

# **Thammasat University Announcement**

# Title: The Admission Application for Master of Science (M.Sc.) and

# Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) in Integrative Medicine (International Program)

#### **Academic Year 2024**

Thammasat University has authorized Chulabhorn International College of Medicine to select applicants for the Master of Science and Doctor of Philosophy in Integrative Medicine for the 2023 Academic Year. Details are as follows:

# 1. Available Programs for Admission

# 1.1 Master of Science Program in Integrative Medicine

# 1.1.1 Study Plan

Master of Science Program in Integrative Medicine is held during normal daily working hours. Throughout the study, all classes are conducted in English and the program contains both lectures and dissertation preparation as in A2 plan.

# 1.1.2 Fields of Study

- General Integrative Medicine
- Nutraceuticals
- Mind-Body Medicine

# 1.1.3 Number of Accepted Students

Three (3)

## 1.2 Doctor of Philosophy Program in Integrative Medicine

# 1.2.1 Study Plan

**Plan 1** Dissertation plan to encourage innovative knowledge, which may include additional non-credit lectures and academic activities not otherwise listed.

# 1.2.2 Number of Accepted Students

Three (3)

## 2. Student's Qualifications

The qualifications of applicants must be in accordance with rules and regulations of Thammasat University for Graduate Studies, 2561 B.E. (Items 22-23) as follows:

# 2.1 Master of Science Program in Integrative Medicine

Study plan A2 includes a dissertation of no less than 12 credits and lecture completion of no less than 24 credits.

- 1) <u>Group 1</u> (Clinical Dissertation) Applicants must hold a Doctor of Medicine, Doctor of Dental Surgery, Bachelor's Degree in Medical Sciences, Dental Sciences, Nursing, Physical Therapy, Applied Thai Traditional Medicine, Thai Medicine or related fields that are approved by the University Council with a non-expired vocational license <u>or</u>
- 2) <u>Group 2</u> (Medical Social Sciences Dissertation) Applicants must hold a Bachelor's Degree in Medical Sciences, Public Health Sciences, Health Sciences or related fields that are approved by the University Council.
  - 3) Good command of English
- 4) Applicants who are an entrepreneur or have experience in healthcare service of at least 1 year will be highly considered.
  - 5) Applicants must have a GPA of no less than 2.50
- 6) Foreign applicants who use English as their primary language must pass the aforementioned qualifications (1-2) and that set by the scholarship committee.
- 7) Applicants, who applied for Doctor of Philosophy program in Integrative Medicine but fail to qualify for the program two separate times, may request to transfer to

study in the Master of Science program in Integrative Medicine. Students are required to complete lectures and a dissertation as stated in the program.

8) Other qualifications must be in accordance to Thammasat University's regulation regarding graduate studies, 2561 B.E.

# 2.2 Doctor of Philosophy Program in Integrative Medicine Plan 1

- 1) Applicants who are holding a Master's Degree in Applied Thai Traditional Medicine, Health Science fields, e.g., Medical Sciences, Dental Sciences, Nursing, Physical Therapy or equivalent from either a domestic or foreign University which is approved by the University Council with a GPA of no less than 3.25 and at least 1 publication in a reputable scientific journal are eligible. Those with a GPA less than 3.25, applicants must have work experience in a related field for at least 2 years.
- 2) Applicants who hold a Doctor of Medicine, Doctor of Dental Surgery or equivalent from either a domestic or foreign university which is approved by the University Council with a GPA of no less than 3.50, work experience in a related field, and at least 1 publication in an academic journal.
- 3) Applicants who are studying in the Master of Science program in Integrative Medicine at Chulabhorn International College of Medicine must comply with the following conditions:
- 3. 1) Applicants must hold a Doctor of Medicine, Doctor of Dental Surgery, Bachelor's Degree in Nursing, Physical Therapy, Applied Thai Traditional Medicine, Thai Medicine or related fields with an accompanying vocational license or must hold a Bachelor's Degree in Health Sciences, Public Health Sciences, Health Sciences or related fields that are approved by the University Council with a GPA of no less than 3.50.
- 3.2) Advisors and lecturers may allow applicants to study in the Doctoral Degree in Integrative Medicine if the applicant passes all requirements and completes a dissertation with equal credits and duration to that of a doctoral degree.

4) Foreign applicants who use English as their primary language must pass the

aforementioned qualifications (1-2) and meet the requirements set by the scholarship committee.

5) Other qualifications must be in compliance with Thammasat University's

regulation regarding graduate studies, 2561 B.E.

The applicants must check that they meet the program requirements according to the formal announcement. False information in supporting documents or concealing information to apply for the program, will result in disqualification. Application fees are non-refundable in all circumstances.

