Thailand Short Course 2019

Program Title “Thai Community in Globalized Context”
21 June – 20 July 2019

Timeline

- Application deadline
  Online application is now open until
  15 March 2019
- Announcement of the selected applicants
  10 April 2019
- Submission of additional documents
  & course fee payment
  10 April – 15 May 2019
- Arrival of U.S. students to Thailand
  21 – 22 June 2019
- Program participation
  23 June – 19 July 2019
- Departure of U.S. students
  20 July 2019

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The Office of the Higher Education Commission (OHEC), Thailand as a Generation Study Abroad (GSA) commitment partner together with 7 Thai universities, namely Chiang Mai University, Prince of Songkla University, Suranaree University of Technology, King Mongkut’s University of Technology North Bangkok, Rajamangala University of Technology Isan, Kasem Bundit University, and Siam University, have launched the 2nd year of Thailand Short Course entitled “Thai Community in Globalized Context” to broaden international education experiences of U.S. and Thai students.

This course is designed as one month field trip learning. It provides how concept of Sufficiency Economy Philosophy (SEP) has been implemented as means to achieve Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) in the multi-cultural contexts of Thailand. Along the field trip to the northern, southern and eastern part of Thailand, community social issues and the resilience of people in response to global change will be discussed. The participants will not only have a chance to learn what Thailand is good at but also to perceive cultural diversity in Thai society by visiting natural and tourist attractions and experiencing local wisdom and Thai way of life such as Thai food and traditional handicrafts.

Learning outcomes

1. Students will be able to explain and apply SDGs’ concept in different socio-cultural contexts, using SEP as a tool.
2. Students will be able to work in multi-cultural team in solving a community issue with social responsibility awareness.
3. Students will be able to demonstrate awareness of diversity for being global citizen.

Type of course: 3 (1-4-4)
- Lecture 1 credit / 15 hours
- Practice 2 credits / 60 hours
- Self-study 4 hours

Course tuition and fee

The total course tuition and fee is USD 2,800. OHEC, Thailand supports partially expenses for the selected applicants.

The selected applicants are required to pay ONLY USD 1,800 which includes accommodations during the course in Thailand, domestic flights, field trip transportation, meals/refreshment on class days, welcome and farewell dinner.

Eligibility (for U.S. applicants)

1. Currently studying at undergraduate or graduate level
2. Having U.S. nationality
3. Physically and mentally healthy
4. Open-minded, friendly and enthusiastic to learn new things
5. Available to participate in the entire program

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