



## Chulalongkorn University Announcement

### Regarding applications for students in the Bachelor of Fine and Applied Arts in Communication Design (International Program), Faculty of Architecture for the 2022 academic year (International Admission)

Chulalongkorn University is now accepting applications for students in the Bachelor of Fine and Applied Arts in Communication Design (International Program), Faculty of Architecture for the 2022 academic year (International Admission). Application process is as follows.

#### 1. Application Requirements

1.1. Applicants do not hold Thai citizenship and have completed high school or passed an equivalent high school standard test or are currently in their final year of high school (Grade 12 in the US system or Year 13 in the British system).

1.2. Applicants must achieve the prescribed minimum score in any one of the following English Proficiency tests:

- 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)	not lower than 400	or
- CU-TEP (Chulalongkorn University Test of English Proficiency)	not lower than 80	or
- Duolingo English Test	not lower than 100	

**Note:** This requirement can be exempted for applicants who are not Thai nationals and have resided outside Thailand for at least 5 years and 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 medium of instruction. Applicants must present two sealed and signed letters of recommendation from different instructors in the educational institution where they are currently studying or have graduated from.

1.3. Applicants must also achieve the prescribed minimum score in any one of the following:

- CU-AAT (Maths)	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 (Mathematics or numeracy) at level 2 or higher		or
at least total 4 credits and with a minimum of "Achieved"		



- Predicted Grade from their educational institution where they are currently studying.  
Grade “B” in Mathematics at A-Level Test or
- Predicted Grade from their educational institution where they are currently studying:  
IB (Maths) not lower than 5 (IB grading system).

The official score report of the tests in 1.2 and 1.3 is valid only if the tests were taken not more than two years prior to the application deadline.

1.4. All applicants must have a history of good behavior and agree to strictly abide by existing and future University regulations, codes and policies.

## 2. Number of Available Places

The Bachelor of Fine and Applied Arts in Communication Design (International Program) is authorized to admit up to 5 (five) qualified applicants.

## 3. Application Schedule and Application Fee

### 3.1. Application Schedule

3.1.1. Apply online at <http://www.commde.com/admissions>. There are two rounds of application as follows:

**First-round application:** 20<sup>th</sup> December 2021 – 4<sup>th</sup> February 2022

**Second-round application:** 4<sup>th</sup> March – 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2022 (The second-round will take place only on the condition that the required number is not met in the first round).

### 3.1.2. Application Fee Payment

For the first-round application, pay the fee between 20<sup>th</sup> December 2021 – 4<sup>th</sup> February 2022.

For the second-round application (if any), pay the fee between 4<sup>th</sup> March – 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2022.

Applicants pay the non-refundable 1,000 Baht application fee through **Kasikorn Bank, Siam Square Branch**, account name: คณะสถาปัตยกรรมศาสตร์ จุฬาลงกรณ์มหาวิทยาลัย, account number: 041-8-23379-6. This payment can be made either at the bank or through mobile banking.

In the case of transferring from an international bank account, please specify the swift code **KASITHBK** (account name: FACULTY OF ARCHITECTURE, CHULALONGKORN UNIVERSITY).

Please upload the receipt for application fee (1,000 Baht) to the website

<http://www.commde.com/admissions>.

### 3.2. Application Fees

The application fee is 1,000 Thai Baht (transaction fees and surcharges not included).

## 4. Application Process and Package

### 4.1. Application Process

Applicants who meet all requirements listed in item 1 must apply online through the website as detailed below:

4.1.1. Applicants must submit their information through the online application site of the International Program of Communication Design, Faculty of Architecture at <http://www.commde.com>.

4.1.2. Scan and upload the PDF files of certified copies of required documents in item 4.2. through the online application site.





4.1.3. Transfer a non-refundable application fee of 1,000 Baht as instructed above and upload the receipt for application fee (1,000 Baht) to the online application site.

4.1.4. Applicants must fill out and sign the document in item 4.2.10 'CommDe Application 2022: Acknowledgement Form for confirmation of the validity of information and evidence. Then submit this through the online application site.

