

FACT SHEET
[Yeungnam University]

A. GENERAL INFORMATION		
Name of Institution:	Yeungnam University	
Country:	Republic of Korea	
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General background	<p>The Predecessors of Yeungnam University are Daegu College and Chunggu College, the former established in 1947 and the later established in 1950. Finally in 1967, Yeungnam University was established by the merger of Daegu College and Chunggu College by Mr. Chung Hee PARK, Former President of the Korean Central Government .</p> <p>Yeungnam University is one of the leading private universities located in Gyeongsan City and Daegu Metropolitan City, the 3rd largest city in Korea, with undergraduate and graduate enrollments of 23,513 and 3,236 respectively in 17 colleges, 12 graduate schools, 68 schools and departments.</p>	
Type of Institution	Private	

Location and Campus Map	Located in the city of Gyeongsan in the south-eastern part of the Korean Peninsula, Yeungnam is surrounded by scenic nature and historic relics. The city is adjacent to the Daegu metropolis, the 3rd largest city in Korea, and it takes one and a half hours from Seoul, Capital of Korea by train, and one hour from Busan, the 2nd largest city in Korea. With a population of approximately 250,000, the city offers a perfect mixture of urban and rural environments.
Student Enrollment:	Total no. of students: 32,938 (Undergraduate 29,887, Graduate 3,051) Number of International/exchange students : Approximately 1,500
Staff Strength: (no. of academic staff, no. of administrative staff, etc)	Faculty : 885 / Staff : 293 (as of 2017 August)

B. ACADEMIC INFORMATION			
Academic Calendar		Spring Semester 2020	Fall Semester 2020
	Arrival Dates (tentative)	February 29 th – March 1 st	August 30 th – September 1 st
	Orientation Day (tentative)	March 2 nd	September 1 st
	Teaching period starts (tentative)	March 2 nd	September 1 st
	Teaching period ends (tentative)	The end of June	Mid of December
	Examination period	Mid-term exam : 8 th week of the semester Final exam : 16 th week of the semester	
	Relevant website: ic.yu.ac.kr		
Language of Instruction	Korean, English		
Exchange Duration	One semester / one academic year* Either 1 or 2 Semester		
Study Load for exchange students per Semester		No. of credits / Courses per semester	
	Minimum study load	12 credits/ 4 courses	
	Maximum study load	18 credits / 6 courses	
Credit Equivalence	No. of credits per course	1 ~ 3 credits	
	For each credit, number of contact hours in a week	1 hour	
	No. of teaching week in a semester	15 weeks	
	For each course, total number of contact hours in a semester	45 hours (3 credits x 1 hour x 15wk)	
Grading System	Course Grade	Interpretation	Grade Point Equivalent
	A+	Score 95~100	4.5
	A	Score 90~94	4.0

	B+	Score 85~89	3.5
	B	Score 80~84	3.0
	C+	Score 75~79	2.5
	C	Score 70~74	2.0
	D+	Score 65~69	1.5
	D	Score 60~64	1.0
	F	Score 0~59	0
	P	Score Pass	Average Point Admitted
Course Information	ic.yu.ac.kr -> Exchange Student Program -> Courses Offered in English		
Course Registration	Registration Period	Spring Semester: around mid-February Fall Semester: around mid-August	
	Method	* The registration can done by filling out online survey and the more detail about how to register will be informed to each applicant via email.	
	Add/Drop period	Spring Semester: In first week of March Fall Semester: In first week of September	

C. APPLICATION		
Academic Requirement	Those who are selected by relevant regulations at home institutions	
English Proficiency Requirements	We don't request official Language Score, but all incoming exchange students have to be able to follow lectures and administrative procedures in English or Korean.	
Application Form	ic.yu.ac.kr -> Exchange Student Program -> Application	
Other supporting documents required	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Application Form for the Exchange Program - Online application must be filled out before print. Link will be sent to students who are nominated. 2. Academic Transcript (issued by the applicant's home university) 3. Certificate of Enrollment (issued by the applicant's home university) 4. Photo Copy of Applicant's Passport 	
Application Deadline (for 2019)	Fall Semester:	End of May
	Spring Semester:	End of November

