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- M.Sc. in chemical engineering
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Polish Agency for Enterprise Development (PAED)

- Subordinated to the Polish Minister of Economy
- Operates programs and projects with particular attention given to:
 - SME and entrepreneurship development
 - export promotion
 - regional development
 - application of new technologies and innovations
 - job creation and combating unemployment
 - human resources development

- Staff: 472
- Annual budget (2009): €660 m
- Implementing institution for measures under 3 Operational Programmes financed from structural funds during years 2007-2013: Innovative Economy, Human Capital, Eastern Poland Development