FACTSHEET FOR EXCHANGE PROGRAM

ECOn THAMMASAT

- Was founded in 1949.
- Has been a leading economics institute in Thailand.
- Has over 70 highly accomplished faculty members with Ph.D.’s from leading universities.
- Represents a wide spectrum of academic activities including influential research and contributing to the advancement of teaching.

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ACADEMIC CALENDAR

Fall semester 2022:

Registration period: 3 - 4 week of July 2022
Arrival period: 1 - 2 August 2022
Welcome orientation: 3 - 5 August 2022

First day of classes: 8 August 2022
Period of class withdrawal W/O Record: 16 August 2022
Midterm examination: 25 September - 2 October 2022
Last day of class withdrawal with “W”: 16 October 2022
Last day of classes: 26 November 2022
Last day of classes: 28-30 Nov, 1-4, 6-9, 13-16 Dec 2022

**Please note that these dates may be subject to change.**

Holidays:
* 12 August 2022 (Friday)  H.M. Queen Sirikit The Queen Mother’s Birthday
* 13 October 2022 (Thursday)  H. M. King Bhumibol Adulyadej The Great Memorial Day
* 23 October 2022 (Sunday)  King Chulalongkorn’s Day
* 24 October 2022 (Monday)  Substitution for King Chulalongkorn’s Day
* 5 December 2022 (Monday)  H.M. King Bhumibol Adulyadej’s Birthday, The Great’s Birthday
* 10 December 2022 (Saturday)  Constitution Day
* 12 December 2022 (Monday)  Substitution for Constitution Day

Remarks: No classes during the holidays

Exchange Application Deadline:
Fall Semester: April 30, 2022 (more flexible)

English Proficiency:
TOEFL scores of 80 (iBT) and/or IELTS scores of 6.5
ACADEMIC CALENDAR

Spring semester 2023:

Registration period: 3rd week of December 2022
Arrival period: 28 Dec 2022 - 3 Jan 2023
Welcoming orientation: 5 - 6 Jan 2023

First day of classes: 9 January 2023
Period of class withdrawal W/O Record: 17 January 2023
Midterm examination: 26 - 28 Feb - 5 Mar 2023
Last day of class withdrawal with “W”: 19 March 2023
Last day of classes: 19 March 2023
Final examination: 6 May 2023

Remarks: No classes during the holidays

Holidays:
* 6 March 2023 (Monday) Makhabucha Day
* 6 April 2023 (Thursday) Chakri Memorial Day
* 13-15 April 2023 (Thursday-Saturday) Songkran Festival Day
* 17 April 2023 (Monday) Substitution for Songkran Festival Day
* 4 May 2023 (Thursday) Coronation Day
* 11 May 2023 (Thursday) Royal Ploughing Ceremony Day

Exchange Application Deadline:
Spring Semester: October 30, 2022 (more flexible)

English Proficiency:
TOEFL scores of 80 (iBT) and/or IELTS scores of 6.5

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Course Information:
General information on courses and course descriptions can be found in our website. (http://www.econ.tu.ac.th/incoming_course.php?lang=en). A list of courses will be offered during a specific semester, as well as the time and date such courses are available.

Areas of Concentration:
- Political Economics and Economic History
- Economics Theory
- Quantitative Economics
- Monetary Economics
- Public Economics
- International Economics
- Development Economics
- Industrial Economics
- Agricultural Economics
- Labor Economics
- Economics of Natural Resource & Environment

- Finance
- Marketing
- Non-Economics Elective courses

Learning Expectations:
- Class format:
  Online lectures, case analyses/presentations, papers and projects

- Attendance:
  No mandatory but if you register courses at Thammasat Business School TBS), the class attendance is MANDATORY, no less than 70% per class.

- Make-up exam:
  Only in a case of medical or family emergency

- Participation:
  Class participation is part of a student’s final grade in most courses
**OVERVIEW II**

- **Grading:**

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- **Class size:** 20 - 60 students per class
- **Units per course:** 3
- **Class hours per unit:** 45 hours
- **Average course load:** 3 - 5 classes
- **Course choices:** The exchange students are allowed to take any undergraduate courses across Thammasat Business School, Faculty of Political Science, Pridi Banomyong International College and Faculty of Liberty Arts, provided that they meet the pre-requisites, and seats are available. The exchange students are required to register at least half of the courses listed under B.E. course offering list from total courses registered.

**Examination:** Formats of exams vary, depending upon the instructors.

**Language of Instruction** English
ACTIVITIES

Welcome orientation
Campus tour

Monthly meetings
(activity planning
and have some fun!)

Academic advising

Libraries &
computing services

Wireless access
on campus

Student activities
(e.g., field trips,
company visits, etc.)

Sports clubs
(e.g., Thai boxing club,
soccer club, etc.)

Special service &
care: hotline 24/7
for all exchange students!
Approximate Living Costs (US dollar & EU):

**Off-campus room & board**
- $250 to $900/ month
- €225 to €810/ month
  *(varied by size and location)*
  *No on-campus housing/dorm in Tha Prachan Campus*  
  *Please see the Exchange Guidebook for recommendation.*

**Food & meals**
- $150.00 to $350.00/ month
- €135.00 to €315.00/ month

**Books & reading materials**
- $150.00 to $300.00/ semester
- €135.00 to €270.00/ semester

**Local transportation**
- Varied yet relatively cheap
  *(bus, ferry, express boat, taxi, etc.)*

**Personal expenses**
- Varied (approx. $250-$550/ month or €225-€495/ month)

**Health Service**
- Accident Insurance & on-campus medical clinic
  for all exchange students
  However, we strongly encourage you to have your own International Health Insurance from the home country.

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