

Chulalongkorn University Announcement

Regarding Admission to the Bachelor of Arts in Economics (International Program), Faculty of Economics for the Academic Year 2025 (International Admission)

Chulalongkorn University is now accepting applications for the Bachelor of Arts in Economics (International Program), Faculty of Economics for the Academic Year 2025 (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	

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.

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

SAT (Math) not lower t		
- ACT (Math)	not lower than	
- IB (Math HL)	not lower than	
- A-Level (Math)	not lower than	
- CU-AAT (Math)	not lower than	
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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 (fifteen) 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 2025 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 http://www.eba.econ.chula.ac.th/Admission/Inter.

There are two rounds of application as follows:

First round application:

between December 25, 2024 - February 5, 2025

Second round application: between March 20 - May 2, 2025

(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, 2024 - February 5, 2025.

For the second-round application (if any), please pay the fee between March 20 - May 2,

3.2.2 Application Fee

Applicants are required to pay an application fee of 1,500 THB (One thousand five hundred Baht) through the payment system of the Office of Financial Affairs, Accounting, and Procurement at Chulalongkorn University via the website https://ofas.chula.ac.th/Service. Select "Faculty of Economics" and then choose "The application fee AY 2025 (International Round)". After that, click on the "Pay" button. Once on the payment page, follow these steps:

- Step 1: The screen will display the application fee details for the Academic Year 2568 (2025) International Round, with a payment amount of 1,500 THB. Click on the "Next" button to proceed to the next step.
- Step 2: Enter the payer's information/receipt details (only in Thai or English).
- Step 3: Choose a payment method. You can choose between the following two options:
 - 1. Bank transfer (QR Payment)
 - 2. Credit/debit card (with a service fee as specified)

Once you have selected your payment method, click on the "Pay" button. The screen will display the payment details. Click on the "Make payment" button to proceed with the payment.

Note:

- Please do not close or refresh the page while the transaction is in progress.
 The payment confirmation should appear within 30 seconds. If no confirmation is shown, click "Check status."
- The payment receipt will be sent to the email address provided by the payer.
 If the payment is made via QR Code after 22:59 or via credit card after 20:59, the receipt will be issued the following day.
- The payment system will close on December 23, 2024, at 23:00.

Applicants are responsible for ensuring they meet the announced eligibility criteria and that all provided information, and documents are truthful and accurate. If any errors, discrepancies, or failures to meet the requirements are discovered at any stage of the application process, the applicant will be immediately disqualified from the selection process.

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 exam results as specified in requirement 1.1.2 and 1.1.3 above
- 4.4 Certified copy of passport
- 4.5 Certified copy of name change certificate (If any)
- 4.6 Submit electronic exam results according to requirement 1.1.2 and 1.1.3 above
 For applicants submitting test scores from IELTS, TOEFL, SAT, ACT, or the Duolingo English Test:
 You must request that the testing agency to send the official electronic test scores directly to
 the Bachelor of Arts in Economics (International Program) before applying to the EBA ordine,
 admission system, as per the details provided below. Additionally, please upload a soft file of
 the test score report through the online application system.

- 4.6.1 If an applicant selects the IELTS exam, the result must be sent by its testing center directly to the Bachelor of Arts in Economics (International Program). Please use the code for Chulalongkorn University-EBA Program Faculty of Economics.
- 4.6.2 If an applicant selects the TOEFL, the result must be sent by ETS directly to the Bachelor of Arts in Economics (International Program). Please use the code for Chulalongkorn EBA Program C886.
- 4.6.3 If an applicant selects the SAT, the result must be sent by College Board directly to the Bachelor of Arts in Economics (International Program). Please use the code for Chulalongkorn EBA Program 9080.
- 4.6.4 If an applicant selects the Duolingo English Test exam, the result must be sent by the test center to the Bachelor of Arts in Economics (International Program). Please use the code for Chulalongkorn University-EBA Program Faculty of Economics.
- 4.6.5 If an applicant selects the ACT exam, the result must be sent by the test center to the Bachelor of Arts in Economics (International Program). Please use the code for CHULALONGKORN UNIV EBA PRGM 8011.
- 4.6.6 If an applicant selects the CU-TEP or CU-AAT exam, the original score report issued by Chulalongkorn University Academic Testing Center must be submitted. The score report can be obtained at Chulalongkorn University Academic Testing Center, 3rd floor Chamchuri 8 building.
- 4.6.7 If an applicant selects the A-Level (Math) or IB (Math HL), please submit the certified copy of A-Level (Math) or IB (Math HL) score report.
- 4.7 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.)
- 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.

Once the applicant has successfully submitted their application through the designated system, the Faculty of Economics will not refund the application fee under any circumstances.

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 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 shortlisted for an interview, based on their proficiency scores as specified in 1.1.2 and 1.1.3 on February 11, 2025, through the EBA On the Application

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

6.1.2 Interview (Online)

Qualified applicants will be interviewed online between February 14 - 20, 2025. If an applicant does not attend the interview, they will be disqualified.

6.1.3 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 (http://www.eba.econ.chula.ac.th/Admission/Inter).

6.1.4 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 February 28 - March 6, 2025. 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 7 - 11, 2025. 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 (http://www.eba.econ.chula.ac.th/Admission/Inter) between February 28 - March 13, 2025.

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 8, 2025 through the EBA Online Application System (http://www.eba.econ.chula.ac.th/Admission/Inter).

6.2.2 Interview (Online)

Qualified applicants will be interviewed online between May 13 - 16, 2025. If an applicant does not attend the interview, they will be disqualified.

6.2.3 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 21, 2025, through the EBA Online Application System (http://www.eba.econ.chula.ac.th/Admission/Inter).

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 May 23 - 28, 2025. 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 May 29 - June 2, 2025. If an applicant fails to do so by the appointed time, they will be assumed to have rejected the offer of a place.

6.2.6 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 (http://www.eba.econ.chula.ac.th/Admission/Inter). between May 23 -June 4, 2025.

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 2025 (International Admission) on June 12, 2025 through the EBA Online Application System (http://www.eba.econ.chula.ac.th/Admission/Inter).

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 University 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 studen status will be terminated, and the University 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 surcharges will be charged according to announcements by Chulalongkorn University.

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Additional Information on

High School Provisional/Equivalency Certificate and GPAX Equivalency Certificate

High School Equivalency Certificate

For applicants already graduated from a foreign high school or an international school in Thailand which is not accredited by the Thai Ministry of Education, applicants will need to obtain an equivalency certification via website https://hsces.atc.chula.ac.th before applying to the program. This includes applicants applying with GED, A-level, Cambridge Pre-U, IB, NZQA, or other qualifications from abroad.

The process will be completed within 7 working days after payment confirmed.

High School Provisional Equivalency Certificate

For applicants currently attending a foreign high school or an international school in Thailand which is not accredited by the Thai Ministry of Education, applicants will need to obtain a provisional equivalency certification via website https://hsces.atc.chula.ac.th before applying to the program. This includes applicants applying with GED, A-level, Cambridge Pre-U, IB, NZQA, or other qualifications from abroad.

The process will be completed within 3 working days after payment confirmed.

High School GPAX Equivalency Certificate

For applicants who would like to convert their GPAX to 4.0 system, applicants will need to obtain a GPAX equivalency certificate via website https://hsces.atc.chula.ac.th before applying to the EBA program. This includes applicants applying with GED, A-level, Cambridge Pre-U, IB, NZQA, or other qualifications from abroad.

The process will be completed within 7 working days after payment confirmed.