



**CHIANG MAI UNIVERSITY ANNOUNCEMENT**  
*ADMISSION TO THE GRADUATE PROGRAM*

**MASTER OF ECONOMICS  
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 the undergraduate and graduate levels. Its aims are to promote education, impart knowledge of economics, and produce academicians and professional economists to meet the demands of both governmental and private agencies in Thailand, particularly the northern region, as well as throughout Asia. The graduate economics degree program began in 1983.

**Requirements for admission**

To be admitted to the International master degree program, candidates will have to hold the Bachelor's Degree or an equivalent

**Titles of the degrees**

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

**Class hours**

The classes for International master degree program will be conducted in regular hours between 08:00am through 16:30 p.m. Mondays through Fridays.

**Time period of regular study program**

The minimum time requirement is one and a half years (1.5years) and does not exceed 3 years (2 times of regular study program)

**Tuition fee**

1. Tuition fees for the duration of the three semesters are charged on a lump sum basis of Baht 105,000 for the whole degree program or Baht 35,000 per semester. This lump sum includes the student enrollment fee, University registration fee, University fee, Library service fee, Healthcare fee, sport university activity fee, University activity fee, Insurance fee, Student card fee, Laboratory fee, Technology and computer service fees, Registration document fee and Economic student fee. Foreign students are required to pay an additional 20,000 Baht per semester for foreign student fee

2. If the students cannot complete their study within 3 semesters of regular program or 1.5 years, they are required to pay a student status fee is 10,000 Baht per semester. In case of foreign students, they are required to pay an additional 20,000 Baht per semester for foreign student fee.

#### Thai Student

Academic Year	Semester	Tuition fee	Student Status fee	Total
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 3 semesters of regular program (or 1.5 years)

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

#### Foreign Student

Academic Year	Semester	Tuition fee	Student Status fee	Foreign Student fee	Total
1 <sup>st</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	35,000	-	20,000	55,000
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	35,000	-	20,000	55,000
2 <sup>nd</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	35,000	-	20,000	55,000

Student cannot complete study within 3 semesters of regular program (or 1.5 years)

3 <sup>rd</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	-	10,000	20,000	30,000
	1 <sup>st</sup>	-	10,000	20,000	30,000
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	-	10,000	20,000	30,000

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 classes in English of a short term intensive modular type in the 751... sequence with research plans as follows.

### Thesis

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

## Structure

### Thesis

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 courses a minimum of		30 credits
1.1.1 Required courses		18 credits
751701	ECON701	Microeconomic Theory
751702	ECON702	Macroeconomic Theory
751703	ECON703	Econometrics
751705	ECON705	Quantitative Analysis in Economics
751706	ECON706	World Economy
751708	ECON708	Research Methods
1.1.2 Elective courses minimum of		12 credits
Must be choose from the following courses:		
Group I	Quantitative Economics	
Group II	Theory and Ideology of Economics	
Group III	Monetary and Fiscal Economics	
Group IV	Resources Economics	
Group V	International Economics	
Group VI	Developmental Economics	
B. Thesis		12 credits
751799	ECON799 Master's Thesis	
C. Non-credit courses		
1.	Graduate School requirement: a foreign language	
2.	Program requirement: In order to complete a graduation,	
1)	A student has to organize and present a seminar at least once every semester for at least three semesters and students have to attend seminar every semester until the graduation.	
2)	The whole or part of a thesis must be published / accepted for publication in journal or an academic media which is accepted in that program, or presented in the international conference with proceedings which have and editorial board which student must be the first author at least one full academic paper. Moreover, it can be searched or checked in the form of printed and electronic source or have petty patent or patent.	

## Study program

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

### FIRST YEAR

1<sup>st</sup> Semester

			Thesis
		Course Code	Credits
751701	ECON	701	3
751702	ECON	702	3
751703	ECON	703	3
751705	ECON	705	3
751...	ECON		3
Total			15

2<sup>nd</sup> Semester

			Thesis
		Course Code	Credits
751706	ECON	706	3
751708	ECON	708	3
751...	ECON		3
751...	ECON		3
751...	ECON		3
Total			15
Defense Proposal			

### SECOND YEAR

1<sup>st</sup> Semester

			Thesis
		Course Code	Credits
751799	ECON	799	12
Total			12

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

## Admission schedule

### Application and Admission Period

1. Apply online November 1<sup>st</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup>, 2013  
<http://www.grad.cmu.ac.th/admissions/EN/>
2. Apply at Graduate School Chiang Mai University November 1<sup>st</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup>, 2013  
 Submit all application materials and fees at the Graduate School, Chiang Mai University. Huey Kaew Rd., Chiang Mai 50200 Thailand  
 Tel: + 66 53 942405 - 6 Fax: +66 53 942422

## Program Requirements

### Application materials

- 1.1 A complete of Graduate School Application Form with Two Recent I.D. Type Photographs (available at <http://www.grad.cmu.ac.th/admission>)
- 1.2 Official Bachelor's Degree Transcript
- 1.3 Bachelor's Degree Diploma
- 1.4 English Proficiency with the
  - TOEFL Score Minimum 500 or
  - IELTS Score Minimum 5.5
  - TEGS (Chiang Mai University test of English for Graduate Students) Score minimum 65
- 1.5 Curriculum Vitae
- 1.6 Three Letters of Recommendation
- 1.7 Affidavit of Financial Support Form
- 1.8 Confidential Bank Statement
- 1.9 Statement of Intent
  - Why do I apply for the graduate program in economics?
  - Which fields and specific research interest do I hope to pursue at Chiang Mai University?
  - How do I intend to use my education in my career?

1.10 Application fee 900 baht (Please pay to Graduate School, Chiang Mai University, when you apply or see more at <http://www.grade.cmu.ac.th/admission>)

## Application options

**Option 1** English Proficiency meets the requirement.

Applicants who meet the English Proficiency requirement will be considered on the basis of the application /or might be interviewed by the committee.

**Option 2** English Proficiency does not meet the requirement.

Applicants must take the tests as specified below:

Subject	Date and Time	Place
1. Written tests - Math and Statistic - English	December 12 <sup>th</sup> , 2013 9.00 – 12.00	Faculty of Economics
2. Interviews	December 12 <sup>th</sup> , 2013 13.00-16.00	Faculty of Economics

The admission result will be announced on December 18<sup>th</sup>, 2013 at [www.econ.cmu.ac.th/admission](http://www.econ.cmu.ac.th/admission)

The schedule for academic year 2013 for new students is as follows:-

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|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| • Student registration and enrollment | To be announced                |
| • Enrollment fee payment              | To be announced                |
| • Beginning of classes                | January 6 <sup>th</sup> , 2014 |

### **Application Checklist**

Be sure to read all pages in this booklet before completing the paper application. To ensure that your application will be reviewed as quickly as possible, please do the following:

1. Check the Admission Schedule to make sure that you have the correct address and deadline. You may apply to only one program.
2. Submit all application materials and fees at Graduate School. Check with Graduate School for supplemental application materials and/or fees.

### **Further information**

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