Ph.D. Application and Admission Fees

The application process is normally as follows:

1. Complete the online graduate studies application form available on the Kasetsart University Graduate School website https://www.grad.ku.ac.th/en/ .

All international graduate applicants are required to pay an application fee of THB 500. The Graduate School staff will send an email to applicants with payment instructions once all required application documents have been uploaded.

2. Application and Admission Fees

The application process is normally as follows:

1) Complete the Online Application Form

Complete and submit the online application form through the Kasetsart University Graduate School website: https://mis.grad.ku.ac.th/application/en

2) Submit the Required Documents

After completing the online application form, please email the following scanned documents and application materials to the Application Unit, Educational Services Section, and the Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics at the email addresses below:

- **Application Unit, Educational Services Section:** fgrakkc@ku.ac.th; kanokkorn.c@ku.th
- **Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics:** areinterku@gmail.com

Required Documents and Application Materials

1) **Application form:** A completed application form.
2) **Transcript:** A scanned copy of the official bachelor's and master's degree transcripts clearly indicating the degree awarded and the graduation date.
3) **Certificate:** A scanned copy of the official bachelor's and master's degree certificate/diplomas.
4) **Passport:** A scanned copy of the first page of your passport.

5) **English Proficiency Evidence:** A scanned copy of your English proficiency examination results or other relevant evidence of English proficiency, if available.
6) **Statement of Purpose:** A PDF file describing your academic background, motivation for pursuing the degree, research interests, and future goals.
7) **Letters of Recommendation:** Scanned copies of three letters of recommendation from former academic advisors and/or supervisors.
8) **Research Concept Note:** A PDF file of 2–3 pages describing your proposed research problem, research objectives, and proposed methodology.

Submitting documents through both channels will allow the program to verify that the Graduate School has received the application and supporting documents.

3. Eligibility Review

The Graduate School will review your application to determine whether you meet the admission requirements.

4. Online Interview

Eligible applicants will be invited to participate in an online interview. Applicants are required to present their research concept notes, supported by a short PowerPoint presentation of approximately **10 minutes**.

The admission committee will evaluate your qualifications and research proposal to determine your eligibility for admission.

5. Tuition fee for the Ph.D. program

The estimated total tuition fee for the Ph.D. program is approximately THB 503,000. Please note that the application fee and any other admission-related fees should be confirmed with the Graduate School.

At present, the Ph.D. program is undergoing a curriculum revision, and we expect to change the degree title to Ph.D. in Agricultural, Food and Environmental Economics. However, as the revised curriculum has not yet received final approval from the University Council, we are currently unable to open admissions.

Based on the current timeline, applications are expected to open through the Graduate Studies website around April 2027, with interviews tentatively scheduled for May 2027.