



International Relations and Development (IRD)



Philosophy, Politics and Economics (PPE)



ALL INTERNATIONAL PROGRAM DOUBLE DEGREE

IPED



International Political Economy and Development

The Bachelor of Arts in International Political Economy and Development (IPED) is a 4-year degree program where students can choose any of the 2 majors namely:

Philosophy, Politics and Economics (PPE)

Bachelor of Arts

The Program places a unique focus on the special economic, political and ethical aspects of policy formation in private and public sectors, in this age of accelerating commercial and informational globalization. To understand social phenomena, one must take into account several complementary disciplinary directions and analytical frameworks. In this regard, the study of Philosophy equips students with tools such as the ability to reason rigorously and logically, and to facilitate ethical reflection.

The study of political science puts students in a position to evaluate the choices made by political systems and regimes. Finally, studying economics is vital in the modern world, because political decisions often concern economic matters, and government decisions are often influenced by economic events. Each discipline will be explored to allow students to engage in analysis and evaluation of major public issues such as how societies should be organized.

Highlights

- Designing policy solutions
- Preparedness for public debate and advocacy
- Leadership qualities
- Analytical skills
- Research methodology

Wide Choice of Subjects

Students will have the opportunity to study a variety of subjects in the areas of Philosophy, Politics and Economics including :

- Globalization and International Economy
- Economics of Public Sector
- Economics of Monetary and Banking
- China: Economy and Trade in 21st Century
- Social Justice and Responsibilities

International Program



In today's ever-changing world, academic skills alone do not ensure success. Rangsit University International College recognizes the importance of this, and seeks to develop well-rounded graduates. Students will integrate academic skills, interpersonal skills, social responsibilities, and ethics as they prepare for the workplace.

- Political Economy in South East Asia
- Political Philosophy
- Public Policy Analysis

Career Opportunities

There continues to be a huge demand for graduates in all areas of PPE, and employment prospects are excellent, which include :

- Leaders in Politics and Government
- Banking and Finance
- Economic advising Management consulting
- Non-governmental organizations
- Graduate Schools

Education System & Academic Calendar:



RUSIP employs the semester system, in which each of the two semesters is 15 weeks and a summer of 8 weeks in length. Our academic calendar is as follows:

Summer: June – July

Semester I: August – December

Semester II: January – May

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The International Relations and Development program focuses on the interconnected processes of social, political, economic, cultural and environmental change taking place in developing countries. The course is designed to provide a comparative perspective on the long-term social, political, and economic changes that have accompanied industrialization and the growth of the modern state. The course emphasises a global perspective on the process of change and development, the theoretical issues related to growth and development, critical analysis of the role of internal and external influences on the development process, and current applications.

Wide Choice of Subjects

Students will have the opportunity to study a variety of subjects in the areas of International Relations and Development including :

- International Politics
- Foreign Policy Analysis
- International Peace and Security
- Urban and Rural Development
- ASEAN Integration
- Resource Aspects in International Relations and Development
- Regionalism and Globalization in East Asia

Career Opportunities

There continues to be a huge demand for graduates in all areas of IRD, and employment prospects are excellent, which include :

- International Organizations
- Multinational Corporations
- Diplomacy
- Government
- Foreign Affairs Analyst
- Non-governmental Organizations

Qualifications:



1. Complete Upper Secondary School or its equivalent as recognized by the Thai Ministry of Education

2. Pass the RSUIP English Placement Test*** or standardized score of 500 (IBT61 or CBT 173) from TOEFL and IELTS score of 5.0.

