

## Announcement

King Mongkut's University of Technology Thonburi

Criteria on accepting International scholarships and payment regulations for the scholarship recipients during the outbreak of COVID-19

(For the international scholarship recipients)

At present, the outbreak of corona virus 2019 (COVID-19) is rapidly escalating as shown in a massive increase in infected cases around the world along with its spread from human to human through direct contact in several countries. Being extremely concerned about the health and well-being of the scholarship recipients and to ensure the program efficiency.

By Virtue of Article 13 of the Regulations of King Mongkut's University of Technology Thonburi on Students Scholarship Fund B.E. 2553 (A.D. 2010) and the meeting resolution of the Board of Petchra Pra Jom Klao Scholarship 1/2563 (A.D. 2020) on March 19, 2563 (A.D. 2020), and the meeting resolution of Students Scholarship Management Board on July 31, 2563 (A.D. 2020), it has been agreed to make an announcement on criteria on accepting scholarships and payment regulations for the scholarship recipients during the outbreak of COVID-19. The details are as follows.

<u>Graduate students</u>: The eligible recipients in the Academic year 1/2020 who are not in Thailand must postpone their scholarships and enroll to the second semester (Academic year 2/2020) which starts in January 2021 or Academic year 1/2021 which starts in August 2021.

Under Graduate students: The instruction for those who wish to study in the first semester (Academic Year 1/2020) during the outbreak of COVID-19 is entirely conducted online as the scholarship recipients are unable to travel to Thailand due to restrictions on travel and entry permission to Thailand at present. While the tuition fees shall be supported by the university, the monthly overseas cost-of-living allowance cannot be compensated. The scholarship recipients will start receiving the cost-of-living allowance only when they study in Thailand. The period of the scholarship cannot be extended. Upon acknowledgement of the conditions stated in the offered agreement from the university, the recipients are required to affix their signature to the agreement and send the signed document back to the university by email within the specified period. The eligible recipients in the Academic year 1/2020 who are not ready to travel to Thailand are

allowed/entitled to postpone their scholarships and enroll for the Academic year 1/2021 which starts in August 2021.

Please be noted that KMUTT has no policies to support on the Alternative State Quarantine (ASQ) hotels expenses and Insurance fee.

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