Ph.D. IT
DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY IN
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

3-YEAR PROGRAM
COURSEWORK + DISSERTATION

Graduates from the PhD (IT) Program will

1. Have advanced knowledge and understandings of information technology and/or innovation as well as the implications of information technology and/or innovation for individuals, organizations, and the broader society;
2. Have ethics and highly developed cognitive skills relevant to the tasks of problem solving and discovering new knowledge in the field of Information Technology;
3. Have highly developed skills in the analysis of quantitative and qualitative information;
4. Have highly developed leadership and interpersonal skills;
5. Have highly developed communication skills essential for successful sharing of knowledge and understanding of information technology with others.

QUALIFICATION FOR ADMISSION
Admission to the program is granted to applicants with:
1. Master's degree in Information Technology or in other related fields
2. GPA of at least 3.25 out of 4.0 or equivalent

ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS
1. A completed application form
2. Official transcript of the previous university attended both of Bachelor and Master (1 copy)
3. Bachelor's Degree Certificate (1 copy)
4. Master's Degree Certificate (1 copy)
5. Citizen identification card and house registration for Thai Applicants (1 copy)
6. Passport for Non-Thai applicants (1 copy)
7. One (1x1.5 inches) photograph (formal attire, not in graduation gown)
8. Letter of recommendation from former instructors or employers at the time of the application (2 letters)

Note: All documents must be endorsed with signature and submitted in person within the last day of application period. Otherwise, the application will not be considered and the applicant will not be allowed for the Admission interview.

Applicants who are graduates from overseas universities will be required to provide at the time of applying and not later, certified, attested, or notarized by competent notaries, all academic documents with the seal or stamp by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Ministry of Education or related department.

DURATION: 3 years

ADMISSION FEE 1,000 THB (Non-refundable)

ENTRANCE EXAMINATION
- AU English Proficiency Test
- Interview Entrance Examination

EXEMPTION
The AU English Proficiency Test can be exempted depending on which of the following conditions that you satisfy.
- TOEFL score of (iBT) 90 or an IELTS (Academic) score of at least 6.5 (Validation: Two years)
- a Bachelor's degree from native English speaking countries (USA, Canada, UK, New Zealand and Australia)

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS
Type 2.1: Coursework and Dissertation
- Have completed all the courses of the curriculum
- Have obtained a cumulative grade point average of at least 3.00
- Have passed the proficiency test of English
- Have passed the qualifying examination
- Have passed the dissertation defense
- Have a publication or obtain an acceptance of a publication related to the content of the dissertation in a journal which has peer review and which is approved by the Academic Committee of the department
- Have obtained library and financial clearance from the University
- Have demonstrated good behavior and discipline

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ADMISSIONS SCHEDULE 2024 / 2025

	Semester 1/2024 (June-October 2024)	Semester 2/2024 (November 2024 - March 2025)
Application Deadline	22 May 2024	23 October 2024
AU EPS Test and Interview	by appointment	by appointment
Registration Period	3-10 June 2024	28 October - 1 November 2024
Instruction Begins	10 June 2024	4 November 2024

CURRICULUM STRUCTURE

Elective Courses	12 credits
Dissertation	36 credits
Total	**48 credits**

STUDY PLAN

FIRST YEAR
FIRST SEMESTER — Two Elective Courses
SECOND SEMESTER — Two Elective Courses

SECOND YEAR
FIRST SEMESTER — IT9000 Dissertation
SECOND SEMESTER — IT9000 Dissertation

THIRD YEAR
FIRST SEMESTER — IT9000 Dissertation
SECOND SEMESTER — IT9000 Dissertation

ELECTIVE COURSES

IT8311	Advanced Computer Applications for Graphics and Image Processing
IT8312	Knowledge Management Systems
IT8313	Advanced Communication Systems
IT8321	Software Engineering Methods
IT8323	Technologies for Internet Security
IT8325	Advanced Database Systems
IT8326	Expert Systems Applications
IT8330	Electronic Commerce Models and Technologies
IT8331	Information Systems Sourcing
IT8332	Modern Systems Development Methodologies
IT8333	Information Technology Evaluation Methods
IT8400-99	Advanced Topics in Information Technology

DISSERTATION

IT9000	Dissertation

ESTIMATED FEES

Installments	Thai students (THB)	Non-Thai students (THB)	(US$)
1st Installment	171,000	171,000	5,029
2nd Installment	171,000	171,000	5,029
3rd Installment	171,000	171,000	5,029
4th Installment	171,000	171,000	5,029
5th Installment	156,000	156,000	4,588
6th Installment	140,000	140,000	4,118
Total	980,000	980,000	28,822

Note:
1. The total fee above doesn't cover the followings:
   - Admission fee
   - Textbooks
   - Qualifying Examination
2. The fees are subject to change at the university's discretion without prior notice.
3. Currency exchange rate: US $1 = THB 33

APPLICATIONS
Hua Mak Campus
Admissions Center "A" Building, 1st floor,
Ramkhamhaeng 24 Road, Bangkok 10240 Thailand
Office hours:
Monday – Friday   08:30 A.M. - 05:00 P.M.

Suvarnabhumi Campus
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