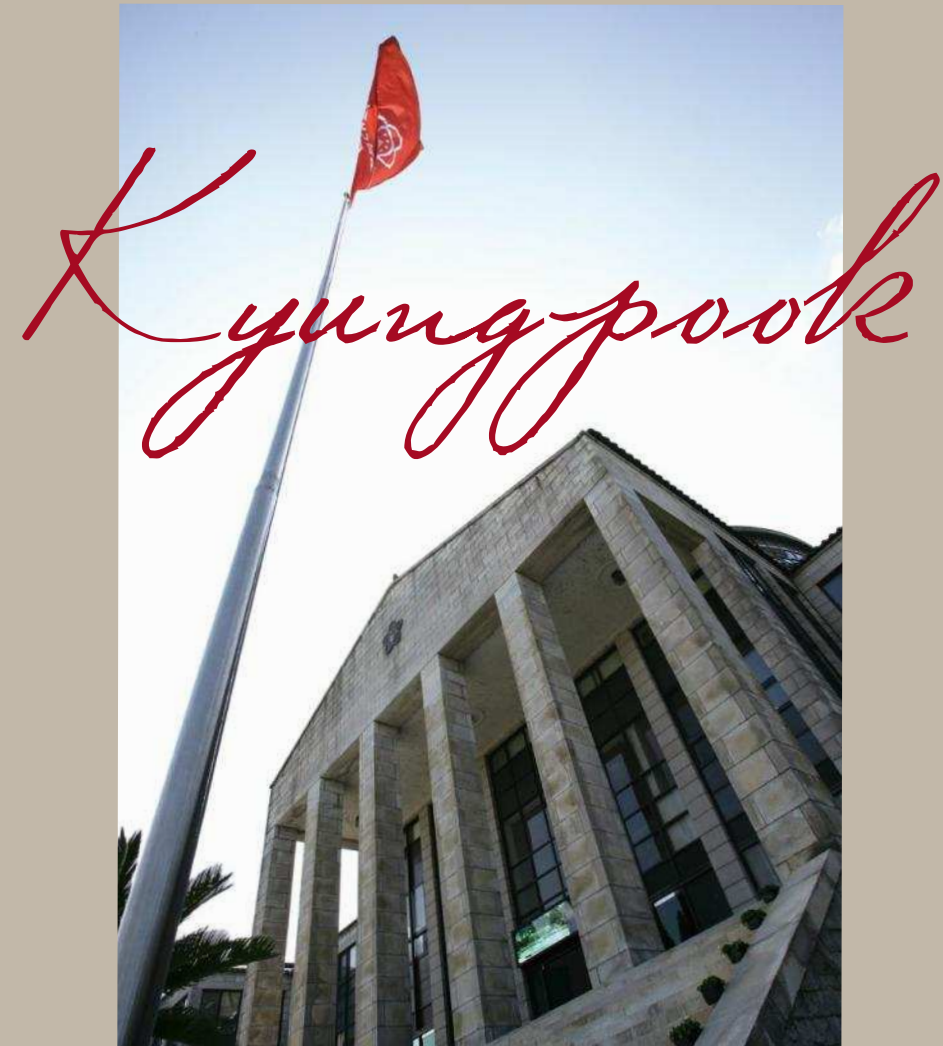


DAEGU is

- Population 2.5million
- 3rd Largest City in S.Korea
- Flight 1hr Seoul - Daegu

Kyungpook National University Global Korea Scholarship

— 2021 Graduate Program —



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01. Program Objectives



- Global Korea Scholarship is designed to provide international students with opportunities to study at higher educational institutions in Korea at graduate-level degrees, which will enhance international education exchange and deepen mutual friendship between Korea and participating countries.

02. Qualifications

Scholarship Period	Master's Degree	1 year Language Courses + 2 year Degree Courses
	Doctoral Degree	1 year Language Courses + 3 year Degree Courses
	Research Program	6 months or 1 year Research Program
Qualifications	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> The applicant and his/her parents must hold foreign citizenships. * Applicants who hold Korean citizenship are not permitted to apply for this program. Applicants must be under 40 years of age as of Sep. 1st, 2021. (born after Sep. 1st, 1981) Applicants must hold a Bachelor's, Master's, or Doctoral degree as of September 1st of the selection year. * Applicants who have completed degree program in Korea are not eligible for the program. But those who have graduated from degree program in Korea through KGSP can apply for this program. All applicants must have maintained the cumulative grade point average (CGPA) equivalent to or higher than any ONE of the following from their respective universities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> CGPA: 2.64/4.0, 2.80/4.3, 2.91/4.5, 3.23/5.0 Score percentile should be 80% or above on a 100-point scale or be ranked within the top 20% within one's class 	

