# **Kyungpook National University**

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# Korean Government Scholarship Program (Graduate Program)

# supported by National Institute for International Education http://www.studyinkorea.go.kr

# 1. Purpose

- To provide international students with an opportunity to conduct advanced studies at higher educational institutions in Korea
- To develop global leaders and strengthen Korea-friendly networks worldwide.

# 🔲 2. Qualifications

Scholarship Period	Master's course	1 year of Korean language + 2 years of Master's course requirements
	Doctoral course	1 year of Korean language + 3 years of Doctoral course requirements
Qualifications	* App this po this po Applic after \$ Applic 1st of Applic an un Korea Applic Applic on a grades institu	pplicant and his/her parents must hold foreign citizenships. dicants who hold Korean citizenship are not permitted to apply for rogram. ants must be under 40 years of age as of Sep. 1st, 2017 (born Sep. 1st, 1977). ants must hold a Bachelor's or Master's degree as of September the selection year. Dicants who have graduated from a university in Korea are not e for the KGSP. Specifically, applicants who have graduated from dergraduate program, a master's program, or a doctoral program in cannot apply for this program. ants must maintain a grade point average (GPA) of at least 2.64 4.0 scale, 2.80 on a 4.3 scale, 2.91 on a 4.5 scale, or s/marks/score of 80% or higher from the previously attended tion. If the applicant does not satisfy the above GPA requirements, e will be ineligible to apply to this program.

## 3. Selection Procedure

1st Selection: The 1st selection institutions (Overseas Korean embassies or Domestic designated universities) will draft a selections standard based on the criteria provisioned by NIIED, and will recommend qualified applicants according to its respective standards.

- 2nd Selection: The NIIED selection committee will select the most successful candidates from the pool of applicants recommended by the 1st selection institutions.
- 3rd Selection: Only candidates who were recommended by a Korean embassy and have passed the 2nd selection successfully will be evaluated for admission. Successful candidates will gain admission from at least one of the three universities.

# 4. Scholarship

Airfare	Round-trip economy class ticket			
Monthly Allowance	900,000 won (KRW) per month			
Research Allowance Per Semester	210,000 won for scholars in the field of humanities and social sciences; 240,000 won for scholars in natural sciences and engineering			
Relocation (Settlement) Allowance	200,000 won upon arrival			
Language Training Fee	Full coverage			
Tuitions	All admission fees are waived by the host institution (university). The tuition will be provided for by NIIED.			
Dissertation Printing Costs	500,000 ~ 800,000 won, depending on actual costs.			
Medical Insurance	20,000 won per month will be provided (limited coverage).			
Special funding for scholars who are proficient in the Korean language (TOPIK Level 5 or 6)	100,000 won per month			

# 5. Academic Programs (Graduate)

Division	Department/School(major)		Field of Study		Remarks (website)	
Division			Master's	Doctoral	(black: English / red: Korean)	
	Korean Language & Literature		0	0	http://korean.knu.ac.kr/eng/	
	English Language & Literature		0	0	http://english.knu.ac.kr/english/index.htm	
	History		0	0	http://knuhistory.cafe24.com/eng/	
	]	Philosophy	0	0	http://philosophy5148.cafe24.com/eng/	
	French La	nguage & Literature	0	0	http://french.knu.ac.kr/index.html	
	German La	nguage & Literature	0	0	http://german.knu.ac.kr/	
	Chinese La	nguage & Literature	0	0	http://chinese.knu.ac.kr/eng/	
	Archaeology & Anthropology		0	0	http://aran.knu.ac.kr/	
Humanities	Japanese Language & Literature		0	0	http://japan.knu.ac.kr/	
/ Social	Korean Literature in Chinese Characters		0	0	http://hanmun.knu.ac.kr/	
Sciences	Russian Language & Literature		0	0	http://knurussian.kr/	
	Political Science		0	0	http://politics.knu.ac.kr/	
(Daegu	Sociology		0	0	http://socio.knu.ac.kr/	
Campus)	(	Geography	0	0	http://geog.knu.ac.kr/page/main-en.php	
	I	Psychology	0	0	http://psy.knu.ac.kr/	
	Library & Information Science		0	0	http://lis.knu.ac.kr/	
	Faculty of Social Welfare	Social Welfare Policy & Administration	0	0	http://knusw.knu.ac.kr/	
		Social Work Practice	0	0	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	
	Mass Communication		0	0	http://masscom.knu.ac.kr/	
	Economics		0	0		
	International Trade		0	0	https://econ.knu.ac.kr:10890/?mid=eng_ma	

