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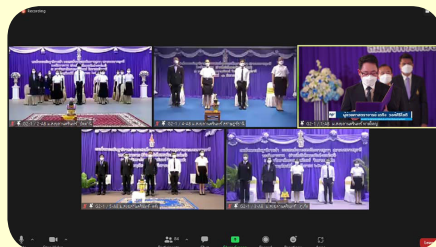
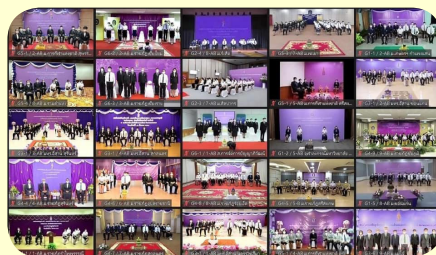
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RECENT EVENTS

16 SEPTEMBER 2021: HRH PRINCESS MAHA CHAKRI SIRINDHORN PRESIDED OVER THE “THAILAND-CAMBODIA COLLABORATIVE DEVELOPMENT PROJECT” VIRTUAL CEREMONY AND BESTOWED A MESSAGE OF ENCOURAGEMENT UPON MORE THAN 800 CAMBODIAN ROYAL SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS UNDER HER PATRONAGE.

On 16 September 2021, Prince of Songkla University Vice President for International Affairs, Asst. Prof. Thakerng Wongsirichot, Ph.D., along with representatives from all 5 PSU campuses and 31 Cambodian Royal Scholarship recipients who are studying at PSU, paid respects to HRH Princess Maha Chakri Sirindhorn virtually during the “Thailand-Cambodia Collaborative Development Project” ceremony. Around 50 universities in Thailand joined this virtual event and approximately 855 Cambodian students attended the ceremony. PSU Phuket was represented by the Vice President of Academic Affairs, Assoc. Prof. Prathana Kannaovakun, Ph.D; Assistant President for Special Affairs, Mr. Arkom Wangmuang; and 3 Cambodian students: Ms. Sakvisal Sam from the Faculty of Hospitality and Tourism, Ms. Minea Seng and Mr. Daro Meak from the College of Computing. Rehearsal for the ceremony took place on the 6, 8, and 15 of September 2021 at Chao-fah Meeting Hall, 5th floor of the President’s Office Building, (Bldg.7). Since 2012, PSU has accepted around 148 Cambodian students under Royal Scholarship Her Royal Highness Princess Maha Chakri Sirindhorn Education Project to the Kingdom of Cambodia.



“IAC CSR Activity 2021” - **SHARING IS CARING!**

On 1, 22, and 29 September, 2021 the International Affairs Centre (IAC) together with vice presidents, CIP director & team, international student volunteers, and other representatives took part in “**IAC CSR Activity 2021**” by handing out donation items such as food, drinks, and personal care items to the local community affected by COVID-19 at PSU Phuket Little Free Pantry (Tu Pan Suk) in front of Building 10. >>Because **Sharing is Caring!** “Our soul is for the benefit of mankind”



PSU PHUKET YOUNG GACC #1

PSU Young Global Affairs and Corporate Communication
Young Ambassadors for the Sustainable Development Goals!

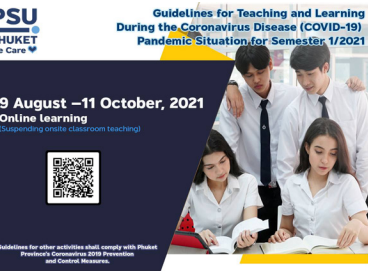
"การอนุรักษ์และใช้ประโยชน์จากทรัพยากรทางทะเลและชายฝั่งอย่างยั่งยืน CONSERVE AND SUSTAINABLY USE THE OCEANS, SEAS AND MARINE RESOURCES FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT"

#PSUPHUKET #SDG14
 #LifeBelowWater

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GUIDELINES FOR TEACHING, LEARNING, ASSESSMENT, AND EVALUATION MANAGEMENT DURING THE CORONAVIRUS DISEASE (COVID-19) PANDEMIC SITUATION FOR SEMESTER 1/2021



Online teaching and learning until 11 October 2021!

*All classes need to cease in-class teaching and learning activities from 9 August – 11 October, 2021 and switch to online teaching or another form that does not involve gathering of students in the classroom.

*PSU Phuket Registration Office

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UPCOMING VIRTUAL CONFERENCE, NEWS & ACTIVITIES, SCHOLARSHIP, ETC.



