

STUDENT UNIFORM INSTRUCTIONS

Gdynia Maritime University





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The maritime uniform is inextricably connected with the tradition of Gdynia Maritime University, which dates back to the birth of Polish maritime education in 1920. As such, it has always been an outward sign of the uniqueness of the University and its elite character. Still today, the uniform is an important element that helps to convey a positive image of the University and plays an essential role in creating its future, which draws from the best historical maritime and academic standards.

Section 1

General Provisions

1. Full-time students, in particular those studying academic fields that follow the STCW Convention, wear uniforms as part of their participation in programmes of maritime education.
2. The students referred to in Paragraph 1 are required to wear their issued uniform when attending classes as part of the education process.
3. All students who have been given a uniform are required, in particular, to wear the uniform during the inauguration of the academic year, University Celebration Days and other ceremonies.

Section 2

Authorised Persons

1. All full-time bachelor's (1st-cycle) degree students studying academic fields that follow the STCW Convention, student members of the Ceremonial Company named on the list of members drawn up by the Commander of the Ceremonial Company and members of the GMU Academic Choir are provided with uniforms free of charge.
2. Students who are not part of one of the groups mentioned in Paragraph 1, but are members of the Senate, the Student Parliament, or publicly represent the University, may be provided with uniforms free of charge with the Rector's consent.
3. Students not mentioned in paragraphs 1 and 2 may purchase uniforms for reasons connected with their studies with the permission of the Rector. Uniforms are sold at the cost price to the University plus VAT.

Section 3

Student Uniforms

1. The students mentioned in Section 2(1) receive a uniform free of charge during the second year of their studies. The Dean of the Faculty may decide, in duly justified cases, to issue a uniform earlier. The cost of the uniform is covered by the faculty.
2. Students undergoing training on the University's ships are required to wear uniforms or other work-wear for the duration of their training, in accordance with the instructions of the ship's management, and the health and safety regulations applicable to the "Dar Młodzieży" and "Horyzont II" training vessels.
3. The following persons are also required to wear uniforms:



- 1) members of the GMU Student Parliament Praesidium during ceremonies organised by the University or when representing the University at other official ceremonies, unless the Rector determines otherwise;
 - 2) members of the Ceremonial Company during ceremonies organised by the University or when representing the University at other ceremonies, unless the Rector or the direct supervisor decides otherwise;
 - 3) members of the GMU Academic Choir during ceremonies organised by the University, during concerts, or when representing the University at other ceremonies, unless the Rector or the direct supervisor decides otherwise.
4. Models and descriptions of the components of the student uniform are set out in Annexe 1 to these Instructions.
 5. The components of the uniform and the use period for Gdynia Maritime University students are set out in Annexe 2 to these Instructions.
 6. The components of the uniform and the use period of uniforms for members of the Choir and the Honorary Guard are set out in Annexes 3 and 4 of these Instructions, respectively.
 7. In the event of a repetition of the subject, semester, or year of study, the extension of the time limits for the completion of the study, study breaks or leave, the period of use of the uniform shall be extended accordingly.
 8. In the event of loss or damage not attributable to the student to all or part of the uniform before the end of the use period, the student shall receive a new uniform or a lost part of it, subject to the permission of the Rector.
 9. In the event of an extension of the study period (paragraph 7), a new uniform may be issued to a student in the situation referred to in Paragraph 8 with the permission of the Rector.
 - 1) 100% of the cost of the new uniform should be covered by the student if repetition of the academic year is the student's responsibility;
 - 2) 50% of the cost of the new uniform should be covered by the student if repetition of the academic year is due to circumstances beyond the student's control;
 - 3) In cases where the repetition of the academic year is due to chronic illness or a serious accident, the student shall not be required to cover the cost of the new uniform.
 10. Other students studying in degree programmes that do not follow the provisions of the STCW Convention shall be entitled to wear uniforms during ceremonies organised by the University or to represent the University at other ceremonies. The decision to issue a uniform is taken by the Dean. The cost of the uniform in such cases is covered by the Faculty.

Section 4

Uniforms for Members of the Ceremonial Company

1. Student members of the Ceremonial Company are entitled to be issued, free of charge for the duration of the period of their membership, a uniform consisting of:
 - 1) the components listed in Annexe 4, where these components have not been previously issued to them (students referred to in Section 2(1));
 - 2) shoes, white gloves;
 - 3) white belt, spats.



