

Information on a candidate for doctoral students' supervisor in the academic year 2026/2027

Name and surname with the academic degree and title
Professor Andrzej Glen
Field of science, scientific discipline
Social sciences, security studies
Specialisations
The process of cognition of the subject security, military security, command, and air security of the state
Supervisor's academic profile (including link to ORCID, link to Research Gate)
Scientific interests: - philosophy of security sciences, - state air security, - aviation terrorism, - challenges, threats, risks. ORCID ID: https://orcid.org/0000-0002-7443-2629 ResearchGate ID: https://www.researchgate.net/profile/Andrzej-Glen?ev=hdr_xprf
Supervisor's main publications/ monographs issued over the last 5 years (max. 3)
1. Understanding Subject Security. Truth, Metaphors, Thinking, Language, UWS Scientific Publishing House, Siedlce 2025, 2. Fundamentals of Understanding Subject Security. Axiology, Ontology, Epistemology, Methodology, UPH Scientific Publishing House, Siedlce 2021, 3. WTC September 11, 2001 – Anti-Aircraft, Ethical, and Organizational Reflections in: Terrorism and Anti-Terrorism in Expert Opinions on the 20th Anniversary of the Attacks on the WTC and the Pentagon, (ed., scientific J. Stelmach), Difin, Warsaw 2021.
Experience in working with doctoral students
• number of defended doctoral dissertations: 8 • number of open doctoral dissertations: 0 • number of dissertation at the doctoral school: 0
Brief description of supervisor's research area (including research methods / techniques) together with a link to the website of the research team, if any
Subject Security from a Transdisciplinary Perspective. Objective: Identifying a cognitively integrated understanding of subject security. Methodology: Inductive-deductive increasing of the probability of working hypotheses: empirical (qualitative and quantitative) verification of the understanding of subject security; creating models of systemic understanding of subject security and testing working hypotheses on them; analysis and evaluation of empirical and theoretical research results; synthesis of the understanding of subject security in social and humanistic perspectives.
Proposed research topics for doctoral students
Aviation terrorism, air security of the state (air defense, airspace control, air traffic management in crisis situations), challenges, threats to the subject security (human, society, state, associations of states). Information in the subject security
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Specialisations
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Supervisor's main publications/ monographs issued over the last 5 years (max. 3)
1. Białoskórski Robert, Bezpieczeństwo informacyjne. Dyskurs naukowy i normatywny, Wyd. UwS, Siedlce 2026 [Information Security. Scientific and Normative Discourse]. 2. Białoskórski Robert, Strukturalna (holistyczna) koncepcja definiowania bezpieczeństwa informacyjnego, „Polityka i Społeczeństwo”, 2024, nr 3, ss.17-28 [Structural (holistic) concept of defining the information society]. 3. Białoskórski Robert, The Theoretical Concept of Information Warfare: A General Outline, “Humanities and Social Sciences”, 2023, no. 4, pp. 7-24.
Experience in working with doctoral students
• number of defended doctoral dissertations: 0 • number of open doctoral dissertations: 0 • number of dissertation at the doctoral school: 0
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Research topic: "Theoretical and Empirical Studies of International Security." The subject of this research is multi-vector contemporary international security problems resulting from the currently observed dynamic and turbulent changes in the international security system. The aim of the research is to identify, characterize, and forecast the main strategic determinants determining the complexity, multidimensionality, and dynamics of the research subject. The research is descriptive, explanatory, and prognostic in nature. The research methodology encompasses theoretical and empirical approaches. Theoretical research covers the main geopolitical and geostrategic determinants of the transformation of the international security system in political, military, economic, technological, and cultural dimensions. The empirical dimension encompasses measurements of current and projected changes in the global and regional balance of power using powermetric methods and techniques based on synthetic (mathematical) formal models.
Proposed research topics for doctoral students
1. "The Geopolitical Position and Role of the Republic of Poland in the Regional European Security Environment." The aim of the research is to identify the main determinants influencing the strengthening and weakening of the current geopolitical position and role of the Republic of Poland in the regional European security environment. The general research problem is summarized in the following questions: What is Poland's current geopolitical position and role in the regional European security environment, considered in terms of the geopolitical balance of power and interests in relation to other entities in this system? And what are the main factors contributing to the multi-vector strengthening and weakening of Poland's geopolitical position and role in this aspect of national security? 2. "Information Security in Great Power Competition in the 21st Century." The aim of this research is to analyze the role of information security as a factor shaping great power competition in the 21st century, with particular emphasis on the mechanisms for generating information advantage, managing information flows, and utilizing information capabilities in state security strategy and policy. The general research problem is: what information security mechanisms determine great

powers' ability to generate strategic advantage in the context of contemporary international competition?

3. “Regulatory Models of Information Security in Democratic and Authoritarian States”

The aim of the study is to identify and explain the structural and functional differences between regulatory models of information security in democratic and authoritarian states, as well as to assess their impact on the state's capacity to manage the infosphere and to shape informational advantage.

The general research problem is expressed in the following question: which features of regulatory models of information security in democratic and authoritarian states determine their effectiveness in managing the infosphere and generating the state's informational power?

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Supervisor's main publications/ monographs issued over the last 5 years (max. 3)
The role of the prison service in ensuring security and order in penitentiary units in Poland, UWS Publishing House, Siedlce 2019
Experience in working with doctoral students
• number of promoted doctoral candidates' dissertations: 2 • number of open promotions of doctoral dissertations: 0 • number of supervised doctoral candidates in doctoral school: 1
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The research topics are centered around the issue of broadly understood individual security in both individual and social aspects. In particular, it deals with such problems as criminal victimization, social victimization, the execution of imprisonment or the use of new technologies to ensure security.
Proposed research topics for doctoral students
The Use of Artificial Intelligence and Biometrics to Enhance Security New Forms of Crime in Poland Criminal Policy and the Sense of Security Individual Security: Criminological Aspects Individual safety: victimological aspects Individual safety: suicidological aspects The enforcement of prison sentences in Poland and European Union countries
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