

Program

HEAT

Higher Education
for ASEAN Talents
(HEAT)

Scholarship Opportunity
for ASEAN Faculty Members
in the Republic of Korea

Guidelines

Description

Korean Council for University Education (KCUE) is launching a full scholarship opportunity for ASEAN faculty members: Higher Education for ASEAN Talents (HEAT).

Higher Education for ASEAN Talents (HEAT) is designed to provide higher education in Korea for ASEAN faculty members. The main purpose of this program is to invite faculty members from ASEAN higher education institutions to support their acquisition of a doctoral degree in Korea with the aim to enhance their expertise and promote people-to-people exchanges between Korea and ASEAN.

Each year 30 scholarship recipients from 10 ASEAN Members States will be selected (3 persons per country), and each person will receive a full scholarship for three years. KCUE will cover tuition, living expenses, and other costs. Participants will receive a Doctoral degree from a Korean university after completion of the program. HEAT is funded from ASEAN-Korea Cooperation Fund(AKCF), and Korean Council for University Education (KCUE) is the implementing agency of the HEAT project. KCUE is a non-profit, non-governmental association of 4-year universities, representing the voice of member universities to increase autonomy and promote mutual cooperation between universities for the effective development of higher education in Korea.



Award Benefits

Scholarship Period

- 3 years

Benefits

- Roundtrip travel (one time only) : Round-trip economy class flight ticket
- Monthly Allowance : 1,100 USD per month
- Relocation Allowance (one time only) : 300 USD upon arrival
- Tuition and admission fee waiver
- Dissertation Printing Costs : 400-600 USD, depending on the actual cost
- Language Training Costs and Medical Insurance : the amount coverage or benefits will vary depending on each university
- Others : various incidental allowances depend on each universities

**All grants will be paid in KRW, and amounts may vary depending on the exchange rate.*

Eligibility

KCUE requirements

- Applicants with ASEAN citizenship
- Applicants who are academic faculty members at a 4-year college/university* in their home country
(*Higher Education Institution offering bachelor's degree or equivalent courses)
- Applicants whose highest educational attainment is a master's degree or its equivalent
- Applicants who are in good health both physically and mentally to allow them to pursue their studies while residing in Korea over the long term
- Applicants who have discussed an academic leave of absence with the university they belong to and how to contribute to their school after their return
- Applicants who are younger than 45 years old on the day that the doctoral program starts
- Applicants who have a sufficient level of proficiency in Korean or English
- Applicants who meet each university's additional requirements

Application & Selection

Schedule

| Programs | 2020-1 Program | 2020-2 Program | 2021 Program | 2022 Program |
|---------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Announcement of Application | March 2020 | July 2020 | February 2021 | February 2022 |
| Announcement of Successful Candidates | June 2020 | December 2020 | June 2021 | June 2021 |
| Entrance & Course Start | September 2020 | March 2021 | September 2021 | September 2022 |
| Graduation | August 2023 | February 2024 | August 2024 | August 2025 |

Announcement of Program

<http://english.kcue.or.kr>

Place of Application Submission

University Admission's Office

**Applicants should submit applications by airmail or online to one of the six designated universities directly.*

Selection Procedure

- The call for applications will be announced at KCUE & universities' websites
- Applicants submit applications to one of the 6 designated universities.
**Applicants must apply for this program through only one university. Applicants who submit applications to more than one university will be disqualified immediately.*
- (1st Round) Applicants must be selected by universities.
- (2nd Round) Applicants who have passed the first round will be assigned by KCUE after consideration of nationality.
- ASEAN SOM-ED will note the list of the grantees.