4.1.5. Applicants must verify the information and evidence before 'Submit' on the online application site. Once submitted, applicants can no change any provided information.

#### **4.2. Application Package**

Applicants must complete the application form in full and ensure that all information given is true and correct. All application forms must be accompanied by the following:

4.2.1. A passport photograph file (frontal, wearing appropriate outfit, no headwear and glasses, and no older than 6 months).

4.2.2. A file of high school academic status certification and academic transcript(s).

4.2.3. A file of the applicant's English proficiency test result, and a copy of applicant's Math proficiency test result, as specified in items 1.1.1 and 1.1.2.

If the applicant needs to submit his/her TOEFL, SAT or Duolingo test results, he/she must request the examination host to officially send the test results through the online system of the International Program in Communication Design. Detailed procedures are as stated below. Then submit the score report or screen capture through the online application site.

4.2.3.1. If the applicant needs 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 the destination code.

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4.2.3.2. If the applicant needs 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 the International Program in Communication Design by using the destination code.

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4.2.3.3. If the applicant needs to submit his/her Duolingo test results, he/she must request the Duolingo to send the test results via the electronic telecommunication system to the International Program in Communication Design by using destination.

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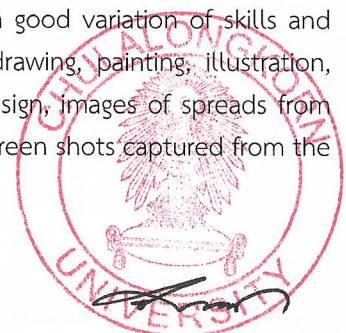
4.2.4. A copy of high school academic status certification from the applicant's school (for those currently studying in high school).

4.2.5. A copy of the applicant's passport (notarized 'used only for applying to CommDe').

4.2.6. A portfolio, consisting of images of your own creative, design, and/or artworks, submitted in the format outlined below. Applicants must upload their portfolio online.

4.2.6.1 Applicants must submit a portfolio, consisting of 12 works:

- The first 11 works should demonstrate a good variation of skills and media, such as drawing from life, experimental drawing, painting, illustration, photography, mixed media or 3-D work, graphic design, images of spreads from sketchbooks, creative crafts, digital art, a series of screen shots captured from the original video or animation, etc.



- The last, 12<sup>th</sup>, work must be an image that creatively represents the applicant's personality and executed in your chosen medium (except sound and moving image).

4.2.6.2. All 12 works must be recorded as files designated as the following items:

4.2.6.2.1. 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.

4.2.6.2.2. 12 JPEG files of applicant's works (1 page per 1 file).

4.2.6.3. The file size of every page on the PDF should be 1920 width x 1080 height pixels.

4.2.6.4. The bottom-right of each page must 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 the admission procedure.

4.2.7. A signed 'CommDe Application 2022: Acknowledgement Form' (Form can be download from <https://commde.com/admissions>)

4.2.8. A copy of evidence of application fee transfer. Applicants must upload this evidence and complete the transaction through the online application site.

## 5. Application Process Details

### 5.1. First-Round Application

#### 5.1.1. Announcing Applicants Qualified for Interview

The Faculty of Architecture will announce applicants qualified for interview on 14<sup>th</sup> February 2022 on the website <http://www.commde.com/admissions>.

#### 5.1.2. Interview (Online)

Applicants qualified for an interview will be examined online between 19<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> February 2022. If an applicant does not report for the interview, that applicant will be disqualified.

#### 5.1.3. Announcement of Applicants who Have Passed the Interview

The Faculty of Architecture will announce applicants who have successfully passed the interview as well as details on how to confirm acceptance of an offer of place on 24<sup>th</sup> February 2022 on our website (<http://www.commde.com/admissions>).

#### 5.1.4. Accepting Offer of Place and Paying the Admission Confirmation Fee

Applicants who have successfully passed the interview must report to accept the offer of place and make the admission confirmation fee payment between 28<sup>th</sup> February – 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2022. If an applicant fails to do so by the appointed time, it will be assumed you have rejected the offer of a place.