03. Selection Procedure

- 1st Selection**
Applicants submit their applications either to the Korean Embassies around the world or to the partner universities in Korea. The embassies and universities select the successful candidates among the applicants in the 1st round of selection. The applicants of the successful candidates will then be forwarded to NIIED.
- 2nd Selection**
The NIIED selection committee selects the successful candidates among those who passed the 1st round.
- 3rd Selection** Among the successful candidates who have passed the 2nd round, the applicants of those who applied through the Korean Embassies will be reviewed by universities for admission. Successful candidates must get admission from at least one of the universities.

04. Scholarship

Airfare	Round-trip economy class ticket
Monthly Allowance	· Master's/Doctoral: 1,000,000 KRW per month · Research: 1,500,000 KRW per month
Research Allowance Per Semester	210,000 KRW for scholars in the field of humanities and social sciences; 240,000 KRW for scholars in natural sciences and engineering
Settlement Allowance	200,000 KRW upon arrival
Language Training Fee	Full coverage
Tuitions	All admission fees are waived by the host institution. (university) The tuition will be provided by NIIED.
Dissertation Printing Costs	500,000-800,000 KRW depending on actual costs.
Medical Insurance	20,000 KRW per month*
Korean Proficiency Grants	100,000 KRW per month for scholars with TOPIK Level 5 or 6

* Medical Insurance amount is based on international student insurance. For those who are subject to National Health Service (as of March 1st, 2021), further information will be provided at a later date.

05. GKS Application (University Quota)

- 1. Period** 2021.02.10. ~ 04.07.
- 2. Contact** Office of International Affairs
 ☎ Phone +82-53-950-2433 📠 Fax +82-53-950-2419 ✉ E-mail kgsp@knu.ac.kr

06. Academic Programs (Graduate)

Division	Department	Master's	Doctoral	Remarks (website)	
Liberal Arts & Social Science (Daegu Campus)	Korean Language & Literature	0	0	http://korean.knu.ac.kr	
	English Language & Literature	0	0	http://english.knu.ac.kr	
	History	0	0	https://khistory.knu.ac.kr	
	Philosophy	0	0	http://philosophy.knu.ac.kr	
	French Language & Literature	0	0	http://france.knu.ac.kr	
	German Language & Literature	0	0	http://german.knu.ac.kr	
	Chinese Language & Literature	0	0	http://chinese.knu.ac.kr	
	Archaeology & Anthropology	0	0	http://aran.knu.ac.kr	
	Japanese Language & Literature	0	0	http://japan.knu.ac.kr	
	Korean Literature in Chinese Characters	0	0	http://hanmun.knu.ac.kr	
	Russian Language & Literature	0	0	http://knurussian.kr	
	Political Science	0	0	http://politics.knu.ac.kr	
	Sociology	0	0	http://socio.knu.ac.kr	
	Geography	0	0	http://geog.knu.ac.kr	
	Library & Information Science	0	0	https://lis.knu.ac.kr	
	Psychology	0	0	http://psy.knu.ac.kr	
	Social Welfare	Social Welfare Policy and Administration	0	0	http://knusw.knu.ac.kr
		Social Work Practice	0	0	
	Mass Communication	0	0	http://masscom.knu.ac.kr	
	Ethics Education	0	0	http://ethedu.knu.ac.kr	
	Economics	0	0	http://econ.knu.ac.kr	
	International Trade	0	0		
	Business Administration	0	0	http://biz.knu.ac.kr	
	Public Administration	0	0	http://puad.knu.ac.kr	
	Agricultural Economics	0	0	http://agec.knu.ac.kr	
	Education	0	0	http://edu.knu.ac.kr	
	Korean Language Education	X	0	http://koredu.knu.ac.kr	
	English Language Education	X	0	http://engedu.knu.ac.kr	
	Social Studies Education		X	0	http://hisedu.knu.ac.kr http://geoedu.knu.ac.kr
	Humanistic Counseling	0	0	http://inca.knu.ac.kr	
	Law	0	X	http://lawschool.knu.ac.kr	
	Law School (Daegu Campus)	Law	X	0	http://lawschool.knu.ac.kr
Natural Science (Daegu Campus)	Mathematics	0	0	http://math.knu.ac.kr	
	Physics	0	0	http://www.physicsknu.org	
	Chemistry	0	0	http://chem.knu.ac.kr	
	Life Science		0	0	http://bio.knu.ac.kr/index.do http://biotech.knu.ac.kr
		Geology	0	0	http://geology.knu.ac.kr
	Statistics	0	0	http://stat.knu.ac.kr	
	Astronomy & Atmospheric Science	0	0	http://hanl.knu.ac.kr	
	Oceanography	0	0	http://ocean.knu.ac.kr	
	Applied Biosciences	Plant Biosciences	0	0	http://pbs.knu.ac.kr
		Agricultural Chemistry	0	0	http://kac.knu.ac.kr
		Applied Biology	0	0	http://agbl.knu.ac.kr
	Food Science & Biotechnology	Food Biotechnology	0	0	http://foodbio.knu.ac.kr
		Food Biomaterials	0	0	
		Food Application Technology	0	0	
			0	0	
	Horticulture	0	0	http://horti.knu.ac.kr	
	Agricultural Civil Engineering	0	0	http://acen.knu.ac.kr	
	Bio-industrial Machinery Engineering	0	0	http://bime.knu.ac.kr	
	Bio-fibers and Materials Science	0	0	http://biofiber.knu.ac.kr	
	Forestry	0	0	http://forestry.knu.ac.kr	
	Wood Science & Technology	0	0	http://wood.knu.ac.kr	
	Landscape Architecture	0	0	http://land.knu.ac.kr	
	Mathematics Education	X	0	http://mathedu.knu.ac.kr	
	Science Education		0	0	http://physedu.knu.ac.kr http://chemedu.knu.ac.kr
	Home Economics Education	X	0	http://homeedu.knu.ac.kr	
	Child & Family Studies	0	0	http://child.knu.ac.kr	
	Clothing & Textiles	0	0	http://fashion.knu.ac.kr	