3. Application Information

Application Date: Now - 1 April 2024

How to Apply: Online Application

3.1 Online application is available at <a href="www.cicm.tu.ac.th">www.cicm.tu.ac.th</a>

3.1.1 Complete the application form

3.1.2 Submit application form with supporting documents, and photo (image

size at least 300 dpi)

3.1.3 Submit application fee (1,000 baht) to the following account:

Graduate Program - CICM TU

Siam Commercial Bank (Public Company Limited)

Current Account No. 468-034738-9

Branch: Thammasat University Hospital, Rangsit Campus

3. 1. 4 Send one (1) set of original documents (with applicant's signature confirming certified true copy) via postal service to Chulabhorn International College of

Medicine, Thammasat University, Rangsit Campus, 99 Moo 18, Phaholyothin Road, Khlong

Nueng, Khlong Luang, Pathum Thani, 12120, by 10 April 2024. The program reserves the

right to withdraw applicants if they fail to submit the required documents before the

deadline. No refunds will be available.

## 4. Required documents

- 4.1 Copy of citizen ID card or Passport
- 4.2 Copy of Degree Certificate or Letter of Degree Verification. For those who have not completed their study, a copy of a certified letter and transcript is required.
  - 4.3 Official Transcript
- 4.4 English proficiency test results TOEFL, TU-GET or IELTS (valid from 2 years from the application date)
- 4.4.1 Applicants must have an English proficiency test score of TU-GET of at least 500, TOEFL (paper-based) at least 500, (internet-based) at least 61, or IELTS of at least 6.0. (valid for 2 years from the application date)
- 4.4.2 Applicants whose an English proficiency test score does not meet the criteria set above can be conditionally accepted to study with the following English score results: TU-GET of at least 400, TOEFL (paper-based) of at least 400, (internet-based) of at least 32, or IELTS of at least 4.5 (applicants have to submit an English proficiency test result which meets the criteria item 4.4.1 before sitting for their defense thesis)
- 4.4.3 Foreign applicants who studied overseas where English is considered to be the official language or studied in an English program and graduated within the past 2 years of application date, are exempt from English proficiency examination.
- 4.5 Applicants who apply for the Master of Science Program in Integrative Medicine, A2 plan need to submit a publication to an academic journal or provide a letter of recommendation which demonstrates specific experience in science or medical science.
- 4. 6 Applicants who apply for the Doctor of Philosophy Program in Integrative Medicine, Plan 1 need to submit a publication to in academic journal to be eligible.

#### 4.7 Other documents

4.7.1 Applicants who have a minimum GPA of 2.5 need to submit a letter of recommendation or other documents demonstrating their work experience or provide a publication in an academic journal.

4.7.2 Applicants who do not meet the requirements can fill out the **GR-002 General Request** form for Graduate Committee consideration.

#### 5. Criteria of Selection

# 5.1 Master of Science and Doctor of Philosophy in Integrative Medicine

#### 5.1.1 Criteria

- 1) Applicants must pass both a written and oral examinations (interview).
- 2) Applicants must present one of the following English language proficiency test results of TU-GET of at least 500, TOEFL (paper-based) of at least 500, (internet-based) of at least 61, or IELTS of at least 6.0. (valid for 2 years from the application date)
- 3) Applicants with an English proficiency test score that does not meet the criteria set above can be conditionally accepted to study with the following English score results: TU-GET of at least 400, TOEFL (paper-based) of at least 400, (internet-based) of at least 32, or IELTS of at least 4.5 (applicants must submit an English proficiency test result which meets the criteria item 4.4.1 before their defense thesis)
- 4) Applicants who studied overseas where English is considered to be the official language or studied in an English program within the past 2 years from the application date, are exempt from English proficiency testing.

#### **5.1.2 Selection Process**

- 1) Written examination testing general knowledge on Clinical Research, Qualitative Research, and Medical Social Sciences
  - 2) Interview Examination

All decisions of the Admissions committee are final.

# 6. Announcement of Eligible Candidates: 9 April 2024

List of eligible candidates will be posted at the Graduate Office, Chulabhorn International College of Medicine, Thammasat University, Rangsit Campus or online at <a href="https://www.cicm.tu.ac.th">www.cicm.tu.ac.th</a>

# 7. Written and Interview Examination Schedule: 26 April 2024

Date and Time	09.00 A.M12.00 P.M.	1.00 P.M 4.00 P.M.
	Written examination on Clinical	
26 April 2024	Research, Qualitative Research,	Interview Examination
	and Medical Social Sciences	

**Venue**: 10th floor, Graduate Office, Co-operative Learning Center, Chulabhorn International College of Medicine, Thammasat University, Rangsit Campus (Room TBA)

# Applicants must present the following documents on the examination date

- 1. National identification card, Passport, or Civil Servant Identification card with photograph and clearly visible 13-digit identification number. All identification material must be valid and unexpired.
  - 2. Any other required documents or materials (if any):

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- 1. An applicant who enters the examination room on the date of the exam bearing neither a National Identification Card nor Passport with photograph and 13-digit identification number (clearly visible, valid and unexpired) will not, under any circumstances, be permitted by the university to sit for the examination, and will be judged to be ineligible for the current program.
- 2. Applicants sitting for the examination must strictly comply with the clauses in the addendum to this notification defining how the examination is to be taken.
- 3. Anyone who, under any circumstances, is found to be fraudulent at the entrance exam at Thammasat University, either as an individual or in consort with others, will forfeit their eligibility to study at Thammasat University.