Selection Criterion

- Academic Ability : All documents including transcripts, self-introduction, study plan, certificates of language proficiency (Korean and/or English), recommendations, published papers and awards, etc. will be evaluated by the university.
- Future Contribution : Applicants should consult with the university they belong to (or with their Ministry of Education) very thoroughly regarding their academic leave of absence for the duration of their doctoral studies in Korea and how to contribute to their school when they return home after finishing their studies in Korea.
**Applicants must submit a letter that contains the official seal of their university president confirming their employment status at the university, as well as the university president's approval on their study plans in Korea.*

Fields of Study



Doctoral degree programs only

| University | Division | Department | |
|--|---|--|---|
| Chung-Ang University | Humanities-Social Science | - Korean Language and Literature | |
| | Natural Science | - Chemistry - Food Science and Technology - Food & Nutrition | |
| | Engineering | - Chemical Engineering and Materials Science - Electrical and Electronics Engineering - Computer Science and Engineering | |
| Ewha Womans University | Liberal & Social Science | - International Studies - Korean Studies - Interpretation and Translation - Political Science & Int'l Relations - Korean Education - North Korean Studies - English Language & Literature - Social Welfare - Women's Studies - Education - Business Administration | |
| | | Natural Sciences | - Nutritional Science & Food Management - Nursing Science - EcoScience - Pharmaceutical Sciences - Industrial Pharmaceutical Science |
| | | Engineering | - Computer Science and Engineering |
| Jeonbuk National University | Electronics and Information Engineering | - Computer Science and Engineering - Electronic Engineering | |
| Kangwon National University | Humanities and Social Sciences | - International Trade - Agricultural & Resource Economics | |
| Korea University | Engineering | - Civil, Environmental and Architectural Engineering | |
| Kyung Hee University (Seoul Campus / Global Campus) | Humanities and Social Sciences | - Korean Language and Literature (Seoul) - Tourism (Seoul) - International Korean Language and Culture (Global) - British-American Language and Culture (Global) - International Development Cooperation (Global) | |
| | | Natural Science | - Physics (Seoul) - Biotechnology (Global) · Genetic Engineering · Food Science and Biotechnology · Oriental Medicinal Materials Engineering · Advanced Materials of Plants · Plant Biotechnology |
| | Engineering | - Information Display (Seoul) - Architectural Engineering (Global) - Mechanical Engineering (Global) - Civil Engineering (Global) - Electronic Engineering (Global) - Computer Science and Engineering (Global) | |

* For more information on universities and programs, please contact the university.

Six HEAT Universities

Chung-Ang University
Ewha Womans University
Jeonbuk National University
Kangwon National University
Korea University
Kyung Hee University



- A leading Private Comprehensive University established in 1918
- Two Campuses: Seoul & Anseong
- Faculties: 15 Colleges and 17 Graduate Schools
- Students: 23,584 (Over 3,789 international students)
- Ranked 7th in 2019 Joong Ang Ilbo University Evaluation
- Ranked 69th in 2019 THE(Times Higher Education) Asia Ranking
- Ranked 412th in 2020 QS World University Ranking

Chung-Ang University has been a leading comprehensive private university over one hundred years in providing the high quality of higher education and in conducting a variety of cutting edge research activities. Worldwide, Chung-Ang University has been credited as the hub of the “Korean Cultural Wave” with its excellent arts programs in the areas of theater, film-making, photography, performance, and traditional Korean music. Chung-Ang University is known for its academic reputation in Humanities, arts and social science. Now its College of Natural Science & Engineering have grown stronger than ever. The unique strength of its international education is derived from its cross-cultural academic programs and research that firmly maintain diversity and intensity. The best and brightest scholars are always welcome to join Chung-Ang University to study or to do research.

Chung-Ang University
www.cau.ac.kr



All of Ewha's educational programs and research environments reflect its respect and love for students, the foundation on which women can realize their potential and bring balance to the world.

