



## Chiang Mai University Undergraduate Admission Announcement for International Programs for the 2025 Academic Year

Chiang Mai University is now open for applications for international undergraduate programs for the 2025 academic year. The details of the application and process are as follows:

### 1. THE BACHELOR PROGRAMS OPEN FOR ADMISSION AND ACCEPTANCE NUMBERS

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| Programs   | Number of students |
|--|--------------------|
| 1. Accountancy (ACC)   | 40                 |
| 2. Civil Engineering (CE)  | 40                 |
| 3. Digital Innovation (DIN)  | 100                |
| 4. Economics (ECON)  | 70                 |
| 5. Electrical Engineering and Smart Grid Technology (EESG)           | 40                 |
| 6. Environmental Science (ES)  | 15                 |
| 7. Food Science and Technology (FST)                                 | 35                 |
| 8. Humanities and Sustainability (HS)                                | 40                 |
| 9. Integrated Design in Emerging Architecture (IDEA)                 | 28                 |
| 10. Industrial Engineering and Logistics Management (IEL)            | 40                 |
| 11. Information Systems and Network Engineering (ISNE)               | 40                 |
| 12. Mechanical Engineering and Engineering Project Management (MEPM) | 40                 |
| 13. Modern Management and Information Technology (MMIT)              | 30                 |
| 14. Nursing Science (NSC)  | 15                 |
| 15. Software Engineering (SE)  | 20                 |
| 16. Social Science and Sustainable Development (SSSD)                | 25                 |
| 17. Sustainability (STB)   | 30                 |
| 18. Thai as a Foreign Language (TFL)                                 | 30                 |

**Remark:** Admission is available for the first semester only.

## 2. APPLICANTS QUALIFICATIONS

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### 2.1) Academic qualification

**Graduated** from *or studying in the final term* of **Matthayom Suksa 6 (M.6)** *or equivalent or higher* under the following conditions,

1. For students from an institution in Thailand
  - Graduated from or currently enrolled in the final term of Matthayom Suksa 6 (M.6) *or equivalent or higher* in the Thai secondary education system *or*
  - Graduated from *or* currently enrolled in the final year of secondary school (grade 12 in the US system *or* year 13 in the British system) in an international school in Thailand.
2. For students from overseas *or* GED credential holders, please check the list of secondary education equivalency systems in **Annex 1**.

#### Remarks:

1. Applicants must review **Annex 2A and 2B** for specific program requirements on educational level and CGPA.
2. Applicants who are **“currently enrolled”** must provide the official transcript and graduation certificate on the day of new student registration. Failure to do so may result in disqualification.

### 2.2) English proficiency qualification

1. **Native English speakers** (Australia, Ireland, New Zealand, United Kingdom, United States of America, Canada (Except Quebec)) **are exempt** from the requirement.
2. **Non-native English speakers**
  - 2.1 **Exemption** from the requirement under the following conditions:
    1. who are from a country where English is an official language listed in **Annex 2C except SE and MMIT**.
    2. who have completed an international program *or* graduated from an institution where English is the language of instruction. (**Only for ACC, CE, DIN, EESG, ES, FST, IDEA, IEL, ISNE, MEPM and STB**).
    3. who have completed the “K-12 Level Fulfillment for CMU-IPAS Application” course (**Only for CE, EESG, IEL, ISNE and MEPM**).
  - 2.2 **No exemption** must meet their English proficiency requirement based on the chosen program of study. The program-specific minimum scores for Standard English Language Certificates are listed in **Annex 2D**. Non-native English speakers who do not meet the required standard English proficiency **must take the CMU English Placement Test**.

### 2.3) Other qualifications

1. Must have no record of serious misconduct and must agree to abide strictly by the rules and regulations of the university.
2. Must not have a serious contagious disease or any disease that will obstruct their studies.
3. See **Annex 2A** for additional program-specific qualifications.

### 3. ADMISSION PROCESS

Applications must be submitted online through the CMU International Program Admission System (IPAS) at <https://admission.reg.cmu.ac.th/ipas/>. In this system, applicants select the program and application track. Applicants can apply for a maximum of **3 programs** per round. However, they must accept only one offer.



#### 3.1) Regular Track

Applicants who do not meet the English proficiency requirements and do not have all required standard tests **must choose “regular track” and take subject tests (CMU exam) and/or CMU-English Placement Test** depending on the applied program.

| Programs                     | Specialized Subjects (CMU EXAM)                  |   |
|------------------------------|--|---|
| ACC                          | 1. Mathematics                                   |   |
| CE, EESG, IEL, ISNE and MEPM | 1. Mathematics                                   | 2. Basic Knowledge of Engineering                             |
| DIN                          | 1. Statistics                                    |   |
| ECON                         | 1. Mathematics                                   | 2. Economics  |
| HS                           | 1. Critical thinking and skills in essay writing |   |
| MMIT                         | 1. Mathematics                                   | 2. Modern Management and Information Technology Aptitude Test |
| SE                           | 1. Mathematics                                   | 2. Software Engineering Aptitude Test                         |
| SSSD                         | 1. Basic Knowledge of Social Sciences            |   |
| TFL                          | 1. Fundamental Thai for Foreigners               |   |
| ES, FST, IDEA, NSC and STB   | <b>No specialized subject tests</b>              |   |

**Remark:** SSSD is available in **Regular Track** only.

### 3.2) Special Track

Applicants who meet the English proficiency requirements and have all required standard tests may choose the “Special Track” and **must submit standardized tests in specific subjects and evidence of English Proficiency** required by the applied program.

