

Basic Burmese for Beginners

University Name: Nakhon Pathom Rajabhat University

Faculty/Program: Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences

Part 1: General Information

1. Course Code and Title

1500132 Language of Neighboring Country: Basic Burmese for Beginners

2. Number of Credits

3 (3-0-6)

3. Curriculum and Degree

3.1 Degree

Bachelor Degree

3.2 Type of Course

Required Elective

4. Course Coordinator and Instructors (s)

Ms. Aye Aye Mi

5. Semester/ Year

Summer/2015

6. Prerequisite course (s)

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7. Corequisite course (s)

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8. Place of study/ Location

Nakhon Pathom Rajabhat University

9. Date for Course Improvement

18 May 2015

Part 2: Aims and Objective of the Course

1. Course Objectives

During and after the successful completion of the course, students will be able to:

1. Identify the sounds of Burmese consonants
2. Identify the names of Burmese consonants
3. Recite the consonant scripts in alphabetical order
4. Recall the consonant scripts in alphabetical order
5. Count Burmese numbers and currency
6. Explain word usage and sentence structures
7. Recognize certain words, names and patterns of sentences
8. Use simple 'proper' words and name tags in conversations
9. Demonstrate a certain level of knowledge and skills in Burmese language
10. Construct basic sentences in Burmese and English about daily life and activities
11. Develop understanding of Burmese culture through its language

2. Objectives of Improvement

This course will be improved in order to be in accordance with the rules of Thailand Quality Framework (TOF) in the year 2008.

Part 3: Course Description and Organization

1. Course Description

Introduction to Burmese language, alphabet scripts, and culture; Basic communicative Burmese with activities and audio/visual materials to foster reading, writing, speaking, and listening skills; Basic Burmese conversations for communication, transferring and exchanging ideas, using appropriate Burmese words in different real-life situations. This course is developed for those students who want to learn basic Burmese and improve Burmese language skills for social context (as well as academic purposes.)