Announcement

Direct Admission Round 1 - 1 Academic Year 2026

Bachelor of Design Program in

Design Intelligence for Creative Economy (International Program)

School of Architecture, Art, and Design

King Mongkut's Institute of Technology Ladkrabang (KMITL)

The School of Architecture, Art, and Design at King Mongkut's Institute of Technology Ladkrabang invites applications for the Bachelor of Design Program in Design Intelligence for Creative Economy, commencing in Academic Year 2026 (July 2026). Admission is open to academically outstanding applicants, with selection based on educational records, standardized test scores, English proficiency, a personal statement, letters of recommendation, academic activities, an interview, and supporting documents.

1. Number of Acceptance

25 persons.

Note: The School of Architecture, Art, and Design may accept a lower or greater number depending on the total number of qualified applicants.

2. Qualifications

2.1 Educational background

The applicant must satisfy at least one of the following requirements:

2.1.1 Graduated from or studying in Matthayom 6 or equivalent.

2.1.2 Graduated from or studying in the final year of grade 12 (US system) or grade 13 (British/IB system) at an accredited college or higher-education institution in Thailand or abroad.

2.1.3 Obtained or expected to receive a qualification equivalent to Mathayom 6 or passed a high school equivalent standard test [GED, GCE 'A' Level], as approved by the Ministry of Education before the Academic Year 2026.

2.1.4 The applicant must possess a history of good behavior and agree to abide strictly by existing and future KMITL regulations, codes, and policies.

Remark:

For the American System

- General Educational Development (GED) Credential obtained before May 2017 requires a minimum total score of 2250 on all 5 subjects and at least 410 points on each subject, or
- General Educational Development (GED) **Credential obtained after May 2017,** requiring a minimum score of 145 on all 4 subjects, and all 4 subjects have to "pass".

For the British System,

- International General Certificate of Secondary Education (IGCSE), or General Certificate of Secondary Education (GCSE), or General Certificate of Education Ordinary Level (GCE O Level), with grade results A*- C on 5 different subjects' transcripts.
- And General Certificate of Education Advanced Level (GCE A-Level) with grade results A*-E on at least 3 different subjects + transcript.

New Zealand System,

- National Certificate of Educational Achievement (NCEA) Level 3 and Record of Achievement, or
- NCEA Level 2 and Record of Achievement: At least 80 credits achieved (60 credits at Level 2 or above + 20 credits at Level 1 or above), with English for speakers of other Languages (ESOL) considered as a subject, or At least 60 credits achieved on 5 different subjects at Level 2 or above, with at least 4 credits of English (Literacy) without English for speakers of other Languages (ESOL), and at least 4 credits of Mathematics (Numeracy) + Record of Achievement.

International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme (IBDP)

- International Baccalaureate Diploma, or
- IB Diploma Course Results (IBCR) with at least grade 3 on at least 5 different subjects.

2.2 Application Requirements

2.2.1 Two (1-inch) photographs and a copy of your Thai citizen ID card or a copy of your passport pages.

2.2.2 Academic transcript; for high school graduates, a copy of the diploma is required; for current final-year students, an official document certifying academic status must be provided.

2.2.3 Applicants must submit a valid English proficiency test score (no older than two years) from at least one of the following tests.

English Proficiency Test	Minimum Score
TOEFL – paper-based	540
TOEFL – CBT	210
TOEFL – IBT	76
IELTS	5.5
Cambridge English Exams FCE or CAE or CPE	165
IB – English A1 or A2	3
IB – English B (HL)	4
CU-TEP	78
SAT (Evidence-based reading and writing)	440
KMITL - TEP	B1

2.2.4 Personal Statement: Please submit a self-written essay (650 words or fewer) that demonstrates your ability to communicate your thoughts and your related experience(s) in the field of study within the online application.

2.2.5 Two Recommendation Letters: the applicant should upload PDF or JPG snapshots of the letters of recommendation documents issued by academic advisors or teachers.

3. Portfolio

Applicants for the Bachelor of Design Program in Design Intelligence for Creative Economy are required to submit:

3.1 KMITL Student iFolio, in the format specified by the Institute, to be completed during the application process; and

3.2 Portfolio in program format, as an A4 PDF (no page limit). All about visual communication, creativity, and the creative arts. We are not just looking for finished pieces. We want your body of work; your process, progress, even the experiments that did not go as planned. Show us your imagination, your playfulness, and most of all, who YOU are as a designer.

4. Admission Schedule

Details	Dates
1. Application Filing and Application Fee Payment Period https://new.reg.kmitl.ac.th/admission/	**Now – 22 December 2025**
2. Submit documents in section **2.2 Application Requirements 3.2 Portfolio in program format** to email aad-dice@kmitl.ac.th	**Now – 22 December 2025**
3. Candidate Interview Notification https://new.reg.kmitl.ac.th/admission/	**7 January 2026**
4. Candidate Interview Date	**17 January 2026**
5. Announcement of the Eligible for Clearing House https://new.reg.kmitl.ac.th/admission/	**26 January 2026**
6. TCAS Clearing House Confirmation (Thai Nationals only)	**6 – 7 February 2026**
7. Announcement of the accepted students https://new.reg.kmitl.ac.th/admission/	**13 February 2026**
8. Confirmation of student status and Tuition Fee Payment https://new.reg.kmitl.ac.th/admission/	**19 - 25 February 2026**

5. Application Submission

The applicant must apply online via our online application system: **https://new.reg.kmitl.ac.th/admission/.**

The applicant must deposit a 500 baht non-refundable application fee using one of the following payment methods after printing a payment slip from the Kasikorn Bank from the application system.

1. Pay through any Bank application by scanning the barcode (no fee) or

2. Pay at the Kasikorn Bank counter available at all branches across the country. There is a bank fee of 10 baht if paying via other bank counters; additional fees may apply.

(We reserve the right to refund the application fee in all cases and will not be responsible for any loss if payment is made by other methods.)

Note: Applicants are responsible for any transaction fees charged by financial institutions. Non-resident applicants should contact the ADI Admissions Office at **aad-dice@kmitl.ac.th** for assistance. Applicants will also be notified of their interview eligibility following the committee's review. The interview time and location will be announced in advance.

6. Tuition Fees and Enrollment Confirmation

The tuition fees for students entering the program in the Academic Year 2026 are as follows: **92,500 THB per Semester**. The tuition fee does not include overseas study or expenses incurred during the internship/work placement.

7. Contact Information

For additional information, please contact the ADI office, School of Architecture, Art, and Design, KMITL

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