





Higher Education









The Graduate School





- National Research University
- ➤ Knowledge of the Land
- ►IDKU = Integrity

Determination

Knowledge Creation

Unity







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Topic Contents

The Graduate School Kasetsart University



- 2. Preparation for ASEAN Community
- 3. Service Development Offered by The Graduate School







- The Graduate School is one of 14 faculties established by a royal decree on 10 October 1966.
- Mission: The Graduate School is a center which is in charge of control, support, and coordination of all fields of study and academic programs, so as to attain: the development of graduate education, the augmentation of competitiveness, and the realization of achievements comparable to world standards.

"International Standards, Excellent Services, Fit for ASEAN"

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The Graduate School is a supporting unit which aims for quality and effective graduate study management at Kasetsart University.

The Graduate School also aims to produce academic works consistent with international levels by enabling control, support, and coordination within each faculty, so that they can fully develop their graduate study potential, and increase sustainable domestic and international competitiveness capacity.

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Objectives

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- To develop the quality and standard of graduate student productions.
- ❖ To support all lecturers and graduate students in reaching their full potential with limited resources.
- ❖ To develop and improve the efficiency, and effectiveness of an auditable administrative system with equality for all staff members, together with social responsibility and awareness.

Bangkhen Campus

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The Number of Curricula (as of September 23, 2015)

		Degree				
Campus	Doctoral Degree	Master's Degree	Diploma	Bachelor's Degree	Total	
Bangkhen	76 (11)	138 (14)	1	95 (10)	310 (35)	
Kamphaeng Saen	12 (2)	25 (2)	-	15	52 (4)	
Si Racha	-	5	-	13	18	
Chalermphrakiat Sakon Nakhon	-	3	-	11	14	
Affiliated Institute	-	1	-	1	1812	
Total	88 (13)	172 (16)	1	135	396	
Total		261 (29)		(10)	(39)	

Numbers shown in a parenthesis () indicate the number of international program.

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				(Inte		ate Stud Gradua	dent ite Student)	
Degree	Curricula	Academic Staff	Regu Progr		Spec Progr		То	tal
			Thesis	IS.	Thesis	IS.	Thesis	IS.
Ph.D.	88 (13)	1,599	1,380 (31)	-	439 (7)	-	1,819 (38)	-
Master	172 (16)	127	4,024 (64)	47 (25)	2,425 (71)	2,840 (5)	6,449 [69.08%] (135)	2,887 [30.92%] (30)
Diploma	1	-	-	•	34		3	4 61 -
Total	261 (29)	1,726	5,45 [48.72 (120	2%]	5,73 [51.28 (83	8%]	11, (20	189 03)

As of September 23, 2015, there are 29 international curricular and 203 international graduate students excluding 10 international exchange students.

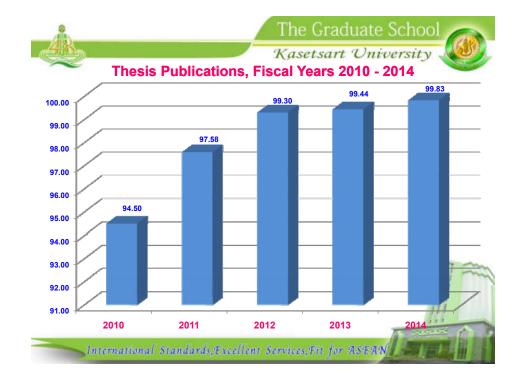


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The Number of International Students by Nationality (as of September 23, 2015)

Nationality	No. of students	Nationality	No. of students
1 Afghan	1	13 Korean	2
2 American	3	14 Laotian	64
3 Australian	1	15 Malaysian	5
4 Bangladeshi	3	16 Mozambican	1
5 Cambodian	7	17 Myanmar	8
6 Chinese	27	18 Nepali	2
7 Czech	1	19 Pakistani	9
8 Filipino	3	20 Salvadoran	1
9 Indian	1	21 Sri Lankan	6
10 Indonesian	29	22 Swazi	3
11 Iranian	1	23 Tanzanian	3 111
12 Japanese	3	24 Vietnamese	19
		Total	203