| Programs                            | Standardized examinations of specialized subjects  |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| <b>ACC</b>                          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ New SAT (Mathematics and Evidence-Based Reading and Writing (EBRW)) with minimum total score 1000 <i>or</i></li> <li>○ GSAT (Reading and Writing and Math) with minimum total score 1000</li> </ul>   |
| <b>CE, EESG, IEL, ISNE and MEPM</b> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ New SAT (Math) <math>\geq 600</math> <i>or</i></li> <li>○ GSAT (Math) <math>\geq 600</math> <i>or</i></li> <li>○ ACT (Math) <math>\geq 24</math> <i>or</i></li> <li>○ AP Calculus (AB or BC) <math>\geq 4</math> <i>or</i></li> <li>○ A Level (Math) <math>\geq B</math> <i>or</i></li> <li>○ A Level (Math) predicted grade <math>\geq B</math> <i>or</i></li> <li>○ IB (Math) HL <math>\geq 5</math> <i>or</i></li> <li>○ IB (Math) HL predicted grade <math>\geq 5</math> <i>or</i></li> <li>○ Scores from the “K-12 Level Fulfillment for CMU IPAS Application” course with passing grades in at least 3 of 4 subjects</li> </ul> |
| <b>DIN</b>                          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ New SAT (Mathematics and Evidence-Based Reading and Writing (EBRW)) with minimum total score 460 <i>or</i></li> <li>○ Score (s) from any standardized examinations in Mathematics <i>or</i> Statistics <i>or</i> Calculus (e.g., AP exam scores)</li> </ul>   |
| <b>ECON</b>                         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ New SAT (Mathematics and Evidence-Based Reading and Writing (EBRW)) with a minimum score of 500 in Mathematics <i>or</i></li> <li>○ ACT (Math) <math>\geq 18</math></li> </ul>  |
| <b>MMIT</b>                         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ New SAT (Mathematics and Evidence-Based Reading and Writing (EBRW)) with minimum total scores 460</li> </ul>  |
| <b>SE</b>                           | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ New SAT (Mathematics and Evidence-Based Reading and Writing (EBRW)) with minimum total score 800</li> </ul>   |
| <b>TFL</b>                          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ CU-TFL (listening, reading, and writing) with a minimum level of N (Novice) <i>or</i></li> <li>○ OBEC Thai Competency Test (listening, reading, and writing) with a minimum of level 1 (เริ่มต้น) <i>or</i></li> <li>○ TPA Thai Language Proficiency Test with a minimum level of T1 (Beginner) <i>or</i></li> <li>○ TFL intensive preparation course certificate</li> </ul>  |

## 4. REQUIRED DOCUMENTS FOR ADMISSION

All applicants must complete the online application form and submit clear and legible scanned documents (**Each file size must not exceed 1 MB**) as follows:

### 4.1) Program requirement documents

1. A scanned copy of the **Official High School Graduation Certificate** (if not in Thai *or* English, please submit the original document with an official notarial in English) *or* a certificate of current student status (if currently enrolled).
2. A scanned copy of the **Official High School Transcript** (if not in Thai *or* English, please submit the original document with an official notarial in English).
3. An **official certificate of proficiency in English** (required for “special track” applicants *and* optional for “regular track” applicants).
4. An **official record of standardized subject examinations** (as required by the chosen program of study for “Special Track” applicants).
5. **Other necessary qualification** certificates as specified by the chosen program (refer to **Annex 2A**).

#### 4.2) Personal documents

1. For **Thai nationality/Those holding a 13-digit ID issued by the Data Management Center (DMC) with numbers starting with G-code, 0, 00, 6, or 7:** a scanned copy of the Thai National ID Card *or* the 13-digits card.
2. For **other nationalities:** a scanned copy of passport.
3. One 2x2 – inch photo in school uniform *or* formal dress taken within the last 6 months (in jpg format).

#### 4.3) Proof of a valid non-immigrant ED VISA for foreign applicants in Round 3 only. Holding a valid non-immigrant ED VISA from previous institution not less than 6 months.

**Remark:** If any submitted documents are found to be fraudulent, applicants will automatically be disqualified.

### 5. WRITTEN EXAMINATION AND INTERVIEW

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**5.1) For Regular Track Applicants** (*Online Written Examination and Interview*) The schedule for CMU's internal subject examinations *and* English placement test is as follows. Details of the online exams and interview will be sent to applicant email submitted during the application process.

| Round | Date                  | Time          | Activity for Regular Track |
|-------|-----------------------|---------------|----------------------------|
| 1     | January 10, 2025      | 09:00 – 12:00 | Subject Test               |
|       |                       | 13:00 – 16:00 | English Placement Test     |
|       | January 11 – 19, 2025 | 09:00 – 16:00 | Interview                  |
| 2     | March 31, 2025        | 09:00 – 12:00 | Subject Test               |
|       |                       | 13:00 – 16:00 | English Placement Test     |
|       | April 1 – 8, 2025     | 09:00 – 16:00 | Interview                  |
| 3     | May 19, 2025          | 09:00 – 12:00 | Subject Test               |
|       |                       | 13:00 – 16:00 | English Placement Test     |
|       | May 20 – 21, 2025     | 09:00 – 16:00 | Interview                  |

**Remark:** Applicants applying for more than one program may take all required subject tests within 3 hours (9:00-12:00).

