

Master of Science Program

in Stem Cell Biology and Regenerative Medicine (International Program) Faculty of Medicine, Thammasat University

Admission Requirements

The education plan is **focused on research**, requiring students to conduct a research as a dissertation and learn new knowledge which may be acquired from several sources including structured courses and other academic activities which are, however, not credited.

Graduates with the following qualifications:

Thai Students

- 1. Applicants must hold a Bachelor's degree in health sciences, biological sciences, biotechnology, or a related field from an institution accredited by the University Council, either in Thailand or abroad.
- 2. Applicants must have a minimum cumulative grade-point average (GPA) of 2.50.
- 3. Applicants must meet the English language proficiency requirements through one of the following tests: TU-GET, TOEFL, or IELTS. The test results must be valid within two years from the test date to the application date.

International Students

- 1. Applicants must hold a Bachelor's degree in health sciences, biological sciences, biotechnology, or a related field from an institution either within their home country or abroad.
- 2. Applicants must meet the English language proficiency requirements through one of the following tests: TU-GET, TOEFL, or IELTS. The test results must be valid within two years from the test date to the application date.

Selection of Applicants

1. Selection of applicants will be based primarily on written examination, scores of an English proficiency test (TU-GET (550), TOEFL (550)/ (213), or IELTS (6.0), and interview organized by the Graduate Program Committee. For international students, written examination are not required but the scores of an English proficiency test and an interview organized by the Graduate Program Committee together with letters of recommendation from former academic institute and/or employer are needed. In addition, the applicants must meet the specified criteria and conform to the requirements specified by the study fund sponsors. English examination will be exempted for applicants who are native English-speakers or those who graduated from a university/institute in the English-speaking countries.

Study System

- 1. The study program covers two semesters and is conducted in English.
- 2. The Master degree students are required both attendance of formal lectures and course program in the classroom to meet credit requirements, as well as the conduct of a research project under supervision of his/her thesis.

Registration

The students must register as full-time students, carrying a minimum of 6 credits and a maximum of 12 credits for each normal semester.

Duration of Study Program

The students must spend no more than 10 normal semesters since the registration date.

Graduation Requirements

To be awarded a Master of Science in Stem Cell Biology and Regenerative Medicine, a student must fulfill the following requirements:

- 1. has attended all subjects according to the study program and implementation terms, and met all conditions specified by the program; and
- 2. has passed an English proficiency test with a P level, with exception for applicants who are native English speakers or those who graduated from English–speaking countries; and
- 3. has at least one research paper published or formally accepted for publication in an international peer reviewed journal and
- 4. has successfully passed his/her dissertation examination with an S level.

Academic Staff

Academic staff include full time lecturers of Faculty of Medicine, Thammasat University and the co-operating Faculty/Institutes, as well as professorial lecturers, invited lecturers from other national faculties, Universities or research institutions.

Tuition Free (in total)

• Thai student 102,400 Baht

• International student 156,400 Baht