

# Chulalongkorn University Announcement

# Regarding Admission to the Bachelor of Arts in Economics (International Program), Faculty of Economics for the Academic Year 2024 (International Admission)

Chulalongkorn University is now accepting applications for the Bachelor of Arts in Economics (International Program), Faculty of Economics for the Academic Year 2024 (International Admission). Application process is as follows.

# 1. Application Requirements

Applicants must be **non-Thai citizens** (holding foreign passports) and have either completed or passed an equivalent high school standard test or be in their final year of high school (Grade 12 in the US system or Year 13 in the British system).

- 1.1 Applicants must submit all of the following three required documents and meet all three requirements.
  - 1.1.1 Applicants must achieve a minimum high school accumulated grade point average (GPAX) or the equivalent of 2.75 out of 4.00.
  - 1.1.2 Applicants must achieve the minimum score in one of the following English proficiency tests:

- IELTS	not lower than	6.5	or
- TOEFL (Internet Based)	not lower than	79	or
- SAT (Evidence-Based Reading and Writing)	not lower than	450	or
- ACT (English & Reading)	not lower than	31	or
- Duolingo English Test	not lower than	120	or
- CU-TEP	not lower than	79	or
- CU-AAT (Verbal)	not lower than	400	or
- Gaokao (English)	not lower than	100	

Native English speakers who have studied abroad in programs where English is the primary language of instruction have the option to exempt themselves from submitting English proficiency scores. Applicants in this category will need to provide official confirmation from the institution where they completed their degree, verifying that the medium of instruction was in English. The certificate from the English curriculum will be considered equivalent to the passing score as specified in item 1.1.2.

1.1.3 Applicants must achieve the minimum score in one of the following Mathematics proficiency tests:

- SAT (Math)	not lower than	650	or
- ACT (Math)	not lower than	27	or
- IB (Math HL)	not lower than	6	or
- A-Level (Math)	not lower than	В	or
- CU-AAT (Math)	not lower than	600	or
- Gaokao (Math)	not lower than	80	

Applicants who wish to apply by using both parts of SAT (Evidence-Based Reading & Writing and Math) or ACT (English & Reading and Math) or CU-AAT (Verbal and Math) must submit the scores of both parts from the same test occasion.

The official score reports of the tests in items 1.1.2 and 1.1.3 are valid only if the tests were taken no more than two years prior to the application deadline.

1.2 Applicants must have a history of good behavior and agree to abide strictly by existing and any future University's regulations, codes and policies.

# 2. Number of Available Places

The Bachelor of Arts in Economics (International Program), Faculty of Economics, is authorized to admit up to 15 qualified applicants.

In case that the number of qualified applicants in the first round of International Admission is less than the announced accepting number of applicants, the remaining seats will be added to the second round of International Admission of the Academic Year 2024 at the discretion of the Faculty of Economics.

# 3. Application Schedule and Application Fee

## 3.1 Application Schedule

Apply online through the EBA Online Application System at <a href="https://www.eba.econ.chula.ac.th/Admission">https://www.eba.econ.chula.ac.th/Admission</a>. There are two rounds of application as follows:

First round application:

between December 25, 2023 - February 5, 2024

Second round application: between March 20 - May 10, 2024

(The second round of application will take place on the condition

that the announced number is not met in the first round.)

## 3.2 Application Fee

3.2.1 Application Fee Payment

For the first-round application, please pay the fee between December 25, 2023 – February 5, 2024. For the second-round application (if any), please pay the fee between March 20 – May 10, 2024.

3.2.2 Application Fee

The application fee is 1,500 Thai baht (transaction fees and surcharges not included). Payment can be made through the bank, mobile banking, or credit card. Applicants should note that the application fee is non-refundable under any circumstances. Please ensure that the submitted receipt corresponds to the current round of application; receipts from previous rounds will not be considered valid for processing.

