

# 2017 Korean Government Scholarship Program

## 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
- To promote international exchange in education, as well as mutual friendship amongst the participating countries

## 2 Scholarship Period & Qualification

Scholarship	Master's course	1 year of Korean language + 2 years of Master's course
	Doctoral course	1 year of Korean language + 3 years of Doctoral course
Qualification	<p>① The applicant and his/her parents must hold foreign citizenships            ※ Applicant who hold Korean citizenship are not permitted to apply for this program</p> <p>② Applicant must be under 40 years of age of the selection year</p> <p>③ Applicants must hold a Bachelor's or Master's degree as of September 1st of the selection year            ※ Applicants who have previously enrolled in or graduated from undergraduate program, a master's program, or a doctoral program (including exchange program) in Korea are ineligible to apply for this program</p> <p>④ Applicants must maintain a grade point average(GPA) of at least 2.64 on a 4.0 scale, 2.80 on a 4.3 scale, 2.91 on a 4.5 scale, or grades/marks/score of 80% (out of 100%) or higher from the previously attended institution. If the applicant does not satisfy the above GPA requirements, he/she will be ineligible to apply to this program.</p>	

### 3 Scholarship

Airfare	Round-trip economy class ticket
Monthly allowance	900,000KRW per month
Research Allowance per semester	210,000KRW for scholars in the field of humanities and social science 240,000KRW for scholars in natural and mechanic sciences
Relocation(Settlement) Allowance	200,000KRW upon arrival
Language Training Fee	Full coverage
Tuition fee	All the admission fee are waived by the host university The tuition fee will be provided by NIIED
Dissertation printing costs	500,000~800,000KRW, depending on actual costs
Medical insurance	20,000KRW 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

### 4 Selection Schedule

1	Application Period	from 6th of February to the 20th of March, 2017
3	The 1st Selection	The end of March, 2017 (decided by Dongseo University admission committee)
3	Deadline for recommendation to NIIED	The 5th of April, 2017 (All the required documents must be received by NIIED)
4	The 2nd Selection	Mid to End-April (NIIED Selection Committee)
5	Announcement for the results of the 2nd selection	the beginning of May, 2017
6	Announcement for Final successful candidates	the end of June, 2017
7	Visa Issue and Air ticket purchase	the middle of June, 2017 to the end of July, 2017
8	Entry to Korea	Around the end of August
9	Korean Language Course	September 1st

## 5 Master's and Doctoral courses at Dongseo University

Division	Department	Field of Study		English Track
		Master's	Doctoral	
Graduate School	Japanese studies	✓	✓	
	Social welfare	✓		
	Bio-chemical Engineering	✓	✓	✓
	Civil Engineering	✓	✓	
	Visual Contents	✓	✓	✓
	Ubiquitous IT	✓	✓	✓
	Architectural Engineering	✓	✓	
	Design	✓	✓	
Graduate School of Mission& Welfare	Social welfare	✓		
	Missionary Music	✓		
	Psychology of Christian Counselling	✓		
Graduate School of Business Administration	MBA	✓		

## 6 Required Document Checklist

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1	Application Form (Form 1)	MUST	MUST
2	Self Introduction Letter (Form 2)	MUST	MUST
3	Statement of Purpose (Form 3)	MUST	MUST
4	Letter of Recommendation (Form 4)	MUST	MUST
5	KGSP Applicant Pledge (Form 5)	MUST	MUST
6	Personal Medical Assessment (Form 6)	MUST	MUST
7	Bachelor's Diploma or Certificate of Degree: original copy	MUST	MUST
8	Bachelor's Transcript: original copy	MUST	MUST
9	Master's Diploma or Certificate of Degree: original copy	-	MUST
10	Master's Transcript: original copy	-	MUST
11	Certificate of TOPIK: original copy	OPTIONAL	OPTIONAL
12	Certificate of English Proficiency Test: original copy	OPTIONAL	OPTIONAL
13	Published Papers	OPTIONAL	OPTIONAL
14	Awards	OPTIONAL	OPTIONAL
15	Applicant's Passport Copy	MUST(Successful candidates of 2 <sup>nd</sup> Round ONLY)	
16	Parents' Proof of Citizenship	MUST	MUST
17	Adoption Documents (Overseas Koreans Adoptees ONLY)	OPTIONAL	OPTIONAL

**- NOTES**

- ① 1 set of the original documents should be placed in a single envelope. Recommendation letters sealed by the recommenders and submitted with the seals unbroken.
- ② Original documents should be submitted. However, should they be available, copies must be authenticated by the issuing institution, confirming that they are the same with the originals.
- ③ The applicant's name on the application form MUST be identical to the applicant's passport name.
- ④ If there is any inconsistency in the applicant's name or birth date on submitted documents, further evidential document must be submitted as verification.
- ⑤ Any applicant, who submits a provisional graduation certificate at the time of applying, must submit his or her official graduation certificate of high school upon arrival in Korea, no later than March 1, 2017.
- ⑥ The application documents must be arranged in the same order as written on the "Checklist" in the FORM 1. Each document may be stapled. However, DO NOT staple the entire application documents altogether, or put each document in a separate folder.
- ⑦ Application form and all other materials should be filled out either in Korean or in English. Any document issued in languages other than Korean or English MUST include official notarized translations.
- ⑧ All documents submitted must be A4 sized. If the document is smaller, attach it to A4 sized paper; if bigger, fold it to make it A4 sized.
- ⑨ The high school grade transcript must contain a description of the school's grading system. In case the transcript does not have information on the applicant's rank or percentile score, an applicant must submit an additional official certificate issued by the high school, confirming that the applicant's academic achievement meets the requirement written on 5-(5) above.

- ⑩ All documents must be numbered and labeled on the top right corner. (Example. ⑦ Graduation Certificate of High School)
- ⑪ Mailing address should be stated in full including the postal-code
- ⑫ Submitted documents will not be returned to the applicant. The applicants are advised to make their own copies of all application documents.
- ⑬ Incomplete or incorrect documents will result in the disqualification of an applicant.

※ For further information on this program, please contact International Exchange Center at Dongseo University, as below

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