



Announcement of Faculty of International Studies

Subject: Study Abroad Program for Summer Semester or Field Trip Abroad for Students in the Bachelor of Arts Program, Major in International Business: China (International Program), Revised Curriculum 2020, and Major in International Studies (International Program), Revised Curriculum 2020

In accordance with the Bachelor of Arts program, Majoring in International Business: China (International Program), Revised Curriculum 2020, and the Bachelor of Arts program, Majoring in International Studies (International Program), Revised Curriculum 2020, it is stipulated that students must participate in a summer semester or field trip abroad, as decided by the program's executive committee, at universities abroad according to the set curriculum.

In order to ensure that students gain valuable experience throughout the specified period and to maintain their safety while studying or traveling abroad, the Faculty of International Studies, Prince of Songkla University, by virtue of Section 44 of the Prince of Songkla University Act, has established the following conditions for participation in the summer study or field trip abroad:

Students must adhere to the following.

1. For the duration of their enrollment as students of the Faculty of International Studies, Prince of Songkla University, students agree to allow the Faculty of International Studies to arrange their education through a study or field trip abroad, as determined by the Faculty of International Studies. This is considered part of the curriculum. If a student expresses their intention not to participate in the study abroad program, they must comply with the conditions outlined in the announcement of the Faculty of International Studies. Students who refuse to participate in the program as specified will not be entitled to request any alternative form of education from the Faculty of International Studies.
2. If a student is unable to travel as scheduled, the student or their guardian must notify the Vice Dean for Academic Affairs and International Relations in writing. The student will be responsible for all incurred costs and may not claim any responsibility from the Faculty of International Studies. The Faculty of International Studies will not be held accountable for any damages that may occur.
3. By participating in the summer study or field trip abroad, the student is considered to have been informed and to fully understand the objectives, goals, frequency, duration, location, methods of study, including the methods of assessment and evaluation.
4. Students are responsible for all expenses related to the study or field trip abroad, including transportation, meals, study materials, bedding, water, and electricity costs, unless these costs are included in the tuition fees.
5. During their study abroad, students are not permitted to travel outside the city unless authorized by the designated responsible person from the host university. Even with permission, any travel outside the city will be the student's responsibility. The Faculty will not assume any liability for damages that may arise.
6. If any incident occurs during the study period abroad that causes harm or loss to the student, either physically or mentally, and this incident is not due to the negligence of the host university, the student and/or their guardian or any other parties involved will not be able to file a lawsuit or claim compensation from the Faculty of International Studies.

7. If any incident occurs during the field trips abroad that causes harm or loss to the student, either physically or mentally, and this incident is not due to negligence by the Faculty or the tour company, the student and/or their guardian or any other parties involved will not be able to file a lawsuit or claim compensation from the Faculty of International Studies or the tour company.
8. Students must engage fully in their studies while abroad and uphold ethical standards, especially responsibility toward themselves and others, such as punctuality, honesty, and integrity. Students must always maintain the reputation of the university. If a student fails to adhere to these rules, the Faculty of International Studies reserves the right to suspend their study abroad and send them back immediately. In this case, the student and/or their guardian or any other party shall not claim reimbursement, compensation, or request the Faculty of International Studies to arrange alternative educational services.
9. While participating in the summer study or field trip abroad, students must adhere to the laws, regulations, rules, requirements, agreements, or other provisions in the country where they are studying or conducting the field trip. If students fail to comply or violate any of these and are subject to penalties, the Faculty of International Studies will not be responsible for any penalties incurred. Furthermore, the Faculty of International Studies may consider disciplinary action against the student in accordance with the Prince of Songkla University's Student Discipline Regulations B.E. 2560.
10. Other requirements or terms, as specified in the contract provided to the university and signed by the student and their guardian, must also be strictly adhered to.

This shall come to effect from the 23rd of May, 2024



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