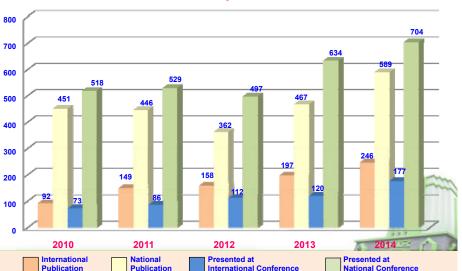




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Published and Presented Papers, Fiscal Years 2010-2014





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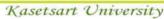
Regulation	Remark
1. Registration	1. Within 15 days of the commencement of semester
2. Appointment of Thesis advisory committee	2. Within 4 semesters
3. English Proficiency Examination	3. To be completed in the first semester
4. Qualifying Examination / Comprehensive Examination	4. Master's degree plan A1 and doctoral degree plan 1 students must take this examination at least 120 days before the final oral examinations
5. Submission of Thesis Proposal (if any)	5. Doctoral Degree: within 6 semesters Master's Degree: within 4 semesters

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Important Regulations

result will be canceled.

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Regulation	Remark
6. Final Oral Examination /	6. GPA of GC subject ≥ 3.00
Comprehensive Examination	GPA of UC subject (if any) ≥ 2.50
(for plan B)	Pass English Proficiency Examination:
	Doctoral degree: Thesis proposal must be
	approved at least 270 days before final oral examination
	Master's degree: Thesis proposal must be
	approved at least 90 days before final oral examination
7. Thesis publication or	7. Doctoral degree: thesis published in a peer-
approval of thesis publication	reviewed journal.
	Master's degree: thesis published in a journal or presented in an academic conference with:
	proceedings



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The Graduate Study Programs

Doctoral Degree Programs:88 (13 International programs)

- Plan 1 (Thesis only)
- 1.1 ≥ 48 credits
- 1.2 ≥ 72 credits
- Plan 2 (Thesis + coursework)
- 2.1 Thesis ≥ 36 credits + coursework ≥ 12
- 2.2 Thesis ≥ 48 credits + coursework ≥ 24











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The Graduate Study Programs

Master's Degree Programs: 172 (16 International programs)

- Plan A1 (Thesis only) ≥ 36 credits
 Thesis ≥ 36 credits
- Plan A2 (Thesis + coursework) ≥ 36 credits Thesis ≥ 12 credits + coursework ≥ 12 credits
- Plan B (IS + coursework) ≥ 36 credits IS ≥ 6 credits + coursework ≥ 24 credits

Graduate Certificate Programs: 1











Types of Registration

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Registration Type	Level	Credit Calculation	Grading Report
GC (Graduate Credit)	Graduate	Counted	A to F Except for thesis and independent study, which are reported as S or U
GA (Graduate Audit)	Graduate	Not Counted	SorU
UC (Undergraduate Credit)	Undergraduate	Counted	A to F
UA (Undergraduate Audit)	Undergraduate	Not Counted	SorU

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International Programs

Faculty	Doctoral Degree Program (13)	Master's Degree Program (16)
1. Faculty of Agriculture	Tropical Agriculture	Development Communication Sustainable Agriculture Tropical Agriculture
2. Faculty of Agriculture at Kamphaeng Saen	Agricultural Research and Development	Agricultural Research and Development
3. Faculty of Agro-Industry	1. Biotechnology 2. Food Science	1. Biotechnology 2. Food Science
4. Faculty of Economics	Agricultural and Resource Economics	700 mm m



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International Programs (Continued)

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Faculty	Doctoral Degree Program (13)	Master's Degree Program (16)
5. Faculty of Engineering	Chemical Engineering Industrial Engineering	1. Advanced and Sustainable Environmental Engineering 2. Chemical Engineering 3. Engineering Management 4. Environmental Engineering 5. Industrial Engineering 6. Information and Communication Technology for Embedded Systems
6. Faculty of Fisheries	Fishery Science and Technology	Fishery Science and Technology