PPE STUDY PLAN

First Year					
Term S		Term 1		Term 2	
IRS 101 Dharmacracy	2(2-0-6)	XXX xxx Humanities / Social Science	3(3-0-6)	XXX xxx Science and Mathematics	3(3-0-6)
XXX xxx Science and Mathematics	3(3-0-6)	XXX xxx Language	3(3-0-6)	XXX xxx Language	3(3-0-6)
XXX xxx Science and Mathematics	3(3-0-6)	XXX xxx Language	3(3-0-6)	XXX xxx Language	3(3-0-6)
		XXX xxx Physical Education	1(0-2-1)	IPE 212 Principles of Macroeconomics	3(3-0-6)
		ITA 106/107 Thai Language	3(2-2-5)	IPE 231 Introduction to Politics	3(3-0-6)
		IPE 101 Introduction to Southeast Asian Political Economy and Culture	3(3-0-6)	IPE 253 Elements of Philosophy I	3(3-0-6)
		IPE 211 Principles of Microeconomics	3(3-0-6)		
6 Credits		18 Credits		18 Credits	
Second Year					
Term S		Term 1		Term 2	
IPE 235 International Development	3(3-0-6)	IPE 201 Political Economy in South East Asia	3(3-0-6)	IPE 233 Public Policy Analysis	3(3-0-6)
IPE 251 Modern Management and Organization Behavior	3(3-0-6)	IPE 232 International Relations	3(3-0-6)	IPE 234 Comparative Political Systems	3(3-0-6)
		IPE 236 Political Philosophy	3(3-0-6)	IPE 252 World History	3(3-0-6)
		IPE 254 Elements of Philosophy II	3(3-0-6)	IPE 301 Globalization and International Economy	3(3-0-6)
		IPE 351 English for Professional Development	3(3-0-6)	IPE 302 Research Methods	3(3-0-6)
		IPE xxx Major Elective I	3(3-0-6)	XXX xxx Free Elective I	3(3-0-6)
6 Credits		18 Credits		18 Credits	
Third Year					
Term S		Term 1		Term 2	
IPE 241 Thai Government and Politics	3(3-0-6)	IPE 306 Development Economics	3(3-0-6)	IPE 401 Current Issues in International Political Economy and Development	3(3-0-6)
IPE xxx Major Elective II	3(3-0-6)	IPE 307 International Organizations and Economic Integration	3(3-0-6)	IPE 402 Thai Business and Politics	3(3-0-6)
		IPE 315 International Trade	3(3-0-6)	IPE xxx Major Elective V	3(3-0-6)
		IPE 316 Economics of Public Theories and Policies Sector	3(3-0-6)	IPE xxx Major Elective VI	3(3-0-6)
		IPE xxx Major Elective III	3(3-0-6)	IPE xxx Major Elective VII	3(3-0-6)
		IPE xxx Major Elective IV	3(3-0-6)	XXX xxx Free Elective II	3(3-0-6)
6 Credits		18 Credits		18 Credits	
Fourth Year					
Term S		Term 1		Term S + Term 1	
IPE 496 Internship in International Political Economy 1(0-35-18) and Development		IPE 499 Senior Project	5(0-10-5)	IPE 495 Co-operative Education	6(0-35-18)
1 Credits		5 Credits		6 Credits	

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First Year					
Term S		Term 1		Term 2	
IRS 101 Dharmacracy	2(2-0-6)	XXX xxx Humanities / Social Science	3(3-0-6)	XXX xxx Science and Mathematics	3(3-0-6)
XXX xxx Science and Mathematics	3(3-0-6)	XXX xxx Language	3(3-0-6)	XXX xxx Language	3(3-0-6)
XXX xxx Science and Mathematics	3(3-0-6)	XXX xxx Language	3(3-0-6)	XXX xxx Language	3(3-0-6)
		XXX xxx Physical Education	1(0-2-1)	IPE 212 Principles of Macroeconomics	3(3-0-6)
		ITA 106/107 Thai Language	3(2-2-5)	IPE 231 Introduction to Politics	3(3-0-6)
		IPE 101 Introduction to Southeast Asian Political Economy and Culture	3(3-0-6)	IPE 257 Asian History	3(3-0-6)
		IPE 211 Principles of Microeconomics	3(3-0-6)		
6 Credits		18 Credits		18 Credits	
Second Year					
Term S		Term 1		Term 2	
IPE 235 International Development	3(3-0-6)	IPE 201 Political Economy in South East Asia	3(3-0-6)	IPE 233 Public Policy Analysis	3(3-0-6)
IPE 251 Modern Management and Organization Behavior	3(3-0-6)	IPE 232 International Relations	3(3-0-6)	IPE 234 Comparative Political Systems	3(3-0-6)
		IPE 236 Political Philosophy	3(3-0-6)	IPE 252 World History	3(3-0-6)
		IPE 238 International Politics	3(3-0-6)	IPE 301 Globalization and International Economy	3(3-0-6)
		IPE 351 English for Professional Development	3(3-0-6)	IPE 302 Research Methods	3(3-0-6)
		IPE xxx Major Elective I	3(3-0-6)	IPE 334 Foreign Policy Analysis	3(3-0-6)
6 Credits		18 Credits		18 Credits	
Third Year					
Term S		Term 1		Term 2	
IPE xxx Major Elective II	3(3-0-6)	IPE 306 Development Economics	3(3-0-6)	IPE 401 Current Issues in International Political Economy and Development	3(3-0-6)
IPE 431 Organization Development	3(3-0-6)	IPE 333 Development and Human Rights	3(3-0-6)	IPE 402 Thai Business and Politics	3(3-0-6)
		IPE 335 International Peace and Security	3(3-0-6)	IPE xxx Major Elective V	3(3-0-6)
		XXX xxx Major Elective III	3(3-0-6)	IPE xxx Major Elective VI	3(3-0-6)
		XXX xxx Major Elective IV	3(3-0-6)	IPE xxx Major Elective VII	3(3-0-6)
		XXX xxx Free Elective I	3(3-0-6)	XXX xxx Free Elective II	3(3-0-6)
6 Credits		18 Credits		18 Credits	
Fourth Year					
Term S		Term 1		Term S + Term 1	
IPE 496 Internship in International Political Economy and Development	1(0-35-18)	IPE 499 Senior Project	5(0-10-5)	IPE 495 Co-operative Education	6(0-35-18)
1 Credits		5 Credits		6 Credits	