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1. Aneta Antokolska teaches students of Automatic Control and Robotics, Teleinformatics, Computing, as well as Management and Production Engineering. She is also an author of language competitions organized by the CLC. She is always eager to take part in teacher training and development programs, workshops and conferences, enhancing her professional expertise. This year she has become one of the coordinators of a newly created team in the CLC, i.e. Innovative Education Team, whose aim is to assist PUT academic staff in creating more engaging classes and embracing opportunities provided by modern technology. In her free time, Aneta Antokolska enjoys exploring museums and art galleries. She is a big fan of jazz music and theater. Her passion for the American West, its colorful history full of cowboys, Native Americans and pioneers, as well as the captivating beauty of American national parks is the reason why she is now going to share a story about the American Frontier and its influence on American inventiveness. Enjoy the presentation!

14:15-15:00

Lecture: White hats or black hats? The significance of the Frontier in understanding American inventiveness.

2. **Agata Janicka,** M.A., is a lecturer of English at the Centre of Languages and Communication of Poznan University of Technology. She is currently doing her PhD in sociolinguistics at Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznań, with a specific focus on African American women's language and communication.

Her research interests include discourse analysis, language and gender, and critical language awareness. In her free time, she likes testing out new cooking recipes and listening to jazz.

12:30-13:15

Lecture: *Inclusive language: why bother?*

3. **Karol Matysiak,** Graduate of English Philology at Nicolaus Copernicus University in Toruń. Completed postgraduate studies in Management and Marketing at Poznań University of Economics and Business. Has extensive experience in teaching general English and ESP at various levels and in different age groups preparing for Cambridge English Qualifications, IELTS and STANAG exams. Head of Section 2 at the CLC. Organ music and cycling enthusiast.

9:45-10:30

Lecture: Shinkansen - an overview of the system and elements of Japanese culture.

4. **Katarzyna Matuszak**, Ph.D., is an academic teacher at the Centre of Languages and Communication of PUT, Poznan. She teaches General English (GE), English for Academic Purposes (EAP) and English for Specific Purposes (ESP) at 1st, 2nd and 3rd cycles. She also currently runs academic language courses in the Doctoral School at PUT.

She has performed a variety of functions at the university including Head of the English, French and Spanish Section, and Leader of the Environmental Engineering Teachers' Team. She has been involved in international Projects (GELS, NAWA, BADGE, and EUNICE), is a member of CercleS and ICLHE, and is also an enthusiastic participant, speaker and organizer of numerous international and national conferences and teacher training courses. She has participated in Erasmus+ programmes



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as a trainee and teacher and has been reviewer and editor-in-chief of EMI articles and post-conference materials.

9:45-11:15

Lecture: Exploring English as a Medium of Instruction as a double benefit for students.

My name is **Maria Kmieciak.** I am a lecturer at the Centre of Languages and Communication. I've been teaching English for nearly 40 years. Simultaneously, I've been working as an English language translator. I worked for publishing houses translating different types of literature. I am also a sworn translator at the Ministry of Justice. I like my job, especially being a teacher. In my free time I love travelling and reading books.

13:30-14.15

Lecture: Znam angielski, ale tłumaczenie wolę zostawić innym.

6. **Edyta Olejarczuk** obtained her PhD in linguistics from the School of English of Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznań, Poland. She successfully completed a soft skills and entrepreneurship two-week programme at the University of Alberta in Edmonton, Canada within a scholarship received from the Ministry of Science and Higher Education in Poland. She is a lecturer in the Center of Languages and Communication of Poznan University of Technology (Poznań, Poland). She has got extensive experience in conducting EMI courses to students and teachers. Her interests include individual learner differences in foreign language learning and teaching as well as soft skills training. She has authored several articles in edited volumes and journals and took part in a number of international conferences. She taught students at the University of Leon, Spain, University of Valencia, Spain and University of Santander, Spain within the Erasmus+ programme. She acted as an assistant to the editor of the *Studies in Second Language Learning and Teaching* journal.

9:45-11:15

Lecture: Exploring English as a Medium of Instruction as a double benefit for students.

7. **Marta E. Strukowska** holds an MA in English from Adam Mickiewicz University in Poznań, and a PhD in anthropological linguistics from the University of Wrocław. She is a lecturer at Centre of Languages and Communication at Poznań University of Technology. Her research interests include anthropological linguistics, political discourse and media studies. Her research projects are interdisciplinary and lie at the intersection of pragmatic linguistics, anthropology of language and ethnography of communication. She is also very interested in how political identity is contextualised in the media and how the 'unconventional' language of especially populist politics creates a new type of non-liberal ideology, often driven by post-truth forms of knowledge.

11:45-12:30

Lecture: The situational effectiveness of president Joe Biden's leadership; a study in anthropological linguistics.