#### 5.1.5. Announcement of Additional Qualified Applicants (If Any)

The Faculty of Architecture will announce additional applicants who have passed the interview on our website (<http://www.commde.com/admissions>). Additional applicants who have successfully passed the interview must report to accept the offer of a place and pay the admission confirmation fee between 3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> March 2022. If an applicant fails to do so by the appointed time, it will be assumed you have rejected the offer of a place.





**5.1.6. Announcement of Applicants who have Confirmed Acceptance of an Offer of Place and Paid for the Admission Confirmation Fee**

The Faculty of Architecture will announce applicants who have confirmed acceptance of an offer of place and paid the admission confirmation fee between 3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> March 2022 by email.

Successful applicants who have confirmed acceptance of an offer of place and paid for the admission confirmation fee will not be eligible for the second-round application. The CommDe program reserves the right not to refund the application fee to applicants.

**5.2. Second-Round Application (if any)**

The second round of applications will take place on the condition that the announced number is not met in the first round.

**5.2.1. Announcing Applicants Qualified for Interview**

The Faculty of Architecture will announce applicants qualified for interview on 9<sup>th</sup> May 2022 on our website <http://www.commde.com/admissions>.

**5.2.2. Interview (Online)**

Applicants qualified for an interview will be examined online between 14<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> May 2022. If an applicant does not report for interview, the applicant will be disqualified.

**5.2.3. Announcement of Applicants who Have Passed the Interview**

The Faculty of Architecture will announce applicants who have successfully passed the interview as well as details on how to confirm acceptance of an offer of place on 20<sup>th</sup> May 2022 on the CommDe website (<http://www.commde.com/admissions>).

**5.2.4. Accepting an Offer of Place and Paying the Admission Confirmation Fee**

Applicants who have passed the interview must report to accept an offer of place and make the admission confirmation fee payment between 24<sup>th</sup> – 27<sup>th</sup> May 2022. If an applicant fails to do so by the appointed time, it will be assumed they have rejected an offer of place.

**5.2.5. Announcement of additional qualified applicants (if any)**

The Faculty of Architecture will announce additional applicants who have passed the interview on the CommDe website (<http://www.commde.com/admissions>). Additional applicants who have passed the interview must report to accept an offer of place and pay the admission confirmation fee between 27<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup> May 2022. If an applicant fails to do so by the appointed time, it will be assumed they have rejected the offer of place.

**5.2.6. Announcement of Applicants who have Confirmed an Acceptance of Offer of Place and Paid the Admission Confirmation Fee**

The Faculty of Architecture will announce applicants who have confirmed acceptance of an offer of place and paid the admission confirmation fee between 27<sup>th</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup> May 2022 by email.

**6. Announcement of Qualified Applicants (From the First and Second Round of Applications)**

Chulalongkorn University will announce qualified applicants in the Bachelor of Fine and Applied Arts in Communication Design (International Program) for the 2022 academic year (international round) on 6<sup>th</sup> June 2022 on the CommDe website (<http://www.commde.com/admissions>).



## 7. Conditions of Study

7.1 An individual must have completed Mattayom 6 or equivalent to be qualified to register as a student of Chulalongkorn University. Should it emerge that qualified applicants are found to have provided false information on the application form or false evidence in support of the application, their places will be rescinded. The CommDe program reserves the right not to refund the application fee and the admission confirmation fee to applicants.

7.2 Individuals who have completed their education at an international school or a foreign school that was not certified by the Ministry of Education must have their qualification(s) certified by the Council of University Presidents of Thailand as being equal to a qualification according to the Ministry of Education's Basic Education Core Curriculum.

7.3 Should it emerge that qualified applicants are found to have provided false information on the application form or false evidence in support of the application, their places will be rescinded. The applicant may also face criminal charges.

## 8. University Fees and Extra Surcharges

University fees and surcharges will be charged according to announcements by Chulalongkorn University.

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