New-Colombo Mobility Plan Scholarship Exchange in Thailand

September 2022 – December 2022



Collectively everywhere we travelled

- Koh Larn
- Koh Samui
- Koh Tao
- Koh Phangan
- Pattaya :(`
- Phukét
- Krabi/Railay
- Chiang-Maí
- Erawan Park

Presented by the most dashing of students



School / Accomodation

We stayed at Bundit House, which is one of 4 Bundit Buildings (house, home, castle, parlour) - Another popular accommodation is the September Salaya

All accommodations have a complimentary VAN that comes about every 15 minutes to take you to MUIC (international school on campus)

The main road for accommodation floods every single time it rains so watch out for that

If you are taught by Eugene consider yourself blessed - he is a radical ICON

Classes are relatively easy, but there are a lot of group projects

The assessment tasks come in clusters but are marked fairly generously, so it's a hectic few weeks for midterms and finals but once it's done it's very chill.











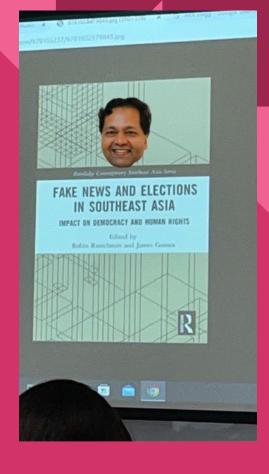








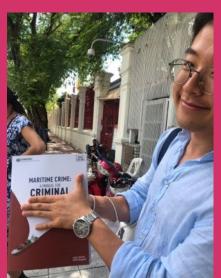




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Beaches / slands

These were BY FAR everybody's favourite aspect of Thailand so we organised lots of trips to visit as much as we could

There is only so much we could tan by the pool before we needed to go to the beach I think everybody's favorite was Koh Samui

Don't go to pattaya but koh larn is great

Chiang Mai is beautiful and if you can go for a decent amount of time (we suggest booking with <u>darotours.com</u> for an awesome and relatively cheap experience)

Krabi and Railey were INCREDIBLE





























Activities

Bring mozzie spray everywhere

There is so much to do in Thailand, what we did:

- Elephant sanctuaries
- Diving courses
- Waterfalls
- Rented motorbikes to explore islands
- Jet skiing
- And much more

















Hua Hin Trip





















Rivers and Markets













Temples

Remember appropriate dress (cover knees and shoulders)















FOOd

EAT EVERYTHING YOU WILL NOT REGRET IT

Groove market near Bundit Accomodation where we stayed is amazing for food and a popular place for uni students exchange and domestic alike

We recommend MR BURGER - literally the best burger place on earth and better than any aussie place

Floating markets are also really popular and our favourite was 'Wat Lam Phaya Floating Market' which is about 20 minutes away from Salaya





























Animals

We all missed our pets heaps so we ran to the nearest small fluffy things at first chance but you just have to be cautious

Some of the dogs can be quite territorial/wild

Disease is very common

Whitney wanted to make sure you guys know - MONKEYS ARE SCARY - NOT CUTE STAY AWAY! (she was attacked by one so she's biased)



























Parties

Going out and having fun is amazing but you have to be careful - especially women

Spiking is very common and unfortunately some of us were victims

Avoid having drinks in buckets because lots of nasty additives likes paint stripper etc get added without your knowledge and you can't taste it

If you can - buy bottles with the seal on the top and don't let the bartenders or anyone else open it for you

Don't get lost in the sauce. Bangkok especially is an awesome party city with cheap fun 24/7 so it can be hard to reign it in when you need to. Have fun but have balance.

DO NOT DRINK CHANG BEER IT IS THE WORST

LEO AND SINGHA ARE WAY BETTER





