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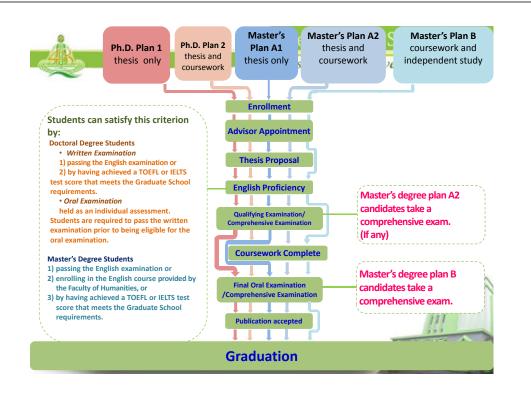


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International Programs (Continued)

Faculty	Doctoral Degree Program (13)	Master's Degree Program (16)
7. Faculty of Forestry	•	Tropical Forestry
8. Faculty of Humanities	English for International Communication	•
9. Faculty of Liberal Arts and Sciences	English as an International Language	English as an International Language
10. Faculty of Sciences	1. Bioscience 2. Chemistry	
11. Faculty of Veterinary Medicine	Bio-Veterinary Science	Bio-Veterinary Science

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English Programs

Faculty	Doctoral Degree Program (1)	Master's Degree Program (3)
1. Faculty of Business Administration	•	Business Administration
2. Faculty of Economics		Agricultural and Resource Economics
3. Faculty of Education	Science Education	10 ===
4. Faculty of Engineering	•	Civil Engineering



***Teaching Staff:**

For Master's Degree Programs:

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*At least an MS holder or Assistant Professor

For PhD Programs:

★must be a PhD holder or Associate Professor



Academic Personnel

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❖ Academic Advisor:

Must be a permanent lecturer with a doctoral degree or equivalent, or an academic title of not less than Associate Professor.

Academic Co-Advisor (optional) :

Must be a permanent lecturer or external examiner with a doctoral degree or equivalent, or an academic title of not less than Associate Professor.

Thesis:

1 Academic Advisor: 5 students (max: 10)

Independent Study:

1 Academic Advisor: 15 students (max)

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***Examination Committee:**

- ✓ Comprised of:
 - A permanent academic staff member (appointed by the Graduate School, acting as a chairperson)
 - ➤ Academic Advisor(s)
 - ► An invited external examiner
- ✓All must be PhD holders or Associate Professors.

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- Pass an KU English proficiency test (KU-EPT). More information can be found at http://foreignlang.hum.ku.ac.th or http://www.ku-ept.human.ku.ac.th/
- 2. Students who fail the English proficiency test may either choose to apply for the "English required by the Graduate School" (01355501) course or re-apply for the examination.
- 3. Alternatively transfer either TOEFL, IELTS, CU-TEP, KU-EPT, or KU-TOEFL-ITP scores.



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* Exemption: Master's degree students

The Graduate School provides an exemption from English studies which are required by The Graduate School for graduate students who graduated from institutes/universities in countries where the official language is English and which are approved by the Office of the Civil Service Commission (OCSC), or who graduated from international/English programs at institutes/universities which are approved by the OCSC.

Graduation from English speaking countries or international/English programs must not have taken place longer than 5 years ago, counted from the date of graduation.

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Foreign Language Examinations

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Formula et la u	Pass Criteria		
Examination	Master's Degree	Doctoral Degree	
1. TOEFL: • Paper-based Test	Section 2 and 3 ≥ 45	-	
Paper-based Test	Total Score ≥ 450	Total Score ≥ 500	
Computer-based Test	Section $2 \ge 14$, Section $3 \ge 13$	-	
Computer-based Test	Total Score ≥ 133	Total Score ≥ 173	
 Internet-based Test 	Total Score ≥ 45	Total Score ≥ 61	
2. IELTS:	Total Score ≥ 5.0	Total Score ≥ 5.5	
3. CU-TEP:	Total Score ≥ 45	Total Score ≥ 67	
4. KU-EPT:	Total Score ≥ 50%	Total Score ≥ 55%*	
5. KU-TOEFL-ITP	Total Score ≥ 450	Total Score ≥ 500	

* KU-EPT scores between 55% - 59% can be transferred for written English examination exemption only; a score starting from 60% can be transferred for both written and oral English examination exemptions.