## 8. Announcement of Successful Candidates: 29 April 2024

Graduate Committee will announce a list of successful candidates on the 10th floor, Graduate Office, Co- operative Learning Center, Chulabhorn International College of Medicine, Thammasat University, Rangsit Campus or online via the www.cicm.tu.ac.th

# 9. Enrollment Confirmation Day: 1-2 May 2024

All successful candidates must report their intention to study in the program at the 10th floor, Graduate Office, Co-operative Learning Center, Chulabhorn International College of Medicine, Thammasat University, Rangsit Campus.

#### 10. Orientation: TBA

All successful candidates must attend the Orientation held on the 10th floor, Graduate Office, Co- operative Learning Center, Chulabhorn International College of Medicine, Thammasat University, Rangsit Campus.

## 11. Conditions for newly registered students

All successful candidates must present their registration documents prior to enrollment.

Details TBA.

# 12. Student Registration: Details TBA.

Registration of new students and payment will take place at the 10th floor, Graduate Office, Co- operative Learning Center, Chulabhorn International College of Medicine, Thammasat University, Rangsit Campus. (detail of payment is attached)

# Admission and Examination Calendar for: Master of Science (M.Sc.) and Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) in Integrative Medicine (International Program) Academic Year 2024

Detail	Date	Location
Online application and payment period	Now to 1 April 2024	www.cicm.tu.ac.th
Announcement of eligible candidates	9 April 2024	www.cicm.tu.ac.th
Written Examination on Clinical Research, Knowledge, and Medical Social Sciences	26 April 2024 (09.00 A.M.)	Graduate Office Chulabhorn International College of Medicine, Thammasat University, Rangsit Campus
Interview	26 April 2024 (1.00 P.M.)	Graduate Office Chulabhorn International College of Medicine, Thammasat University, Rangsit Campus
Announcement of Successful Candidates	29 April 2024	www.cicm.tu.ac.th
Enrollment Confirmation Date	1-2 May 2024	Graduate Office Chulabhorn International College of Medicine, Thammasat University, Rangsit Campus

#### Annex

# **Examination Regulations**

Examinees sitting for the examination must strictly comply with the clauses in the addendum to this notification. Any violation of these rules will result in disqualification and forfeiture of the answer sheet.

- 1. Examinee must present their official National ID Card, Passport, or Civil Servant Identification card with photograph and clearly visible 13-digit identification number only; the cards must be valid and unexpired.
- 2. Do not bring any paper, electronic devices such as a cellular phone, smart watch or any stationary with calculation formulas into the examination room. Only pencil, pen, eraser, and ruler are allowed into the exam room.
- 3. Examinees are not allowed to enter the examination room after 15 minutes has passed from the initiation of the exam.
- 4. Examinees must not open the exam question paper until told to do so by the test proctor.
  - 5. For any request during the exam, please raise your hand to alert the proctor.
  - 6. Please remain quiet while in the exam room and nearby place hallways.
- 7. If there is any fraudulent activity discovered, the admission committee will disqualify the student and void all test scores.
  - 8. The proctor will notify the application 5 minutes before conclusion of the exam.
- 9. Please raise your hand when you have completed the exam. Applications are not allowed to submit the answer sheet, but must be done by your proctor.
- 10. Examinees must follow the instructions for the exam including providing their seat number, name, surname, subject, and exam location.
- 11. Do not separate answer sheets (please see the instruction) and write your answer in blue or black pen only.
- 12. Examinees must wear appropriate clothing, such as student uniform or formal dress.

  Remember sleeveless shirts, sandals, and jeans are not permitted.

#### **Tuition and Fees**

# 1. Integrative Medicine (International Program)

1.1 Tuition and fees

Master of Science Degree: 65,000 THB per Semester

Doctor of Philosophy Degree: 70,000 THB per Semester

This fee does not include a delayed registration fees, student maintenance fees, English proficiency test, or university development fee for foreign students.

# **Scholarships**

- 1. Kanchanapisek Scholarship for Doctoral Degree
- 2. The Office of the Higher Education Commission Scholarship for Doctoral Degree
- 3. Thammasat University Scholarship for Graduates
- 4. Research Assistant Scholarship for Graduates from Chulabhorn International College of Medicine

Examinee must present the official National ID card, Passport, or Civil Servant Identification card with photograph and clearly visible 13-digit identification number only; the cards must be valid and unexpired. The card must be placed on the top left of the table throughout examination process. Those who do not present the document above will not be allowed to sit for the examination.

# For more information, please contact

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