	School of B	usiness Administration	0	0	http://biz.knu.ac.kr/eng/index.asp
	Agricultural Economics		0	0	http://agec.knu.ac.kr/
	Public Administration		0	0	http://puad.knu.ac.kr/
		Law	0	×	http://law.knu.ac.kr/_new/main/main.htm
		Education	0	0	http://edu.knu.ac.kr/
	Eth	nics Education	0	0	http://ethedu.knu.ac.kr/
	Korean l	Language Education	×	0	http://koredu.knu.ac.kr/
	English I	anguage Education	×	0	http://enged.knu.ac.kr/
-	Social Studies Education		×	0	http://hisedu.knu.ac.kr/ http://geoedu.knu.ac.kr/
	School	of Mathematics	0	0	http://ilsa.knu.ac.kr/ http://math.knu.ac.kr/
	Physics Physics		0	0	http://physics.knu.ac.kr/eng/
-	Chemistry		0	0	http://chem.knu.ac.kr/
		-			http://enem.khu.ac.kr/
	School	of Life Science	0	0	http://bio.knu.ac.kr/
		Geology	0	0	http://geology.knu.ac.kr/
		Statistics	0	0	http://stat.knu.ac.kr/eng/
	Astronomy &	Atmospheric Science	0	0	http://hanl.knu.ac.kr/xe/index.php
	Oc	eanography	0	×	http://ocean.knu.ac.kr/
	A1:. 1	Agronomy	0	0	https://webbuild.knu.ac.kr/~pbs/index.htm
	Applied Biosciences	Agricultural Chemistry	0	0	http://kac.knu.ac.kr/
	_	Agricultural Biology	0	0	http://agbl.knu.ac.kr/
	Food Science	Food Biotechnology	0	0	
	&	Food Biomaterials	0	0	http://foodbio.knu.ac.kr/
	Biotechnology	Food Application Technology	0	0	
		Horticulture	0	0	http://horti.knu.ac.kr/
Natural	Agricultu	ral Civil Engineering	0	0	http://acen.knu.ac.kr/
Sciences	Bio-industria	Machinery Engineering	0	0	https://bime.knu.ac.kr/
(Daegu	Bio-fibers	and materials Science	0	0	http://biofiber.knu.ac.kr/
Campus)		Forestry	0	0	http://forestry.knu.ac.kr/
-	Wood Sc	ience & Technology	0	0	http://wood.knu.ac.kr/
	Landscape Architecture		0	0	http://land.knu.ac.kr/
	Child & Family Studies		0	0	http://chfa.knu.ac.kr/
	Clotl	ning & Textiles	0	0	http://fashion.knu.ac.kr/
	Food Science & Nutrition		0	0	http://fsnu.knu.ac.kr/
	Nursing		0	0	http://nurs.knu.ac.kr/eng/
	Science Education		0	0	http://physed.knu.ac.kr/ http://chemedu.knu.ac.kr/ http://bioedu.knu.ac.kr/ http://earthed.knu.ac.kr/
	Biomedical Science		0	0	http://med.knu.ac.kr/bbs/board.php?bo_table=b
	Dental science		0	0	https://dent.knu.ac.kr/eng/main/main.jsp
ļ	Pharmacy		0	0	http://pharmpf.knu.ac.kr/eng/
	Home Economics Education		×	0	http://homeedu.knu.ac.kr/
	Mathematics Education		×	0	http://mathedu.knu.ac.kr/
	Public Health		×	0	http://health.knu.ac.kr/
	School of Electronics Engineering				http://see.knu.ac.kr/eng/
}			0	0	http://electric.knu.ac.kr/
	Electrical Engineering School of Computer Science and Engineering		0	0	http://computer.knu.ac.kr/eng/main/index.html
		nical Engineering	0	0	http://me.knu.ac.kr/eng/main/main.html
	Textile System Engineering		0	0	http://keess.knu.ac.kr:8002/home_pub/main.do
Engineering	School of	Applied Chemistry	0	0	?kind=3000E http://keess.knu.ac.kr:8002/home_pub/main.do
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(Daegu		Chemical Engineering Polymer Science &	0	0	http://chemeng.knu.ac.kr/eng
Campus)	Puguicei ilig	Engineering	0	0	http://polymer.knu.ac.kr/
ļ	:	Architecture	0	0	
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	School of Architectural,	Engineering			http://keess.knu.ac.kr:8002/home_pub/main.do
	Civil, Environmental and Energy	Civil Engineering	0	0	?kind=3000E
		Environmental Engineering	0	0	
	Engineering	Energy Engineering	$\circ$	0	