- 3.2.2.1 Application Fee Payment through the Bank or Mobile Banking

  Applicants can make payment to Siam Commercial Bank using Account No. 468-022701-8

  and Account Name "Faculty of Economics, Chulalongkorn University" or via Digital Banking

  of Siam Commercial Bank (SCB Easy or SCB ATM) using Bill Payment No. 4680227018 and

  Reference No. (Ref. 1) 29700407. The payment form can be downloaded on the EBA Online

  Application System.
- 3.2.2.2 Application Fee Payment through Credit Card

  Applicants can make a credit card payment (plus processing fee) by accessing the link send directly to their email by the Faculty of Economics. Please contact <a href="mailto:eba.admission@chula.ac.th">eba.admission@chula.ac.th</a> within the application period if you wish to make payment via credit card.

#### 4. Application Packet

Applicants must complete all required sections in the EBA Online Application System and ensure that all information given is true and correct. All applications must be accompanied by the following:

- 4.1 Certified copy of high school transcript or equivalent
- In the case where the high school uses a grading system other than 0.00-4.00 for reporting the Grade Point Average (GPAX), applicants must request a GPAX Equivalency Certificate from Chulalongkorn University Academic Testing Center.
- 4.2 Certified copy of the student status certificate from the current institution, issued within the last 6 months or still valid through the last day of the application period (for applicants who are currently studying) or certified copy of high school diploma (for applicants who have completed high school) Applicants with a foreign high school diploma or those attending foreign high school must request an Equivalence Certificate or a Provisional Equivalence Certificate from Chulalongkorn University Academic Testing Center.
- 4.3 Certified copy of passport
- 4.4 Certified copy of name change certificate

- 4.5 Recent one-inch digital photograph (full-faced view directly facing the camera in student uniform or polite attire, taken within the last 6 months; hats and sunglasses are not allowed.)
- 4.6 Certified copies of exam results as specified in items 1.1.2 and 1.1.3
- 4.7 Proof of application fee payment

Applicants are required to carefully review the completeness and accuracy of their application before proceeding to submit the application. Once the application is submitted, no modifications, changes, or additional documents can be made.

#### 5. Evaluation Criteria

The Faculty of Economics will evaluate the applicants based on the criteria and required documents listed in item 1.1 and the interview scores. The weights assigned are as follows:

5.1	English Proficiency Test Scores	35 %
5.2	Mathematics Proficiency Test Scores	35 %
5.3	Interview	30 %

## 6. Application Process Details

#### 6.1 First Round Application

6.1.1 Announcing Applicants Qualified for an Interview

The Faculty of Economics will announce the list of applicants who have been shortlisted for an interview, based on their proficiency scores as specified in items 1.1.2 and 1.1.3 on February 12, 2024, through the EBA Online Application System

(https://www.eba.econ.chula.ac.th/Admission).

- 6.1.2 Interview (Online)
  - Qualified applicants will be interviewed online between February 16 20, 2024. If an applicant does not attend the interview, they will be disqualified.
- Announcement of Applicants who Have Passed the Interview
  The Faculty of Economics will announce both qualified and reserved applicants who have passed the interview, along with details on how to confirm acceptance of the offer of a place on February 26, 2024, through the EBA Online Application System (https://www.eba.econ.chula.ac.th/Admission).
- Oualified applicants who have passed the interview must accept the offer of a place and make the admission confirmation fee payment between March 1 7, 2024. If an applicant fails to do so by the appointed time, they will be assumed to have rejected the offer of a place.

- 6.1.5 Additional Preliminary Confirmation with Payment
  Reserved applicants who have passed the interview must accept the offer of a place and
  make the admission confirmation fee payment between March 8 12, 2024. If an applicant
  fails to do so by the appointed time, they will be assumed to have rejected the offer of a
  place.
- 6.1.6 Announcement for Successful Preliminary and Additional Preliminary Candidates

  The Faculty of Economics will announce applicants who have confirmed acceptance of the offer of a place and paid for the admission confirmation fee through the EBA Online Application System (https://www.eba.econ.chula.ac.th/Admission) between March 4 14, 2024.