Kanazawa University Short-Term Exchange Program (2022-2023) (KUEP) / Online Exchange Program (KUEP-Online) for a semester program. These programs are designed for students enrolled at institutions that have an exchange agreement with Kanazawa University*

Date to apply: Now until 20 October 2021



The International BioScience Conference and the 8th Joint International PSU-UNS Bioscience Conference; IBSC 2021

- Track 1: Biology and Environment
- Track 2: Biotechnology and Bioengineering
- Track 3: Biochemistry, Molecular Biology and Biomedicine
- Track 4: Agri-food and Biosensing

Date: 25 - 26 November 2021, at University of Novi Sad Hybrid (online/in-person)

QS Subject Focus Summit - Hospitality and Leisure Management 2021 is going virtual! Join academics and industry leaders to discuss the future of hospitality and the tourism industry & how sustainable models should be implemented.

Date: 5 - 7 October 2021

Organising partners: Prince of Songkla University & Taylor's University



Call for Applicants

Winter Seminar on Human Security Development through Energy Science

This seminar is designed for undergraduate students to study the concept of Human Security Development (HSD) through Energy Science. The main theme of this seminar is energy development, which is an important issue in HSD. The participating students are expected to deepen their knowledge on HSD and energy science with the prospect of finding solutions to technological, socio-economic and political issues in Asia specifically. The seminar will offer lectures and class discussions as well as field trips and cultural experiences (virtual). Applicants from all fields are welcome (not just engineering, economics, or sciences).

Tentative Program: (11 – 21 January, 2022) Place: Kyoto University, Kyoto Japan	
Date	Schedule (tentative)
11 (Tue)	● Guidance, introduction of Kyoto University ● Energy Science
12 (Wed)	● Energy Storage ● Wind Turbine
13 (Thu)	● Energy Grid or Low Hydrogen, Superconductivity ● Hydrogen Energy
14 (Fri)	● Field visit (Virtual) ● Field study trip (Virtual)
15 (Sat)	● Cultural tour (Virtual)
16 (Sun)	● On-Campus Tour (Virtual)

Application

- Participation fee: FREE
- Target students: Undergraduate level
- The number to be admitted: 40 students in total from overseas universities
- For further information, please refer to the application guidelines.
- For the purpose of convenience, this seminar will be held online.
- The Graduate School of Energy Science, Kyoto University, will issue a certificate to students who complete the seminar program.
- Deadline for submission of application: September 22, 2021

Contact

Website: <http://www.energy.kyoto-u.ac.jp/en/winterseminar/>
 E-mail: energyseminar@kyoto-u.ac.jp

AUN-KU Winter Seminar on Human Security Development and Energy Science (Online) between 11 - 21 January 2022

Application: Now - 8 October 2021

Kanazawa University & SUN/SixERS & AUN Co-hosted online program

Japan-ASEAN Training Course towards SDGs

Learning Japanese culture and Biodiversity from UNESCO Biosphere Reserves in Japan

This program uses UNESCO Biosphere Reserves (Eco-parks in Japan) as a platform to learn about bio-cultural diversity, nature conservation and sustainable development. Cross-cultural dialog between Japanese and ASEAN students will be also provided, to discuss about the SDGs. SDGs goals No. 8, 12, 13, 14 and 15, will be focused on the program.

5 days program: October 11th (Mon) - 15th (Fri), 2021
 Real-time classes and On-demand classes will be provided

[Main contents]

- Learning about the concept and activities of UNESCO Eco-Parks in Japan.
- Group work & cross-cultural event with student from Japan and ASEAN region.

See reverse for more details!

[Japan-ASEAN Training Course towards SDGs]

SUN/SixERS, Kanazawa University, Japan in collaboration with ASEAN University Network (AUN) and UNESCO is proud to announce that the Japan-ASEAN Training Course towards SDGs "Learning Japanese culture and Biodiversity from UNESCO Biosphere Reserves in Japan" is to be held virtually on **11 - 15 October 2021**.



For more information, please visit IAC facebook: www.facebook.com/iacpsuphuket



NCHU 2022 Spring Semester Exchange Programs Nomination information.

There are some important points that we would like to notice:

- **Nomination Date: September 15- October 12**
- **Application Date: October 15- October 31**
- **Exchange Period: Spring Semester (Feb. – Jun. 2022)**

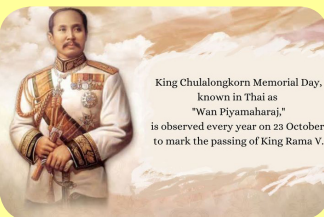
UPCOMING HOLIDAYS & EVENTS IN OCTOBER 2021

Wednesday, October 6: Tenth Lunar Month Festival (Sart Thai Day), for southern provinces only.

