



**FACULTY  
OF VETERINARY  
MEDICINE**

**7** faculties

**27** programs



**11 000** students

**53 000** graduates

**1700** employees

**800** teachers and researchers



**RECTOR**  
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**Vice-Rector**  
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and International Cooperation  
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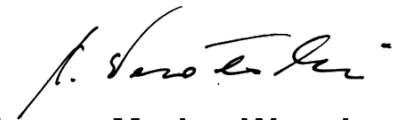
**Vice-Rector**  
for Personnel and Investment Funds  
professor **Andrzej Borowy**

## From the Rector



*The University of Life Sciences in Lublin is a multi-profile higher education institution, which integrates a wide range of agricultural, biological, veterinary, technical and socioeconomic sciences.*

*Its educational offer is attractive for the local secondary school leavers as new directions of studies are created to meet requirements of the current job market in Poland, the contents and forms of education comply with current educational standards. Well experienced academic staff and up-to-date didactic and research base guarantee high level of education approved by certificates. The 65-year-old activity of the University has shown its high rank in the structure of the Polish higher education system.*



**Professor Marian Wesolowski**

## *Academic traditions date back to 1944*

Academic traditions of our University date back to 1944 when four faculties Medical, Natural, Agrarian and Veterinary of the new University of Maria Curie-Skłodowska were established.

In 1955 on the rising tide of creating new state higher education schools the then Rector of the UMCS professor Bohdan Dobrzanski was commissioned to establish an independent scientific – didactic and research unit out of the Agrarian, the Veterinary and the Zootechnics faculties. By the Resolution 503 of the Ministry Cabinet from 6 August 1955 **the Higher School of Agriculture was established**. Professor Bohdan Dobrzanski became its first Rector.

On 23 September 1972 the Cabinet changed the name of the School into **the Agricultural University**. In May 2005 the Polish Senate established the sixth faculty – the Faculty of Food Sciences and Biotechnology and in 2006 the seventh – the Faculty of Agricultural Sciences in Zamosc.

On 6 March 2008 the Polish Parliament enacted a new law which changed the names of some higher education agricultural schools. The ceremony to celebrate **name changing - Uiversity of Life Sciences in Lublin** - was held on 17 April 2008.



The Faculties have the right to confer titles of doctor and doctor habilitated. The University employs about 1700 people including over 800 academic staff. Among them **30% are independent researchers.**

Scientific research conducted in the units and laboratories of the University and in the experimental farms provides **valuable contribution to the development of agricultural and veterinary science.** A significant number of scientific publications of our staff in reputable scientific magazines and publishing houses as well as numerous patents prove the fact.

Our University has over 53 000 graduates. Currently young people can choose among 27 fields of study. There is a 3 step education system – long cycle ( the Faculty of Veterinary Medicine ), 1st and 2nd cycle fulltime and extramural studies and 3rd cycle doctoral studies. **At present about 11000 students are studying at all types of studies.**



The graduates of our University are among highly qualified employees of agricultural – food sector and a significant group of veterinary doctors. They work at managerial posts in the biggest production plants of the Lublin Province. Many of them work outside agriculture.



**FACULTY  
OF AGROBIOENGINEERING**



**FACULTY  
OF HORTICULTURE  
AND LANDSCAPE  
ARCHITECTURE**



**FACULTY  
OF VETERINARY  
MEDICINE**



**FACULTY  
OF PRODUCTION  
ENGINEERING**



**FACULTY  
OF BIOLOGY AND ANIMAL  
BREEDING**



**FACULTY  
OF FOOD SCIENCE  
AND BIOTECHNOLOGY**



## FACULTY OF AGROBIOENGINEERING

- agriculture
- science of commodities
- economics
- environmental engineering
- tourism and recreation
- spatial economy
- forestry



## FACULTY OF BIOLOGY AND ANIMAL BREEDING

- animal husbandry
- environment protection
- biology
- work safety and hygiene
- food safety
- hippology and horse riding







