

IAC International Newsletter

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RECENT EVENTS:

MAY 19: PSU - BSU ENGLISH CAMP OPENING CEREMONY

On May 19th, 2019 IAC in coordination with IAO Hatyai Campus organized the opening ceremony for PSU-BSU English Camp. Many PSU students and a group of university student volunteers from Ball State University (BSU), USA participated in a 2-week program from 18 - 31 May 2019. The camp took place in Phuket, Phang-Nga, Krabi and Surat Thani. The ceremony was opened by Asst. Prof. Apichat Heednacram, Ph.D., Assistant President for Academic and International Affairs. Approximately 60 PSU students attended the ceremony at the Auditorium in Building 3. The students were on Phuket campus for 3 days studying English, participated in fun activities, and visited many tourist attractions in Phuket.







MAY 29: MR. LIU XINGTAN & DELEGATES FROM HEZE UNIVERSITY, CHINA VISITED PSU PHUKET

On May 29th, 2019 Asst. Prof. Apichat Heednacram, Ph.D., Assistant President for Academic and International Affairs; and PSU Phuket representatives warmly welcomed Mr. Liu Xingtan & delegates from Heze University, China to PSU Phuket on the 3rd floor of the President's Office Building, (Bldg.7). The purpose of this visit was to discuss the possibilities for academic collaboration such student exchange programs, short/summer programs, joint degree, and cultural exchange programs in the near future with the Faculty of International Studies and College of Computing.















May 23: TICA students Met Vice President for Phuket Campus

On May 23rd, 2019 Assoc. Prof. Pun Tongchumnum, Ph.D., Vice President for Phuket Campus and Asst. Prof. Apichat Heednacram, Ph.D., Assistant President for Academic and International Affairs bid farewell to Ms. Han Swe and Mr. Naung Naung Htwe, 2 Burmese master's degree graduate students studying in Interdisciplinary Graduate School of Earth System Science and Andaman Natural Disaster Management (ESSAND). They completed their 2 years graduate study successfully under the Thailand International Cooperation Agency's scholarship (TICA).







Visa Extension Assistance for International Staff and Students (every month)

IAC provides visa extension assistance for all international staff and students. IAC must be notified by the visa holder at least two weeks before the visa expiry date in order to apply for an extension of stay. The visa extension can be done 45 days before the expiry date.



WARNING: OVERSTAYING YOUR VISA IS ILLEGAL! IF YOU OVERSTAY, THERE IS A FINE OF 500 BAHT PER DAY WITH A MAXIMUM FINE OF 20,000 BAHT. IF YOU OVER-STAY MORE THAN 90 DAYS, YOU WILL BE DEPORTED AND BANNED FROM RE-EN-TERING THAILAND.











IMPORTANT Notice and Information

Address Registration Clarification! According to the 1979 Thai Immigration Act Section 38, every



foreign nationals staying in Thailand must register their address within 24 hours of arrival: "House owners, heads of household, landlords or managers of hotels who accommodate foreign nationals on a temporary basis who stay in the kingdom legally, must notify the local immigration authorities within 24 hours from the time of arrival of the foreign national."

Source: Division 1 Immigration Bureau (http://bangkok.immigration.go.th/en/base.php?page=alienstay

> • If you live **OFF CAMPUS**: It is your landlord's and your responsibility to register your address because you reside/live on the landlord's property.

1. In person

Your landlord or you can register in person at Phuket Immigration Office.

2. Online

Your landlord can register you via online when you move in to the premise.

• If you live **ON CAMPUS**: IAC, on behalf of PSU Phuket, will register your address via online because you reside/live You can register your address by the following 2 ways: on campus.

Required documents:

- Dormitory card as proof of residence (for students only)
- Original passport
- TM. 6 Departure Card

Events & Activities in the Upcoming Months

Announcements of scholarships, summer programs!

Student Exchange Program at National Chung Hsing University (NCHU), Taiwan

- Fall 2019 (Sept. 2019 Jan. 2020)
- Spring 2020 (Feb. 2020 Jun. 2020)
- Whole Academic Year (Sept. 2019 Jun. 2020)

Language & Culture Camp at Ming Chi University of Technology (MCUT), Taiwan (8 - 17 July 2019)

Cultural Exchange Summer Camp in China

- Jiangxi University of Science and Technology, (16 - 30 June 2019)

Exploring ASEAN in Vietnam "Capture Incredible Vietnam Tourism through Community Experiences" (11 - 14 June 2019)

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IMMIGRATION MATTERS

90 DAY REPORT ONLINE!

Must be done 8 - 15 days **BEFORE** the 90 day due date stamped in your passport.

On the IAC website (http://www.iac.phuket.psu.ac.th/) under "Useful Information" you can find a link titled "Online 90 Day Report Instructions" to guide you to do the online 90 day report. You can also contact IAC for further information and if you have any questions.

IMPORTANT: FULL-TIME INTERNATIONAL STAFF AND STUDENTS, PLEASE REMEMBER TO CHECK YOUR PASSPORT TO SEE WHEN YOU MUST DO YOUR 90 DAY REPORT EITHER ONLINE (8-15 DAYS BEFORE DUE DATE) OR AT THE IMMIGRATION OFFICE IN PHUKET TOWN.



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