

Program of Study

While you will be required to officially enroll in one Cal Poly course in Thailand, past University of Vienna students have gotten course credit for other courses offered in the Thailand Study Program through special arrangements through a faculty member at the University of Vienna. We can provide information about how this might be done before the Program starts.

You will be able to select from the following courses:

Agribusiness

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AGB 318	Int'l. Agribusiness & Trade	4
AGB 418	Seminar in US/World Ag. Trade Issues	2
AGB 440	Field Studies in Agribusiness	2

English

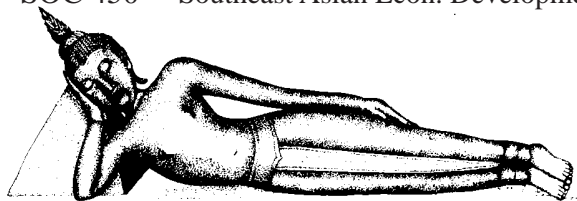
Professor - Claudia Royal
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ENGL 380	Literature of Thailand (C4, GWR)	4
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Sociology

Professor - Harold Kerbo
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HUM 310	World Cultures	4
SOC 218	International Political Economy(D2)	4
SOC 309	The World System and Its Problems	4
SOC 315	Global Race & Ethnic Relations(D5)	4
SOC 450	Southeast Asian Econ. Development	4



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THAILAND

Spring Quarter 2008

Thai Study
Program



The Program

Cal Poly's Thai Study Program offers one academic quarter of study while touring the country of Thailand. The program is offered during Spring Quarter from March 25 to June 13, 2008.

Location

Thailand is an alluring country to visit. As the only Asian nation to have never been colonized or occupied by Western powers, Thailand retains a unique character and charm, with an unusual blend of ancient culture and modern industry.

During the first month of the program, classes will be held at Chiang Mai University in Chiang Mai. Following field trip to the historical capital Sukhothai, the group will move to First Global Community College (FGCC) in Nong Khai. The group will spend two weeks in Nong Khai in the Issan regions of Thailand across the border from Vientiane, Laos. The last couple of weeks will be in Bangkok.



Housing and Meals

In Chiang Mai, the study group will be hosted at Chiang Mai University's International Center. In Nong Khai, students will stay in a large guest house, within walking distance of the Mekong River and the college. In Bangkok, students will lodge in modern housing along the Chao Praya River, a water-taxi ride away from Silpakorn University.

Thai cuisine consists of some of the tastiest (and hottest!) food in the world. Students will find that Thai restaurants are very affordable. Fresh produce is abundant and vegetarian food is plentiful.



Excursions and Cultural Activities

Study-related travel within Thailand is included in the program fee. In northern Thailand, students visit remote provinces inhabited by Thailand's many hill tribes near the Laotian and Myanmar borders. In northeastern Thailand, students will be introduced to the region's Isaan culture and to traditional farming villages. While in Bangkok, students will visit the Grand Palace and Wat Po.

Requirements

Students in all majors and at all class levels who are in good academic standing at the University of Vienna are eligible to participate. Selection will be based upon GPA, application essays, and faculty references.

Fees

The cost is broken down into three main categories:

1. Tuition. The cost to enroll in the Cal Poly course is \$764. All students from University of Vienna will enroll in Cal Poly's Social Science 450 - South East Asian Economic Development through Cal Poly's Continuing Education Open University Program. Through Open University, non-Cal Poly students have access to credit courses from Cal Poly's schedule without enrolling in a degree program. The cost per unit for a seminar course is \$191 per unit or \$764 for a four unit course.
2. Program Fee. The program fees total \$3,850.00 for Cal Poly students. For students flying from Austria you will arrange your own airfare and Thai visa, so the program costs will be \$2,550. The program fee includes lodging and facilities, group transportation in Thailand, health insurance and administration fees.
3. Personal Expenses. Other fees include your airfare, Thai visa, passport, student I.D., texts, food and incidentals. These out of pocket expenses vary depending upon personal spending habits of the student.