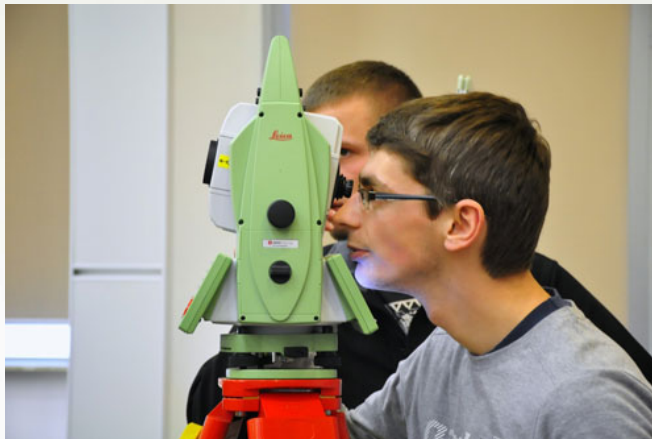
## FACULTY OF PRODUCTION ENGINEERING

- agricultural and forestry engineering
- management and production engineering
- education in technology and information technology
- geodesy and cartography
- transport • safety engineering
- chemical and process engineering



## FACULTY OF HORTICULTURE AND LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE

- horticulture
- landscape architecture
- plant protection and phytosanitary control

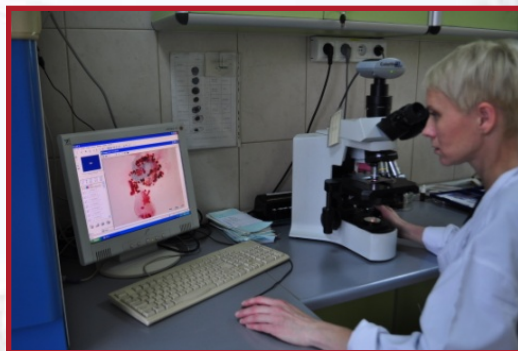




## FACULTY OF FOOD SCIENCE AND BIOTECHNOLOGY

- food technology and human nutrition
- biotechnology • dietetics





# Authorities of the faculty



## DEAN

Professor Stanisław Winiarczyk



## ASSOCIATE DEAN OF STUDENTS

Professor Cezary Kowalski



## ASSOCIATE DEAN OF CLINICS

Professor Piotr Silmanowicz



Major field of study:

**veterinary medicine**

### History:

First established in 1944 within the structure of Maria Skłodowska-Curie University in Lublin, it started to function as the Faculty of the Higher School of Agriculture in 1955. In 1972 the School changed its name into the Agricultural University and in 2008 into the University of Life Sciences in Lublin. In 1995 the name of the Faculty was modified into the Faculty of Veterinary Medicine. The Faculty has the right to confer doctoral and postdoctoral degrees in veterinary sciences.

### Directions of research:

anatomic and histological structure and functioning of tissues and organs, sub cellular regulatory mechanisms of biochemical and neuroendocrinical character; immunological status of animals in physiological and pathological conditions; recognition and treatment of the most frequent diseases in livestock and companion animals also in animals used for food production; characteristics of quality, hygiene and technology of animal food products; influence of the environment on disease occurrence and health in animals; preclinical and clinical assessment of new medicines and biomaterials; pathogenetic conditioning in system disorders of neoplastic, metabolic, neuroendocrinic and toxic character.

## Duration of study

The studies of veterinary medicine last **11 semesters**. Systematic, stationary teaching (lectures and classes) takes place in winter and summer semester starting 1st October and last week of February, respectively.

## Curriculum

Curriculum starts with basic subjects as anatomy, biochemistry, physiology. Later on students are acquainted with hygiene of food of animal origin, elements of husbandry and nutrition. Finally clinical subjects are offered together with **obligatory clinical practise** as well as holiday practise after IVth and Vth year in veterinary practises.

Curriculum include not only obligatory but also facultative subjects such as diseases of laboratory or exotic animals, ophthalmology, oncology, marketing.



## **veterinary medicine** teaching facilities



The Faculty of Veterinary Medicine owns the Collegium Veterinarium building located at 12 Akademicka Street, Lublin. The lectures given in the building include basic and preclinical subjects. Clinical subjects lectures are given in the veterinary clinics located at 30 Głęboka Street



**The Collegium Veterinarium building is situated approximately 300m from the Veterinary Clinics and 150 m from the Rector's Office of the University of Life Sciences and the Dean's Office of Veterinary Medicine.**

## teaching facilities



The lectures halls in the building of Collegium Veterinarium have capacity for 135 students (hall B) and 180 students (hall A) and is used by the Department of Food Hygiene of Animal Origin, Department of Preclinical Veterinary Sciences, Institute of Biological Basis of Animal Diseases.