2. The components mentioned in para. 1(3) are stocked by the Ceremonial Company.

Section 5

Payment for Uniform Period of Use

1. Should students be removed from their course:
 - 1) students shall be required to reimburse the university in the amount corresponding to the value of the uniform, which is calculated minus the proportion of the period of use for which the uniform has been used.
 - 2) students may return an unused uniform without any charges after obtaining a confirmation from the storekeeper of the new, unused condition of the uniform returned.
2. Following the end of the period of use, the uniform becomes the property of the student.
3. Students are required to maintain their assigned uniforms in a clean and good state of repair.

Section 6

General Rules Applicable to Students Issued Uniforms

1. As expressed in these instructions, the student uniform described here is an external expression of belonging to the Gdynia Maritime University academic community.
2. A uniform requires that the user uphold its reputation and image within society, and show respect for the maritime tradition and the dignity of the Polish seafarer.
3. Particular care must be taken when using the individual components of the uniform, including maintaining their neat appearance and ensuring that they do not show signs of excessive wear.
4. Wearing parts of a uniform that are incomplete or in ways that are not in accordance with their intended purpose is not permitted.
5. All additional components of the external appearance of a student in uniform should be in keeping with generally accepted standards of aesthetics.
6. Combining any part of the uniform with civil dress is not permitted.



Annexe 1 to the Gdynia Maritime University Student Uniform Instructions

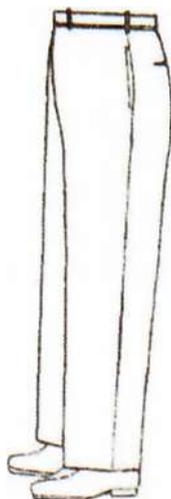
*Anexe 1 – Design and Description of the Components of the
GMU Student Uniform*

Blazer



Sailor's blazer/maritime style gabardine jacket with plain hem in dark navy*, double-breasted with two rows of four buttons 25 mm in diameter, one pocket at the bottom on each side (sewn) with flaps a d.

Trousers



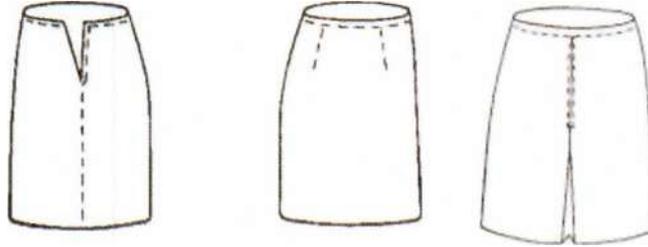
Maritime-style gabardine trousers in dark navy* without turn-ups, one pocket at the bottom on each side (sewn), and one pocket on the back (sewn) on the right.

* Colour according to the standard PN-EN 61966-2-1:2003 A1:2005 - Multimedia devices and systems - Colour Measurement and Management - Part 2-1: Colour Management - Default colour space RGB - sRGB:



dark navy — 0,0,90 - 0,0,123;
navy — 10, 10, 100 — 10, 10, 120;
white — 255, 255, 255;
black — 0, 0, 0.

Skirt



Skirt (for women) made of dark navy gabardine fabric*, straight with a pleat at the back. The skirt should reach below the knee line when standing.

Coat

3/4 type jacket made of dark navy* waterproof material, with a detachable insulated inner lining, and a detachable hood. An inside zipper is fitted with 4 buttons, 25 mm in diameter. At the bottom of the jacket, sewn on both sides at an angle, are pockets. The jacket has buttoned shoulder straps with 13 mm-diameter buttons.

Long-sleeve shirt



A long-sleeve classic-style buttoned cotton shirt with a collar. White Button-down breast pockets.

Short-sleeve shirt





A short-sleeve classic-style buttoned cotton shirt with a collar. White Button-down breast pockets. Buttoned-fastened shoulder straps.

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- **Tie** - made of smooth fabric, in black (matt)
- **Leather shoes** - black, the top of the shoes must not be decorated, embossed or punched. Men's shoes should be laced at the front. Women's shoes without fastening, with a heel height of 5-7 cm
- **Women's tights** - beige

Peaked cap



Polish Merchant Navy hat with a black rim and the University's logo embroidered in gold on a black fabric background. Height 62mm, width 54mm.

