

Practical Orientation Session

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GSSR Institutional Resources

Faculty Research Units at IFiS, IPS and IP:

IFiS: <https://ifispan.pl/filozofia/> and <https://ifispan.pl/socjologia/>

ISP: <https://isppan.waw.pl/struktura/zaklady/>

IP: <https://psych.pan.pl/>

GSSR Library: Staszic Palace, Room 335. Tel. +48 22 657 27 54;

Opening hours: Monday, Tuesday & Thursday 13.00-19.00;
Wednesday 9.00-15.00;
Friday online (09:00 – 15:00)

Books: 12,000 English-language volumes, mostly social science. Arranged on the open shelves in the reading room according to subjects (DDC scheme)

Borrowing limits: up to 10 books for 3 weeks.

Digitalized obligatory readings: Current readings provided by the library sent to students via email before the course starts.

All the readings are then available on the Intranet, access in the library.

Digital Internet resources: EBSCO, including The Philosopher's Index with Full Text Remote access:

<https://search.ebscohost.com>

Login & Password: contact Lidia Wójcicka

Jstor, <https://www.jstor.org/>

Available online from GSSR and IFiS premises through IP address, which means no login data are needed. To set up individual remote access visit the library.

Gazeta Wyborcza + Archive Login: contact Lidia Wójcicka

Other libraries that GSSR students have borrowing rights in:

The Joint Libraries of Sociological Departments of Polish Academy of Sciences and The Warsaw University (Połączone Biblioteki).

<https://polaczonebiblioteki.uw.edu.pl/index.php/en/main-page-2/>

Location: Warsaw Krakowskie Przedmieście 3.

Other resources:

The interlibrary loans scheme (borrowing books & journal articles from other academic libraries in Poland and abroad). For specifics, contact Lidia Wójcicka (lwojcicka@gssr.edu.pl)

Purchasing new books, traditional and digital, if consistent with the GSSR Library collection development policy. For specifics, contact John Fells (john.fells@gssr.edu.pl).

Computer Lab: Hours of operation: 7:00 – 21:30

Location: IFiS Lab, room 122 (1st floor). Access code: contact Ola Filipowicz

Common Room

Location: Room 267 (2nd floor). Access code: contact Ola Filipowicz

GSSR Student Representatives

Current representatives of GSSR PhD students: Emilia Sieczka, Iwona Jamrozik and Gniewomir Hawrasz

Polish Academy of Sciences PhD Students (fb group): <https://www.facebook.com/groups/pasphdstudents>

GSSR Students & Alumni (fb group): <https://www.facebook.com/groups/514024632026504>

GSSR LinkedIn: <https://www.linkedin.com/school/86261134/>

Twitter: https://twitter.com/GSSR_Warsaw

National Representation of Doctoral Students: <https://krd.edu.pl/>