The Thai Sart Day refers to merit-making activities for our deceased relatives and loved ones in the middle of the traditional Thai year. People are making Krayasart from rice, bean, sesame and sugar cooked into a sticky paste and then wrapped with a banana leaf to be offered to the monks on Sart Day and also to be shared with neighbors and friends.

Wednesday, October 13: His Majesty King Bhumibol Adulyadej the Great Memorial Day

- In Remembrance of His Majesty King Bhumibol Adulyadej the Great (Rama IX)
- In Loving Memory of His Majesty The King "The King of Kings - King Bhumibol Adulyadej" (December 5, 1927 - October 13, 2016)



King Chulalongkorn Memorial Day, known in Thai as "Wan Piyamaharaj," is observed every year on 23 October to mark the passing of King Rama V.

Please note that Saturday, 23 October: King Chulalongkorn Memorial Day, known in Thai as "Wan Piyamaharaj," is observed every year on 23 October to mark the passing of King Rama V.

Friday, October 22: Substitution for King Chulalongkorn Memorial Day



Phuket Vegetarian Festival 2021 6 - 14 October 2021



Note: This year festival and processions may still happen, but many gatherings will be limited because of COVID-19.

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***PSU and government services will be closed on these days.

Read more >>



COVID-19 UPDATE & INFORMATION

COVID-19 UPDATE PHUKET & THAILAND

*Order of Phuket Province "Closures of Businesses and COVID-19 Prevention Guidelines" No.5896/2564 as of 28 September 2021

*Order of Phuket Province "Relaxation of COVID-19 Controls & Domestic Travel Screening" No.5745/2564 as of 23 September 2021

Effective from 1 October 2021



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Phuket Provincial Order No. 5745/2564

DOMESTIC travel screening measures for entering Phuket

The implementation of the screening of screening measures for travel to Phuket according to the following preventive and control measures for Coronavirus Disease 2019

1 Travelers entering Phuket via Tha Chatai (land), water checkpoint (all ports) and domestic flights via Phuket Airport must be qualified and comply with the following:

Must be vaccinated against COVID-19 with:

- Sinovac 2 doses
- Sinopharm 2 doses
- Sputnik V 2 doses

OR

- Sinovac dose 1 and AstraZeneca dose 2 OR
- AstraZeneca 1 dose
- Moderna 1 dose
- Pfizer 1 dose
- Johnson & Johnson 1 dose
- Janssen 1 dose

OR

Fully recovered from COVID-19 longer than 3 months

Must be tested for COVID-19 by RT-PCR or Antigen Test with confirmed results from a hospital or laboratory with results being issued for NOT more than 7 days prior to arrival

ONLY a person whose name is in the Phuket House Registration, traveling through Tha Chatai gate and the water checkpoints (all ports) is allowed to bring their own paid certified Thailand FCM ATX (Antigen Test Kit) to get tested at a medical facility, a laboratory or a hospital, or bring it to be examined in front of the staff at the gate or ports. The test result can be used for no longer than 7 days at a time.

2 Travelers entering Phuket via the water checkpoints (all ports) must be vaccinated against COVID-19 with the required doses and have a negative result from the RT-PCR or Antigen Test within 7 days prior to arrival.

3 Outbound FCM ATX is not allowed to be used for more than 7 days prior to arrival. The use of FCM ATX is not allowed for the purpose of entering Phuket. The use of FCM ATX is not allowed for the purpose of entering Phuket. The use of FCM ATX is not allowed for the purpose of entering Phuket.

4 In the case of children under 12 years of age who are unable to provide a negative result from the RT-PCR or Antigen Test, they must be accompanied by a parent or guardian who is vaccinated and has a negative result from the RT-PCR or Antigen Test within 7 days prior to arrival.

5 These rules are implemented according to the procedures, guidelines, and regulations of the Ministry of Health of Thailand and the Phuket Provincial Office. These rules are implemented according to the procedures, guidelines, and regulations of the Ministry of Health of Thailand and the Phuket Provincial Office.

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7 Download the mobile application "PhuketSafe" and use it in the banking system at the water checkpoints (all ports) and the water checkpoints (all ports) to get tested at a medical facility, a laboratory or a hospital, or bring it to be examined in front of the staff at the gate or ports. The test result can be used for no longer than 7 days at a time.

