1) Doctor of Philosophy Program in Oral Health Sciences (International program)

Program's recommendation

Doctor of Philosophy Program in Oral Health Sciences is offered by Faculty of Dentistry, Prince of Songkla University (PSU). The program has provided both thesis study plan and thesis with coursework plan. Moreover, this program is the first in Thailand which launched a major in Combined Research and Clinical Training (CRCT). It is a combination of clinical specialty training and research experience. The courses with learning and teaching activities are performed in English for international candidates.

1. Number of students limited	10					
2. Plan of study	Plan 1: Research plan					
	Plan 1.1: Master's degree based					
	Plan 1.2: Bachelor's degree based					
	Plan 2: Research and coursework/clinical plan					
	Plan 2.1: Master's degree based					
	Plan 2.2: Bachelor's degree based					
3. Instruction Administration	Monday – Friday					
4. Format of Instruction	Onsite					
5. Tuition fee	Thai students: 47,000 THB/Semester					
	International students: 94,000 THB/Set	mester				
6. Course Structure	Course Structure		Plan of study			
		Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan	
		1.1	1.2	2.1	2.2	
	Compulsory course	-	-	4	7	
	Elective course	-	-	8	17	
	Thesis	48	72	36	48	
	Total	48	72	48	72	

Remark: Thai students who aim to apply for Plan 2 in combined research and clinical program need to conduct the research together with working in clinical laboratories at least 3,000 hours. Those who completed this program will receive the Ph.D. degree and certificate certified that they passed the dental training in order to request for dentist licensure issued by the Royal College of Dental Surgeons of Thailand. Moreover, this program allows for only students who completed the Bachelor degree in Doctor of Dental Surgery program.

7. Qualification of applicants

Plan 1.1

- Completed the Master of Science program in Biological Sciences, Physical Sciences, Nursing Sciences, Engineering, Health Sciences or other related fields and held the grade point average not less than 3.25, or had an experiences in doing research with a published paper. If the qualifications are not strictly met, admission is possible upon the approval by the program committee.
- Applicants must pass an officially recognized English language examination according to the PSU Graduate School requirement.

Plan 1.2

- Completed the Bachelor degree in Doctor of Dental Surgery program or Bachelor of Science program in Biological Sciences, Physical Sciences, Nursing Sciences, Engineering, Health Sciences or other related fields with an excellent academic record, or had an experiences in doing research with a published paper. If the qualifications are not strictly met, admission is possible upon the approval by the program committee.
- Applicants must pass an officially recognized English language examination according to the PSU Graduate School requirement.

Plan 2.1

- Completed the Master's degree in Biological Sciences, Physical Sciences, Nursing Sciences, Engineering, Health sciences or other related fields. If the qualifications are not strictly met, admission is possible upon the approval by the program committee.
- Applicants must pass an officially recognized English language examination according to the PSU Graduate School requirement.

Plan 2.2

- Completed the Bachelor degree in Doctor of Dental Surgery program or Bachelor of Science program in Biological Sciences, Physical Sciences, Nursing Sciences, Engineering, Health Sciences or other related fields with an excellent academic record. If the qualifications are not strictly met, admission is possible upon the approval by the program committee.
- Applicants must pass an officially recognized English language examination according to the PSU Graduate School requirement.

8. Application documents	Academic transcript(s)		
required by program	2. Curriculum Vitae (CV)		
	3. Letter of recommendation from former professor, supervisor or employer (2		
	Letters) (Free format)		
	4. Research plan (Only the students who apply for Plan 1)		
	5. Statement of Purpose in English		
	6. A copy of English proficiency test result that complies with the PSU Graduate		
	School criteria (valid within 2 years)		
	7. Letter of approval for study leave (If any)		
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Test schedule

6.1 Applicants for first semester

Subject	Date and time	Venue
Paper test and/or, interview	The candidates will be	The candidates will be contacted
	contacted by email.	by email. The ZOOM link will
		be organized.

6.2 Applicants for second semester

Subject	Date and time	Venue	
Paper test and/or, interview	The candidates will be	The candidates will be contacted	
	contacted by email.	by email. The ZOOM link will	
		be organized.	