**5.2) For Special Track Applicants** (*Online Interview only*) Invitations to the online interview will be sent by program coordinators to applicant email submitted during the application process.

| Round | Date                  | Time          | Activity for Special Track |
|-------|-----------------------|---------------|----------------------------|
| 1     | January 11 – 19, 2025 | 09:00 – 16:00 | Interview                  |
| 2     | April 1 – 8, 2025     | 09:00 – 16:00 | Interview                  |
| 3     | May 20 – 21, 2025     | 09:00 – 16:00 | Interview                  |

## 6. APPLICATION FEES AND PAYMENT METHODS

- 6.1) Application fee (non-refundable): **1,200 Thai Baht (per program)**  
 6.2) English Placement Test Fee (non-refundable): **400 Thai Baht**

### Methods of payment

Chiang Mai University must receive the fee(s) in full (**excluding transferring fee**) in order to process the application. Payment can be made by

- 1) **QR code** during the application process. (No fee and real time update) *or*
- 2) **Credit card** (approximately 2.1 per cent for processing fee) *or*
- 3) **Payment at the Bank of Ayudhya Public Company (Krungsri)** (bank counter only in Thailand) with the invoice barcode generated in the application system (10 Thai Baht processing fee) *or*
- 4) **Alipay** (approximately 1.7 per cent for processing fee) *or*
- 5) **WeChat Pay** (approximately 1.7 per cent for processing fee)

## 7. ADMISSION TIMELINE

| Schedule                            |                     | Round 1   | Round 2  | Round 3   |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------|---|--|---|
| Program and Track                   | Regular and Special | ACC, CE, DIN, ECON, EESG, ES, FST, HS, IDEA, IEL, ISNE, MEPM, MMIT, SE, STB and TFL | ACC, CE, DIN, ECON, EESG, ES, FST, HS, IDEA, IEL, ISNE, MEPM, MMIT, NSC, SE, STB and TFL | ACC, CE, DIN, ECON, EESG, ES, FST, HS, IEL, ISNE, MEPM, STB and TFL |
|                                     | Regular only        |   | SSSD   | SSSD  |
| Registration in TCAS*               |                     | October 27, 2024, onward  |  |   |
| Application period                  |                     | Nov 5, 2024 – Jan 2, 2025   | Feb 13 – Mar 20, 2025  | May 1 – 8, 2025   |
| Announcement of eligible applicants |                     | Jan 7, 2025   | Mar 26, 2025   | May 14, 2025  |
| Mock Exam                           |                     | Jan 9, 2025   | Mar 28, 2025   | May 16, 2025  |
| Written Examination (Online)        |                     | Jan 10, 2025  | Mar 31, 2025   | May 19, 2025  |
| Interview (Online)                  |                     | Jan 11 – 19, 2025   | Apr 1 – 8, 2025  | May 20 – 21, 2025   |
| Announcement of admission results   |                     | Jan 24, 2025  | Apr 21, 2025   | May 26, 2025  |
| Accept the offer in IPAS            |                     | Jan 24 – 28, 2025   | Apr 21 – 27, 2025  | May 26 – 29, 2025   |
| VISA Document Request               |                     | Jan 24 – Feb 3, 2025  | Apr 21 – 30, 2025  | May 26 – 30, 2025   |
| Accept the offer in TCAS*           |                     | Feb 5 – 6, 2025   | May 2 – 3, 2025  | Jun 6 – 7, 2025   |

### Note:

1. Applicants who apply with Thai National ID/Those holding a 13-digit ID issued by the Data Management Center (DMC) with numbers starting with G-code, 0, 6, *or* 7 **must register and accept the offer both of TCAS (<https://student.mycas.com/>) and IPAS (<https://admission.reg.cmu.ac.th/ipas/>)** within specific time frames for each round listed in the table above. If a candidate fails to do so, this will be considered DECLINE all offers.
2. **Round 3** available only for **Thai applicants *or* foreign applicants who have a valid non-immigrant ED VISA** (required document: proof of a valid non-immigrant ED VISA from previous institution not less than 6 months.)

## 8. TUITION AND FEES FOR A REGULAR SEMESTER

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| Programs   | Thai nationality<br>(Thai Baht) | Other nationalities<br>(Thai Baht) |
|--|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Accountancy (ACC)  | 55,000                          | 75,000                             |
| Civil Engineering (CE)   | 50,000                          | 70,000                             |
| Digital Innovation (DIN)   | 55,000                          | 75,000                             |
| Economics (ECON)   | 40,000                          | 60,000                             |
| Electrical Engineering and Smart Grid Technology (EESG)          | 50,000                          | 70,000                             |
| Environmental Science (ES)                                       | 35,000                          | 55,000                             |
| Food Science and Technology (FST)                                | 40,000                          | 60,000                             |
| Humanities and Sustainability (HS)                               | 35,000                          | 55,000                             |
| Integrated Design in Emerging Architecture (IDEA)                | 65,000                          | 85,000                             |
| Industrial Engineering and Logistics Management (IEL)            | 50,000                          | 70,000                             |
| Information Systems and Network Engineering (ISNE)               | 50,000                          | 70,000                             |
| Mechanical Engineering and Engineering Project Management (MEPM) | 50,000                          | 70,000                             |
| Modern Management and Information Technology (MMIT)              | 40,000                          | 60,000                             |
| Nursing Science (NSC)  | 50,000                          | 70,000                             |
| Software Engineering (SE)  | 40,000                          | 60,000                             |
| Social Science and Sustainable Development (SSSD)                | 35,000                          | 55,000                             |
| Sustainability (STB)   | 50,000                          | 70,000                             |
| Thai as a Foreign Language (TFL)                                 | N/A                             | 55,000                             |

- Remarks**
1. Thai applicants/ Those holding a 13-digit ID issued by the Data Management Center (DMC) with numbers starting with G-code, 0, 00, 6, or 7 must apply with a Thai National ID Card or the 13-digits card, otherwise they must pay the same tuition fees as other nationalities.
  2. For other nationalities, the international student fee of 20,000 baht per semester is already included in the figures.

## 9. VISA DOCUMENT REQUEST FOR ADMITTED APPLICANTS

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To apply for Thai visa, accepted foreign applicants **MUST** request their official visa application documents via CMU-IRD-VISA Online **within 1 week** after accepting the offer in IPAS at <https://ird.cmu.ac.th/visa-online/>.