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Natural Science (Daegu Campus)	Food Science & Nutrition	0	0	http://fsnu.knu.ac.kr	
	Nursing	0	0	http://nurs.knu.ac.kr	
	Public Health	X	0	http://med.knu.ac.kr/eng/	
	Biomedical Science (Non MD)*	0	0	http://med.knu.ac.kr/eng/	
	Dental science (Non MD)	0	0	https://dent.knu.ac.kr/eng/main/main.jsp	
	Pharmacy	0	0	https://pharmacy.knu.ac.kr	
	Biomedical Convergence Science & Technology*	0	0	https://bst.knu.ac.kr	
	Integrative Biotechnology	0	0	-	
	Department of Applied Biosciences	0	0	-	
	Integrative Natural Sciences for the East Sea Rim	0	0	-	
Engineering (Daegu Campus)	Materials Science and Engineering	Materials Science & Metallurgical Engineering	0	0	https://metal.knu.ac.kr
		Electronic Materials Engineering	0	0	https://emse.knu.ac.kr
	Mechanical Engineering	0	0	http://me.knu.ac.kr	
	Architecture	0	0	http://arch.knu.ac.kr	
	Architectural, Civil, Environmental and Energy Engineering	Architectural Engineering	0	0	http://arch.knu.ac.kr
		Civil Engineering	0	0	http://civil.knu.ac.kr
		Environmental Engineering	0	0	http://www.knuenv.or.kr
		Energy Engineering	0	0	http://energy.knu.ac.kr
	Applied Chemical Engineering	Applied Chemistry	0	0	http://appchem.knu.ac.kr
		Chemical Engineering	0	0	http://chemeng.knu.ac.kr
		Polymer Science and Engineering	0	0	http://polymer.knu.ac.kr
	Textile System Engineering	0	0	http://textile-eng.knu.ac.kr	
	Computer Science and Engineering	0	0	http://computer.knu.ac.kr	
	Electronic and Electrical Engineering	0	0	http://electric.knu.ac.kr	
	Artificial Intelligence	0	0	https://aist.knu.ac.kr	
	Robot and Smart System Engineering	0	0	https://sites.google.com/view/knurobot/	
	Hydrogen & Renewable Energy	0	0	https://aist.knu.ac.kr	
	Data Convergence Computing	0	0	-	
	Climate Change	0	0	http://climate.knu.ac.kr	
	Spatial Information	0	0	http://gis.knu.ac.kr	
	Advanced Organic Materials Science and Engineering	0	0	https://textile-eng.knu.ac.kr	
	Urban Regeneration	0	0	https://urbanre.knu.ac.kr	
	Entertainment & Sports (Daegu Campus)	Music	0	0	http://music.knu.ac.kr
Korean Classical Music		0	0	http://kmusic.knu.ac.kr	
Fine Arts		0	0	http://arts.knu.ac.kr	
Design	0	0	http://vcd.knu.ac.kr		
Physical Education	0	0	http://sport.knu.ac.kr		
Medicine (Daegu Campus)	Medicine (MD)	0	0	http://med.knu.ac.kr	
	Dentistry (MD)	0	0	https://dent.knu.ac.kr/eng/main/main.jsp	
	Veterinary Medicine	0	0	http://vet.knu.ac.kr	
Natural Science (Sangju Campus)	Ecological Science	0	0	http://ecopre.knu.ac.kr	
	Animal BT Science	0	0	http://ani.knu.ac.kr	
	Ecology and Environmental System	0	0	http://sees.knu.ac.kr	
	Food and Food-service Industry	0	X	http://ffsi.knu.ac.kr	
Engineering (Sangju Campus)	Automotive Engineering	0	0	http://auto.knu.ac.kr	
	Constructional Disaster Prevention and Environmental Engineering	0	0	http://disaster.knu.ac.kr	
	Software	0	X	http://se.knu.ac.kr	
	Precision Mechanical Engineering	0	0	https://sites.google.com/a/pmeatknu.com/pme_eng/	
	Nano & Materials Science and Engineering	0	0	http://nanosj.knu.ac.kr	
	Textile & Fashion Design	0	X	http://textile.knu.ac.kr	
	Convergence & Fusion system Engineering	0	0	http://cfse.knu.ac.kr	
Advanced Science and Technology Convergence	0	0	https://disaster.knu.ac.kr		
Entertainment & Sports (Sangju Campus)	Leisure Sports	0	0	http://dols.knu.ac.kr	

