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Announcement of Mahidol University

Subject: Fixed-Rate Tuition Fees for Graduate Studies at Mahidol University for Higher Education Sandbox Programs for Students Enrolling from the Academic Year 2024 Onwards B.E. 2567 (2024)

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To ensure proper registration and payment of tuition fees for graduate studies at Mahidol University in Higher Education Sandbox Programs, under the authority of Article 11 of the Mahidol University Regulations on Budget and Financial Administration, B.E. 2551 (2008), and its amendments, along with the resolutions of the meetings of the Committee on the Determination of Collection and Allocation of Tuition Fees, Session 4/2567 on June 28, B.E. 2567 (2024), and Session 5/2567 on July 31, B.E. 2567 (2024), the President stipulates the criteria and fixed-rate tuition fees for graduate studies at Mahidol University. This applies to Higher Education Sandbox Programs for students enrolling from the academic year 2024 onwards, as follows:

Section 1: Fixed-rate tuition fees will be collected from students who register for courses or apply for thesis, dissertation, or independent study exams, as applicable, during regular semesters (first and second semesters). The fees will be collected according to specific criteria:

1.1 For studies conducted within the time frame specified in the program's academic plan, fees will be collected according to the fixed-rate tuition fee of each program. This will be collected every regular semester until the completion of the academic period as outlined in the academic plan.

1.2 For studies extending beyond the time frame specified in the program's academic plan but not exceeding the maximum duration allowed by the program, and if the student has not yet passed the thesis, dissertation, or independent study exam, the fees will be collected as follows:

(1) If the student registers for a thesis, dissertation, or independent study without enrolling in additional courses, or if they enrol to complete the program structure, a fee of 10,000 THB per semester will be collected. This is applicable for every regular semester until the semester in which the student passes the thesis, dissertation, or independent study exam, or until the maximum duration of the program is reached, whichever comes first.

(2) If the student registers for additional courses beyond the academic plan or after completing the required coursework, regardless of whether they have registered for thesis, dissertation, or independent study exams, fees will be collected based on the fixed-rate tuition fee of each program. This will be collected every regular semester until the student passes the thesis, dissertation, or independent study exam, or until the maximum duration of the program is reached, whichever comes first.

1.3 In case students are approved to study beyond the maximum duration of the curriculum, tuition fees will be collected according to the fixed-rate tuition of each program. These fees will be collected every regular semester until the semester in which the student passes the thesis, dissertation, or independent study exam, as applicable.

1.4 In case of completion of course studies according to the program structure and passing the thesis, dissertation, or independent study exam, if a student is in the process of publishing a thesis, dissertation, or independent study work for graduation purposes, a fee of 6,500 THB per semester will be collected. This fee will be collected every regular semester until the semester when the Faculty of Graduate Studies submits the degree for approval by the University Council.

Section 2: Fixed-rate tuition fees will be collected from students who register for courses or apply for thesis, dissertation, or thematic paper exams, as applicable, during the summer semester according to specific criteria:

2.1 For studies conducted within the duration specified in the curricular academic plan, fees will be collected at 50% of the fixed-rate tuition fee.

2.2 For studies conducted beyond the curricular academic plan but not exceeding the maximum duration allowed by the program, and if the student has not yet passed the thesis, dissertation, or independent study exam, the fees will be collected as follows:

(1) For registration of thesis, dissertation, or independent study, as applicable, without enrolling in additional courses, or with course enrollment to complete the curriculum structure, a fee of 10,000 THB per semester will be collected.

(2) For enrolling in additional courses beyond the academic plan, or after completing the required coursework, regardless of whether they register for thesis, dissertation, or independent study exams, as applicable, a fee at 50% of the fixed-rate tuition fee will be collected.

2.3 In cases where students are approved to study beyond the maximum study duration of the curriculum, a fee of 50% of the fixed-rate tuition fees for each program will be collected.

2.4 For new students required by the curriculum to register for certain courses during the summer semester before the start of the first academic year's main semester, a fee of 50% of the fixed-rate tuition fees will be collected.