The International Relations Department of Chiang Mai University (CMU-IRD) will send the documents required for the visa application to the email address provided by the applicant during the application process. Hard copies or originals of the documents are available upon request. Foreign applicants will not be able to enter Thailand or extend their existing visa in Thailand without the official application documents obtained through CMU-IRD-VISA Online.

## 10. HEALTH INSURANCE AGREEMENT FOR ADMITTED APPLICANTS

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Admitted international applicants are required to purchase health insurance while studying at Chiang Mai University as indicated in the University's Announcement on Student Health Insurance.

## 11. NEW STUDENT REGISTRATION PROCESS FOR ADMITTED APPLICANTS

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Admitted applicants must resubmit admission documents (#4.1 – #4.2 in item 4, above) and upload the documents between June 10 – 13, 2025 through the new student registration system at <https://www3.reg.cmu.ac.th/stdinfo/undergraduate/index.php>.

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# Annex 1

## Thailand Certificate of Secondary Education (Matthayom Suksa 6) Equivalency System

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### 1. British System

- General Certificate of Education Advanced Level (GCE A-Level) with grade results A\* - E on at least 3 different subjects, **or**
- LRN International A Levels with grade results A\* - E on at least 3 different subjects, **or**
- Cambridge Pre – U with grade result M1 or D1 – D3 on at least 3 different subjects, **or**
- BTEC Level 3 at least 3 subjects with grade results D\*-P, **or**
- A combination 3 subjects of BTEC level 3 with grade D\*-P and GCE A-Levels with grade A\*-E

### 2. American System

- General Educational Development (GED) Credential obtained before May 2017 with minimum total score 2250 on all 5 subjects and at least 410 points on each subject, **or**
- General Educational Development (GED) Credential obtained from May 2017 with minimum score 145 on each of the 4 subjects.

### 3. New Zealand System

#### **Graduated from 2024 onwards**

- National Certificate of Educational Achievement (NCEA) issued by New Zealand Qualifications Authority (NZQA). Record of Achievement: not less than 80 credits achieved as follows:
  1. Level 2 or above: not less than 60 credits **and**
  2. Level 1 or above: not less than 20 credits from Literacy and Numeracy co-requisite

#### **Graduated between 2010 – 2023**

- National Certificate of Educational Achievement (NCEA) issued by New Zealand Qualifications Authority (NZQA). Record of Achievement: not less than 80 credits achieved as follows:
  1. Level 2 or above: not less than 60 credits **and**
  2. Level 1 or above: not less than 20 credits **and**
  3. English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) is considered a subject.

Applicants must submit an NCEA level 2 certificate, Record of Achievement, Level certification letter, list of subjects, and number of credits for each subject from the New Zealand Qualifications Authority (NZQA).

#### **Graduated before 2010**

- National Certificate of Educational Achievement (NCEA) issued by New Zealand Qualifications Authority (NZQA) in level 2 or above at least 5 different subjects. Record of Achievement: not less than 60 credits achieved as follows:
  1. English (literacy) Level 2 or above: not less than 4 credits **and**
  2. Mathematics (numeracy) Level 2 or above: not less than 4 credits **and**
  3. English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) is **not** considered a subject.

### 4. International Baccalaureate (IB)

Applicants must have High School Diploma **and/or** received IB Diploma **and/or** IB DP Course Results as follows:

- International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB Diploma) with a total score from 5 subjects **and** 1 free elective at least 24 points. Applicants must pass
  1. the Extended Essay (EE)
  2. Theory of Knowledge (TOK)
  3. Creativity, Action & Service (CAS) evaluation, in accordance with the International Baccalaureate Organization (IBO) criteria, **or**
- IB Diploma Course Results (IBCR) with not less than grade 3 on at least 5 different subjects, **or**

- IB Diploma Programme course (IBCP Certificate) with not less than grade 3 on at least 2 subjects. Applicants must pass
  1. Career-related Study Track Assessment
  2. Reflective Project Assessment not less than grade D
  3. Core Subjects Assessment: Professional Skills, Service Learning, and Language Development

## 5. Other High School Diplomas

**5.1 International School in Thailand** (issued by the Ministry of Education, Thailand) ***or overseas*** must have

1. Official Transcript (grade 12 in the US system *or* year 13 in the British system)
2. Official Graduation Certificate (Diploma)

### 5.2 Chinese High School System

1. Official Transcript must have a minimum average score of 60 out of 100 *or* 90 out of 150 in their field of study (Arts/Sciences) for at least 4 semesters *and* the maximum score for each subject must be presented in the transcript.
2. Official Graduation Certificate (Diploma)  
(If not in English, please submit the original document with an official notarial in English)

### 5.3 Myanmar Matriculation System

1. Official Matriculation Examination Pass Certificate *and* Mark obtained in Matriculation examination *and*
    - a. “O” Level Pass Certificate, *or*
    - b. A transcript of one academic year in an undergraduate program, *or*
    - c. Diploma (1 year) from an acknowledged university or college.
  2. For **CE, EESG, IEL, ISNE and MEPM**, a transcript of “K-12 Level Fulfillment for CMU-IPAS Application for International Engineering Program” with passing grades in at least 3 of 4 subjects *and*
    - a. A transcript of K-11 in Myanmar secondary education system *or*
    - b. Official Matriculation Examination Pass Certificate *and* Mark obtained in Matriculation examination.
- (If not in English, please submit the original document with an official notarial in English)

**5.4 The education systems from countries not mentioned above**, check lists of certificates assessed to be equivalent to General Upper Secondary Education by various countries at <https://cmu.to/CMUEquivalencyofForeignEducationalQualifications>.