* Applicants applying for 'Biomedical Science (Non MD)' or 'Biomedical Convergence Science & Technology' department must the letter of recommendation from the academic advisor or department head at KNU.

* Sangju Campus is located in the city of Sangju, about 1 hour drive away from Daegu.

07. Important Notes

(1) Admission Schedule

Schedule	Date	Notes
Submission of application documents	2021.02.10. ~ 04.07.	Office of International Affairs, KNU (by post or person)
Application documents screening	2021.04.08. ~ 04.12.	Office of International Affairs
Department screening	2021.04.13. ~ 04.20.	Document examination, Interview
Admissions Committee Screening	2021.04.21. ~ 04.23.	1 st Selection
Selection by the NIIED	2021. mid May	2 nd Selection
Notification of selection results (2nd)	2021. late May	http://www.studyinkorea.go.kr/en/main.do
Screening for candidates via Korean Embassy	2021. May	Document examination, Interview
Notification of selection results (Final)	2021. mid June	http://www.studyinkorea.go.kr/en/main.do

(2) Required Documentations

	No.	Required Documents List	Master's	Doctoral	Research
Documents to fill in	1	Application Form	required	required	required
	2	Personal Statement	required	required	required
	3	Statement of Purpose	required	required	X
	4	Research Proposal	X	X	required
	5	TWO letters of Recommendation	required	required	required
	6	University's Official Letter of Invitation	X	X	required
	7	GKS Applicant Agreement	required	required	required
	8	Personal Medical Assessment	required	required	required
Certificates	9	Certificate of Bachelor's Degree or Bachelor's Diploma	required	required	X
	10	Bachelor's Degree Transcript	required	required	X
	11	Certificate of Master's Degree or Master's Diploma	X	required	required
	12	Master's Degree Transcript	X	required	required
	13	Certificate of Doctoral Degree or Doctoral Diploma * ONLY applicable for Postdoctoral Research Program applicants	X	X	required
	14	Doctoral Degree Transcript * ONLY applicable for Postdoctoral Research Program applicants	X	X	required
	15	Certificate of Employment	X	X	required
	16	Applicant's Proof of Citizenship Document	required	required	required
	17	Applicant's Parent's Proof of Citizenship Document	required	required	required
	18	Proof of Overseas Korean Document * ONLY applicable for relevant applicants	optional	optional	optional
	19	Proof of Korean Citizenship Renunciation Document * ONLY applicable for relevant applicants	optional	optional	optional
	20	Proof of Korean Adoptee Document * ONLY applicable for relevant applicants	optional	optional	optional