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TOEFL, IELTS, CU-TEP, KU-EPT, KU-TOEFL-ITP Examination Result Validity

- Examinations taken before enrollment at Kasetsart
 University: the examination results must not precede
 by one year or more the submittal date.
- Examinations taken by students enrolled at Kasetsart University: examination results must not precede by two years or more the submittal date.

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Toward Graduation.....

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*****Doctoral Degree Plan 1:

- ✓ Foreign language proficiency examination
- ✓ Qualifying examination
- √ Final oral examination
 - ➤ A permanent academic staff member (appointed by the Graduate School)
 - Advisor(s)
 - > An invited external examiner
- ✓ Publication in peer review journal or approval of publication



Toward Graduation....

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- ***Doctoral Degree Plan 2:** (average GPA ≥ 3.0 for coursework)
 - ✓ Foreign language proficiency examination
 - ✓ Qualifying examination
 - √ Final oral examination
 - ➤ A permanent academic staff member (appointed by the Graduate School)
 - Advisor(s)
 - > An invited external examiner
 - ✓ Publication in peer review journal or approval of publication

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*Master's Degree:

Plan A1 & A2 (average GPA ≥ 3.0 for coursework for Plan A2)

- √ Final oral examination
 - ➤ A permanent academic staff member (appointed by the Graduate School)
 - **≻**Academic advisor(s)
 - >An invited external examiner
- ✓ Publication in journal / approval of publication or presentation in an academic conference with proceedings

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*Master's Degree:

Plan B (average GPA ≥ 3.0 for coursework)

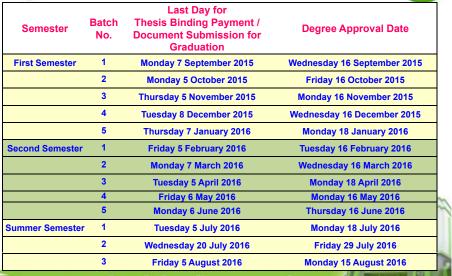
- √ Comprehensive examination (written or oral)
 - ➤ A permanent academic staff member (appointed by the Graduate School)
 - **≻**Academic advisor(s)
 - >An invited external examiner

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The Degree Approval Schedule

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Academic Year	Number of Students Who Graduated
2010 (July 2010 – June 2011)	3,472
2011 (July 2011 – June 2012)	3,142
2012 (July 2012 – June 2013)	2,893
2013 (July 2013 – August 2014)	3,125*
2014 (September 2014 – August 2015)	2,645
Total	15,277

^{*} Due to the postponement of the semester opening, academic-year 2013 consisted of two summer semesters lasting for fourteen months altogether.



(ASEAN = Association of Southeast Asian Nations)



		Member countries
	ASEAN	Brunei Darussalam, Cambodia, Indonesia, Lao PDR, Malaysia, Myanmar, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand, Vietnam
Ī	ASEAN+3 (APT)	ASEAN + China, Japan, South Korea
	ASEAN+6 (APS)	ASEAN + China, Japan, South Korea, Australia, India, New Zealand
	ASEAN+8	ASEAN + China, Japan, South Korea, Australia, India, New Zealand, USA, Russia





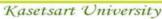
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Country	Capital	Language (s)	Currency	Time
Brunei Darussalam	Bandar Seri Begawan	Malay, English	Brunei Dollar	Punctual
Cambodia	Phnom Penh	Khmer	Riel	Punctual
Indonesia	Jakarta	Indonesian	Rupiah	Punctual
Lao PDR	Vientiane	Lao	Kip	Flexible
Malaysia	Kuala Lumpur	Malay, English, Chinese, Tamil	Ringgit	Punctual
Myanmar	Nay Pyi Taw	Myanmar	Kyat	Punctual
Philippines	Manila	Filipino, English, Spanish	Peso	Flexible
Singapore	Singapore	English, Malay, Mandarin, Tamil	Singapore Dollar	Punctual
Thailand	Bangkok	Thai	Baht	Flexible
Vietnam	Ha Noi	Vietnamese	Dong	Punctual

