

Announcement from Chulalongkorn University
Admission to the Bachelor of Fine and Applied Arts Program in Communication Design
(International Program)
Faculty of Architecture
For the Academic Year 2021 (Early Admission)

The Chulalongkorn University Board of Governance has authorized the Bachelor of Fine and Applied Arts Program in Communication Design (International Program), Faculty of Architecture, to select applicants for the program in the Academic Year 2021 (Early Admission)

1. Eligibility criteria

1.1 Eligible applicants must possess the qualifications specified in item 1.1.1 or 1.1.2

1.1.1 Applicants who are Thai or non-Thai nationals who have completed high school or are currently in their final year of high school (Mathayom 6 or equivalent) in a school that follows a curriculum under Ministry of Education or an international school in Thailand, or a school in another country. Applicants must possess the qualification specified in the following categories.

1.1.1.1 Applicants must achieve the prescribed minimum score in any one of the following English proficiency tests:

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| - TOEFL (Paper-based) | not lower than 550 | or |
| - TOEFL (Internet-based) | not lower than 79 | or |
| - IELTS | not lower than 6.0 | or |
| - SAT (Evidence-Based Reading and Writing) | not lower than 450 | or |
| - CU-AAT (Verbal Section) | not lower than 400 | or |
| - CU-TEP (Chulalongkorn University Test of English Proficiency) | not lower than 80 | |

1.1.1.2 Applicants must achieve the prescribed minimum score in any one of the following Math proficiency tests:

- CU-AAT (Math Section) not lower than 450 or
- SAT (Maths) not lower than 490 or
- Grade “B” in Mathematics at A-Level Test or
- Grade “B” in Mathematics in the Australian Entrance Exam or
- IB (Maths) not lower than 5 (IB grading system) or
- NCEA (Mathematic or numeracy) at level 2 or higher with at least total 4 credits with and with a minimum of "Achieved"

The official score according to 1.1.1.1 and 1.1.1.2 is valid only when the tests were taken not more than two years of the application deadline.

1.1.2 Applicants who are not Thai nationals and have resided outside Thailand for at least 5 years, who have completed high school or are currently in their final year of high school (Mathayom 6 or equivalent) in another country where English is the instructional medium, or applicants who are Thai nationals who have completed high school or have been studying in high school or equivalent overseas where English is the instructional medium for at least 5 years. Applicants must possess the qualification specified in the following categories.

1.1.2.1 Two sealed and signed letter of recommendation from two instructors in their educational institution where they are currently studying or have graduated from, or an English proficiency test score as stated in 1.1.1.1

1.1.2.2 A test score of one of the following Math tests:

- CU-AAT (Math Section) not lower than 450 or
- SAT (Maths) not lower than 490 or
- Grade “B” in Mathematics at A-Level Test or
- Grade “B” in Mathematics in the Australian Entrance Exam or
- IB (Maths) not lower than 5 (IB grading system) or
- NCEA (Mathematic or numeracy) at level 2 or higher with at least total 4 credits with and with a minimum of "Achieved"

The official score according to 1.1.2.1 and 1.1.2.2 is valid only when the tests were taken not more than two years before the application deadline.

1.2 Applicants must maintain histories of proper behavior and strictly abide by current and future University rules and regulations.

If any circumstance that applicants are found unqualified, submitted the false information or any evidence is forged, applicants will be disqualified even if the applicants have already passed the admission process. Moreover, applicants may be prosecuted by the law.

2. Admissions

The Bachelor of Fine and Applied Arts Program in Communication Design (International Program) is authorized to accept up to **50 qualified applicants**.

