

SUMMER Abroad

THAMMASAT UNIVERSITY

4-week Buddhism and Asian Studies Program

THAILAND

with



LOCATION

Thammasat University is on a small campus that was formerly the viceroy's palace grounds. It is located on the Chao Phraya River, near the center of the original Bangkok. The campus is close to some of Thailand's most sacred temples, many government ministries, the Grand Palace, the National Theater, and the National Museum.



PROGRAM DETAILS

This 4-week program is designed for a small group of international students interested in Buddhism and Asian Studies. It focuses on the complex relationships among Buddhism and Thai history, politics, economics, education, literature, law, arts, and theater. Students are instructed by distinguished scholars and professors at Thammasat University and visit sites of particular historical importance.

Excursions: On the weekends, students participate in field trips to temples, monasteries, museums, archaeological remains, palaces, and ethnic minority communities throughout Thailand. Opportunities are also provided to attend cultural performances of Thai theatre, dance, and music.

COURSES AND CREDITS

Students take Society and Culture of Thailand (3 US credits) and Buddhism in Thailand (3 US credits). Classes are held Monday through Friday mornings, with time for study or cultural explorations in the afternoons.



HOUSING AND MEALS

Students stay at the New World Lodge Hotel near campus. Meals are not included, but restaurants are nearby.

DATES

June 29 – July 24, 2010

ISEP-DIRECT COST

\$2,850. Plus a \$60 non-refundable application fee.

DEADLINE TO APPLY

May 15, 2010



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