



## **Chulalongkorn University Announcement**

### **Regarding Applications for Students in the Bachelor of Arts in Language and Culture (International Program), Faculty of Arts for the 2023 academic year (Early Admission).**

Chulalongkorn University is now accepting applications for students in the Bachelor of Arts in Language and Culture (International Program), Faculty of Arts for the 2023 academic year (Early Admission). Application process and selection criteria are as follows:

#### **1. Applicant Qualifications**

- 1.1. Must have completed or are studying at Mattayom 6 level or equivalent in a domestic or foreign educational institution.
- 1.2. Must have met the minimum requirement for one of the following English language proficiency tests
  - 1.2.1. TOEFL iBT (Internet-based) with a minimum score 95 OR;
  - 1.2.2. IELTS with a minimum score of 7 OR;
  - 1.2.3. CU-TEP (Chulalongkorn University Test of English Proficiency) with a minimum score of 90 OR;
  - 1.2.4. DET with a minimum score 130.
- 1.3. Must have met the minimum requirement for one of the following proficiency tests
  - 1.3.1. CU-AAT (Verbal Section) with a minimum score of 480 OR;
  - 1.3.2. SAT (Evidence-Based Reading and Writing) with a minimum score of 480 OR;
  - 1.3.3. ACT (English and Reading) with a minimum score of 34.

Proficiency test scores described in 1.2 and 1.3 must not be more than 2 years old, counting to the last day of applications.
- 1.4. Must be an individual of good behavior who can guarantee to the university that they are committed to studying to the best of their ability and are willing to strictly follow all current and future university regulations.

Should it emerge that an applicant is missing one of the preceding criteria or is found to have provided false information in the application or false or forged evidence in support of the application, the applicant will be disqualified from this round of application, regardless of whether the application has been successful or not. The applicant may also face criminal charges.

## 2. Number of available places

Chulalongkorn University will be accepting a total of **80 qualified applicants** into the Bachelor of Arts in Language and Culture (International Program).

In a case where the successful candidates are fewer than the available places, the Faculty of Arts reserves the right to combine the remaining places with the available in the next round of admissions as it sees fit.

## 3. Application Schedule

<b>Application Activity</b>	<b>Date/Month/Year</b>
Registration on TCAS66 (Applicants must register in the TCAS system as required by Council of University Presidents of Thailand (CUPT) before applying.)	From 28th October 2022 on <a href="http://student.mycas.com">http://student.mycas.com</a>
Applications open	<b>Between 25<sup>th</sup> November - 22<sup>nd</sup> December 2022</b>
Application process and evidence	<b>Between 25<sup>th</sup> November - 22<sup>nd</sup> December 2022</b>  Applicants fill out the application form and submit scanned versions of accompanying evidence online at  <a href="http://www.arts.chula.ac.th/~balac/admission2020">http://www.arts.chula.ac.th/~balac/admission2020</a>
Announcement of applicants qualified to be interviewed	10 <sup>th</sup> January 2023 at  <a href="http://www.arts.chula.ac.th/~balac/v2020/index.php/category/admission/">http://www.arts.chula.ac.th/~balac/v2020/index.php/category/admission/</a>
Interviews	14 <sup>th</sup> – 15 <sup>th</sup> January 2023 at Maha Chakri Sirindhorn Building, Faculty of Arts, Chulalongkorn University