3. Admissions schedule

Admissions	Date / Time
Admissions	During 21 December 2020 – 18 January 2021 Interested persons can download the application form from the website: http://www.commde.com .
How to apply	Apply in person at the office of the International Program in Communication Design, Department of Industrial Design, 2 nd floor, Lert Urasyananada Building, Faculty of Architecture during 21 December 2020 – 18 January 2021 from 9.00-16.00 (Except weekends and public holidays)

TCAS64 Registration	5 January 2021 See more details of TCAS64 registration on http://Student.mycas.com since
Interview and Design Skill Test Shortlist Announcement	26 January 2021 on the website: http://www.commde.com
Interview and Design Skill Test	29-30 January 2021 At Faculty of Architecture, Chulalongkorn University
Preliminary Selection Announcement	8 February 2021 on the website: http://www.commde.com
Pre Enrollment	9-11 February 2021 at the office of the International Program in Communication Design, Department of Industrial Design, 2 nd floor, Lert Urasyananada Building, Faculty of Architecture, Chulalongkorn University
Additional Selection Announcement (If any)	11 February 2021 on the website: http://www.commde.com
Additional Pre Enrollment (If any)	12 February 2021 at the office of the International Program in Communication Design, Department of Industrial Design, 2 nd floor, Lert Urasyananada Building, Faculty of Architecture, Chulalongkorn University
Final Selection Announcement	22 February 2021 on the website: http://www.commde.com
Confirmation via TCAS64 System	22-23 February 2021 (See more details for TCAS64 system on http://Student.mycas.com)

Cancellation via TCAS64 System	24-25 February 2021 (See more details for TCAS64 system on http://Student.mytcas.com)
Enrollment Confirmation Announcement	27 February 2021 on the website: http://www.commde.com
Enrollment Confirmation with Payment	1 March 2021 at the office of the International Program in Communication Design, Department of Industrial Design, 2 nd floor, Lert Urasyananada Building, Faculty of Architecture, Chulalongkorn University and
Accepted Student Announcement	5 March 2021 on the website: http://www.commde.com

4. How to apply and application packet

4.1 How to apply

The applicants who have the qualifications as described in item 1 must apply **via the online channel** as stated bellows.

- 4.1.1 Applicants must submit their information through the website of the International Program of Communication Design, Faculty of Architecture on <http://www.commde.com>
- 4.1.2 Each applicant must pay an application fee of 1,000 baht (one thousand baht) at Siam Commercial Bank from **Monday, December 21th, 2020 to Monday, January 18th, 2021**. Use the pay-in form for the Bachelor of Fine and Applied Arts in Communication Design (International Program), which can be downloaded from <http://www.commde.com>. Applicants must fill in the detail of fee transfer through the program's website before submitting their application forms.
- 4.1.3 Applicants must check their application packets thoroughly and all information provided must be correct and factual before confirming their online applications.

(Once submitted, the application cannot be further edited.)

- 4.1.4 **Apply in person**, hand-in the application, promptly with the application packet as described in item 4.2 and the evidence of application fee transfer at the office of the International Program in Communication Design, Department of Industrial Design, 2nd floor, Lert Urasyananada Building, Faculty of Architecture, Chulalongkorn University from **Monday, December 21th, 2020 to Monday, January 18th, 2021** from 9.00 – 16.00 (Except weekends and public holidays)

Applicants can inquire for more information at the office of the International Program in Communication Design, Department of Industrial Design, 2nd floor, Lert Urasyananada Building, Faculty of Architecture, Chulalongkorn University, tel: 02-218-4492 (Except weekends and public holidays)

Applicants must be responsible for checking their own qualifications as required and submit the correct and factual information. If any falsity caused by the applicants, or incomplete information, or failure to meet the requirements, the applicants will be considered disqualified.

4.2 Application packet

- 4.2.1 The application form of the Bachelor of Fine and Applied Arts in Communication Design (International Program), Faculty of Architecture for Academic Year 2021 (Early Admission)
- 4.2.2 Four 1-inch (1”) photographs (Frontal photograph, wearing appropriate outfit, no headwear and glasses, no older than 6 months, all must wearing the same outfit.)
- 4.2.3 A copy of high school academic status certification and academic transcript(s) (true copy notarized, **presented with the original documents**)
- 4.2.4 A photocopy of the applicant’s English proficiency test result, and a photocopy of applicant’s Math proficiency test result, as specified in item 1.1.1 and 1.1.2 (true copy notarized, **presented with the original documents**)

If the applicant wishes to submit his/her TOEFL or SAT test results, he/she must request the ETS or the College Board to officially send the test results through the electronic telecommunication system to CommDe - the International Program in Communication Design. The detailed procedures are as stated below.

