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# STUDENT MOBILITY

**PROGRAM** 

2023

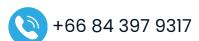
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### 1. ABOUT PSU

Prince of Songkla University (PSU) was established in 1967 as the first university in southern Thailand. The original aims of the university were to raise the general education standards and support regional industry and development. Today, PSU is a leading public university committed to academic excellence, reputable research, and innovation. It is one of the nine national research universities and among the top 10 comprehensive universities in Thailand by QS ranking. The university consists of five campuses, Pattani, Hatyai, Phuket, Sura Thani and Trang. In 1968, the first permanent campus was established in Rusamilae Subdistrict, Mueang District, Pattani Province.

"PSU Pattani Campus" is the first campus of Prince of Songkla University (PSU) and PSU began its educational journey on this campus. It is located in the field of arts and social sciences and conducts research and academic services, nurturing and developing language, culture, social science, humanities, and fine arts. It was founded in 1966 in Ruesamilae, Mueang District, Pattani Province, as the first and largest university in the southern region. It was originally called 'The University of Southern Thailand" in September, 1967. Subsequently, His Majesty King Bhumibol Adulyadej (King Rama IX) named the university "Prince of Songkla University" on March 12, 1968, observed as the university's establishment day, March 13 marks the university's founding day.

# 2. INTRODUCTION

PSU Pattani campus is pleased to announce the start of the Student Mobility Program for international students. As part of our vision, PSU strives to foster our students into global citizens. Initially, the program launched in the first semester of the academic year in 2023. There are mainly MOU partners from Southeast Asia joining this program. More than 30 universities from Southeast Asia have been invited to participate in this program. An exchange student will obtain an academic transcript and certificate but will not receive a degree from PSU.

Students mobilized through PSU's Student Mobility Program in the first semester of 2023. Students from universities in Southeast Asia are the primary target group of the program. Creating an international atmosphere on campus and promoting living together in a multicultural society are the main objectives. Additionally, the program aims to improve students' English language abilities. As part of the program, students had chance to learn about Thai culture, Thai cuisine, tourism, fashion, and local customs.

## 3. OBJECTIVES

The objectives of this program are as follows:

- 1. Creating a global atmosphere on campus as well as providing an opportunity for students to experience a different perspective on their academic and environment within university in Thailand.
- 2. Providing multicultural learning environments. Students could gain a deeper understanding of multicultural differences by participating in exchange programs.
- 3. Developing students' English language abilities. Having interaction with international students can be beneficial to local students in terms of improving their English, especially as they relate to listening and speaking.

# 4. TARGET GROUP

International students from MOU partner universities in Southeast Asia

# 5. PROCEDURE AND ACTIVITIES

Program	Date/Venue	
Application Period:	16 January - 28 February 2023	
Acceptance	1 June 2023	
Pre-Departure Orientation	5 July 2023 (via online system)	
Pick-Up Students	31 July 2023	
	at Su-ngai Kolok, Narathiwat	
Dormitory Check-In	31 July 2023	
	- Male dormitory 9	
	- female dormitory 10	
Orientation Activity	4 August 2023	
	at Office of Pattani campus	
Field Trip Activities 1	4 August 2023	
	- Pattani Central Mosque	
	- Pattani China Town	
	- Ba Na Wooden Bridge	
	- Krue Se Mosque	
	- Talok Samilae Beach and Mall	

Program	Date/Venue		
Exchange Experiences	1-2 September 2023		
Program	at Phatthalung Province		
Farewell Party	3 October 2023		
	at Office of Pattani campus		
Field Trip Activities 2	5 October 2023		
	- Samila Beach		
	- Songkla Old Town		
	- PSU Hatyai campus		
	- PSU History Hall		
	- Green Market		
	<ul> <li>PSU Agricultural Marketing</li> </ul>		
Send Students Back	6 October 2023		
	at Su-ngai Kolok, Narathiwat		