	School of Materials	Materials Science & Metallurgical Engineering	0	0	http://metal.knu.ac.kr/	
	Science and Engineering	Electronic Materials Engineering	0	0	http://keess.knu.ac.kr:8002/home_pub/main.do ?kind=3000E	
Music	Music		0	0	http://music.knu.ac.kr/	
& Arts	Korean Classical Music		0	0	http://kmusic.knu.ac.kr/	
& Physical Education		Fine Arts	0	0	http://arts.knu.ac.kr	
	Phy	sical Education	0	0	http://sport.knu.ac.kr/	
(Daegu C.)	Visual Co	ommunication Design	0	0	http://vcd.knu.ac.kr/	
Medicine		Medicine	0	0	http://med.knu.ac.kr/eng/	
	Vete	rinary Medicine	0	0	http://vet.knu.ac.kr/	
(Daegu C.)		Dentistry	0	0	https://dent.knu.ac.kr/eng/main/main.jsp	
Law School (Daegu C.)		Law	×	0	http://lawschool.knu.ac.kr/	
Natural	Ecology Science		0	0	http://cee.knu.ac.kr/HOME/cee/sub.htm?nav_code=cee1467966681	
Sciences	Anim	al BT Science	0	0	http://cee.knu.ac.kr/HOME/cee/sub.htm?nav_co de=cee1467966664	
(Sangju Campus)	Ecology and	Environmental System	0	0	http://cee.knu.ac.kr/HOME/cee/sub.htm?nav_co de=cee1467966553	
	Food and F	ood-service Industry	0	х	http://ffsi.knu.ac.kr/	
	Automo	tive Engineering	0	0	http://auto.knu.ac.kr/	
Engineering	Constructional Disaster Prevention and Environmental Engineering		0	0	http://cdue.knu.ac.kr/	
Eligilieerilig		Software	0	×	http://se.knu.ac.kr/	
(Sangju Campus)	Textile & Fashion Design		0	×	http://textile.knu.ac.kr/ http://style.knu.ac.kr/	
Campus)	Nano & Materials Science and Engineering		0	×	http://nanosj.knu.ac.kr/	
	Precision Mechanical Engineering		0	×	http://pme.knu.ac.kr/	
Sports (Sangju C.)	Le	isure Sports	0	0	http://cee.knu.ac.kr/HOME/cee/sub.htm?nav_co de=cee1467878905	

# 6. KGSP Application (University Quota)

**1. Period:** February 2, 2017 ~ March 21, 2017

#### 2. Contact:

• Office of International Affairs

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# 7. Important Notes & Campus Guide

### 1. Admission Schedule

Schedule	Date	Notes	
Submission of application documents	2017. 2. 02 ~ 3. 21	Office of International Affairs, KNU (by post or person)	
Application documents screening	2017. 3. 22 ~ 3. 23	Office of International Affairs	
Department screening	2017. 3. 24 ~ 3. 31	Document examination, Interview	
Admissions Committee Screening	2017. 4. 03 ~ 4. 06	1 <sup>st</sup> Selection	
Selection by the NIIED	2017. 4. 20 ~ 4. 21	2 <sup>nd</sup> Selection	
Notification of selection results(2nd)	2017. 5. 02.	http://www.studyinkorea.go.kr/en	
Screening for candidates via Korean Embassy	2017. 5. 04 ~ 6. 02	Document examination, Interview	
Notification of selection results(Final)	2017. 6. 20.	http://www.studyinkorea.go.kr/en	

#### 2. Required Documentations

- ① Required documents: one set of original documents.
- ② Original documents should be submitted. However, in case of submitting copied documents inevitably, copies must be authenticated by the issuing institution or notary that they are the same with the originals.

