



# Jakub Mańczak

*Cognitive / Computer Science*

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## EDUCATION

2024-2027 **Bachelor of Cognitive Science**

*Faculty of Psychology and Cognitive Science*  
Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznań

2019-2024 **IT Technician, Voc. Secondary**

Zespół Szkół Komunikacji, Poznań

## WORK EXPERIENCE

Westwing MAY 2023

### IT Intern (On-Site)

- A month of internship as dictated by national technical school curriculum,
- Wrote browser plug-ins & scripts, filling in the gaps in automation left by the main IT team abroad,
- Aided the IT office in the routine upkeep of the company's storage facilities.

Ingram Micro MAY 2022

### IT Intern (On-Site)

- A month of internship as dictated by national technical school curriculum,
- Engineered and deployed a modern replacement for an obsolete production intranet system,
- Aided the IT office in managing and servicing facility equipment.

## PERSONAL EXPERIENCE

debateco.re SINCE MARCH 2024

### Co-Founder

- Co-founded an initiative engaged in promoting and modernizing Oxford Debate tournaments in Poland,
- Co-developed league-endorsed, battle-tested tooling: debate info display & timers, the largest database of past Oxford Debate motions,
- Contributed to hosting national and school-level tournaments across Poland.

Gractwo LEAD SINCE JUNE 2020; VP SINCE 2025

### Vice-President

- Directed web & backend architecture,
- Spearheaded transition from Community to NGO,
- Took part in organising of mass conventions.

## AWARDS

2025 **3rd, Faculty CogSci Hackathon**

Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznań

2024 **National Champion in Oxford Debate**

Musketeers of Words 2024, Bydgoszcz

## TECHNOLOGIES

ENTHUSED Rust, Typst, C, Unix, Git

INVESTED TypeScript, React & NextJS et al.,  
Tailwind

CURIOUS L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, Python

## QUALIFICATIONS

2025 **Certificate of Language Proficiency**

Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznań

2024 **INF.03**

Professional Governmental Certification: IT

2022 **INF.02**

Professional Governmental Certification: IT

## LANGUAGES

NATIVE Polish PROFICIENT English C1/C2

## WORKS

2025 **Sharkuterie Board** (w/ Blahajtron)

Leading a team that is currently developing a video game. RUST, SDL

2024 **Moricon Website** (w/ Żabenka)

Co-developed the website for Żabenka's flagship convention: Moricon.

2023 **Animatsuri Website** (w/ ITmatsuri)

Co-developed the website for Animatsuri - the biggest festival of Japanese culture in Poland.  
REACT, NEXTJS, TAILWIND

2022 **Katakanize!** Transliteration

Developed a handy tool for phonetic transcription of Latin text into Katakana.