# 6. RESPONSIBLE PERSONS

- Asst.Prof.Dr. Montira Leelakriangsak

Vice President for Academic Affairs, Pattani Campus

- Asst.Prof.Dr. Aruneewan Buaneaw

Vice President for Research and Social Mission, Pattani Campus

- Asst.Prof.Dr. Warapark Maitreephun

Assistant President for Research and Social Mission, Pattani Campus

Mr.Muhammad Masor

International Affairs Officer

- Miss Hongkwan Ongwuttiwat

International Affairs Officer

# 7. <u>LIST OF PARTICIPANTS AND COURSE REGISTRATION</u>

The Student Mobility Program was attended by 14 students. The program is scheduled from July 31 to October 6, 2023. They are all from Universiti Malaysia Kelantan. Here is a list of participants: -

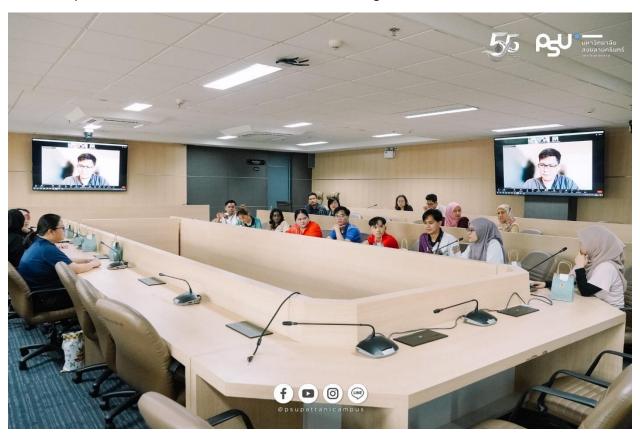
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6600100425	MS. LOW HUI WEN	
	- 411-101 Thai language your language	
	- 730-213 Costal Ecology and Conservation	9,0
	- 732-324 Floriculture and Ornamental Plant	
	Production	
	741-441 Analysis of Rubber and Rubber Chemical	
	Laboratory	
	- 913-316 Flower Painting for Souvenirs	
6600100426	MR. RONDLEY RONALD JOSTA	
	913-314 Portraits Drawing for Design and	(a.6)
	Creativity	
	- 417-101 Hi! English	
	913-316 Flower Painting for Souvenirs	ð
6600100427	MR. MUHAMMAD ATIQ BIN ROSLI	
	730-213 Costal Ecology and Conservation	
	411-101 Thai language your language	
	- 730-113 Introduction to Fishery Technology and	Sa A all
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6600100428	MS. FONG POH YEE	
	- 730-213 Costal Ecology and Conservation	
	- 870-321 International Marketing Communication	
	- 411-101 Thai language your language	1, 9
6600100429	MS. FAZRAMAH BINTI JULI	
	- 913-316 Flower Painting for Souvenirs	
	- 730-113 Introduction to Fishery Technology and	
	Innovation	
	- 730-213 Costal Ecology and Conservation	8
6600100430	MS. SARIFAH NADIA BINTI TAMRIN	
	- 730-213 Costal Ecology and Conservation	
	- 913-314 Portraits Drawing for Design and	
	Creativity	
	- 913-316 Flower Painting for Souvenirs	

