



Thammasat University Notification  
on  
Guidelines for Implementation of Student Exchange Programs in the COVID-19 Situations

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Pursuant to the continuous spread of coronavirus 19 (COVID-19) around the world, for the safety of students, in principle, both inbound and outbound exchange programs for Semester 1/2020 will be suspended. In this regard, the following guidelines are set forth to preserve the rights of students admitted to the exchange programs.

**1. Outbound Exchange Programs for Thammasat University Students**

To avoid any impact on the rights of students admitted to the exchange programs for Academic Year 2020 and the rights of certain students receiving scholarships, the following guidelines shall be observed, should they wish to proceed with the exchange programs..

1.1 For 1-semester exchange programs, students scheduled to attend exchange programs for Semester 1/2020 may postpone their attendance to Semester 2/2020. For 3rd year students in Academic Year 2020 may choose to postpone their attendance to Semester 1/2021 instead, depending on their course registration plans.

1.2 For 2-semester exchange programs,

1.2.1 Students scheduled to attend exchange programs in semesters 1-2/2020 may postpone their attendance to semesters 1-2/2021.

1.2.2 With permission from the partner university and if there are no visa issues, attendance may be postponed to semesters 2/2020 and 1/2021 or

1.2.3 Attendance time may be shortened to cover only Semester 2/2020.

Students who have earned all the credits required for degree completion can be graduated after their exchange. With this situation, Thammasat University grants special exemption from the requirement of registering at Thammasat University for an additional semester.

In all the cases above, conditions set by the partner university shall be observed.

**2. Inbound Exchange Programs for (Foreign) Students**

In order to maintain cordial relations with partner universities and to facilitate students wishing to attend exchange programs at Thammasat University,

2.1 Students may postpone their attendance by 1 semester or 1 year in the same fashion as outbound students, according to the requirements of the partner university.

2.2 Students having already submitted their applications and documents may use the submitted documents for attendance in the semester(s) to which they have postponed their attendance and need not resubmit.

This notification shall take effect from now until further notice of change.

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