<b>Application Activity</b>	<b>Date/Month/Year</b>
Announcement of qualified applicants	20 <sup>th</sup> January 2023 at  <a href="http://www.arts.chula.ac.th/~balac/v2020/index.php/category/admission/">http://www.arts.chula.ac.th/~balac/v2020/index.php/category/admission/</a>
Qualified applicants report to accept offer of place	23 <sup>rd</sup> January 2023 at the Bachelor of Arts in Language and Culture (International Program) office, room 712, 7 <sup>th</sup> floor, Boromrajakumari Building, Faculty of Arts, Chulalongkorn University, between <b>08:00 – 12:00 hrs</b>
Announcements of additional qualified applicants (if any)	24 <sup>th</sup> January 2023 at  <a href="http://www.arts.chula.ac.th/~balac/v2020/index.php/category/admission/">http://www.arts.chula.ac.th/~balac/v2020/index.php/category/admission/</a>
Additional qualified applicants report to accept offer of place (if any)	25 <sup>th</sup> January 2023 at the Bachelor of Arts in Language and Culture (International Program) office, room 712, 7 <sup>th</sup> floor, Boromrajakumari Building, Faculty of Arts, Chulalongkorn, between <b>08:00 – 12:00 hrs</b>
Announcement of qualified applicants	3 <sup>rd</sup> February 2023 at  <a href="http://www.arts.chula.ac.th/~balac/v2020/index.php/category/admission/">http://www.arts.chula.ac.th/~balac/v2020/index.php/category/admission/</a>
Confirming acceptance of offer of place on TCAS66	7 <sup>th</sup> - 8 <sup>th</sup> February 2023  (For details on accepting offer of place on TCAS please see <a href="http://student.mycas.com">http://student.mycas.com</a> )
Rejecting offer of place - round 1	9 <sup>th</sup> February 2023  (For details on rejecting offer of place on TCAS please see <a href="http://student.mycas.com">http://student.mycas.com</a> )
Announcement of applicants who confirmed their acceptance of offer on TCAS66 round 1	11 <sup>th</sup> February 2023 at  <a href="http://www.arts.chula.ac.th/~balac/v2020/index.php/category/admission/">http://www.arts.chula.ac.th/~balac/v2020/index.php/category/admission/</a>

<b>Application Activity</b>	<b>Date/Month/Year</b>
Applicants with confirmation report to the program & pay their confirmation fee	14 <sup>th</sup> February 2023 at the Bachelor of Arts in Language and Culture (International Program) office, room 712, 7 <sup>th</sup> floor, Boromrajakumari Building, Faculty of Arts, Chulalongkorn University, between 09:00 – 12:00 hrs
Announcement of successful candidates with the right to study	21 <sup>st</sup> February 2023 at  <a href="http://www.arts.chula.ac.th/~balac/v2020/index.php/category/admission/">http://www.arts.chula.ac.th/~balac/v2020/index.php/category/admission/</a>

#### **4. Applications and Supporting documents**

##### **4.1. Application Process Details**

Applicants with qualifications as described in 1 must apply online for selection to become a student in the Bachelor of Arts in Language and Culture (International Program) by following the required details as follows:

- 4.1.1. Applicants fill in the online application form on the website of Bachelor of Arts in Language and Culture (International Program) at <http://www.arts.chula.ac.th/~balac/admission2020/> **between 25<sup>th</sup> November - 22<sup>nd</sup> December 2022.**
- 4.1.2. Applicants scan and upload certified copies of the supporting documents listed in 4.2 to the online application system.
- 4.1.3. After filling out the online application form and uploading the supporting documents, the applicants should double check the application before submitting the application form (**the application cannot be modified after submission**).
- 4.1.4. Applicants will receive an email detailing the applicant number and a bank account number for application fee payment.
- 4.1.5. Applicants pay 1,000 baht application fee (one thousand baht) **at a bank or via mobile banking to Bangkok Bank, Siam Square Branch, account name: คณะอักษรศาสตร์ จุฬาลงกรณ์มหาวิทยาลัย, account number: 152-4-21836-7.**
- 4.1.6. After paying the application fee, the applicants may fill out the payment confirmation and upload the payment evidence on the program's website at <http://www.arts.chula.ac.th/~balac/admission2020/payment/>. The program will examine the

application and, if the application is complete, send an applicant ID card to the applicant via email.

- 4.1.7. Applicants submit the application and the supporting documents as detailed in 4.2.5 via post only to the program at the Bachelor of Arts in Language and Culture (International Program) office, room 712, Boromrajakumari Building, Faculty of Arts, Chulalongkorn University, Phayathai Road, Wang Mai, Pathumwan, Bangkok 10330.

For more information, please contact the Bachelor of Arts in Language and Culture (International Program) office, room 712, 7<sup>th</sup> floor, Boromrajakumari Building, Faculty of Arts. Phone: 02-218-1702-04 Fax: 02-2181702-04 Email: [balac.chula@gmail.com](mailto:balac.chula@gmail.com) (During official working hours and days)

Applicants are responsible for checking that the applicant meets the requirements as outlined in the announcement and give truthful information in the forms. If there are errors committed by the applicants, or if the supporting documents do not meet the requirements outlined in the announcement, applicants will be considered disqualified from the start.

