

Programme structure

During the DD programme, all students will be studying for one year at each of the two universities. The university where the student starts in the first year of studies is referred to as the host university for PSU students and as the home university for CZU students. The university where the student studies in the second year will be referred to as the home university for PSU students and as the host university for CZU students. The Master thesis work has to be assigned at the home and host university.

The DD programme uses the European Credit Transfer System (ECTS) at CZU and the Thai Grading System at PSU, which will be converted to ECTS. One Thai credit is equivalent to 1.67 ECTS, the two years DD programme has an extent of 120 ECTS or 69 PSU credits. A detailed study plan (2025/26) is attached in Annex 1.

Each partner university will designate a study programme guarantor and a programme coordinator for the Double Degree programme “Agricultural Economics - Agricultural Development and International Development and Agricultural Economics”.

The two DD programme directors and coordinators form the Advisory Board that has an advisory role referring to the individual study boards at the partner universities. The detailed tasks of the Advisory Board comprise advise in:

- Planning and coordination of the DD programme
- Revision and evaluation of changes in the curriculum
- Development of admission requirements and the admission process
- Quality assurance and evaluation of courses (academic level, performance of teachers, prerequisites), thesis works, DD programme structure and administration
- Development of criteria for joint thesis supervision
- Support students and academics in running the DD programme.

CZU study programme guarantor is nominated assoc. prof. Vladimír Verner, Ph.D.

CZU study programme coordinator is nominated Ing. Petra Chaloupková, Ph.D., dr.h.c.

PSU study programme guarantor is nominated Assist. Prof. Dr.Pilaiwan Prapruit.

PSU study programme coordinator is nominated Dr.Rungrat Saeyang.

General structure of the DD Master programme “Agricultural Development - International Development and Agricultural Economics” for the credits to be recognized by PSU

Start University	Semester	Content
CZU	1 st Semester (17 credits)	3 Thai credits core courses 2 Thai credit Master thesis and seminar 12 Thai credits elective courses

	2 nd Semester (12 credits)	3 Thai credits core courses 3 Thai credit Master thesis and seminar 6 Thai credits elective courses
PSU	3 rd Semester (25 credits)	6 Thai credits compulsory module 7 Thai credit Master thesis and seminar 12 Thai credits elective courses
	Semester Break (3 credits)	3 Thai credits Professional Training in Agriculture
	4 th Semester (9 credits)	9 Thai credits Master thesis

General structure of the DD Master programme “Agricultural Development - International Development and Agricultural Economics” for the credits to be recognized by CZU

Start University	Semester	Content
CZU	1 st Semester (34 ECTS)	30 ECTS core courses 4 ECTS Master thesis and thesis-related courses
	2 nd Semester (29 ECTS)	15 ECTS core courses 4 ECTS Master thesis and thesis-related courses 10 ECTS elective courses
PSU	3 rd Semester (37 ECTS)	15 ECTS core courses 7 ECTS Master thesis and thesis-related courses 15 ECTS elective courses
	Semester Break (5 credits)	5 ECTS Practical and Research Training
	4 th Semester (15 credits)	15 ECTS Master thesis