## 6. Business and Technology Education Council (BTEC)

- **BTEC Level 3 National Extended Diploma** (International Level 3 Extended Diploma) equivalent 3 A-Level subjects with grade results D\*-P, *or*
- **BTEC Level 3 National Diploma** (International Level 3 Diploma) equivalent 2 A-Level subjects with grade results D\*-P, *or*
- **BTEC Level 3 National Extended Certificate** (International Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma) equivalent 1 A-Level subjects with grade results D\*-P. Applicants have completed the **BTEC International Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma** in Year 12 - 13 in 3 subjects, *or* a combination of BTEC *and* A-Levels qualifications (e.g., 1 BTEC subject *and* 2 A-Level subjects *or* 2 BTEC subjects *and* 1 A-Level subject), along with High School Diploma (Secondary School Diploma).

## 7. Other Vocational School diploma

- Vocational qualifications recognized as equivalent to high school education for each country.

## Annex 2A

### Program Specific Requirements

| Accountancy (ACC)  |      |
|--|------|
| 1. Academic requirement  | None |
| 2. Application documents   | None |
| Program contact: <a href="mailto:baccinter-cmubs@cmu.ac.th">baccinter-cmubs@cmu.ac.th</a> , +66 5394 2140 ext. 120 |      |

| Civil Engineering (CE)<br>Electrical Engineering and Smart Grid Technology (EESG)<br>Industrial Engineering and Logistics Management (IEL)<br>Information Systems and Network Engineering (ISNE)<br>Mechanical Engineering and Engineering Project Management (MEPM) |      |
|--|------|
| 1. Academic requirement  | None |
| 2. Application documents   | None |
| Program contact: <a href="mailto:cm-ies@eng.cmu.ac.th">cm-ies@eng.cmu.ac.th</a> , +66 5394 2051  |      |

| Digital Innovation (DIN)   |  |
|--|--|
| 1. Academic requirement  | None   |
| 2. Application documents   | Applicants who apply for DIN may submit a personal portfolio (no more than 2 pages A4 size in PDF format). The personal portfolio shall include, either of these, among others: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) a statement of purpose that states interests in the program and intentions or plans for the future.</li> <li>2) an applicant's profile, awards, or activities in academic or other relevant fields that he/she has got or experienced or online start-up/online business experience or project in a high school level;</li> <li>3) a certified Grade C (at least) for those who took the Advanced Placement Program (AP) with International College of Digital Innovation (ICDI).</li> </ol>   |
| 3. English Proficiency qualification   | Applicants applying for DIN by <b><i>taking the English Placement Test</i></b> or whose English scores are <b><i>less than</i></b> the indicated 'English Proficiency Qualification' <b><i>must</i></b> enroll in a Pre-session English course held by International College of Digital Innovation, Chiang Mai University in April – May for the round 1. As for rounds 2 and 3, the Pre-session English course will be conducted during their studying, scheduled between June – Nov (during the first semester of 2025 academic year) <b><i>OR</i></b> submit the qualified English scores within April 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2025.<br><b>Remark:</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The schedule of the Pre-session English course may be subject to change.</li> <li>2. Please see the English Proficiency Qualification (<b>Annex 2D</b>).</li> </ol> |
| Program contact: <a href="mailto:sureeporn.t@cmu.ac.th">sureeporn.t@cmu.ac.th</a> , + 66 5394 3711 |  |

| Economics (ECON)   |      |
|--|------|
| 1. Academic requirement  | None |
| 2. Application documents   | None |
| Program contact: <a href="mailto:interbachelor-econ@cmu.ac.th">interbachelor-econ@cmu.ac.th</a> , + 66 5394 2213 |      |

| Environmental Science (ES)   |  |
|--|--|
| 1. Academic requirement  | 1.1 Not accept applicant with <i>higher education</i> than Matthayom Suksa 6 (M.6) <i>or</i> equivalent.<br>1.2 Not accept applicant with <i>Vocational School diploma</i> . |
| 2. Application documents   | None   |
| Program contact: <a href="mailto:esrc@cmu.ac.th">esrc@cmu.ac.th</a> , + 66 5394 3479 |  |

| <b>Food Science and Technology (FST)</b>                    |   |
|---|---|
| <b>1. Academic requirement</b>                              | 1.1 Not accept applicant with <i>Vocational School diploma</i> .  |
| <b>2. Application documents</b>                             | Applicants are required to submit a personal portfolio (no more than 10 pages A4 size in PDF format). The personal portfolio must include:<br>1) Personal statement (no more than 650 words A4 size in PDF format).<br>2) An applicant's profile, awards, or activities that showcase her/his aptitude in Science and/or English. |
| <b>Remark</b>   | The selection committee will make a final decision based on overall achievements of the applicants.   |
| <b>Program contact:</b> ornrawee.c@cmu.ac.th, +66 5394 8216 |   |

| <b>Humanities and Sustainability (HS)</b>                      |   |
|--|---|
| <b>1. Academic requirement</b>                                 | None  |
| <b>2. Application documents</b>                                | Applicants are required to submit a portfolio that contains the following items:<br>1) Applicant's Curriculum Vitae<br>2) The information about applicant's involvement in extra-curricular activities which show the development of leadership, or critical thinking, or which is a community service. The information should be displayed through visual means such as photos <u>or</u> links to videos <b>AND</b> textual means such as the descriptions of activities in the photos or videos.<br>3) A short statement of purpose (400 - 700 words) that responds to this question: "In the humanities, which subject excites you the most and why BA Humanities and Sustainability program"<br>All documents that make up the portfolio should be formatted on A4 papers and saved as PDF. |
| <b>Program contact:</b> pasoot.lasuka@cmu.ac.th, +66 5394 3271 |   |

