

FACT SHEET

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APPLICATION

Application Deadline	Academic Calendar	Semester	Application deadline	Classes begin	Classes end	Semester ends
	Trimester System	First	15 February	2 nd week of Aug	3 rd week of Nov	Last week of Nov
		Second	15 June	2 nd week of Dec	3 rd week of Mar	Last week of Mar
		Third	15 October	2 nd week of Apr	3 rd week of Jul	Last week of Jul
	International System	First	15 February	2 nd week of Aug	1 st week of Dec	3 rd week of Dec
		Second	15 July	2 nd week of Jan	Last week of Apr	3 rd week of May
		Summer	15 December	1 st week of Jun	Last week of Jul	Last week of Jul
Eligibility	<p>- GPA: preferable 3.0</p> <p>- Language of instruction: Thai: Listen and speak Thai fluently for regular programs taught in Thai. English: Listen and speak English fluently for regular programs taught in English. Please submit the proficient test, if any.</p>					
Application Procedure	Staff of the Office of International Affairs will first review documents to ensure that their application is complete, followed by the consideration of the faculty/program committee.					

ACADEMIC

Academic Schedule	Academic Calendar	Semester	Application deadline	Classes begin	Classes end	Semester ends
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Important Dates	Registration period for exchange student: within the first 2 weeks of the semester.					
Average Course Load per semester	4-5 courses					

Grading System	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 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with “S” for Satisfactory or “U” for Unsatisfactory (with examination) ▪ Grading with “V” for Visitor or “W” for withdrawn (without examination) 																																																			
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PRACTICAL

Visa Requirement	A non-immigrant “ED” visa must be obtained before students leave their home country.
Arrival	Within 1 week before the semester starts.
Airport transfer	University-level Exchange Students (University level) can request airport pick-up by notifying the Office of International Affairs at least one week in advance via e-mail. Arriving during office hours (8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday) is preferable.
Insurance	A health insurance must be obtained before students leave their home country. The Health Service Center, Chulalongkorn University, provides medical consultation and treatment for CU faculty members, students and employees on campus during weekday.

Accommodation	<p>CU iHouse: a 26-storey on campus residence for international.</p> <p>Monthly Accommodation Fee (Utility charges not included)</p> <p>Studio 25 sq. m. THB 10,000 180 Units (5 ft. x 1 bed)</p> <p>Studio 25 sq. m. THB 11,000 546 Units (3.5 ft. x 2 beds)</p> <p>1 Bedroom 50 sq. m. THB 22,000 36 Units (6 ft. x 1 bed)</p> <p><u>Contract requirement:</u> 2 months deposit of the room and one month rental fee in advance.</p> <p>Daily Rental Fee (including room service) for visitors/guests THB 900 per night 84 Units</p>
Estimated Living Cost	<p>Books: Approximately 5,000 Baht/semester</p> <p>Food and other expenses: $\geq 10,000$ Baht/month (apart from room rent) (a meal is on average 50-100 Baht)</p> <p>Dormitory: $\approx 15,000$ Baht/month (including electricity and water rates)</p> <p>* Exchange Rate: 1 USD = 32.56 THB (as of Feb 2014)</p>