4.2.4.1 If the applicant wishes to submit his/her TOEFL test results, he/she must request the ETS to send the test results via the electronic telecommunication system to the International Program in Communication Design. by using destination code

B641 Chulalongkorn University CommDe.

4.2.4.2 If the applicant wishes to submit his/her SAT test results, he/she must request the College Board to send the test results via the electronic telecommunication system to CommDe - the International Program in Communication Design by using destination code

7797 Chulalongkorn University CommDe.

4.2.5 A copy of the applicant's national ID or applicant's passport (International applicant) (true copy notarized, **presented with the original documents**)

4.2.6 A copy of high school academic status certification from the applicant's school (for those currently studying in high school)

4.2.7 A copy of name-surname change certification (If the applicant's name-surname in each document is different) (true copy notarized, **presented with the original documents**)

4.2.8 A portfolio, consisting of images of your own creative, design, and/or art works, submitted in the format outlined below.

4.2.8.1 Applicants must submit a portfolio, **consisting of 12 works** and record it into a USB flash drive. On the case of USB flash drive, the applicant's first name and surname must be written or typed clearly in Roman characters.

4.2.8.2 The files which contained in USB flash drive must follow the format outlined below.

4.2.8.2.1 A PDF file which contains exactly 12 pages of works (1 work per 1 page). The size of the file must not be over 25 MB. The PDF file must be named as the applicant's first name and surname in English.

4.2.8.2.2 A folder contains 12 JPEG files of applicant's works (1 page per 1 file). The folder must be named as the applicant's first name and surname in English.

4.2.8.3 The size of every page on the PDF file is 1920 width x 1080 height pixels.

4.2.8.4 At the bottom-right of each page, include the applicant's first name and surname in English.

Failing to comply with the format specified above may result in your portfolio being rejected from this admission procedure.

4.2.9 A copy of evidence of application fee transfer with applicant's name-surname clearly shown (The receipt which the applicant received from the bank)

4.2.10 A letter of authorization from the applicant (In case of applicant does not apply in person by himself or herself) promptly with a copy of proxy's national ID or proxy's passport (International proxy)

Applicants must submit all of the required documents along with their application forms. Incomplete application packets will not be considered.

<p>Once submitted, the application fee is not refundable in any cases.</p>

5. Admissions and enrollment

5.1 Interview and design skill test shortlist consideration

The Faculty of Architecture will consider the applicants who are qualified for interview and design skill test from the applicant's qualification, required evidences and application documents described in item 4.2

5.2 Interview and design skill test shortlist announcement

The Faculty of Architecture will announce the applicants short-listed for the interview and design skill test promptly with the details of the interview and design skill test process on **Friday, January 26th, 2019** on the website:

<http://www.commde.com>

The number of applicants shortlisted for the interview and design skill test may be greater or less than the number of students to be accepted into the program due to withdrawal, under-qualification or disqualification of applicants.

5.3 Interview and design skill test

Interview for the short-listed applicants will be held from **Friday, 29th January and Saturday, 30th January, 2020** at the Faculty of Architecture, Chulalongkorn University. Applicants not coming for the interview and design skill test on the specified date will forfeit their opportunity for admission.

5.4 Admission criteria

The Faculty of Architecture will make their selections based on the applicants' qualification, required evidences and application documents described in item 4.2, the interview and design skill test result score as indicated below.

