEART can host artistic meetings, conferences, symposia, shows, concerts, and other forms of social activity. Modern technical and teaching facilities with a recording studio with professional audiovisual equipment make it possible to record artistic and social events organized in this facility, such as conferences, symposia, shows, exhibitions, concerts, as well as other forms of artistic and social activity.
The Faculty of Law and Social Sciences brings together 5 scientific disciplines.

The Faculty provides education in 10 fields of study: administration, national security, economics, finance and accounting, geopolitics, applied criminology, logistics, law, international relations, and management. In addition, the Faculty offers a wide range of postgraduate studies.

Students have access to modern classrooms and workshop studios. The following deserve a particular note: a fully equipped courtroom which is a recreation of original Polish courtrooms; and multimedia shooting range which will be launched in 2024. It is a complete, multimedia, portable shooting training system that was developed for the needs of the civilian market, based on military systems.

There are nine student scientific clubs at the Faculty. Its employees and students are involved in organizing regular events, such as conferences on human rights, security, economics, and management, as well as blood donation campaigns.

### ADMINISTRATION
- Bachelor’s degree studies (first-cycle)
- Master’s degree studies (second-cycle)

### NATIONAL SECURITY
- Bachelor’s degree studies (first-cycle)
- Master’s degree studies (second-cycle)

### ECONOMICS
- Bachelor’s degree studies (first-cycle)
- Master’s degree studies (second-cycle)

### FINANCE AND ACCOUNTING
- Bachelor’s degree studies (first-cycle)
- Master’s degree studies (second-cycle)

### GEOPOLITICS
- Bachelor’s degree studies (first-cycle)

### APPLIED CRIMINOLOGY
- Bachelor’s degree studies (first-cycle)

### LOGISTICS
- Bachelor’s degree studies (first-cycle)

### LAW
- Long-cycle studies

### INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS
- Bachelor’s degree studies (first-cycle)
- Master’s degree studies (second-cycle)

### MANAGEMENT
- Bachelor’s degree studies (first-cycle)
- Master’s degree studies (second-cycle)
The Faculty of Arts of the Jan Kochanowski University of Kielce is a prestigious unit conducting research and teaching activities, with many years of artistic education traditions dating back to the 1990s – in the discipline of fine arts and conservation of works of art, and to 1971 – in the discipline of musical arts. The academic staff of artists and art theorists employed at the Institute of Music and the Institute of Visual Arts has acquired significant achievements on a national and international scale, often presented as part of artistic events, recognized in the artistic community, in the field of music, fine arts, and design. The Faculty has full academic rights to award doctoral and habilitated doctor degrees in musical arts, as well as in fine arts and conservation of works of art.

Currently, education is conducted in the following fields: design, social design, and artistic education in the field of music, graphics, fine arts / visual arts. After obtaining a Master’s degree, outstanding students have the opportunity to continue their research and artistic development within the art section of the Doctoral School in Kielce. High-quality academic staff, their achievements and tradition of artistic education, as well as constantly modernized research and teaching facilities create the right conditions for the development of future creators who occupy an important place in the area of culture, art (including artistic education) of future generations, socio-cultural animation, and creative industries.

The Faculty cooperates with foreign universities, going much beyond the framework of the Erasmus+ Programme, including: the West Liberty University (USA), the University of Calgary (Canada), the St. Cyril and St. Methodius University of Veliko Tarnovo (Bulgaria), the University of South Carolina (USA), the Charles University in Prague (Czech Republic), the Tiangong University (China), the Luleå University of Technology (Sweden), the Daugavpils University (Latvia), the Lviv National Academy of Arts (Ukraine), and the Beijing Institute of Fashion Technology (China). The number of foreign students, both studying under the European programmes and choosing our Faculty as their place of study, increases every year.

**DESIGN**
- Bachelor’s degree studies (first-cycle)

**SOCIAL DESIGN**
- Master’s degree studies (second-cycle)

**ARTISTIC EDUCATION IN THE FIELD OF MUSICAL ART**
- Bachelor’s degree studies (first-cycle)
- Master’s degree studies (second-cycle)

**GRAPHICS**
- Long-cycle studies

**FINE ARTS**
- Bachelor’s degree studies (first-cycle)
- Master’s degree studies (second-cycle)

**VISUAL ARTS IN ENGLISH** (more on page 15)
- Bachelor’s degree studies (first-cycle)
- Master’s degree studies (second-cycle)
The University's branch in Sandomierz offers studies in the following fields: administration, English philology, cosmetology, and mechatronics. In all four fields of study, education is based on a practical profile, which means a large number of practical classes and internships. The internships are organized in cooperation with local institutions, companies, and schools. For students who search for scientific development, there is an opportunity to participate in the work of scientific clubs operating in each field.

Bachelor's degree studies in administration allow you to acquire knowledge, skills and social competences necessary to work in public administration and non-governmental organizations. Students of English philology (translation specialization) work in a computer-language laboratory using MemoQ software for translators. The field of cosmetology has well-equipped laboratories and modern equipment for practical training of this profession.

The field of mechatronics has computer laboratories with specialized software and constantly expanded laboratory rooms. The latest purchase includes a testing machine and a laboratory with modern equipment for programming PLC.

Lecturers and students of the University's branch organize regular events: open days of cosmetology; English language competitions with a wide regional scope for primary and secondary schools; a recitation competition in English; an inter-provincial competition for the title of the Supertech Specialist of the Region; a scientific and technical conference called "Mechatronics in industry and education"; a day of open lectures; as well as guided tours around Sandomierz conducted in English for English philology students.
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