

## 1. General Information

### 1.1 Brief Introduction

Chulalongkorn University's Student Exchange Program was initiated by our cooperation with our partner universities from around the world, aiming at accepting more international students to study at Chula and, at the same time, broadening our students' international experience.

Our exchange students are able to choose whether they want to join a one-semester or a one-year program at either an undergraduate or a graduate level. While taking classes at Chula, they will attend classes taught in English with both international and Thai students.

We, the office of international Affairs and Global Network, are ready to help these exchange students to adjust their lives to the new academic environment and go through new experience while they are in Thailand.

### 1.2. Levels of study that exchange students can apply

Bachelor's, Master's and Doctoral degree levels.

### 1.3 Semester in which they may enroll:

#### Semester System

- Fall (August to December 2020)
- Spring (January to May 2021)

**Trimester System** \*Trimester System is used for only some international graduate programs.

- First (August to November 2020)
- Second (December 2020 to March 2021)
- Third (April to August 2021)

### 1.4 Proposed Grading System:

- Standard grading system with A, B, C, D and F
- Grading with "S" for Satisfactory or "U" for Unsatisfactory (with examination)
- Grading with "V" for Visitor or "W" for Withdrawn (without examination)

### 1.5 2020 Academic Calendar and Application Deadline

Academic Calendar	Semester	Application deadline	Classes begin	Classes end	Semester ends
Semester System	Fall	March 31, 2020	2 <sup>nd</sup> week of Aug	1 <sup>st</sup> week of Dec	3 <sup>rd</sup> week of Dec
	Spring	August 31, 2020	2 <sup>nd</sup> week of Jan	Last week of Apr	3 <sup>rd</sup> week of May
Trimester System	First	March 31, 2020	2 <sup>nd</sup> week of Aug	3 <sup>rd</sup> week of Nov	Last week of Nov
	Second	August 31, 2020	2 <sup>nd</sup> week of Dec	3 <sup>rd</sup> week of Mar	Last week of Mar
	Third	November 30, 2020	2 <sup>nd</sup> week of Apr	3 <sup>rd</sup> week of Jul	Last week of Jul

## 2. Admission Requirements

GPA requirement: preferable 2.75: a copy of Transcript is required to submit along with the application form.

Scores of English language test required (The scores should not be more than 2 years):

TOEFL: iBT: 79

CBT: 213

PBT: 550

IELTS: overall band: 6.0 (overall band 7.0 for BALAC program)

Note: For those exchange students who wish to attend regular programs taught in Thai, their fluency in listening and speaking Thai is required.

### 3. Application Information

#### Step One: Online Nomination by Partner University

Our nomination period starts on 1 August 2020. Please go to the link we have provided to nominate your students. Please give us your students' correct and current email addresses (both personal and academic accounts)

#### Step two: Online Application by Students

Right after you have submitted the nomination of your students, they will automatically receive our instruction by email. They are required to fill in and upload the documents in the online form. Without these documents, your students' application will not be accepted.

1. Formal Student's photo on white background.
2. A nomination letter from home institute
3. Two reference letters from academic advisors
4. An official transcript of academic records (to be issued by the institute the students are attending.)
5. An English proficiency score record (for non-native speakers of English)\*
6. A copy of passport (The passport must be valid for at least 6 months before its expiry date and it is advisable that the validity of the passport should cover your whole exchange period at Chulalongkorn University)
7. A Statement of Purpose (SOP) of 500-800 words and a Course List offered by Chulalongkorn University that the students wish to attend.

Complete an application form before the deadline.

**Step three:** Submit a copy of health insurance policy/plan once you are notified of the acceptance as an exchange student. (By the end of July for Fall semester and by the end of November for Spring semester)

### 4. On Campus Accommodation – Chulalongkorn University International House (CU-iHouse)

#### Monthly rent (Studio 25 sq.m.)

Available both a single bedroom and a twin bedroom.

- A contract of 6-month to 12-month stay: THB 14,000 (~USD450)
- A contract of 1-month to 5-month stay: THB 15,000 (~USD490)

**Remark:** one-month room deposit and one-month rental fee must be paid in advance.

### 5. Contact Information

Academic Exchange Coordinator (Inbound)

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