

COURSE DETAIL

BUDDHISM IN THAILAND

Country

Thailand

Host Institution

Thammasat University

Program(s)

Thammasat University

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

South & SE Asian Studies Sociology Religious Studies

UCEAP Course Number

101

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

BUDDHISM IN THAILAND

UCEAP Transcript Title

BUDDHISM THAILAND

UCEAP Quarter Units

5.00

UCEAP Semester Units

3.30

Course Description

This course focuses on the historical and anthropological role that Buddhist institutions and related beliefs and practices have played in Thailand today and the various Thai polities in the past. Topics covered include systematic description and analysis of ecclesiastical institutions (monasteries, temples, sects); lay associations and religious enterprises, their internal structure, their operations, and their functions in society (Thai society); and how the national religion is reflected in everyday society and political practices.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

PD 353/THS 242

Host Institution Course Title

BUDDHISM IN THAILAND

Host Institution Campus**Host Institution Faculty****Host Institution Degree****Host Institution Department**

Thai Studies

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