- Customized 3 Year Plan of Study : assistance in developing a customized 3 year plan of study catered to the student's subject areas and dissertation topic, to maximize opportunities for a double degree or minor in another field within the program cluster
- Departmental support (according to the policy and regulations of each department) for conference participation and publishing articles in academic journals, financial support for conference presentations
- Special orientation for incoming students : campus and library tours, historical and cultural excursions including experiencing hanoks and temple stay
- EAASIS program: assignment of a designated professor and student mentor through the Ewha Academic Assistance System for International Students (EAASIS) program, to receive departmental support to improve academic performance, develop sense of belonging, etc.
- Support for learning Korean language and Networking events and other special lectures
- Guaranteed dormitory placement during entire period of study
- Assignment of common space for research purposes

Ewha Womans University
www.ewha.ac.kr



- Jeonbuk National University (JBNU, 전북대학교; 全北大學校; Jeonbuk Daehakgyo) is located in the historical city of Jeonju, Republic of Korea. As the flagship national university for the Jeollabuk-do Province, it was founded in 1947 by the provincial fund within the framework of the Korean national university system, following the liberation of the country. [32,000 students, and 2,400 professors (as of October 2016)]
- The international competitiveness of Jeonbuk National University is already recognized in the world, and it is known for its high public confidence in QS World University Rankings, THE (Times Higher Education) World University Rankings, Reuters Asia Pacific's Most Innovative University, Leiden Ranking. Portion of papers in the TOP 1%/10% of Paper Citation Counts through JBNU ranked 1st or 2nd among the national universities in Korea.
- It is the first national university to open an era of 100 billion won funding including the largest plant farm-LED Agriculture & Life Science Convergence technology research Center, High-enthalpy Plasma Research Center, Los Alamos National Laboratory-JBNU Engineering Institute Korea, etc. and raising it from 120 billion won to 130 billion won year by year and to strengthen its international competitiveness by improving its research competitiveness.

Jeonbuk National University
www.jbnu.ac.kr



- Kangwon National University, boasting of its 70-year history as one of ten core national universities, has been making every effort to respond to the rapidly-changing global era. KNU is located at the heart of the Gangwon Province. Chuncheon city is approximately 1 hour away from the Seoul metropolitan area and it is considered to be the most desired city to live in Korea
- KNU has 275 partner universities from 55 countries. KNU has been actively participating in various international development cooperation activities.
- Various global programs to cultivate talents from ASEAN countries:
 - AIMS (Asian International Mobility for Student) Program
 - KNU-KOICA Scholarship Program in Global Agricultural Economics
- World University Rankings
 - Ranked 69th in 2020 THE (Times Higher Education) in the category of Industrial, Innovation, and Social Infrastructure (World ranking)
 - Ranked 3rd in 2020 US NEWS & World Report in the field of Agricultural Science (Domestic ranking)

Kangwon National University
www.kangwon.ac.kr



- Korea University, founded in 1905, is widely acknowledged as one of the country's oldest, largest and top-ranked universities in Korea. Korea University is sending over 1,250 students abroad each year on student exchanges, and welcoming 700 international students consisting of short-term visiting students as well as 2,200 degree-seeking students. According to the 2020 QS World University Ranking, Korea University has been ranked at 69th internationally and 1st among private Asian universities. Particularly, for the subject of civil & structural engineering, the School of Civil, Environmental, and Architectural Engineering at Korea University has been ranked at 51st.
- The School of Civil, Environmental, and Architectural Engineering at Korea University offers international research environments in which more than 90% of graduate courses are provided in English and currently international students are more than 1 in 10 of total graduate students and 60 % of PhD students. We have established an excellent education framework with the following continuous check-up steps to support graduate students to become the next generation of world class leaders in these fields. Detailed information about the school is provided in http://ace.korea.edu/ace_en



- February, 1954 Foundation of Graduate School
- January, 1979 Foundation of Global Campus
- March, 1996 The First Winner of Comprehensive Ranking of Universities
- November, 1996 Foundation of Graduate School of Pan-Pacific International Studies
- September, 2011 QS Ranking 245th (Ranking 4th in Korea)
- October, 2014 Industrial-Educational Cooperation with Samsung Electronics
- December, 2018 NCIS Ranking 2nd for 4 years
- February, 2019 THE Asia-Pacific University Ranking 31st

Key Information

- 100% Acceptance to Dormitories
- Various Medical Service
- High Quality GYM to Enhance Students' Health
- A Myriad of SCI(E) Journals

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