	No.	Required Documents List	Master's	Doctoral	Research
Other Documents	21	Certificate of valid TOPIK score	optional	optional	optional
	22	Certificate of valid English Proficiency Test	optional	optional	optional
	23	Published books & research papers, and etc.	optional	optional	optional
	24	Awards and other certificates	optional	optional	optional
	25	Applicant's Passport Copy	optional	optional	optional

- ① Required documents : one set of original documents.
- ② Original documents should be submitted. However, in case of submitting copied documents inevitably, applicants must submit the notarized or apostilled copies of the original version. [* Submitted documents will not be returned to the candidates.]
- ③ Applicants who are expected to graduate from their institutions by August 31st, 2021 first must submit the certificate (or official 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. [KNU can accept the result issued from <http://www.foreigncredit.com> or <http://www.wes.org>]
- ⑤ If the transcript is difficult to convert into percentages, attachment of rank-certificate 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.
- ⑦ Each required document must be numbered and labeled on the top right corner.
(Example: 9. Bachelor's Degree Certificate)
- ⑧ Bind the documents only with clips or binder clips. [Do not use stapler]
- ⑨ Applicants to the Department of Fine Art or Design must submit a portfolio (A4 size, 10 pages) with the other application documents.



08. About KNU

1. History

1945

Colleges of Education, Medicine and Agriculture in Daegu were upgraded to National Colleges

1951

Colleges of Education, Medicine and Agriculture, Liberal Arts and Sciences, Law and Political Sciences combined to create Kyungpook National University

1953

First graduate school established

2021

Kyungpook National University is now comprised of 17 colleges and 2 schools, 68 Majors, 11 graduate schools, 128 Research Centers

2. Numbers

• 4 Campuses: 3 in Daegu, 1 in Sangju



• 34,869 students in total, 28,842 undergraduate students, 6,025 graduate students, 1,695 international students
 • 1,204 full-time faculty members, 1,178 administrative staff members, 249,433 graduates cumulative

3. Special Programs for International Students

01

Cultural Experience Program

Provide cultural experience programs that can enhance understanding of Korean and improve adaptability of life in Korea.
 (ex, Daegu City Tour, Cultural Trip, International Day, K-pop Dance Festival, etc.)



02

Assistance in Employment

To support international students, KNU offers various special lectures such as employment training programs, internship programs and employment information.



03

Orientation for New International Students

KNU holds an orientation for new incoming students to help them quickly adapt to life in Korea. Through the orientation, international students gain valuable information such as course registration, visa, insurance and student ID card acquisition.



04

Graduation Ceremony

KNU holds a graduation ceremony for international students who graduate from KNU every semester to celebrate the students' achievement.



05

International Programs

KNU offers various international programs for international students such as an exchange program, summer school program, and provides many opportunities to study abroad.



06

1:1 Counseling for International Students

International students can receive counseling from their department office and the Office of International Affairs about difficulties in their studies and personal life.



4. KNU Honors

Credits

- Awarded IEQAS (International Education Quality Assurance System) accreditation for 5 consecutive years by the Korean Ministry of Education.
 - 1st among national universities in Korea

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- QS Graduate Employability Rankings
- THE World University Ranking
- US News & World Report 'Best Global Universities'
- THE World University Impact Ranking (Ranked 99th)
- Leiden Ranking with Research Papers in the Top 1%
- World University Rankings from Shanghai Jiao Tong University, Institute of Higher Education Evaluation
- The Number of GKS Students is the highest in Korea : 24 students from 19 countries
- CWUR (Center for World University Rankings)

Student-Centered University

- 75.6 billion won worth of scholarships have been provided to KNU students, 35,368 total beneficiaries and a 64% benefit rate
 - KNU offers opportunities to study in the best universities in the world. (University of California Berkeley, Oxford University, Yale University)

Lots of Talented Students

- Maintained employment rate of graduates ranked 1st among national universities in Korea
 - High number of employments among graduates
 • 1,278 employed by large companies, 680 employed by public institutions over the past 2 years

Best Teaching Ability

- Performance of SCI-level thesis per professor ranked 1st among national universities in Korea
 - Performance of international thesis per professor ranked 1st among national universities in Korea
 - 2 professors in KNU were named on the world's most influential researchers list (HCR)
 - 4 professors in KNU published papers at Nature, Science

Investments from the Korean Government

318,116 million won
 Amount of financial support from the government is the most among national universities in Korea

Win orders for R&D projects **18** projects **206,677** million won

Top Top Level on national financial assistance project fund among national universities in Korea

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