Student ID	Name/Course Registration	Photo
6600100431	MR. WAN NAZHAN SYAHMI BIN WAN SATAR  913-316 Flower Painting for Souvenirs  417-101 Hi! English  913-314 Portraits Drawing for Design and Creativity	
6600100432	MS. AIDA SULWANA BINTI OTHMAN  913-316 Flower Painting for Souvenirs 411-101 Thai language your language 730-213 Costal Ecology and Conservation	
6600100433	MS. NUR ASHIDAH BINTI UDING  - 730-113 Introduction to Fishery Technology and Innovation  - 730-213 Costal Ecology and Conservation  - 913-316 Flower Painting for Souvenirs	
6600100434	<ul> <li>MS. IVY ANDREA UNUS</li> <li>411-101 Thai language your language</li> <li>730-113 Introduction to Fishery Technology and Innovation</li> <li>730-213 Costal Ecology and Conservation</li> </ul>	
6600100435	<ul> <li>MS. NUR ISMAHANI BINTI IDHAM</li> <li>411-101 Thai language your language</li> <li>730-113 Introduction to Fishery Technology and Innovation</li> <li>730-213 Costal Ecology and Conservation</li> </ul>	
6600100436	MS. MASLINA KOTA  411-101 Thai language your language 417-101 Hi! English 913-316 Flower Painting for Souvenirs	
6600100437	<ul> <li>MS. BAAVATHARANI CHANDRAN</li> <li>411-101 Thai language your language</li> <li>730-213 Costal Ecology and Conservation</li> <li>913-314 Portraits Drawing for Design and Creativity</li> </ul>	
6600100439	<ul> <li>MR. MOHD RAFIE BIN JAHIP</li> <li>730-213 Costal Ecology and Conservation</li> <li>730-113 Introduction to Fishery Technology and Innovation</li> <li>913-316 Flower Painting for Souvenirs</li> </ul>	

# 8. ACTIVITY

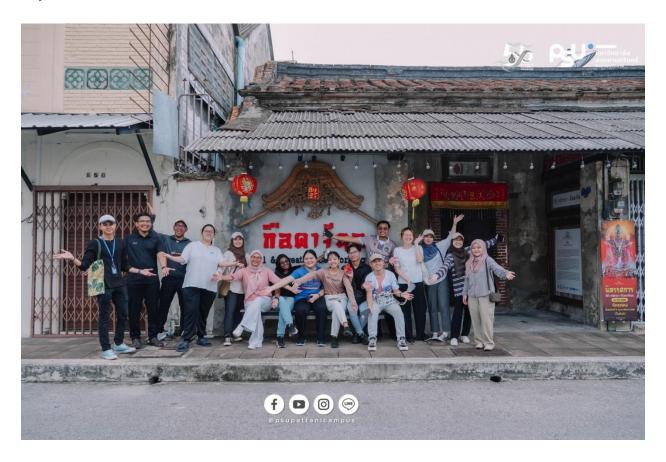
#### 8.1 Orientation

On August 4, 2023, Prince of Songkla University, Pattani Campus, organized a Mobility Program Orientation. There are 14 students from Universiti Malaysia Kelantan (UMK) participating in this program. The event was honored with welcome remarks by Asst. Prof. Dr. Montira Leelakriangsak, Vice President for Academic Affairs, Pattani Campus, and Asst. Prof. Dr. Warapark Maitreephun, Assistant President for Research and Social Mission, Pattani Campus. Students were also guided by the program coordinators to learn about the university's various locations, including the registration and student services office, classroom buildings, faculty buildings, dining halls, the activities building, and the student development center. In addition, students were introduced to faculty and staff who were responsible for their comfort and well-being.



# 8.2 Field Trip: Pattani

On August 5, 2023, Prince of Songkla University, Pattani Campus, organized a Field Trip activity in Pattani. By participating in this activity, students gained a better understanding of Pattani cultural diversity, culture, and tourist attractions. Among the places they visited were the central mosque of Pattani, the The Leng Chu Kiang Shrine, *Keda Cina* (China Town), the Bana Wooden Bridge, Chao Mae Lim Ko Niao Cemetery, Talok Samilae Beach and some mall in Pattani city.



# 8.3 Trash Hero Pattani Clean Up #392

On August 19, 2023, the students participated in the "Trash Hero Pattani Clean Up #392" event at Rusamilae Beach, Pattani



# 8.4 Learning and Exchanging Experiences Program

On September 1-2, 2023, at Phatthalung Province, Pattani Campus, led by Asst. Prof. Dr. Warapark Maitreephun, Assistant President for Research and Social Mission, Pattani Campus, organized an exchange of experiences program between Thai students from various faculties and international students who are currently studying at Prince of Songkla University, Pattani Campus. The participants are from Cambodia, Malaysia, and China, and a total of 33 students took part.