#### 4.2. Evidence and Supporting Documents

- 4.2.1. Application form for the Bachelor of Arts in Language and Culture (International Program) for the 2023 academic year (Early Admission)
- 4.2.2. One 2-inch photo (The photo must be in full-face view, without headwear or dark glasses, wearing student uniform or polite clothes, and no more than 6 months old.)
- 4.2.3. Copy of student status from the applicant's current educational institution (for current students)
- 4.2.4. Copy of educational qualifications and transcript (signed certified true copy)
- 4.2.5. Original English language test result document according to 1.2 and 1.3
- 4.2.5.1. For IELTS results, the applicant must request a copy of their result from the testing institution to be sent directly to the Bachelor of Arts in Language and Culture (International Program), room 712, Boromrajakumari Building, Faculty of Arts, Chulalongkorn University, Phayathai Road, Wang Mai, Pathumwan, Bangkok 10330.
- 4.2.5.2. For CU-TEP and CU-AAT (Verbal), the applicant must submit the original copy of the test result which can be requested from Chulalongkorn University Academic Testing Center.

4.2.5.3. For SAT results, the applicant must request a copy of their result from The College Board to be sent directly to the Bachelor of Arts in Language and Culture (International Program), Faculty of Arts, Chulalongkorn University using the institution code: 6902. (The applicant should attach the order confirmation to their application form.)

4.2.5.4. For DET results, the applicant must request for their online result from Duolingo English Test to be sent directly to the Bachelor of Arts in Language and Culture (International Program), Faculty of Arts, Chulalongkorn University using the institution code:

**Chulalongkorn University BALAC, Faculty of Arts.**

4.2.6. Copies of national identification card or passport (for non-Thai citizens) (signed certified true copy)

4.2.7. Statement of Purpose in English, no more than 1,000 words in length

Applicants must submit all documents, or the application will not be considered by the Faculty of Arts under any circumstances.

After the application has been made, it will be assumed that the applicant has made all the preliminary checks. As such, the Faculty of Arts will not refund application fees under any circumstances.

## **5. Selection Criteria**

### **5.1. Selection Criteria for Interview**

The Faculty of Arts will select applicants for the interview based on the applicant's qualifications, evidence and supporting documents as outlined in 4.2.

### **5.2. Announcing Applicants Qualified for Interview**

The Faculty of Arts will announce the names of applicants qualified for interview on **10<sup>th</sup> January 2023** on <http://www.arts.chula.ac.th/~balac/v2020/index.php/category/admission/> with details for the interview.

The Faculty of Arts may announce the names of applicants qualified for interview more than the number of available places in the case where it is expected that some applicants may decline the interview and not confirm their offer of place.

### 5.3. Interview

Applicants qualified for an interview will be interviewed between **14<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> January 2023**. If an applicant does not report for the interview on the date above, that applicant will be disqualified.

### 5.4. Assessment Criteria for the Interview

The Faculty of Arts will consider applicants who have passed the interview process through interview scores evaluated by the Bachelor of Arts in Language and Culture (International Program). The Faculty will use the score weighing below.

5.4.1. English competency	15	Score
5.4.2. Interest in Cultural Issues	30	Score
5.4.3. Critical thinking Skills	30	Score
5.4.4. Attitudes & academic potential	25	Score
<b>Total Interview Score</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>Score</b>

**Passing Applicants must receive a total of at least 60% from 5.4.1., 5.4.2., 5.4.3. and 5.4.4.**

### 5.5. Announcement of Applicants Who Have Passed the Interview

The faculty of Arts will announce the applicants who have passed the interview **on 20<sup>th</sup> January 2023** on <http://www.arts.chula.ac.th/~balac/v2020/index.php/category/admission/>.

The Faculty of Arts may announce exactly the number of applicants who have passed the interview according to this announcement or more, in the event that the last qualifying applicants have equal scores.

### 5.6. Accepting offer of Place

Applicants who have passed the interview **must report to accept offer of place at the Bachelor of Arts in Language and Culture (International Program) office, room 712, 7<sup>th</sup> floor, Boromrajakumari Building, Faculty of Arts, Chulalongkorn University on 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2023 between 08:00 – 12:00 hrs. If an applicant does not report at the appointed time, they will be assumed to have rejected the offer of place. The Faculty will announce additional successful applicants based on score ranking until the announced number is met on 24<sup>th</sup> January 2023 at 13:00 hrs. The additional successful applicants must report to accept offer of place at the Bachelor of Arts in Language and Culture (International Program) office, on 25<sup>th</sup> January 2023 between 08:00-12:00 hrs (if any).**

This will be the end of the selection process. The faculty will not announce further successful applicants under any circumstances.

