

Independent Study Title	View in Human Rights of Law Students in Chiang Mai		
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ABSTRACT

The objective of the independent study has the following objectives :

1. To learn about view in human rights of law students in Chiang Mai province.
2. To compare the levels of knowledge and understanding of law students in Chiang Mai province.
3. To build the body of knowledge on human rights among law students of Chiang Mai and Payap universities.

Questionnaires are used in the gathering of research data and information from 250 selected samples. The study uses percentage, standard deviations and chi-square to analyze the data. The study finds that : Chiang Mai's law students have high levels of knowledge and understanding on human rights. Especially in the aspect of the duty of state in providing sufficient assistance and welfare to the aged and the disabled in order to be able to maintain decent living. In addition, it is the duty of state in instilling good conscience for living in public harmony.

As for other aspects on the treatment of illegal immigrants by Thai employers, the denial of legalizing prostitution and the right that enables member countries to refuse to the practices of Declaration of Human Rights, the students have low levels of knowledge and

understanding. Lastly, law students of both institutions have the same level of knowledge and understanding on human rights.

Knowledge and understanding of the sampled students have differences in relation to various personal factors such as : difference in gender, difference from different institution, difference in have or have-not taken the course on human rights and difference in have or have-not participated in seminars or practices on human rights.

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