| <b>Integrated Design in Emerging Architecture (IDEA)</b> |  |
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| <b>1. Academic requirement</b>                           | 1.1 Not accept applicant with <i>higher education</i> than Matthayom Suksa 6 (M.6) <u>or</u> equivalent.<br>1.2 Not accept applicant with <i>Vocational School diploma</i> .   |
| <b>2. Application documents</b>                          | Applicants are required to submit the following additional documents:<br><b>1) A personal portfolio</b><br>Applicants must submit a digital portfolio. The portfolio should be a single PDF files ranging from 15 - 30 pages. The file size must not exceed 16 MB. The portfolio has no standard in terms of format, page size, layout design and contents. The format of the portfolio is therefore a subject to be designed by the applicants. It should present the applicant's personality in relation to talents, experiences, interests, skills, ideas and creativity. The portfolio should include a selection of the applicant's works ranging from design, art, craft and other creative works/projects such as writings, performances, poems, photographs, choreography, films, etc.<br><b>2) Statement of Purpose</b><br>Statement of Purpose (SOP) should be a single PDF file and in A4 paper size. The file size must not exceed 1 MB. Its contents should be state applicant interests, ambitions, capabilities and goals.<br><b>3) Reference Letter</b><br>Applicants need to submit a reference letter. The letter should be a single PDF file and in A4 paper size. The file size must not exceed 1 MB. The letter should be written by a person who can certify the applicant's portfolio and work as well as applicant ability, talents, and developments. This person could be applicant's teachers or guidance counselors. |
| <b>Remark</b>  | To qualify for successful applicants, need to pass 60% of average score of the following requirements: GPA 15%, English test score 20%, Statement of purpose and Reference letters 5%, Portfolio 35% and Interview 25%.  |

| <b>Integrated Design in Emerging Architecture (IDEA) (Continue)</b> |  |
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|   | The number of accepted students for each round will be made based on the discretion of the admissions committee.   |
| <b>Program contact:</b> atcharawadee.j@cmu.ac.th, + 66 5394 2844    |  |
| <b>Modern Management and Information Technology (MMIT)</b>          |  |
| <b>1. Academic requirement</b>                                      | 1.1 Not accept applicant with <i>higher education</i> than Matthayom Suksa 6 (M.6) <u>or</u> equivalent.<br>1.2 Not accept applicant with <i>Vocational School diploma</i> .   |
| <b>2. Application documents</b>                                     | None   |
| <b>Program contact:</b> bs.mmit@camt.info, + 66 5394 2647           |  |
| <b>Nursing Science (NSC)</b>  |  |
| <b>1. Academic requirement</b>                                      | 1.1 Eligibility to apply with NSC are, <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Graduated from or studying in the final term of Matthayom Suksa 6 (M.6) in Thailand secondary education system <b>Except Native Thai or</b></li> <li>o Graduated from an international school in Thailand with high school certificate or equivalent <b>or</b></li> <li>o Graduated from an overseas institution/have certificated in the list of secondary education equivalency system in <b>Annex 1 Except 6. Business and Technology Education Council (BTEC) and 7. Other Vocational School diploma and Higher education.</b></li> </ul> 1.2 <b>Native Thais</b> who graduated from <i>or</i> studying in M.6 in Thailand secondary education system are <b>not eligible for NSC</b>  |
| <b>2. Application documents</b>                                     | Applicants must submit a <b>Health certificate</b> confirming that he/she is in good health, with no visual problems including severe color blindness. Also applicants must self-certify in their online application that he/she does not have other illnesses, symptoms, or disabilities which would be an obstacle to their study. Once applicants have been accepted into the program, there will be a complete health checkup according to items below; applicants will be disqualified if they do not meet any of the health requirements.<br><br><b>HEALTH QUALIFICATIONS</b><br>Applicants must be in good health, with no illnesses, symptoms, or disabilities that will obstruct their studies. Applicants with the following illnesses, symptoms, or disabilities are ineligible for admission: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Any disability that will obstruct their studies.</li> <li>o Severe psychiatric problems including psychotic disorders, autistic spectrum, mood disorders, severe neurotic disorders, personality disorders such as antisocial personality disorders or borderline personality disorders, or other psychiatric problems which are obstacles to study, practice, and work as a professional nurse.</li> <li>o Any contagious disease in the transmission phase which can be a danger to yourself, patients, or cause permanent disability which in turn will be an obstacle to study, practice, and work as a professional nurse.</li> <li>o Non-communicable diseases or disorders which are an obstacle to study including: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Uncontrolled epilepsy.</li> <li>2) Severe heart disease which is an obstacle to study, practice, and work as a professional nurse.</li> <li>3) Severe hypertension with permanent complications to any organ.</li> <li>4) Chronic kidney disease.</li> <li>5) Substance use disorder.</li> <li>6) Visual problems including severe color blindness or having visual acuity in your good eye of less than 6/12 or 20/40 after correction.</li> <li>7) Sensory neural hearing loss of a hearing threshold above 40 dB at 500-2,000 Hz.</li> <li>8) Other diseases or disabilities in which the physical examination committee determines as an obstacle to study.</li> </ol> </li> </ul> The Dean of the Faculty of Nursing may request an expert to help conduct further assessment. |

| Nursing Science (NSC) (Continue)   |   |
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| Remark   | To qualify as a successful applicant, the applicant taking the CMU English Placement Test must score at least 60% of the total score. |
| Program contact: <a href="mailto:fon.edu@cmu.ac.th">fon.edu@cmu.ac.th</a> , + 66 5393 5025 ext. 11 |   |

| Software Engineering (SE)  |  |
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| 1. Academic requirement  | 1.1 Not accept applicant with <i>higher education</i> than Matthayom Suksa 6 (M.6) <i>or</i> equivalent.<br>1.2 Not accept applicant with <i>Vocational School diploma</i> . |
| 2. Application documents   | None   |
| Program contact: <a href="mailto:bs.se@camt.info">bs.se@camt.info</a> , + 66 5394 2647 |  |

