1.	Field of study	Social Work
2.	Faculty	Faculty of Social Sciences
3.	Academic year of entry	2023/2024 (winter term), 2024/2025 (winter term)
4.	Level of qualifications/degree	first-cycle studies
5.	Degree profile	general academic
6.	Mode of study	full-time

7.	General information about the module	
Module name		Quantitative research methods
Module code		W3-SP-S1-MBI
Number of the ECTS credits		2
Language of instruction		Polish
Purpose and description of the content of education		The main task of the course is to prepare for the implementation of quantitative empirical research. During this period, students will be familiarized with the characteristics of a quantitative research project, the stages of the research process in a quantitative research project and their consequences for the operation of research preparation and implementation. They also learn about the methods and techniques used in quantitative research, the associated requirements, and the advantages and limitations of their use. They know the construction of the most specific tools (in particular questionnaires) and the principles of elaborating the obtained results.
List of modules that must be completed before starting this module (if necessary)		not applicable

8.	Learning outcomes of the module			
Code	Description		Learning outcomes of the programme	Level of competenc (scale 1-5)
K01	is aware of the need to expand the acquired knowledge and improve skills in conducting empirical research for professional social work		PS1_K01	4
			PS1_K05	2
U01	has basic research skills, can construct basic survey research tools, can assess the suitability of basic research methods and techniques for specific tasks		PS1_U01	3
			PS1_U02	4
			PS1_U03	2
			PS1_U04	3
U02	is able to design and conduct quantitative empirical studies		PS1_U02	4
			PS1_U06	3
W01	knows the terminology of social research methodology used in the field of social work research and related disciplines		PS1_W01	3
			PS1_W05	3
			PS1_W06	3
W02	knows designing and conducting quantitative empirical research, knows selected methods, techniques and research		PS1_W05	4

	tools in the social sciences	PS1_W06	2

9. Methods of conducting classes

Code	Category	Name (description)
a05	Lecture methods / expository methods	Explanation/clarification *explication involving the derivation of a predetermined theorem from other, already known ones, in the number of steps specified by the person teaching the course*
b04	Problem-solving methods	Activating method – discussion / debate *an exchange of views supported by substantive arguments leading to a clash of different views, a compromise or the identification of common positions; it proceeds according to previously agreed-upon rules regarding the time, manner and turn-taking as well as the principles of civil discourse; a discussion is not a competition but aims at finding the best solutions or presenting different points of view; its varieties include brainstorming, Oxford-style debate, panel discussion, decision tree, conference discussion; a debate is an orderly dispute between supporters and opponents of a viewpoint, usually specialists in the field or pre-selected representatives of a group dealing with a common problem*
d01	Programmed learning methods	Working with a computer *e.g., Webquest; implementation of educational tasks using electronic and digital devices, computer programs and Internet applications; the academic teacher acts as a consultant; students' work is carried out step by step according to the plan laid own by the person teaching the course and following his instructions, and proceeds towards producing the indicated results within the set deadline*
d03	Programmed learning methods	Working with another teaching tool *e.g. using websites in any way or according to the rules set by the teacher; or making use of other subject-specific tools*

10. Forms of teaching

Code	Name	Number of hours	Assessment of the learning outcomes of the module	Learning outcomes of the module	Methods of conducting classes
01	laboratory classes	30	course work	K01, U01, U02, W01, W02	a05, b04, d01, d03

11. The student's work, apart from participation in classes, includes in particular:

Code	Category	Name (description)	Is it part of the BUNA?
a01	Preparation for classes	Search for materials and review activities necessary for class participation *reviewing literature, documentation, tools and materials as well as the specifics of the syllabus and the range of activities indicated in it as required for full participation in classes*	No
a02	Preparation for classes	Literature reading / analysis of source materials *reading the literature indicated in the syllabus; reviewing, organizing, analyzing and selecting source materials to be used in class*	No
b01	Consulting the curriculum and the organization of classes	Getting acquainted with the syllabus content *reading through the syllabus and getting acquainted with its content*	No
c02	Preparation for verification of learning outcomes	Studying the literature used in and the materials produced in class *exploring the studied content, inquiring, considering, assimilating, interpreting it, or organizing knowledge obtained from the literature, documentation, instructions, scenarios, etc., used in class as well as from the notes or other materials/artifacts made in class*	No

Information on the details of the module implementation in a given academic year can be found in the syllabus available in the USOS system: https://usosweb.us.edu.pl.