Woman's cap



White women's hat with a black rim and the University's logo embroidered in gold on a black fabric background. Height 62 mm, width 54 mm.



Student tabs



NAVIGATION



ELECTRICAL
ENGINEERING



MARINE
ENGINEERING



MANAGEMENT
AND QUALITY SCIENCE

A black material tab with rounded upper and lower ends. Width 4 cm, length 10 cm. In the upper part of the tab – the faculty logo; under the logo – the year of study in gold in the form of embroidered strips (4mm).

The tab is placed on the left sleeve of the student's uniform, 5 cm below the stitching.

Emblem on blazer sleeves:



An emblem is worn on the sleeves of uniforms for staff, doctoral candidates and students. The emblem can be embossed in metal or embroidered in gold cotton. University staff with professional distinctions wear the emblem 1 cm above the top strip on their sleeve. Staff and students with no distinction on their sleeves wear the emblem 11 cm from the bottom edge of their sleeve.



Buttons

25 mm diameter button for coat and blazer, made of gold-coloured metal with a raised anchor and a ribbed edge in the form of a ship's rope. An equivalent 13 mm diameter button in black is used to attach a sash to the cap.



Annexe 2 to the Gdynia Maritime University Student Uniform Instructions

Annexe 2 – Components of the GMU Student Uniform and their Corresponding Usage Periods
The Components of the GMU student's uniform and their corresponding usage periods are given in the table below

No.	Type of clothing	Quantity	Usage period
1.	Officer's uniform	1	Duration of study
2.	Peaked cap/cap with emblem	1	Duration of study
3.	Officer's tie	1	Duration of study
4.	Short-sleeve shirt with shoulder straps, white	2	Duration of study
5.	Long sleeve shirt, white	2	Duration of study
6.	Coat	1	Duration of study
7.	Shoulder tab with faculty emblem and year of study	1	Academic year
8.	*Shoes	1	Duration of study

*Female students are to buy their own shoes – 100 PLN subsidy available from faculty.



Annexe 3 to the Gdynia Maritime University Student Uniform Instructions

Annexe 3 – The Components of the Uniform for Members of the GMU Academic Choir and their Corresponding Usage Periods

No.	Type of clothing	Quantity	Usage period in months
1.	Officer's uniform	1	36
2.	Peaked cap/cap with emblem	1	36
3.	Officer's tie	1	36
4.	Short-sleeve shirt with shoulder straps, white	1	36
5.	Long sleeve shirt, white	1	36
6.	Coat	1	36

Uniforms are provided according to requirements to be agreed with the Rector

1. Uniform for female choir members:
A black long-sleeved blouse
A long fabric skirt (blue and green), an overcoat/cloak.
2. The choir's emblems.

Annexe 4 to the Gdynia Maritime University Student Uniform Instructions

Annexe 4 – Components of the uniform for members of the GMU Ceremonial Company and their corresponding usage periods

No.	Type of clothing	Quantity	Usage Period
1.	Uniform	1	Duration of study, no less than 12 months
2.	Peaked cap/cap with emblem	1	Duration of study, no less than 12 months
3.	Officer's tie	1	Duration of study, no less than 12 months
4.	Short-sleeve shirt with shoulder straps, white	2	Duration of study, no less than 12 months



5.	Long sleeve shirt, white	2	Duration of study, no less than 12 months
6.	Coat	1	Duration of study, no less than 12 months
7.	Polo shirt with university logo	1	Duration of study, no less than 12 months
8.	Tab with faculty logo	1	Every year
9.	Shoulder straps	2	Every year
10.	*Shoes	1	Duration of study, no less than 12 months
11.	White gloves	1	Duration of study, no less than 12 months
12.	White belt, white collars for shoes	1	Provided by the Ceremonial Company

*Female students are to buy their own shoes – 100 PLN subsidy available.

Annexe 5 to the Gdynia Maritime University Student Uniform Instructions

Annexe 5 – Components of the Training Uniform for members of the GMU Ceremonial Company and their corresponding usage periods

No.	Type of Clothing	Quantity	Usage Period
1.	Training trousers	1	Duration of study, no less than 12 months
2.	Peaked cap with University logo	1	Duration of study, no less than 12 months
3.	Shoes	1	Duration of study, no less than 12 months
4.	Jumper with University logo	1	Duration of study, no less than 12 months
5.	T-shirt with University logo	1	Duration of study, no less than 12 months