# 8.5 Russian Language and Culture training

On September 3, 2566, Prince of Songkla University, Pattani Campus, in collaboration with Shukshin Altai State University, Russia organized an activity about Russian Language and Culture training. This training was lectured by professors from the Department of Russian Language and Literature at Shukshin Altai State University. The activity was titled "Russian Language and Culture" and aimed to provide students, teachers, and staff knowledge on various topics, including the world of Russian culture, positive psychology, the Russian language, and educational quests. The training program aimed to impart knowledge about the language and culture of Russia. Additionally, all exchange students enjoyed participating in this program.



# 8.6 Student Mobility Farewell Party

On October 3, 2023, Corporate Communication and Global Affairs, Prince of Songkla Pattani Campus, organized a program "Student Exchange Program Farewell Party". It was held from 16.00 - 18.00 in VijarnSupphakit meeting room (3rd floor) In this year's event, there were 14 students participating in the student exchange program from Universiti Malaysia Kelantan (UMK). They joined the program for one academic semester (1/2566) at the Pattani Campus.



# 8.7 Field Trips at Songkhla

On October 5, 2023, students participated in an off-campus field trip to Mueang Songkhla and Hat Yai. The students visited various significant locations in Mueang Songkhla and Hat Yai districts, including Samila Beach, the old town on Nang Ngam Road. They also visited PSU Hatyai campus including PSU Hall of History, PSU's Souvenir Shops, University's Canteen, Agriculture's Market, and Green Market, among others.



# 8.8 Journey Back Home

On October 6, 2023, 14 exchange students were taken to Su-ngai Kolok Border, Narathiwat province. Leaving the Pattani Campus at 9:00 AM, they arrived at the border at 11:30 a.m. At approximately 12:30 p.m. was the time when the students crossed into Malaysia. A coordination with Universiti Malaysia Kelantan (UMK) was arranged to receive and return the students to their campus in Jeli.



# Exchange Students are proud to wear PSU's Uniform













# 9. The Satisfaction Assessment Results

The assessment was completed by 14 students (10 females and 4 males) participating in the Student Mobility Program. Based on the Student Mobility Program Satisfaction Assessment Results, the following conclusions can be drawn: -

No	Description	Mean	SD
1	How do you feel about the application form for the program?	4.50	0.85
2	Is the program beneficial for exchanging cultures and experiences?	5.00	0
3	Are the facilities provided by PSU adequate?	5.00	0
4	The duration of the program is appropriate?	4.29	0.91
5	Do you think the course contents at PSU are suitable for you?	4.57	0.76
6	Were the PSU instructors friendly and helpful?	5.00	0
7	Do you think PSU dormitory is comfortable?	4.64	0.63
8	Do you feel that the program coordinators provide satisfactory services and conveniences?	4.93	0.27
9	If anyone is interested in joining this program, would you recommend them?	4.86	0.36
10	Your overall personal expectations of the program were fulfilled?	4.93	0.27

# 10. Student Exchange Program Testimonials





From the moment I arrived in PSU Pattani, I was welcomed with open arms by everyone, no matter if it was staff, students or Ajan. Their warmth and hospitality made me feel like a member of their own family, and I quickly became immersed in their culture. Living with them gave me a genuine insight into the local way of life, and I formed connections that will last a lifetime.





Exchange Student at PSU, Pattani Academic Year: 1/2023





I am deeply grateful for this exchange program, as it has enriched my understanding of the English language and culture. I want to express my heartfelt appreciation to our dedicated lecturer for their guidance and support throughout this journey. I'm also thankful to my wonderful friends who made this experience memorable.