  (\*\* Submitted documents will not be returned to the candidates.)
- 3 Applicants who are expected to graduate from their institutions by August 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017 first must submit the certificate(or letter) of expected graduation issued by the institution.
- 4 If the transcript is not indicated in grade point average(GPA), attachment of transcript converted into 4.0, 4.3, 4.5, or 5.0 scale is required.
- (5) If the transcript is difficult to convert into percentages, attachment of rank-certicate from the attended institution is required.
- 6 Documents not in English or Korean must be accompanied by a complete and accurate English or Korean translation certified by the issuing institution.

Application Documents	Master	Doctor
1. Personal data (Application Form)	0	0
2. Self Introduction	0	0
3. Study Plan (Statement of Purpose)	0	0
4. Two Letters of Recommendation	0	0
5. Pledge	0	0
6. Personal Medical Assessment	0	0
<ol><li>Certificate of (expectant) graduation from previously attended undergraduate institution (original copy)</li></ol>	0	0
8. Official transcript of previously attended undergraduate institution	0	0
<ol><li>Certificate of (expectant) graduation from previously attended graduate institution (original copy)</li></ol>	_	0
10. Official transcript of previously attended graduate institution	_	0
11. Certificate of Korean Language (original copy of TOPIK)	$\triangle$	$\triangle$
12. Certificate of English(original copy of TOEFL, IELTS)	$\triangle$	$\triangle$
13. Published papers	$\triangle$	$\triangle$
14. Awards	$\triangle$	$\triangle$
15. Copy of passport	$\triangle$	$\triangle$
16. Certificate of citizenship of Applicant and His/Her Parents: birth certificate, passport, etc.	0	0
17. Adoption Documents (only for overseas Korean adoptee)	0	0

※ △ marks : If available

KNU follows NIIED's Guidelines about 2017 KGSP including Research Program

#### 3. Important Notes

- ① Screening is based on the applicant's GPA in previous degree program, personal statement, study plan, language proficiency(Korean and English), papers, and interview by the relevant department.
- ② Applicants who have the Korean language certificate of TOPIK or English certificate of TOEFL, IELTS will get advantages.
- 3 Dual recommendation by more than one organization is not acceptable.
- 4 Submitted documents will not be returned to the candidates.
- (5) Incomplete or incorrect documents are subject to rejection by KNU & NIIED. (Even after entry to Korea)

#### 4. Domitory

- ① Fee: Approximately 300,000Won/Month
- 2 All successful applicants will be given a chance to live in the dormitory.
- ③ Facilities
  - Room type : 2-bed room
  - Serving 3 meals a day(optionally available)
  - Website: dorm.knu.ac.kr
  - E-mail: housing@knu.ac.kr

#### 5. About KNU

### History

- O 1946. Colleges of Education, Medicine and Agriculture in Daegu upgraded to National College.
- O 1951. Colleges of Education, Medicine, Agriculture, Liberal Arts and Sciences, Law and Political Sciences were combined to create Kyungpook National University.
- O 1953. First Graduate School was established.
- O 2017. KNU is comprised of 19 Colleges and schools, 14 graduate schools

#### Location

- O KNU is located in the city of Daegu, the third largest city in South Korea with a population of approximately 2.5 million.
- O Less than 2 hours from Seoul by express train, Daegu combines the best of modern and traditional Korea, being surrounded by major industries, such as Samsung and LG, and UNESCO world heritage sites of Gyengju and Haeinsa temple.
- O Three presidents of Korea were born in this region, one of them is a KNU

graduate.