The lecture hall in the Department and Clinic of Internal Diseases has capacity for 120 students is used for lectures on clinical subjects.





teaching facilities

# Anatomy



teaching facilities

**Prosectorium**





Histology and embryology laboratory classes are conducted in rooms equipped with light microscopes, 28 illuminated display cabinets with classic histology preparations and transmission electron microscopy pictures. In addition, there is a display of old microscopes and microtomes in the room.

## teaching facilities

# Biochemistry



The Department of Animal Biochemistry and Physiology The room is equipped with a first aid cabinet, fire extinguisher, fume hoods, emergency eye wash showers and disinfectants.

## Animal Physiology – classroom



teaching facilities

## Pharmacy / Pharmacology



The Department of Food Hygiene of Animal Origin,  
Department of Preclinical Veterinary Sciences - classroom.

## The Institute of Biological Basis of Animal Diseases



Courses of veterinary microbiology, parasitology and invasiology.

## Department and clinic of internal diseases





teaching facilities

## Department and Clinic of Animal Surgery



teaching facilities

## Dentistry room



## Radiology and Ultrasonography

*While taking X-rays the students are in the safe zone (outside the radiation range).*



In the Laboratory there are: X-ray machine Philips Super 80 CP, device for denoting X-rays in diurnal system, developer with base Optimax, mammography X-ray cassettes with films containing elements of rare soils 200 and 400, negatoscope NGP 31, browser Luminax, hemodynamic gloves, ultrasound scanner Honda 4000 with three probes, biopsy gun, Moser device, computer hardware for patients' records.



## Department and Clinic of Animal Reproduction



Ambulatory and operating room for small animals.



## Department and Clinic of Animal Reproduction



Places available for hospitalization and animals to be accommodated: cages for small dogs or 6 for big ones; cages for cats, stalls for cattle and horses, pigs, small ruminants.

# Department and Clinic of Animal Reproduction



Places available for farm animals hospitalization.

## Surgery room for farm animals



## Endoscopy room





## Epizootiology clinic



## Pathological Anatomy



Department of Pathological Anatomy has 2 rooms with capacity for 35 students. Autopsy room has 5 tables for post-mortem examination of small and big animals, scale.

# teaching facilities

## Histopathology classroom



## Pig experimental room



## Vivarium – experimental rooms for rodents





## *Our students are active in many fields*

Since the beginning of our University students have been required to undergo compulsory practical training and internship at different agricultural facilities and agricultural – food plants in Poland and abroad.

Young people develop their interests at the Student Scientific Societies during meetings and discussions as well as national and foreign conferences and symposiums.

Students Self-Government is thriving. Students Magazine „Radar” has been published for 4 years. Academic sportsmen also have great achievements. Swimmers, judokas, basketball and chess players have won numerous titles of individual and team champions of Poland.



# Student events





# UNIVERSITY OF LIFE SCIENCES CHOIR



The history of the Choir goes back to 1952. The Choir takes part in the University celebrations, gives concerts both in Poland and abroad. In 2005 it went touring around Belgium and concerted in the European Parliament. Among many other prizes the Choir was awarded with the silver medal in Barcelona in 2008.

## SPORTS AND RECREATIONAL CENTRE

The Centre houses a full-size sports hall, a swimming pool and an aquapark, a modern body-building gym, an aerobic exercise hall, a dance hall, fitness and combat sports halls and a climbing wall. Physical Education classes as well as University Sports Association training sessions take place here.





## DORMITORY

Dormitories provide places in fully furnished bedrooms with shared bathrooms and common TV room, study room, gym, canteen.



The Central Library gathers items of both Polish and foreign literature connected with the research work and education conducted at the University.

The subjects included are agricultural sciences, horticulture, animal science, veterinary medicine, food technology, agribusiness, agricultural technology, food industry machines, biology, biotechnology, environmental protection as well as selected aspects of medicine, mathematics, physics, chemistry and the basics of technology.

Through PCs connected to the university servers the Library, being a participant in numerous consortia of scientific libraries, **gives access to complete virtual texts within dozens of thousands of periodicals.**

# MAIN LIBRARY



## EXPERIMENTAL STATIONS

The Experimental Stations are independent units in respect of finance and organization. Their statutory duties include scientific research and experimental work as well as teaching, namely classes, seminars and **practical training for students**. They are situated in different geographical regions of the Lublin province and are characterized by unique soil, climate and cultural conditions and therefore they constitute **a valuable experimental basis** for both scientific research and teaching purposes in most University faculties.





# Investing in future – new library building



# Investing in future –new faculty buildings



The buildings serve as a practice space for students and research work.







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