

THAILAND

Sasin Graduate Institute of Business Administration

Sasin Graduate Institute of Business Administration was founded on September 15, 1982, by Chulalongkorn University, the oldest and best-known university in Thailand, with the support and collaboration of the Kellogg School of Management and The Wharton School. It is home to the first MBA program in Thailand to be taught completely in English. Sasin is also the first and only business school in Thailand to be accredited by AACSB and EQUIS and one of only a few business schools in Asia with both accreditations.

Since its inception, Sasin has brought to Thailand a selection of the best of the best teaching faculty. Initially, all its faculty were visitors drawn from those associated with the Wharton School and the Kellogg School of Management. Now, Sasin offers a mix of visiting and full-time faculty with backgrounds in over 19 countries. In 2024, the Sasin School of Management was ranked 30th for full-time MBA programs in Asia by QS. It was also ranked in the top ten MBA business schools in Asia Pacific.

Bangkok's modern and efficient SkyTrain and metro systems are a 5–10-minute walk away - just a few minutes by the university's free electric shuttle service/

FACILITIES/HOUSING

Sasin has a computer lab and recreational facilities including a swimming pool, fitness center, aerobics center, and sauna for students to use.

There are two options for on-campus housing for international exchange students:

- The Sasa International House, a three-minute walk from Sasin, has newly furnished rooms. Room rental rates are 25,200 baht per month, which includes room cleaning services.
- CU-iHouse-Chulalongkorn University is a 10–15-minute walk from Sasin. The current monthly rental rate is about 14,000 baht per month. This includes maid cleaning service twice a month. At check-in you must pay a 1-month deposit along with the 1-month rental fee, totaling 28,000 baht. Your 1-month deposit will be returned once checked out.

Additional details for on-campus living : uscmsb-my.sharepoint.com/www.chula.ac.th/en/prospective-student/accommodation. Many exchange students enjoy off-campus accommodation. There are a few service apartments near Sasin. Contact the Sasin Experience Team for more information at SasinExperience@sasin.edu for suggestions.

SEMESTER DATES:

Fall semester: August 18 – September 20 (Module 3)
 September 22 – October 25 (Module 4)
 November 3 – December 6 (Module 5)
 December 8 – December 20 (Module 6 Intensive)

Spring semester: January 5 – February 7 (Module 7)
 February 9 – March 14 (Module 8)
 March 15– March 22 (Module 9 intensive),
 March 30 – May 2 (Module 10)

WORKLOAD

Sasin uses a module system. Students are advised to take two courses per module. Regular modules have on average 2 to 5 course selections per module; intensive modules have only 1 course offering. Each course, including intensive courses, is worth 3 Sasin credits. 3 Sasin credits is equivalent to 30 contact hours or 33 contact hours (including exam/presentation hours). Exchange students are limited to the selection of elective courses exclusively. For more information about elective courses <https://www.sasin.edu/mba-elective-courses>

UNITS VALUE AND CONVERSION

1 Sasin unit = 1 USC unit
 Minimum Units: 12 Sasin units = 12 USC units Maximum Units: 15 Sasin units = 15 USC units

MINIMUM PASSING GRADE TO OBTAIN USC CREDITS

B or better

ESTIMATED COSTS This is an estimated student budget. All costs are subject to change without notice.

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Item	Estimated Amt in US Dollars
USC MBA Tuition Rate (Maximum 12 units x \$2421* per unit)	\$29,052.00
Room and Board	\$4,500.00
Food	\$1,700.00
Books and Supplies	\$400.00
Airfare	\$1,600.00
Local Transportation	\$900.00
USC Health Insurance*	\$1,977.00
Insurance at Host Institute	\$160.00
Visa	\$100.00
Passport	\$140.00
Vaccinations/Health Fees	\$300.00
Miscellaneous/Personal	\$3,000.00
TOTAL	\$43,829.00

**Rate based on Spring 2025*

Further information can be found on Sasin’s website: <http://www.sasin.edu/>

