

Program: Doctor of Philosophy Program in Applied Linguistics

Our new PhD in Applied Linguistics aims to produce active researchers who can act as leaders in their workplace and wider society. You will learn about current trends in applied linguistics research and will be able to choose from a range of different research areas. We will also develop your ability as a writer so that you are best able to publish your work in international journals.

| 1. Number of students limited | Plan 1.1 5 persons Plan 2.1 10 persons | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| 2. Plan of study | Plan 1.1 (Research only) Plan 2.1 (Coursework + research) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3. Instruction Administration | Monday - Friday | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4. Format of Instruction | Onsite | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 5. Tuition fee | 27,000 baht / Semester (Thai students) 54,000 baht / Semester (International students) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6. Course Structure | <table border="1" style="margin: auto; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr style="background-color: #fff9c4;"> <th rowspan="2" style="padding: 5px;">Course Structure</th> <th colspan="2" style="padding: 5px;">Plan of study</th> </tr> <tr style="background-color: #fff9c4;"> <th style="padding: 5px;">Plan 1.1</th> <th style="padding: 5px;">Plan 2.1</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td style="padding: 5px;">Core courses/modules</td> <td style="text-align: center; padding: 5px;">-</td> <td style="text-align: center; padding: 5px;">8</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 5px;">Elective courses/modules</td> <td style="text-align: center; padding: 5px;">-</td> <td style="text-align: center; padding: 5px;">4</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 5px;">Thesis</td> <td style="text-align: center; padding: 5px;">48</td> <td style="text-align: center; padding: 5px;">36</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 5px;">Total</td> <td style="text-align: center; padding: 5px;">48</td> <td style="text-align: center; padding: 5px;">48</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> | Course Structure | Plan of study | | Plan 1.1 | Plan 2.1 | Core courses/modules | - | 8 | Elective courses/modules | - | 4 | Thesis | 48 | 36 | Total | 48 | 48 |
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| 7. Qualification of applicants | <p>7.1 hold a Master degree, or its equivalent, in English/English language teaching or any related fields. Applicants with Master degrees in other areas must have at least one year of work experience in areas where English plays a prominent role.</p> <p>7.2 obtain a standardized test score of English proficiency equivalent to CEFR B2 namely IELTS not less than 6.5, or TOEFL ITP not less than 547, or TOEFL iBT not less than 78, or PSU-TEP not less than 85, or a comparable score from any other accredited English proficiency test. (Except for those with English as a native language and a degree from an English-medium institution)</p> <p>7.3 A research proposal in applied linguistics with a minimum length of 2,000 words.</p> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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| | <p>7.4 For Plan 1.1 only</p> <p>have authored at least ONE research report OR ONE research paper published in a peer-reviewed journal or in any other journals indexed in ISI/Scopus/TCI, or a peer-reviewed conference proceedings</p> |
| 8. Application documents required by program | <p>5.1 A copy of a Master Degree certificate in English/ or in English language teaching or any related fields</p> <p>5.2 Supervisor letter certifying at least ONE-year work experience (if no English-related degree)</p> <p>5.3 ONE recent 1-inch sized ID/passport photo</p> <p>5.4 A valid certificate with required minimum scores from ONE of the following English proficiency tests:</p> <p><u>(CEFR B2)</u></p> <p>IELTS: 6.5 (Overall) or above</p> <p>TOEFL ITP: 547 or above</p> <p>TOEFL iBT: 78 or above</p> <p>PSU-TEP (all skills): 85% or above</p> |
| 9. Contact info | <p>9.1 Assoc. Prof. Dr. Kristof Savski Chair Tel. 0-7428-6766</p> <p>E-mail: kristof.s@psu.ac.th</p> <p>9.2 Mrs.Nisakorn Hemarak Assistant Secretary Tel. 0-7428-6798</p> <p>E-mail: nisakorn.h@psu.ac.th</p> <p>9.3 Program Website</p> <p>https://appliedenglishpsu.com/phd-in-applied-linguistics/</p> <p>9.3 Website : Graduate Studies Section, Faculty of Liberal Arts</p> <p>- https://sites.google.com/view/fla-gs</p> |

Admission schedule

| Subject | Date and Time | Place |
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| Application period | Now – April 25, 2025 | Applying online Application via the Graduate School website |
| Announcement of eligible applicants | April 29, 2025 | Website: http://www.grad.psu.ac.th |
| Interviews | May 2, 2025 | Faculty of Liberal Arts |
| Announcement of program candidates | May 13, 2025 | Website: http://www.grad.psu.ac.th |