| Social Science and Sustainable Development (SSSD)  |   |
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| 1. Academic requirement  | 1.1 Not accept applicant with <i>higher education</i> than Matthayom Suksa 6 (M.6) <i>or</i> equivalent.<br>1.2 The <b>date of graduation must not be older than 10 years</b> before the date of application.             |
| 2. Application documents   | None  |
| Remark   | Successful applicants acknowledge that they must obtain health insurance either before OR on arrival at Chiang Mai University (CMU) to ensure medical coverage in cases of illnesses and accidents while studying at CMU. |
| Program contact: <a href="mailto:Kodchaporn.ch@cmu.ac.th">Kodchaporn.ch@cmu.ac.th</a> , <a href="mailto:muttika.t@cmu.ac.th">muttika.t@cmu.ac.th</a> , + 66 5394 3507 ext. 103 |   |

| Sustainability (STB)  |   |
|---|---|
| 1. Academic requirement   | 1.1 Not accept applicant with <i>higher education</i> than Matthayom Suksa 6 (M.6) <i>or</i> equivalent.<br>1.2 Not accept applicant with <i>Vocational School diploma</i> .  |
| 2. Application documents  | Applicants are required to submit a personal portfolio (no more than 10 pages A4 size in PDF format).<br>The portfolio must demonstrate a record of extracurricular activities related to sustainability (from lower to upper secondary levels). The portfolio must contain the following information:<br>1. Pictures or other evidences of sustainable involvement, no more than five activities <b><i>or/and</i></b><br>2. Certificates/Awards received from participation in activities at the organization/institution/province/country/international level, no more than five awards |
| Program contact: <a href="mailto:Esg-pol@cmu.ac.th">Esg-pol@cmu.ac.th</a> , <a href="mailto:boonyane.s@cmu.ac.th">boonyane.s@cmu.ac.th</a> , +66 53941854 |   |

| Thai as a Foreign Language (TFL)   |   |
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| 1. Academic requirement  | None  |
| 2. Application documents   | Statement of purpose in Thai (only for TFL Scholarship for CLMV students) |
| Remark   | The decision of admission will be finalized by the TFL program committee  |
| Program contact: <a href="mailto:tfl@cmu.ac.th">tfl@cmu.ac.th</a> , + 66 5394 3244 |   |



## Annex 2B

### CGPA Requirements by Program

The minimum Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) (5 terms for those who are studying and 6 terms for those who have already graduated) as follows:

| Programs                       | Minimum CGPA (4.0 scale)   |   |
|--------------------------------|--|---|
| <b>CE, EESG, IEL, and MEPM</b> | <b>No minimum required on overall grade</b>  |   |
| <b>ISNE</b>                    | <b>2.50 overall</b>  |   |
| Thai system                    | However, applicants must have <b>Mathematics <i>and</i> Science</b> subjects in their transcript   |   |
| Equivalency Certification      | However, applicants must have <b>Mathematics <i>and</i> Science</b> in their transcript <i>or</i> listed in a standardized test (e.g. AP exam scores)  |   |
| <b>ECON</b>                    | <b>No minimum required on overall grade</b>  |   |
| Thai system                    | However, applicants must have <b>English</b> with a minimum CGPA of 2.75 <i>and</i> <b>Mathematics</b> with a minimum CGPA of 2.50 in their transcript |   |
| <b>ES</b>                      | <b>2.50 overall</b>  |   |
| Thai system                    | With minimum CGPA in <b>Physics, Chemistry, Biology <i>and</i> Mathematics</b> 2.50 in each subject  |   |
| Equivalency Certification      | With <b>Physics, Chemistry, Biology</b> and <b>Mathematics</b> in their transcript <i>or</i> listed in a standardized test (e.g. AP exam scores)       |   |
| <b>FST</b>                     | <b>2.75 overall</b>  |   |
| Thai system                    | With <b>Physics, Chemistry, Biology</b> in their transcript <i>or</i> listed in a standardized test (e.g. AP exam scores)                              |   |
| Equivalency Certification      | With <b>Physics, Chemistry, Biology</b> in their transcript <i>or</i> listed in a standardized test (e.g. AP exam scores)                              |   |
| <b>IDEA</b>                    | <b>2.50 overall</b>  |   |
| Thai system                    | With minimum CGPA in <b>Physics <i>and/or</i> Mathematics</b> 2.50 in each subject   |   |
| Equivalency Certification      | With <b>Physics <i>and/or</i> Mathematics</b> in their transcript <i>or</i> listed in a standardized test (e.g. AP exam scores)                        |   |
| <b>SE</b>                      | <b>No minimum required on overall grade</b>  |   |
| Thai system                    | However, applicants must have <b>Physics, Chemistry <i>and</i> Mathematics</b> in their transcript.  |   |
| Equivalency Certification      | However, applicants must have <b>Mathematics</b> in their transcript <i>or</i> listed in a standardized test (e.g. AP exam scores)                     |   |
| <b>NSC</b>                     | Thai system  | <b>3.0 overall</b> (only for those who are studying in or have graduated from an international program) |
| <b>MMIT</b>                    | <b>No minimum required on overall grade</b>  |   |
| Thai system                    | No minimum required  |   |
| Equivalency Certification      | However, applicants must have <b>Mathematics</b> in their transcript <i>or</i> listed in a standardized test (e.g. AP exam scores)                     |   |
| <b>HS and SSSD</b>             | <b>2.75 overall</b><br>with minimum CGPA in <b>English</b> subject 2.75  |   |
| <b>TFL</b>                     | <b>2.50 overall</b>  |   |
| <b>STB</b>                     | <b>2.75 overall</b>  |   |
| <b>ACC and DIN</b>             | <b>No minimum required</b>   |   |