ACCOMMODATION	
Guarantee Dormitory for Exchange Students	On-campus accommodation will be provided.
Type of accommodation	Shared room among 2 or 4 students
Estimated Accommodation Fee per <u>semester</u>	496,000 KRW to 651,000 KRW depending on the accommodation
Meal plan	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Optional 2. Estimated cost <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 3 meals a day : 784,900 KRW/semester - 2 meals a day : 638,400 KRW/semester

Facilities	<p>Inside bedroom: Bed, Desk, Chair, Closet and Locker Shared Facilities: Bathroom</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Room for four : Sharing bathroom on each floor - Room for two : Sharing bathroom in each apartment <p>Laundry : washing machine on each floor Kitchen : None</p>
Application Form and Procedures	Application will be made automatically through the Office of International Cooperation.
Application Deadline	All the exchange program applicants will have automatic application for housing
Exceptions	<p>If you plan to stay out-side of dormitory, you need to provide the permission from your home university with your address in Korea. (Without the Korean address, you cannot register for Alien Registration Card: mandatory immigration ID for exchange students.)</p> <p>All exchange students in their first semester should stay in Yeungnam Dormitory.</p>

MISCELLANEOUS		
ESTIMATED Living Expenses (for reference only)	Accommodation Books Meal Local Transportation	651,000 KRW/ semester 150,000 KRW/ semester 784,900 KRW/ semester 75,000 KRW/month
Visa Application Procedures	<p>Students should submit required documents or the consulate of the Republic of Korea.</p> <p>Required documents : A photocopy of passport, Application for Visa Issuance, Admission Letter, Certificate of Bank Balance</p> <p>Website for visa application form and information on application procedure : http://www.hikorea.go.kr</p>	
Visa Application Fee	<p>Single entry : US \$50 Multiple entry : US \$80 * the fees are subject to change</p>	
Insurance	<p>The insurance is mandatory for exchange students to purchase. Estimated cost of university health care policy per semester: KR 17,000 Won</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● All Yeungnam student should join the YU Health Care Service. ● Students can get free health care service through the Health Care Center at Yeungnam University. ● The following treatments are available at the Health Care Center: Internal, Medicine, Mental Health Treatment, Ophthalmology, Dermatology, ENT(Ear, Nose & Throat), Dental treatment. ● Students who receive treatment at an affiliated hospital by the YU Health Care Center, will be reimbursed for their treatment fee. <p>The exchange students need to have an international insurance to cover possible medical cost and cost for liability and so on. The student can buy an insurance policy in home country or at Yeungnam University upon arrival.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Students will be reimbursed for their treatment fee from the health insurance company when they receive the treatment service at all hospitals in Korea. ● Reimbursement will be decided according to the type of injury or disease. 	

Health Record	Exchange student should go through medical check-up upon their arrival at Yeungnam University.
Arrival Pick-up Service	<p>Office of International Programs offers free pick-up service for those who arrive in Korea during the requested arrival period.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Pick-up at Daegu Airport, Dong Daegu Station and Dong Daegu Bus Terminal - After arriving at Daegu Airport, it takes 30 minutes from the airport to the university by car. - After arriving at Dong Daegu Station or Bus Station, it takes 30 minutes from the airport to the university by car. - The exchange students can apply for the service through online survey sent via email from Yeungnam University
Support for Exchange Students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Orientation - Buddy Program : Exchange students can buddy with YU's students - LPP(Language Partner Program): Selected students are to manage foreign language conversation group for 20 hours per month and receive scholarship of 300,000 KRW/ month(*approximately 300 USD/month). - Global Internship Program: Selected students are to intern at Yeungnam University Lab, Korean Education Research Information Service (KERIS) company (and more) in Korea. - Field Trip to Korean historical cities and cultural activities