Successful applicants who have confirmed acceptance of the offer of a place and paid for the admission confirmation fee will not be eligible for the second-round application. The Faculty of Economics reserves the right not to refund the confirmation fee to applicants in any circumstances.

# 6.2 Second Round Application (If Any)

- 6.2.1 Announcing Applicants Qualified for an Interview

  The Faculty of Economics will announce the list of applicants who have been shortlisted for an interview, based on their proficiency scores as specified in items 1.1.2 and 1.1.3, on May 17, 2024 through the EBA Online Application System (https://www.eba.econ.chula.ac.th/Admission).
- 6.2.2 Interview (Online)

  Qualified applicants will be interviewed online between May 21 24, 2024. If an applicant does not attend the interview, they will be disqualified.
- Announcement of Applicants who Have Passed the Interview

  The Faculty of Economics will announce both qualified and reserved applicants who have passed the interview, along with details on how to confirm acceptance of the offer of a place on May 30, 2024, through the EBA Online Application System (<a href="https://www.eba.econ.chula.ac.th/Admission">https://www.eba.econ.chula.ac.th/Admission</a>).
- 6.2.4 Preliminary Confirmation with Payment

  Qualified applicants who have passed the interview must accept the offer of a place and make the admission confirmation fee payment between June 4 10, 2024. If an applicant fails to do so by the appointed time, they will be assumed to have rejected the offer of a place.
- 6.2.5 Additional Preliminary Confirmation with Payment
  Reserved applicants who have passed the interview must accept the offer of a place and make the admission confirmation fee payment between June 11 12, 2024. If an applicant fails to do so by the appointed time, they will be assumed to have rejected the offer of a place.

- Announcement for Successful Preliminary and Additional Preliminary Candidates

  The Faculty of Economics will announce applicants who have confirmed acceptance of
  the offer of a place and paid for the admission confirmation fee through the EBA Online
  Application System (https://www.eba.econ.chula.ac.th/Admission). between June 11 14, 2024.

  The Faculty of Economics reserves the right not to refund the confirmation fee to
  applicants in any circumstances
- 7. Announcement of Applicants with the Right to Study (from the first and second round applications)

  Chulalongkorn University will announce applicants with the right to study the Bachelor of Arts in Economics

  (International Program), Faculty of Economics for the Academic Year 2024 (International Admission) on

  June 20, 2024 through the EBA Online Application System (https://www.eba.econ.chula.ac.th/Admission).

The Committee's decision is considered final.

# 8. Conditions of Study

- 8.1 To be eligible to enroll for first registration as University students, enrollees must have successfully completed Mattayom 6 in Thai system or its equivalent level. In case the University finds out that applicants have not graduated or have not fulfilled any requirement under the admission criteria, the eligibility of applicants to enroll shall be void and the Faculty of Economics reserves the right not to refund the application fee, confirmation fee, and tuition fee in any case. For applicants who have graduated from international schools in Thailand or from school outside of Thailand which are not certified by the Thai Ministry of Education, applicants will need to obtain an equivalency certification by the Thai Ministry of Education, applicants will need to obtain an equivalency certification from Chulalongkorn University via website (https://hsces.atc.chula.ac.th), in certifying the equivalency with the Thai education system.
- 8.2 In the presence of any falsification of documents, forgery, or fraud in registration, the student status will be terminated, and the Faculty of Economics may consider taking legal action against the admitted applicant.

## 9. Scholarship

The admitted candidates (non-Thai citizens holding foreign passports) are eligible to apply for the Scholarships for International Students in accordance with the Announcement of the Bachelor of Arts in Economics (International Program), Faculty of Economic.

# 10. University Fees and Extra Surcharges

University Fees and Extra Surcharges will be charged according to announcements by Chulalongkorn University.

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