

Deadline Extension!

FACULTY OF LIBERAL ARTS

THAMMASAT UNIVERSITY

Summer Study Abroad Program -July 2024

- Enroll in two courses and get credits transferred:
AS 287 Contemporary Issues in ASEAN
GE 220 Geographic Tourism
- Explore the natural and cultural diversity of Thailand
PLUS a trip to Penang.
- Experience local culture, visit local museums and
unseen Bangkok.

INCLUDING TUITION
FEE +
ACCOMMODATION

USD
1,200



- Visit major historical sites in Bangkok and other provinces.
- Enjoy palatable local food
- Participate in various workshops e.g. cooking, boxing, making elephant food.

TRIPS & WORKSHOP



- Learn more about sustainable agriculture and visit Coconut farm.
- Explore the Mangrove Conservation Center and go on a firefly river cruise at night.
- Visit local communities in Bangkok and nearby provinces.

LOCAL
COMMUNITIES



- Explore contemporary issues reflecting current affairs of ASEAN.
- Have fun with classmates during the train trip to Penang, a UNESCO World Heritage site.

Southeast Asia

For more
information:



Application
period:
November 2024 -
April 2024



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Thammasat University Summer Study Abroad Program Schedule

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
AS 287 (1) GE 220 (1)	Wat Pho Museum Siam	AS 287 (2) GE 220 (2)	AS 287 (3) GE 220 (3)	Trip to Pattaya	Trip to Ratchaburi	Trip to Kanchana buri
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
AS 287 (4) GE 220 (4)	AS 287 (5) GE 220 (6) Longtail boat along the river	The Grand Palace The National Museum	AS 287 (6) GE 220 (6)	Trip to Ayuddhaya	Trip to Ayuddhaya	Trip to Samut Songkhram
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
AS 287 (7) GE 220 (7)	AS 287 (8) GE 220 (8)	AS 287 (9) GE 220 (9)	Trip to Penang	Trip to Penang	Trip to Penang	Trip to Penang
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
Free day	AS 287 (10) GE 220 (10)	Farewell Party	Free Day			

GE 220 Geographic Tourism

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2	Theme: Cultural tourism Assignment/ Presentation	Lecture / Discussion & Field trip
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**** The places/activities may be subject to change depending on the situation.**

Assessment:

Assignment 1	25%
Assignment 2	25%
Assignment 3	25%
Assignment 4	25%

Evaluation

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