**Announcement of the Faculty of International Studies**

**Regulations of English Language Proficiency Requirements for Graduation of Students in the International Program, from Academic Year 2020**

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According to the announcement dated September 28, 2020 from the Faculty of International Studies regarding the English language proficiency standards for the graduation of undergraduate students who enrolled from the academic year 2020 onwards, students studying in the Bachelor of Arts in International Business: China (International Program) and the Bachelor of Arts in International Studies (International Program) are required to demonstrate English language proficiency according to the knowledge standards specified by the university for successful completion of their studies.

The Faculty of International Studies has ensured the English proficiency standard for graduation for undergraduate students who have studied since the academic year 2020. As the faculty conducts teaching and learning for international programs, the criteria for assessing English proficiency have been revised as follows:

1. Students must pass a standardized English proficiency test (TOEIC) or other standardized tests at the same level, as approved by the faculty committee, as follows:

| Type of Standardized English Tests | Minimum Level Required |
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| TOEIC | 500 |
| PSU-Test | 60% |

If students cannot pass the criteria in Item 1, they must comply with the criteria in Item 2 or Item 3, depending on the TOEIC scores or the same level of other standardized test scores received by the student.

2. If students cannot achieve the level specified in Item 1, they must pass the TOEIC test with a score of 450 or higher, or any other standardized tests approved by the faculty committee at the equivalent level and enroll in an additional English

language course (3 credits) and attain a grade of no less than 3.00 (grade B). This course shall not be counted as a free elective course.

3. If students cannot achieve the level specified in Item 1, they must pass the TOEIC test with a score of 400 or higher, or any other standardized tests approved by the faculty committee at the equivalent level and enroll in two additional English language courses (6 credits) and attain a grade of no less than 3.00 (grade B). These two courses shall not be counted as free electives.

4. The list of courses that students can take in place of the requirements mentioned above is as follows:

4.1 815-720 English for TOEIC Exam 3((3))-0-6)

4.2 807-423 Public Speaking 3((3))-0-6)

4.3 805-273 English Creative Writing 3((3))-0-6))

In cases where it is not possible to comply with this announcement or there is a necessity to make concessions to the provisions of this announcement as a special circumstance to ensure the smooth operation of undergraduate education management within the Faculty of International Studies, the Faculty Committee is authorized to consider appropriate action.

Any other conflicting announcements shall be replaced by this announcement.

This announcement is effective from now on.

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