

**DOCTOR OF DENTAL MEDICINE
FACULTY OF DENTISTRY, RANGSIT UNIVERSITY**

Title of the Degree	Doctor of Dental Medicine, D.M.D.
Duration of Study	6 years
Number of Credits	253 credits
Instrument Fee	650,000 Baht (entire program)
Tuition Fee	700,000 Baht (per year)
Total Program Costs	4.2 Million Baht (12 Semesters including Summer)

INTRODUCTION

The Faculty of Dental Medicine Rangsit University, the first and only private dental school, is one of the 9 dental schools in Thailand. It was established in 2005 with the intention to respond to the needs of the people and the society.

The curriculum offers the student intensive academic as well as practical training. The school also provides state-of-the-art equipment in modern laboratories, simulation clinic and clinical facilities. The combination of intensive training and modern equipment assures the student the best possible preparation for a career in dentistry.

The Faculty of Dental Medicine also provides extracurricular activities such as leadership training program, ethic & moral program and community services in order to broaden the student's horizon.

The faculty is dedicated to the objective that all graduates will not only be competent professionals concerned for the health and well being of their patients but also well rounded individuals.

CURRICULUM OBJECTIVES

To produce dentists with strong sense of responsibility, morality, ethics, and human relation who can help improving the society by integrating their knowledge and synthesizing these elements to support health, prevention, diagnosis, therapeutic treatments. Graduates should have ability to successfully treat patient's diseases in dental cavity and other related organs with appropriate, modern, professional equipment.

GENERAL INFORMATION

The Bachelor of Dentistry is a 6-year bilingual program (Thai-English). The general education will be taught in English at the first year and from second year onwards, the teaching will be both in Thai (75%) and in English (25%). At the end of the program, graduates will be conferred the degree of Doctor of Dental Medicine (DMD).

LOCATION OF STUDY

1. International College: General Education and Free Elective courses
2. Faculty of Science: Area courses – Core courses
3. Faculty of Dental Medicine: Area courses – Major courses

COST AND FEES

The course fee is a flat rate of 350,000 Baht per semester with a total of 4.2 million Baht (12 semesters including summer). In addition, students must purchase their own dental instruments and books that they can use in their professional lives. Therefore an approximate additional fee of 650,000 Baht extra must be added on top of the 4.2 million Baht course or program fee.

The students must also pass the National Board Dental Exam Part 1 organized by the Dental Council of Thailand for every Faculty of Dentistry in Thailand at the end of their third year, and Part 2 when they graduate in order to obtain a license to practice their profession in Thailand.

EDUCATIONAL SYSTEM

1. Bilingual system:
 - English language is used for General Education courses.
 - English or Thai language is used for Core and Major Courses, as determined by the curriculum committee.
2. The University uses a semester system. There are 2 regular semesters in each Academic year. Each semester lasts 15 weeks. An additional summer semester may be added with at least 6 weeks of coursework.
3. Students must receive GPA ≥ 2.00 for all courses with course number beginning with 1 and 2 as specified in the curriculum, and GPA ≥ 2.00 for the following courses: ANA 223, ANA 226, BCH 220, ANA 224, ANA 225, PSO 225, DOB 201 and DOC 201 in order to continue studying courses with course number beginning with 3.

QUALIFICATIONS OF APPLICANTS

1. Applicants must complete an upper secondary school program (Science concentration) or its equivalent as recognized by the Thai Ministry of Education, with an approval of Rangsit University.
2. Applicants must not have any contagious diseases or disabilities that may be obstacles to their study.
3. Applicants must provide a reference person with complete contact address.
4. Applicants are required to have a proficient command of Thai language.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

1. Complete High School Grade 12 (or its equivalent as recognized by the Thai Ministry of Education) with GPA ≥ 2.75 . The transcript must include

courses in Biology, Chemistry, Physics and Mathematics, with final grades in Biology and Chemistry no less than B, and Physics or Mathematics no less than C+; or

2. Pass 5 subjects of IGCSE/GCSE comprising of 3 main subjects: Biology, Chemistry (in upper two grades), Physics or Mathematics (in upper three grades). Additionally, the final grades of Biology or Chemistry must be in the AS level (upper two grades); or
3. Complete International Baccalaureate (IB), Standard Level, comprising of courses in Group 4: Experimental Science: Biology, Chemistry (upper two grades), and Group 4: Experimental Science: Physics or Group 5: Mathematics (upper three grades); or
4. Complete SAT test with a minimum of 1000/1600 or 1600/2400 and SAT Subject tests (Biology E/M, Chemistry, Physics or Mathematics) not lower than 525; or
5. Currently enroll in an international undergraduate program in Science or Bio-Medical Science for at least one year, with GPA ≥ 2.75 , final grades in Biology and Chemistry no less than B and Physics or Mathematics no less than C+; or
6. Receive B.Sc. in Science or Bio-Medical Science (international program) with GPA ≥ 2.75 , final grades in Biology and Chemistry no less than B and Physics or Mathematics no less than C+.
7. All students are required to have a proficient command of Thai language including speaking, reading and writing.

Applicants meeting at least one of the requirements 1-6 may be exempted from the entrance written examination. They are however required to take other exams such as Aptitude Test, Psychological test, Personality test and interview. The committees may ask applicants to take additional tests as necessary.

PROF. SUCHADA WUTTAKANOK

Position

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Degree

1997 Diplomat, Thai Board of Periodontology
1989 M.Sc. (Periodontology), The Ohio state
1988 Certificate in Periodontics, The Ohio state
1979 D.D.S., Chulalongkorn University

Experience

2003-2005 Scientific Program Chairman, Dental Association of Thailand
2001-2003 Scientific Program Vice Chairman, Dental Association of Thailand
2002- Present Advisory Board, Periodontology Society of Thailand
2000-2002 Present elect, Periodontology Society of Thailand

1998-2000 Scientific Program Chairman, Periodontology Society of Thailand

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APPLICATION PERIOD IN 2010

1st Batch Sept. 1 – Oct. 15, 2010

2nd Batch Oct. 26 – Nov. 5, 2010