**Remark:** [According to Association of the Council of University Presidents of Thailand's announcement TCAS \(No.2\) on the criteria for the equivalency of Grade Point Average \(GPAX\) for graduates from abroad \(August 2, 2024\)](#)

## Annex 2C

### The Lists of Countries Where English Is an Official Language

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The following are countries in which English is an official language. If your country of citizenship is one of these listed, you are exempted from the English Certification requirement for application to the CMU-IPAS.

|    |                        |    |  |    |                          |
|----|------------------------|----|--|----|--------------------------|
| 1  | Anguilla               | 23 | India                                  | 45 | Saint Lucia              |
| 2  | Antigua and Barbuda    | 24 | Ireland                                | 46 | Samoa                    |
| 3  | Bahamas, <i>The</i>    | 25 | Jersey                                 | 47 | Seychelles               |
| 4  | Barbados               | 26 | Kenya                                  | 48 | Sierra Leone             |
| 5  | Belize                 | 27 | Liberia                                | 49 | Singapore                |
| 6  | Belgium                | 28 | Malawi                                 | 50 | Sint Maarten             |
| 7  | Bermuda                | 29 | Malta                                  | 51 | Solomon Islands          |
| 8  | Botswana               | 30 | Marshall Islands                       | 52 | Somalia                  |
| 9  | British Virgin Islands | 31 | Micronesia, <i>Federated States of</i> | 53 | South Africa             |
| 10 | Burundi                | 32 | Namibia                                | 54 | South Sudan              |
| 11 | Cameroon               | 33 | New Zealand                            | 55 | Sudan                    |
| 12 | Canada                 | 34 | Nigeria                                | 56 | Swaziland                |
| 13 | Cayman Islands         | 35 | Niue                                   | 57 | Tanzania                 |
| 14 | Christmas Island       | 36 | Norfolk Island                         | 58 | Tonga                    |
| 15 | Cook Islands           | 37 | Northern Mariana Islands               | 59 | Trinidad and Tobago      |
| 16 | Dominica               | 38 | Pakistan                               | 60 | Turks and Caicos Islands |
| 17 | Fiji                   | 39 | Palau                                  | 61 | Tuvalu                   |
| 18 | Gambia                 | 40 | Papua New Guinea                       | 62 | Uganda                   |
| 19 | Ghana                  | 41 | Philippines                            | 63 | Zambia                   |
| 20 | Grenada                | 42 | Pitcairn Islands                       | 64 | Zimbabwe                 |
| 21 | Guyana                 | 43 | Rwanda                                 |    |                          |
| 22 | Hong Kong              | 44 | Saint Kitts and Nevis                  |    |                          |

**Source:** Central Intelligence Agency's World Fact Book



## Annex 2D

### English Proficiency Requirements by Program

The following minimum scores of the Standard English Language Certificates are required.

| Program                             | IELTS   | IELTS indicator | TOEFL   |   |  | TOEIC | SAT EBRW | CMU-TEGS | CU-TEP | TU-GET |  | Duolingo (DET)  |
|-------------------------------------|---|-----------------|---|---|--|-------|----------|----------|--------|--------|--|---|
|                                     |   |                 | PBT/ITP                                       | CBT   | iBT  |       |          |          |        | PBT    | CBT  |   |
| <b>ACC</b>                          | 5.5   |                 | 500   | 173   | 60   |       |          | 65       | 70     | 500    | 70   | 95  |
| <b>CE, EESG, IEL, ISNE and MEPM</b> | 5.0   | 5.0             | 500   | 173   | 61   | 600   | 460      | 65       | 73     | 600    | 68   | 85  |
| <b>DIN</b>                          | 5.0   | 5.0             | 500   | 173   | 61   | 600   | 460      | 60       | 60     | 600    | 68   | 85  |
| <b>ECON</b>                         | 5.5   | 5.5             | 525   | 196   | 70   |       |          | 65       | 70     | 500    | 70   | 95 overall with minimum production section scores 95    |
| <b>ES</b>                           | 5.0   |                 | 500   | 173   | 61   | 600   |          |          |        |        |  |   |
| <b>FST</b>                          | 5.0   |                 | 500   | 173   | 61   | 600   |          | 60       | 60     | 500    | 60   | 85  |
| <b>HS</b>                           | 5.5 overall with minimum Writing band scores of 5.5 |                 | 525 overall with minimum Writing scores of 55 | 196 overall with minimum Writing scores of 22 | 70 overall with minimum Writing scores of 17 |       |          | 70       | 73     | 600    | 53 overall with minimum Writing scores of 15 | 95 overall with minimum production section scores of 95 |
| <b>IDEA</b>                         | 5.0   |                 | 500   | 173   | 61   | 600   |          |          |        |        |  | 85  |
| <b>MMIT</b>                         | 5.0   | 5.0             | 500   | 173   | 61   | 600   |          | 60       | 65     | 600    | 68   |   |
| <b>NSC</b>                          | 5.5   |                 | 525   | 196   | 70   |       |          |          |        |        |  |   |
| <b>SE</b>                           | 5.0   |                 | 500   | 173   | 61   | 600   |          | 65       | 73     | 600    | 68   | 85  |
| <b>SSSD</b>                         | 5.5   |                 | 525   | 196   | 70   |       |          | 65       | 73     | 600    | 68   | 85  |
| <b>STB</b>                          | 5.0   |                 | 500   | 173   | 61   | 600   |          | 60       | 70     | 500    | 70   | 85  |
| <b>TFL</b>                          | 5.0   |                 | 500   | 173   | 61   |       |          | 60       | 60     | 500    | 60   | 85  |