Section 3: Other fees, including research and/or special equipment fees, as well as study visit fees, will be collected according to the other fee rates of each program. The program chairperson may consider allowing installment payments, reductions, or waivers of other fees based on the following criteria:

3.1 If a student is unable to pay the full amount of other fees at once, the program chairperson may approve installment payments on a case-by-case basis.

3.2 If a student does not receive any scholarships or receives insufficient funding for other fees, the program director may approve fee reductions or waivers on a case-by-case basis.

Section 4: Health insurance fees for international students will be collected at a rate of 3,500 THB per academic year until the Faculty of Graduate Studies proposes the degree for approval by the Mahidol University Council.

Section 5: Students approved for academic leave in any semester must pay the fees for requesting academic leave as per the announcement by the Faculty of Graduate Studies of Mahidol University regarding other expenses for graduate students. They must also register to maintain their student status and pay the tuition fees for that semester at a rate of 6,500 THB.

Section 6: The program directors may consider reducing the fixed-rate tuition fees for students on a case-by-case basis under the following conditions:

6.1 Students approved to use courses completed under the Mahidol Apprenticeship Program Curriculum (MAP-C), which allows interested individuals to study certain graduate courses alongside graduate students and apply the knowledge for work development. Credits can be accumulated and later applied when enrolled as a student in a graduate program at Mahidol University.

6.2 Students approved to transfer credits, equate course credits, or have their learning outcomes recognized through credit accumulation under the Microcredentials Project for graduate programs at Mahidol University. This project provides the opportunity for general individuals to study some topics or content and accumulate credits from these topics to match learning outcomes in the course or curriculum when enrolled as a student in a graduate program at Mahidol University.

The reduced fixed-rate tuition fees must not be lower than 6,500 THB per semester.

Section 7: The collection rates for fixed-rate tuition fees and other fees will be as follows:

Section/ Program/ Major	Fixed-Rate Fee (per semester, THB)		Other Fees (throughout the program, THB)	
	Thai Students	International Students	Research and/ or Special Equipment Fee	Study Tour Fee
1. Institute of Technology and Innovation Management, Faculty of Medical Technology, Faculty of Pharmacy, Faculty of Science, Institute of Molecular Biosciences, Faculty of Engineering, Faculty of Information Technology and Communication, Faculty of Medicine Siriraj Hospital, Faculty of Medicine Ramathibodi Hospital, Faculty of Tropical Medicine, Faculty of Physical Therapy, Faculty of Veterinary Science, Faculty of Dentistry, National Primate Research Center, Biotechnology Industry Development Center, International College, College of Management, Faculty of Public Health, Joint Institutes by Public and Private Sectors, and Faculty of Graduate Studies				
1.1 Master of Science in Biomedical Advanced Science and Health Business Creation (Special Program)				
Major: Medical Devices	70,000	-	150,000	40,000
Major: Drug Discovery & Development	80,000	-	150,000	50,000
Major: Biologics & Vaccines	80,000	-	150,000	30,000
Major: Medical Robotics	100,000	-	100,000	50,000
Major: AI-based Medical Diagnosis	90,000	-	150,000	-
2. Faculty of Engineering				
2.1 Master of Engineering Program in Railway System Engineering (International Program - Regular)	50,000	60,000	150,000	-
Master of Engineering Program in Railway System Engineering (International Program - Special)	60,000	70,000	150,000	-

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	Thai Students	International Students	Research and/ or Special Equipment Fee	Study Tour Fee
2.2 Doctor of Philosophy Program in Railway System Engineering (International Program - Regular) For Type 2.1 Students	50,000	60,000	170,000	-
Doctor of Philosophy Program in Railway System Engineering (International Program - Special) For Type 2.1 Students	60,000	70,000	170,000	-
Doctor of Philosophy Program in Railway System Engineering (International Program - Regular) For Type 2.2 Students	50,000	60,000	260,000	-
Doctor of Philosophy Program in Railway System Engineering (International Program - Special) For Type 2.2 Students Tuition: Baht International Students: Baht	60,000	70,000	260,000	-

For students enrolling from the academic year 2024 onwards.

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