

# Contemporary Issues of ASEAN: CLMV Focus

A Summer Course in Thailand  
(with a Field Trip to Cambodia)

July 4 – August 8, 2016

# Contemporary Issues of ASEAN:

## CLMV Focus

- O Issue or problem based learning
- O In 2015, the course will focus on economic issues of Cambodia, Laos, Myanmar and Vietnam (CLMV).
- O Distinguished guest lecturers
- O Company visits in Thailand
- O 6 days field trip to Cambodia

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## Course description:

This program is a problem based learning course regarding contemporary issues of ASEAN economic, business, social and political environment. In this program, the student can learn both from lectures (by invited professors and expertise in each topic) in the classroom and field trips to and interview relevant agents in various sectors in Thailand and/or another ASEAN member country regarding issues of focus for the program in that academic year.

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- o Length of the program: 5 weeks (July 4 – Aug 8, 2015)
- o Number of credits: 6 credits (Thammasat University credit system)
- o Prerequisites: student from 2<sup>nd</sup> year (now) and by Lecturer's consent
- o Maximum number of students accepted to the program: 30

|               |        |    | M                   | T             | W                         | Th                          | F                             |    |
|---------------|--------|----|---------------------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|----|
| July 4, 2016  | Week 1 | AM | Intro               | C             | M                         | Discussion                  | Company or organization visit | 23 |
|               |        | PM | Brief ASEAN         | L             | V                         | Project Preparation         |                               |    |
| July 11, 2016 | Week 2 | AM | Trade               | Investment    | Labor Market              | Proposed Project            | Field Trip preparation        | 23 |
|               |        | PM | Discussion          | Discussion    | Discussion                | Proposed Project            |                               |    |
| July 18, 2016 | Week 3 | AM | Field Trip          | Field Trip    | Field Trip                | Field Trip                  | Field Trip                    | 9  |
|               |        | PM | Field Trip          | Field Trip    | Field Trip                | Field Trip                  | Field Trip                    |    |
| July 25, 2016 | Week 4 | AM | Development         | Environment   | Doing business in CLMV    | Doing Business in CLMV      | Group Project                 | 23 |
|               |        | PM | Discussion          | Discussion    | Discussion                | Discussion                  |                               |    |
| Aug 1, 2016   | Week 5 | AM | Special issue       | Special issue | Group project preparation | Presentation and discussion | Class summary                 | 18 |
|               |        | PM | Discussion          | Discussion    | Group project preparation | Presentation and discussion |                               |    |
|               |        |    | Final Exam on Aug 8 |               |                           |                             |                               | 96 |

Schedules are subjected to change due to guest lectures' availability.

# **Contemporary Issues of ASEAN: CLMV Focus**

Field Trip in Thailand and Cambodia  
(2015 trip)

# Siem Reap (Cambodia)



# Phnom Penh (Cambodia)



# Expense

Total course expense including field trip expense:  
approximately 50,000 Baht