



SASIN FACT SHEET 2017 - 2018

- Founded on September 15, 1982 by Chulalongkorn University, the oldest and best known university in Thailand, with the support and collaboration of the Kellogg School of Management and The Wharton School
- First MBA Program in Thailand taught completely in English
- First business school in Thailand to be accredited by AACSB and EQUIS.



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EXCHANGE APPLICATION

After being nominated for exchange, exchange students will need to fill out and send back to the Student Affairs Office via e-mail the following documents:

- 1) Exchange Data Form
- 2) Digital Photo (300 x 300 pixel)

MBA Academic Year Dates 2017-2018

First Quarter	
First Quarter I (Q1.1)	May 15 – June 16, 2017
First Quarter II (Q1.2)	June 19 – July 21, 2017
Second Quarter	
Second Quarter I (Q2.1)	July 31 – September 1, 2017
Second Quarter II (Q2.2)	September 4 – October 6, 2017
Third Quarter	
Third Quarter I (Q3.1)	October 16 – November 17, 2017
Third Quarter II (Q3.2)	November 20 – December 22, 2017
Fourth Quarter	
Fourth Quarter I (Q4.1)	January 8 – February 9, 2018
Fourth Quarter II (Q4.2)	February 12 – March 16, 2018

Academic Policies

Class Attendance

Students are expected to attend all sessions of courses for which they are registered.

Course Registration

After sending us the Exchange Data Form, we will register you in the registration system. You are still able to add or drop your courses within the first week of the module.

Note: Sasin does not have a textbook/course material return/refund policy. So students should not purchase textbook/course materials until they are definitely sure that they will not drop the course.

Course Load

Sasin students take **two courses per module**. Exchange students can take first or second year courses. Each course is usually worth 3 Sasin credits which is 33 contact hours (including exam hours).

Elective courses for second year students: <http://www.sasin.edu/what-we-offer/teaching-learning/full-time-mba/curriculum/elective-courses/>

Cost of Living

The following is a list of estimated expenses over a **one-month** period in Bangkok:

Estimated Living Expenses

Housing at CU-iHouse	Baht 14,000
Utilities - electricity, telephone, etc. (approximately)	900
Meals (three times a day)	10,000
Course materials and academic expenses	2,000
Personal spending money	10,000

Total **Baht 36,900** *(Approx. US \$1,054)

**Note: Costs are subject to change.*

Visa Information

Getting your Entry Document and Visa

To enter Thailand, you need to obtain a visa by presenting the letter issued by Sasin and other necessary documents to the nearest Royal Thai Embassy or Consulate. The visa granted to an exchange student is usually a single or multiple-entry student “ED” visa valid for three months or less. If you have a single-entry visa and wish to travel outside of Thailand during your stay here, you must apply for a re-entry permit before leaving Thailand so your student visa will not be terminated.

How to apply for a Re-Entry Permit

If you want to leave Thailand, students with a single-entry visa must apply for a re-entry permit to the Kingdom of Thailand at the Immigration Bureau **before** you leave the country. Students have the option to apply for a single or multiple permits. The fees* are 1,900 Baht for a single permit and more for a multiple permit. The applicant or passport holder must go in person and fill out the TM.8 application form. Do not forget to bring your passport, photograph (4 x 6 cm) and application fee. The application fee is not refundable. The Student Affairs Office can give you information about the nearest Immigration Bureau.

**Note: Fees are subject to change.* Immigration Bureau: <http://www.immigration.go.th>

Accommodation

On-Campus Housing

The Sasa International House, located within a 3-minute walk from Sasin. Room rates are 1,800 baht per night/room or 30,000 baht/month* (*includes room cleaning service*). Due to the limitation of vacancies at the Sasa International House, we suggest you to make a reservation through e-mail: sasahouse@sasin.edu.

**Note: The monthly rate will start on the first day of the month so if you come in the middle of the month, it might be cheaper to pay the daily rate.*

CU iHouse – Chulalongkorn U., a short walk from Sasin. They have a monthly rental but are very strict on the contract *e.g. if you state that you will stay for two months then you will have to pay for two months even if you ended up staying for one month. They will also not return your deposit if you decide to stay less than your contract.* You will have to **pay in cash** (they do not accept credit cards). The daily rental rate is 1,000 baht/room/night and the monthly rate is 14,000 baht/month (twin room – 2 beds). When you check-in, you have to make a two-months room deposit and one-month rental fee so a total of 42,000 baht. They will return the two-months deposit after you check-out (as long as you stay the full contract).

Note: They do not provide bath towels or bedding items such as bed sheets, blankets, and pillowcases. Our Sasin Student Affairs Office can take you to a low-priced supermarket (Tesco Lotus) nearby CU-iHouse to purchase these items when you arrive.

Website: www.chula.ac.th/en/prospective-student/accommodation

Off-Campus Housing

Exchange students have enjoyed staying at service apartments that are 20 minutes walking distance away from Sasin or a short taxi ride from Sasin. Contact our office for more information at studentaffairs@sasin.edu.

Note: Do not stay at “Court Capri” also known as “Capri Court”– our exchange students had problems there and the place is not a reliable place to stay at. Sasin and Sasin staff cannot guarantee assistance with legal matters or disagreements between exchange students and off-campus housing units.

At Sasin

Your first day at Sasin

You should report to Ms. Siratas Keshagupta, Head of Admissions & Student Affairs Office, on the 6th floor of Sasa Patasala Building on the orientation day (usually held on the Monday or a day before the module starts). Your presence on the orientation day is recommended for obtaining your Sasin Student ID and other Sasin information. There is also a short Sasin facility tour. Please

also bring a copy of your passport (personal information and visa pages) for our files. In addition, please provide us with your contact number (mobile/cell phone) in Bangkok.

“Experience Thai Culture” Day

If the module schedule timing permits, newly arrived exchange students will be taken on a half-day trip to one of the most famous attractions in Bangkok, which can be *the Grand Palace Complex (Wat Phra Keo)* or another cultural site.

Sasin Facilities

- **IT Facilities**

Computer Lab – Sasin has a computer lab open every day for students to use.

Exchange students should bring their own laptop since Sasin does not provide a laptop loan service.

Electronic Mailing - We will provide all exchange students with their own user name and password to access the Sasin system. Each student will also receive a Sasin e-mail address, you can forward your Sasin e-mail to your primary account.

- **Recreational Facilities**

Sasin provides recreational facilities for their students such as a swimming pool, fitness center, aerobic center, and sauna at the Sasabol Health and Recreation Center. There is also the University recreational center a few minutes walk from the school.

Note: Students not staying at the Sasa International House will have to pay \$15 per module (five weeks) to use the facilities.

- **Health Services**

Students can visit the Chulalongkorn Health Center (on campus) or Student Affairs Office (over-the-counter medicines such as Tylenol, Actifed, etc.)

- **Laundry Services**

There are laundry services (do-it-yourself coin operated) and dry cleaner stores around the on-campus housing areas.

- **Student Locker**

Exchange students can request for their own lockers to store their belongings. Lockers are located on the 6th floor. *There is a 500 Baht locker key deposit which will be returned to students after the locker key has been returned.*