#### Size & Scope

- O 40,364 students in total
- O 32,686 undergraduate students
- O 7,678 graduate students
- O 1.638 international students
- O 1,170 full-time faculty members
- O 474 administrative staff
- O 4 campuses(3 in Daegu, 1 in Sangju)
- O 14 graduate schools
- O 19 colleges and schools
- O 109 research centers

#### Specialized Departments

#### O Electronics Engineering: Semiconductor Devices & Systems

- Fostering customized business & a practically trained, talented workforce as the central school of Industrial-Educational Cooperation
- Fostering talented individuals & a global research group that transcend regional limitations.
- Reestablishing the status as base school & university for specialization of new IT convergence area

#### O Electronics Engineering: Mobile Communication & Networks

- Fostering talented, highly achieved graduates who will become future leaders in the Smart Mobile Industry.
- Fostering a talented workforce of IT convergence experts through the development of creative education program.

#### O Chemistry: Convergence Chemistry

- Researching the most important renewable energy sources for sustainable growth in the 21st century
- Chemical technology development of clean nanomaterials for the implementation of renewable energy
- Convergence research of clean technology, material technology and energy technology

#### O Food Science and Technology: Food Science

• Supporting funds for specialization: two hundred million won (US\$ 187,420)

- every year for four years
- Specialization of Functional Food Biotechnology
- Fostering global Food Engineers who will contribute to the development of the Food Industry, New Growth Engines Industry, and lead the globalization of Korean food technology

#### O Mechanical Engineering: Robotics & Automation

• The robotics and automation area of mechanical engineering combines advanced areas, including but not limited to information, semiconductors, artificial intelligence, bio-mechanics, advanced materials, and microelectromechanical systems (MEMS), with more traditional mechanical and electrical engineering to create a high-value-added converging technology that will play a crucial role for the economic growth of the country in the 21<sup>st</sup>century

#### O Business Administration: AACSB-accredited Education

- Meeting the 21 standards that schools of Business Administration should adhere to (including teaching staff, student support, curriculum, facilities, research achievement etc.)
- Less than 5 percent of business administration programs all over the world are awarded AACSB accreditation

#### Affordable Costs

- O US\$4,000~8,000 graduate tution(per year)
- O US\$3,400~4,800 ungdergraduate tution(per year)
- O US\$3,000 on-campus room & board(per academic year)
- O 80% of international graduate students receive scholarships
- O 40% of international undergraduate students receive scholarships

#### Honors of KNU

- O The best national university representing Korea: Ranked among the top 3 Korean national universities
- O Selected as one of the world top-500 Universities by Shanghai Jiao Tong University in China (2009)
- O Currently holding the largest number of the 5 vice-ministerial level alumni (2010)
- O Selected as 2nd in Korea in terms of the number of books owned by the University's library (2010)
- O Top scoring university in the 53rd National Judicial Examination (2011)
- O Ranked fourth and third nationwide in number of Samsung and LG executive(Korea Business)(2011)

- O Ranked first amongst large regional colleges in graduate employment for 2 consecutive years (2011-2012)(Ministry of Education, among A-group school that have over 3,000 graduates)
- O International Accreditation: ABEEK (Engineering) and AACSB (Business)
- O Ranked first among large regional universities, with 26 graduates passing the 47<sup>th</sup> public accountant exam(2012)
- O Ranked 5th in number of theses per faculty by QS Asian University Ranking Assessment by Chosun Ilbo (2012)
- O Department of Food Science & Nutrition ranked top among related departments at Korean universities (2012 Jungang Ilbo University Ranking)
- O Department of Physics confirmed as the top ranking department in production of SCI standard articles in Korea (2012)
- O School of Public Administration, Over 100 graduates passed the government administration exams(2012).
- O Ranked as No.1 recipient of funds awarded in the Education Empowerment Project by the Korean Ministry of Education, Science and Technology (2009–2011, 2013)
- O Ranked 8<sup>th</sup> among Korean Universities in 'Best Global Universities' by US News & World Report(2014)
- O Recorded as having a 100% passing rate of alumni in National Examinations in Medicine, Dentistry, and Pharmacy(2015)
- O Ranked among top universities in Korea for rate of successful secondary school teacher recruitment examination applicants (2009–2015)
- O Ranked 10<sup>th</sup> among Korean Universities in 'Best Global Universities' by US News & World Report(2016)

#### <Postal Address for Application>:

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