Ranking in ASEAN

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Comparative	Ranking				
criteria	1	2	3	4	5
Number of population	Indonesia 231 M	Philippines 92 M	Vietnam 86 M	Thailand 66 M	Myanmar 59 M
Number of tourists	Malaysia 22 M	Thailand 14 M	Singapore 7 M	Indonesia 6 M	Vietnam 4 M
Income/head/year > 10,000 \$	Singapore 50,795 \$	Brunei 48,194 \$	Malaysia 13,493 \$	Thailand 8,056 \$	-
Number of population using computer	Singapore	Malaysia	Brunei	Vietnam	Philippines
Education qualification	Singapore	Malaysia	Brunei	Philippines	Indonesia

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TOP 10 UNIVERSITIES IN ASEAN 2013





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Double Graduate Degree Programs

Kasetsart Curricula	Joint Curricula	Partner Universities
Master of Education (Curriculum and Instruction)	Master Metiers de l'Education et de la Formation (MEF)	l'Universite Montpellier 2 Sciences et Techniques, France
2. Master of Engineering (Agricultural Engineering)	Master of Science Program in Biomechatronics Engineering	National Pingtung University of Science and Technology, Republic of China (Taiwan)
3. Master of Science (Food Science)	International Master of Science Program in Food Science	College of Agriculture, National Pingtung University of Science and Technology, Republic of China (Taiwan)

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Double Graduate Degree Programs (Continued)

Kasetsart Curricula	Joint Curricula	Partner Universities
4. Master of Science (Tropical Agriculture - International Program)	Master of Agricultural Science Program	
5. Master of Science (Biotechnology)	Master of Agricultural Science Program	
6. Master of Science (Agro-Industrial Product Development)	Master of Agricultural Science Program	Kyoto University, Japan
7. Master of Science (Food Science)	Master of Agricultural Science Program	
8. Master of Science (Tropical Forestry - International Program)	Master of Agricultural Science Program	

Service Development

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English Classes





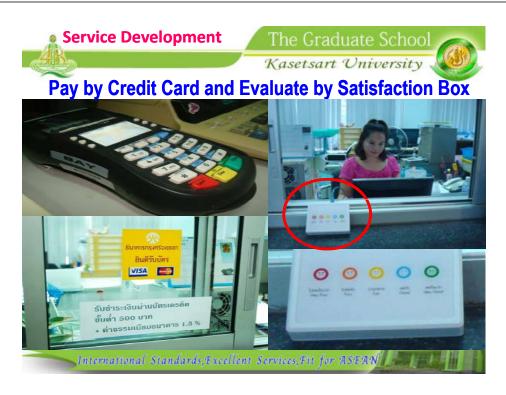
Thesis Format Training













Graduate Degree Checking System (KU-GDCS)



Service Development



Online Graduate Request Forms (OGRF)

The OGRF can be used for a request of Certification of Graduate Student Status. Certification of Graduate Program Completion, or Graduation Approval Pending, only.





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Several options for financial support are available to KU students.

Graduate Thesis Research Scholarships:

The Graduate School allocates 15 million baht for students conducting research projects; all projects must result in publication in an international journal.

Master's Degree Students: 100,000 baht/year for 2 years International Students: 8,000 baht/month for 2 years **Doctoral Degree Students:** 100,000 baht/year for 3 or 5 years International Students: 10,000 baht/month for 3 years

Research Aid Scholarships:

Information Dissemination

One million baht is allocated per year for students doing research projects. without a requirement for publication.

The Graduate School offers 20,000 baht for a thesis proposal written in English.

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Conference Scholarship:

Funds can be obtained for students giving oral presentations at international conferences.

- * 10.000 baht for an international conference held outside Thailand
- * Up to 5,000 baht for an international conference held in Thailand

Publication Support Scholarship:

Students can apply for support following the publication of work in international iournals.

* 20,000 Baht for each title published

Teacher's Assistant Scholarship:

A student who chooses to work as a teacher's assistant in the first and second semester of study is entitled to apply for funding.

- * Master's Degree Students: 8,000 baht per semester
- * Doctoral Degree Students: 12,000 baht per semester

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