IMMIGRATION MATTERS

Immigration Matters Reminder

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As a foreign national living in Thailand, it is your responsibility to always follow and obey the Thai Immigration rules and regulations. IAC is here to provide support and assistance and shall not be held responsible or liable for any fees incurred due to your negligence

Entry stamp:
Always double-check the visa type and expiry date on the entry stamp in your passport every time you go through the immigration counter at the airport to make sure you get the correct stamp.

Visa and Extension of Stay: Note your visa (figure 1) or extension of stay (figure 2) expiry date and notify IAC two weeks before the expiry date to get an extension of stay based on education or employment.
FINE: 500 baht per day with a maximum of 20,000 baht for overstaying. If you overstay more than 90 days, you will be deported and banned from re-entering Thailand.

90-day reporting: Holders of single-entry visa (figure 1) or extension of stay (figure 2) must report to the Immigration Office every 90 days in person (15 days before to 7 days after the due date) or via online (between 7-15 days before the due date).
FINE: 2,000 baht for late reporting up to 5,000 baht if you get arrested.

Holders of multiple-entry visa do not need to do this but must leave Thailand every 90 days instead.
FINE: 500 baht overstay fee per day if fail to exit Thailand after the 90th day.

Address registration update:
You must update your address registration within 24 hours of arrival when you: a) exit and re-enter Thailand, or b) move to new place of residence, or c) stay at a place other than your registered residence for any overnight stays even for only one night. Keep the proof of registration in your passport at all times.

If you live on campus: register your address at IAC. FINE: You and your landlord may be fined and you will be denied any services (e.g. 90-day reporting, re-entry permit, extension of stay applications) at the Immigration Office.

Exchange students: register your address at IAC.

Re-entry permit: Holders of single-entry visa (figure 1) or extension of stay (figure 2) must report to the Immigration Office every 90 days in person (15 days before to 7 days after the due date) or via online (between 7-15 days before the due date).
FINE: 2,000 baht for late reporting up to 5,000 baht if you get arrested.

Extension of Stay Cancellation: Holders of single-entry visa (figure 1) with an extension of stay (figure 2) must cancel their extension of stay at the Phuket Town Immigration Office if they no longer work or study at PSU Phuket, effective on the last day of work or study.

WARNING: Letting the extension of stay expire on its own and/or leaving the country without cancelling it DOES NOT automatically cancel your extension of stay. Failure to cancel your extension of stay will result in your future extension of stay application being denied by the Immigration Office. You may also be fined with overstay fee if you stayed in Thailand after the last date of your employment or study.

入境泰国事宜提醒

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作为居住在泰国的外籍人士，您有责任始终遵守泰国的移民法规。IAC (国际事务处) 将为您提供支持和协助，但不为因您个人疏忽而产生任何费用承担责任。

入境章:
每次离开机场入境柜台时，请仔细检查护照上的签证类型和入境章上注明的有效期，确保签证信息正确。

签证及延期停留许可: 请注意您的签证类型 (如图1) 及延期停留许可 (如图2) 的有效期，并在到期前两周通知IAC，以便我们为您办理留学或工作延期停留许可。

罚款: 如未按规定进行90天报到，您将每被处以2000泰铢的罚款；如因此被拘留，最高可被处以5000泰铢。

持多次入境签证的人士无须进行90天报到，但必须每90天从泰国出境一次。
罚款: 如未按规定在90天后从泰国出境，您将每被处以500泰铢的逾期停留罚款。

地址登记:
您必须在入境泰国后的24小时内向相关部门登记您的住址，包含以下三种情况: (1) 出境后重新入境泰国; (2) 搬到新的居住地; (3) 在您登记的常住地址以外的地方过夜，即使过夜时间只有一晚。地址登记证明应附在您的护照上，请妥善保管。

如在宋卡王子大学普吉分校居住，请联系IAC进行地址登记。
如您不在校居住，请联系您的房东在网上或由您本人到移民局为您进行地址登记。

国际交换生请到IAC进行地址登记。

再入境许可 (回头签):
持单次入境签证 (如图1) 或延期停留许可 (如图2) 的人士，如不再在宋卡王子大学普吉分校学习或工作，必须前往普吉镇移民局申请回头签，生效日为工作或学习期满的最后一天。

警告: 如您未在规定时间内申请回头签，或您在未获准延期停留许可的情况下离开泰国，您的延期停留许可将不会被泰国移民局自动注销。未按规定注销的人士，移民局将视您为非法入境泰国。在此情况下，您必须在30天离境后重新申请新的非移民签证。

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REMEMBER ME IN 90 DAYS

90 DAY REPORT ONLINE!

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

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 (15 days before due date) or at the Immigration Office in Phuket Town.