### **5.7. Announcement of Successful Applicants**

The Faculty of arts will announce successful applicants on **3<sup>rd</sup> February 2023** on <http://www.arts.chula.ac.th/~balac/v2020/index.php/category/admission/>.

### **5.8. Confirming Acceptance of Offer of Place on TCAS66**

Successful applicants are required to confirm their acceptance of the offer of place through the TCAS66 round 1 between **7<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> February 2023 according to the Council of University Presidents of Thailand (CUPT). Failure to do so will be considered a forfeit of place and the right to study in the Bachelor of Arts in Language and Culture (International Program), Faculty of Arts, in the 2023 academic year (Early Admission).** (For

details on confirming an offer of place on TCAS66, please see <https://student.mycas.com>)

In case the number of applicants who have confirmed their acceptance of offer of place on TCAS66 between 7<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> February 2023 does not meet the number of available places in this announcement, the Faculty reserves the right to add the remaining slots in the next round of admissions as it sees fit. This will be the end of the selection process. The faculty will not announce further successful applicants under any circumstances.

### **5.9. Rejecting Offer of Place on TCAS66**

Successful applicants to the Bachelor of Arts in Language and Culture (International Program) for the 2023 academic year (Early Admission) that previously accepted an offer of place on 7<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> February 2023 may, if they wish, reject the offer of place through the TCAS66 system on **9<sup>th</sup> February 2023**.

(Rejecting an offer on TCAS round 1) (For details on rejecting an offer of place on TCAS66 please see <http://student.mycas.com>).

### **5.10. Announcement of Applicants who have Confirmed Acceptance of Offer of Place on TCAS66**

#### **Round 1**

Chulalongkorn University will announce the list of applicants who have confirmed their acceptance of offer of place on

TCAS66 Round 1 on 11<sup>th</sup> February 2023 on

<http://www.arts.chula.ac.th/~balac/v2020/index.php/category/admission/>. Applicants whose names

appear on the announcement must **report to confirm their acceptance of the offer of place and pay their confirmation fee on 14<sup>th</sup> February 2023 at the Bachelor of Arts in Language and Culture (International Program) office, room 712, 7<sup>th</sup> floor, Boromrajakumari Building, Faculty of Arts, between 09.00 – 12.00 hrs.** Failure to do so will be considered a forfeit of place. **The Faculty of Arts reserves the right to not refund the confirmation fee under any circumstances.**



Applicants with the right to study must show evidence of successfully completing Mattayom 6 or equivalent on the reporting day. In the event that permission was given to extend while the applicant waits for examination results for Mattayom 6 or equivalent, the applicant shall present this evidence at the Bachelor of Arts in Language and Culture (International Program) office, room 712, 7th floor, Boromrajakumari Building, Faculty of Arts, **no later than the 31<sup>th</sup> July 2023**.

#### **5.11. Announcement of Applicants with the Right to Study**

Chulalongkorn University will announce the list of applicants with the right to study the Bachelor of Arts in Language and Culture (International Program) for the 2023 academic year (Early Admission) **on 21<sup>st</sup> February 2023** on <https://www.arts.chula.ac.th/~balac/v2020/index.php/category/admission/>.

**The Committee's decision is final.**

#### **6. Conditions of Study**

**6.1.** An individual must have completed Mattayom 6 or equivalent to be qualified to register as a student of Chulalongkorn University. Should it be discovered that the applicant did not complete their required education or does not possess all the required qualifications, their right to study will be rescinded and no application fee, confirmation fee, and university fee shall be refunded under any circumstances.

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 certified by Chulalongkorn University Academic Testing Center as being equal to a qualification according to the Ministry of Education's Basic Education Core Curriculum.

**6.2.** Should it emerge that individuals who have successfully registered as Chulalongkorn University students have been found to have provided false information in the application or false evidence in support of the application or in the registration, their right to study will be rescinded. The applicant may also face criminal charges.

**6.3.** Should it be found that individuals with right to study at Chulalongkorn University have confirmed their offer of place in more than 1 program, their right to study will be suspended without prior notice.

## **7. University Fees and Extra Surcharges**

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

Announced on 13 October 2022

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