5.4.1 Extracurricular activities and personal statement	10%
5.4.2 Portfolio as described in item 4.2.8	20%
5.4.3 The result of the design skill test	35%
5.4.4 The result of the interview	35%

5.5 Preliminary selection announcement

The Faculty of Architecture will announce the selected applicant list that pass the interview and design skill test on **Monday, February 8th, 2021** on the website:

<http://www.commde.com>

The Faculty of Architecture will announce the number of selected applicants equal to the intended number of students which declared in the Announcement of

Chulalongkorn University or it may be greater than the intended number of students which declared in the Announcement of Chulalongkorn University in case if the last selected applicants acquire the same score.

5.6 Pre enrollment

Those selected must confirm the decision for enrollment **in person on Wednesday, 10th February, 2021 from 9.00-11.00 at the office of the International Program in Communication Design, Department of Industrial Design, 2nd floor, Lert Urasyananada Building, Faculty of Architecture, Chulalongkorn University.** The selected applicants who do not come to confirm their decisions on the specified date will forfeit their opportunities for the admission.

The Faculty of Architecture will announce additional selected applicants if the number of selected applicants is less than intended at 09.00 on Thursday, 11th February, 2021. Additional selected applicants must confirm the decision for enrollment on **Friday, 12th February, 2021 at 09.00.** This will be considered the end of the admission process. Chulalongkorn University will not announce any additional applicant further after this process.

5.7 Final selection announcement

The Faculty of Architecture will announce the list of confirmed applicants on **Monday, February 22th, 2021** on the website: <http://www.commde.com>

The confirmed applicants have to confirm their decisions again **through TCAS64 system during February 22nd-23rd, 2021** as Council of University President of Thailand has stated. If the applicants have not confirmed their decision in TCAS64 system, this will be considered that applicants forfeit their opportunity to enroll in the Bachelor of Fine and Applied Arts in Communication Design (International Program), Faculty of Architecture, to select applicants for the program in the Academic Year 2021 (Early Admissions) (see more details for TCAS64 system on <http://Student.mycas.com>)

5.8 Waiver in TCAS64 system

The confirmed applicants who have already confirmed their decisions through TCAS64 system during February 22nd-23rd, 2021 can waive their position through TCAS64 system during February 24th-25th, 2021 (see more detail for TCAS64 system on <http://Student.mycas.com>)

5.9 Confirm applicant in the TACS system, round 1, announcement

The Faculty of Architecture will announce the list of applicants who can enroll to the Bachelor of Fine and Applied Arts in Communication Design (International Program), Faculty of Architecture on **Saturdayday, February 27th, 2021** and on the website: <http://www.commde.com>

Applicants must report in person for enrollment for the Bachelor of Fine and Applied Arts in Communication Design (International Program), Faculty of Architecture on **Monday, March 1st, 2021 from 9.00-12.00** at the office of the International Program in Communication Design, Department of Industrial Design, 2nd floor, Lert Urasyananada Building, Faculty of Architecture, Chulalongkorn University. Applicants must present the proving of high school (Mathayom 6 or equivalent) education certification on the reporting day, or if applicants have been given extension must submit the required documentation **by Friday, August 6th, 2021**. Failure to do so will result in official rejection from the program.

5.10 Accepted applicant announcement

Chulalongkorn University will announce the list of accepted applicant for for the Bachelor of Fine and Applied Arts in Communication Design (International Program), Faculty of Architecture, Chulalongkorn University, academic year 2021 (Early Admission) on Friday, 5th March 2021 on website www.commde.com.

The committee's resolution is final.

6. Enrollment conditions

To be eligible for the first registration as Chulalongkorn University students, the enrollee must have completed Mathayom 6 or its equivalent levels from high school.

Enrollees who have graduated from international schools in Thailand or from overseas which are not accredited by the Minister of Education must hold the Equivalency Certification issued by the Ministry of Education.

7. Tuition fees and special tuition fees

Tuition fees are charged in accordance with the Announcement of Chulalongkorn University on the Collection of Tuition Fees and Other Fees.

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