**RONDLEY RONALD JOSTA** 



Thailand never ceases to amaze me by treating me with kindness and friendliness, despite the fact that we don't even know one another. I consider myself to be tremendously fortunate to have been given the chance to study at PSU. I'm so glad that you allowed me to have this life-altering experience, and I sincerely hope that we can keep improving people's lives.

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**MUHAMMAD ATIQ BIN ROSLI** 

Exchange Student at PSU, Pattani Academic Year: 1/2023

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RINCE of ONGKLA NIVERSITY

It's a very excited and fun journey for me during my 2 month semester break. Uncountable memories and unbreakable bond with local Thai friends are the best gift for me.

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**FONG POH YEE** 





I feel extremely privileged to have gotten the opportunity to spend a my time here in PSU. I will be forever grateful for allowing me to have this life-changing experience and I hope with my whole heart that we will continue to change lives for the better.

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FAZRAMAH BINTI JULI Exchange Student at PSU, Pattani Academic Year: 1/2023





PRINCE of SONGKLA INIVERSITY

The friendships I formed with local Thai students are some of the most cherished relationships in my life.

We shared experiences, overcame challenges, and created memories that will forever bind us together. I believe this will not be the end of our friendship but only the start of it

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SARIFAH NADIA TAMRIN



I can confidently say that PSU is the best university to study, offering a diverse and inclusive environment, exceptional faculty, and world-class facilities. My time at PSU has left an indelible mark on me, and I am profoundly grateful for this unforgettable experience. This mobility program has been a life-changing journey

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#### **WAN NAZHAN SYAHMI**

Exchange Student at PSU, Pattani Academic Year: 1/2023

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The experience was truly transformative and has had a profound impact on my personal and academic growth.

I highly recommed this program to any student seeking to broaden their harizons gain a global perspective and develop valueble skills that will undoubtedly benefit them in their future endeavors.

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AIDA SULWANA BINTI OTHMAN



The opportunity to learn in a different educational system and languages were invaluable and have undoubtedly made me a more adaptable and globally aware student.

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NUR ASHIDAH BINTI UDING

Exchange Student at PSU, Pattani Academic Year: 1/2023

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The university provides students with a welcoming and comfortable learning environment, and the students, faculty, and staff all work hard to make it a rewarding experience. I highly recommend PSU to anyone who is looking for a university experience that will not only provide them with an excellent education but also a community that they will find welcoming and supportive.

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IVY ANDREA UNUS



I can say that PSU, Pattani Campus has been a wonderful place for me to study. The lecturers and staff are always supportive and willing to help, and the university provides students with all the necessary facilities to make their stay here comfortable and productive. I would highly recommend this university to anyone who is looking for a place to further their studies.

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#### NUR ISMAHANI BINTI IDHAM

Exchange Student at PSU, Pattani Academic Year: 1/2023

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PRINCE OF SONGKLA INIVERSITY

I absolutely recommend this program to any student who wants to gain knowledge, and experience, and develop communication skills that will benefit them in the future. It has not only provided me with tons of unforgettable memories that I will never forget but also I could learn unique skills and experiences that I couldn't possibly get elsewhere. I know all of this can be applied in the future

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**MASLINA KOTA** 



The professors were not just knowledgeable but also deeply passionate about their subjects, which made the learning process engaging and fulfilling. The modern facilities and abundant resources at the university further elevated my educational experience. Beyond the classroom, Thailand's vibrant culture and breathtaking natural landscapes served as a diverse backdrop for exploration.

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**BAAVATHARANI CHANDRAN** 

Exchange Student at PSU, Pattani Academic Year: 1/2023

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I am very grateful to PSU for accepting me as a
PSU student, and don't forget achan (teacher)
who tries to teach us here. I really appreciate the services
of the teachers here because the teachers here are like
our parents who always ask "have you eaten yet?"
have you had breakfast? are you tired and take us
to explore places we have never been to

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**MOHD RAFIE BIN JAHIP**