

### ANNOUNCEMENT FACULTY OF ECONOMICS CHIANG MAI UNIVERSTIY ADMISSION TO THE MASTER OF ECONOMICS (INTERNATIONAL PROGRAM)

# Introduction

The Faculty of Economics at Chiang Mai University (CMU) is the only public educational institution in Northern Thailand that offers training in economics at both undergraduate and graduate levels. The graduate economics degree program, which began in 1983, aims to promote education, impart knowledge of economics, and produce scholars and professional economists to meet the demands of both governmental and private agencies in Thailand (particularly the northern region), as well as throughout Asia.

# **Requirements for admission**

Candidates must hold a Bachelor's Degree in Economics or related field.

# Titles of the degrees

Name of the Curriculum: Master of Economics Program (International Program)Name of the Degree: Master of EconomicsAbbreviation of the Degree: M. Econ.

# **Class hours**

The classes for the international master degree program will be conducted during regular hours between 08:00 and 16:30 Monday through Friday.

# Time period of regular study program

The minimum time requirement is one and a half years and does not exceed five years.

# **Tuition** fee

1. Tuition fees for the duration of the three semesters are charged on a lump sum basis of 105,000 Baht for the whole degree program or 35,000 Baht per semester. This lump sum includes the student enrollment fee, university registration fee, university fee, library service fee, university sporting activities fee, university activity fee, student card fee, laboratory fee, technology and computer service fees, registration document fee, and economic student fee.

2. If the students cannot complete their study within three semesters, they are required to pay a student status fee of 10,000 Baht per semester.

Academic Year	Semester	Tuition fee	Student Status	Foreign Student	Total
			fee	fee	
1 <sup>st</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	35,000	-	-	35,000
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	35,000	-	-	35,000
2 <sup>nd</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	35,000	-	-	35,000

Student cannot complete study within three semesters of regular program (or 1.5 years)

	2 <sup>nd</sup>	-	10,000	-	10,000
3 <sup>rd</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	-	10,000	-	10,000
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	-	10,000	-	10,000

\* Other fees may also be added if there is an announcement by the Chiang Mai University Administration.

### **Course requirement**

For a total normal duration of 18 months (or three semesters), students will take intensive courses taught entirely in English.

### Thesis

Students will take 10 courses (carrying 30 credit hours) and write a thesis (carrying an additional 12 credit hours), totaling 42 credit hours. Each student will have to pass a foreign language test, as required by the Graduate School.

# Structure

•	Degree Requirements				
	Coursework	: a minimum of	30 credits		
	Thesis	:	12 credits		
	Total	: a minimum of	42 credits		

Curriculum Structure A. Coursework		a minimum of	30 credits
1. Graduate courses		a minimum of	30 credits
1.1 Field of concentration cou	irses	a minimum of	30 credits
1.1.1 Required course 751701 ECON	es 1701	Microeconomic Theor	18 credits
751702 ECON	702	Macroeconomic Theo	bry
751703 ECON	703	Econometrics	
751705 ECON	705	Quantitative Analysis	in Economics
751706 ECON	706	Globalization and Wo	orld Economy
751708 ECON	708	Research Methodolog Economics	gy in
1.1.2 Elective courses		a minimum of	12 credits
Must be choos	e from	the following courses:	:
Group I	Quanti	tative Economics	
Group II	Theory	of Economics	
Group III	Monet	ary and Fiscal Econom	lics
Group IV	Resou	rces Economics	
Group V	Intern	ational Economics	
Group VI	Develo	pment Economics	

B. Thesis

# 751799 ECON799 Master's Thesis

12 credits

# C. Non - credit courses

1. Graduate School requirement: English proficiency

- 2. Program requirement: In order to graduate,
- 1) Students must participate and present in the thesis progress seminar at least once during the program.

2) Students must participate in an international conference at least once during the program.

- 3) Thesis or a part of the thesis must be
  - published or accepted to publish in an international journal listed in an international database approved by Office of the Higher Education Commission or the regulations of the Office of the Higher Education Commission on the academic journal consideration criteria for dissemination of academic works 2013, where the student is the first author of at least 1 paper or;
  - published or accepted to publish in an international journal not listed in an international database approved by Office of the Higher Education Commission or the regulations of the Office of the Higher Education Commission on the academic journal consideration criteria for dissemination of academic works 2013 that approved by the Faculty of Economics, Chiang Mai University. The student must be the first author of at least 1 paper or;
  - published as a full paper in the proceedings and orally presented in an international conference approved by Faculty of Economics, Chiang Mai University, where the student is the first author of at least 1 paper.

4) Students must participate in (1) a field trip in Thailand or foreign countries organized by the program or the Faculty of Economics, Chiang Mai University or (2) other activities approved by the Graduate Study Committee, Faculty

# Study program

Recommended Study Program Leading to The Master of Economics (International program)

FIRST VEAR

1 <sup>st</sup> Semester					
Cou	Credits				
751701	ECON	701	3		
751702	ECON	702	3		
751703	ECON	703	3		
751705	ECON	705	3		
751	ECON		3		
Total 15					
* Submit Thesis Title					

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2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester					
Cou	Courses Code				
751706	ECON	706	3		
751708	ECON	708	3		
751	ECON		3		
751	ECON		3		
751	ECON		3		
		Total	15		
* Thesis Proposal Defense					

# SECOND YEAR

1 <sup>st</sup>	Semester

Cou	Credits			
751799	12			
		Total	12	
* Thesis Oral Examination				

\* All courses in the Study Program must be approved by the Graduate Studies Committee in every semester.