



# TAS



MA in TransAtlantic Studies  
Institute of American Studies and Polish Diaspora



JAGIELLONIAN UNIVERSITY  
IN KRAKOW

# The Program

The Master of Art in TransAtlantic Studies (TAS) is a comprehensive, full-time interdisciplinary graduate program. It is directed primarily to foreign students who would like to study in Krakow. The program, taught entirely in English, focuses on various aspects of transatlantic relations. The graduates from the program will receive a diploma in cultural studies with major in transatlantic studies.

## **Fees:**

The tuition for the entire course of study (4 semesters) is 5 000 euro. Students will be responsible for their own room and board costs, insurance, travel expenses and study trips.

## **COURSES:**

### **Examples of Compulsory Courses:**

- The American Century:  
US Domination in World Politics
- Europe and the United States in the 20th Century
- Social Change in the 20th Century:  
Globalization in the Atlantic Community
- European and American Literature

### **Examples of Optional Courses:**

- Introduction to Cultural Studies
- Transatlantic Economics
- Transatlantic Connections in Cinema
- Is Europe Becoming Americanized?  
Facts and Myths
- The Polish-Jewish Relations in the Context of Polish Foreign Policy. Poland - Israel - the US and European Community



# The University

## **The Jagiellonian University**

in Krakow, the former capital of Poland, was established in 1364.

It is one of the oldest academia in this part of the world. Jagiellonian University is set in a “university town” atmosphere and remains world-renowned for its academic excellence. It boasts a distinguished list of former students that includes, among others, Copernicus and Pope John Paul II.



*CAROLINA, TAS STUDENT FROM COLOMBIA:*

*“The program gives you an opportunity to interact with people from other countries and this international atmosphere allows you to deal better with the cultural shock. Very quickly we all became like a family, so the homesickness was never even an option.”*

*SUSANNE, TAS STUDENT FROM GERMANY:*

*“The program combines unique teaching methods and an international experience that will contribute to your individual skills more than you can imagine. Challenges range from the class room, to the cultural and personal. Krakow is a vibrant Central European city that owes its charm as much to its history as it does to its present and future. For me it’s the ultimate place to get your higher.*

## The City

Krakow is, simply put, one of the best places to study in the world. Krakow is an elegant medieval city that played a leading cultural role in the Middle-Ages and reached the peak of its development in the Renaissance period in the 16th century.

Today Krakow is undoubtedly one of the most spectacular cities in Europe and still rightly regarded as “the cultural capital of Poland.” Krakow is now clearly recognized as the “hot spot” for European students wishing to experience a year of study abroad. The reasons are obvious.

Krakow, like Prague and Budapest, offers the Western student affordable living while studying in a bustling student atmosphere of the Old World. The city is now rightfully being recognized from across the world as one of the undiscovered jewels of Europe. The “Rynek” or Main Market Square is the largest in Europe and offers a constant variety of entertainment for students and tourists alike.

*GOSIA, TAS STUDENT FROM POLAND:*

*“I love to study in Krakow! It’s really difficult to get bored in this vibrant city. The number of festivals, galleries, museums, pubs and cafés provide for an excellent break between and after classes.”*



For further information and application guidelines,  
please visit the Program's web page:

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