



## About KNU

### History

- 1946. Colleges of Education, Medicine and Agriculture in Daegu upgraded to National College
- 1951. Colleges of Education, Medicine, Agriculture, Liberal Arts and Sciences, Law and Political Sciences were combined to create Kyungpook National University.
- 1953. First Graduate School was established.
- 2016. KNU is comprised of 20 Colleges and schools, 14 graduate schools

### Location

- KNU is located in the city of Daegu, the third largest city in South Korea with a population of approximately 2.5 million.
- 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.
- Three presidents of Korea were born in this region, one of them is a KNU graduate.

### Size & Scope

- 38,616 students in total
- 7,100 graduate students
- 1,170 full-time faculty members
- 4 campuses(3 in Daegu, 1 in Sangju)
- 20 colleges and schools
- 31,516 undergraduate students
- 1,550 international students
- 730 administrative staff
- 14 graduate schools
- 109 research centers

### Specialized Departments

- **Electronics Engineering : Semiconductor Device & System**
  - 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
- **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.
- **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
- **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
- **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 21st century
- **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

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

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# KYUNGPOOK NATIONAL UNIVERSITY

## Korean Government Scholarship Program (Graduate Program)

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## 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.

## Qualifications

Scholarship Period	Course	Requirements
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

- 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, 2016 (born after Sep. 1st, 1976).
- Applicants must hold a Bachelor's or Master's degree as of September 1st of the selection year. - Applicants who have graduated from an university in Korea are not eligible for the KGSP program. Specifically, applicants who have graduated from an undergraduate program, a master's program, or a doctoral program in Korea cannot apply for this program.
- Applicants must maintain a grade point average (GPA) of at least 3.0 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% 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.

## 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.

### <Postal Address for Application>

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## 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

## Required Documentations

- Required documents : 1 set of original documents and 1 set of copies.
- 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.)
- Applicants who are expected to graduate from their institutions by August 31<sup>st</sup>, 2016 must submit the certificate(or letter) of expected graduation issued by the institution.
- 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.
- If the transcript is difficult to convert into percentages, attachment of rank-certificate from the attended institution is required.
- Documents not in English or Korea must be accompanied by a complete and accurate English or Korean translation certified by the issuing institution.

Application Documents	Master	Doctor
1. Personal data	○	○
2. Self Introduction	○	○
3. Study Plan	○	○
4. Letter of Recommendation	○	○
5. Pledge	○	○
6. Personal Medical Assessment	○	○
7. Certificate(s) of (expectant) graduation from previously attended undergraduate institution(s) [original copy]	○	○
8. Official transcript of previously attended undergraduate institution(s)	○	○
9. Certificate(s) of (expectant) graduation from previously attended graduate institution(s) [original copy]	—	○
10. Official transcript of previously attended graduate institution(s)	—	○
11. Certificate of Korean Language(original copy of TOPIK)	△	△
12. Certificate of English(original copy of TOEFL, IELTS)	△	△
13. Published papers, if available	△	△
14. Awards, if available	△	△
15. Copy of passport	△	△
16. Certificate of citizenship of His/Her Parents : birth certificate, passport, etc.(only for overseas Koreans)	○	○
17. Adoption Documents(only for overseas Korean adoptee)	△	△

△ marks : If available

## Important Notes

- 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.
- Applicants who have the Korean language certificate of TOPIK or English certificate of TOEFL, IELTS will get advantage.
- Dual recommendation by more than one organization is not acceptable.
- Submitted documents will not be returned to the candidates.
- Incomplete or incorrect documents are subject to rejection by NIIED and KNU. (Even after entry to Korea)
- Applicants must accurately complete the Personal Medical Assessment(the health checklist) truthfully.
- No student is allowed to transfer schools during the entire period of the program once he/she enters the school.

## Dormitory

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



## Honors of KNU

- The best national university representing Korea: Ranked among the top 2 Korean national universities
- Selected as one of the world top-500 Universities by Shanghai Jiao Tong University in China (2009)
- Currently holding the largest number of the 5 vice-ministerial level alumni (2010)
- Recorded as having a 100% passing rate of alumni in National Examinations in medicine (2010)
- Selected as best university at site assessment of IT Convergence Global Human Resource Center (2010)
- Top scoring university in the 53rd National Judicial Examination (2011)
- Ranked first among Korean national universities for patent applications and technology transfer(2011)
- Ranked forth and third nationwide in number of Samsung and LG executives(Korea Business)(2011)
- Ranked first among large regional universities in graduate employment for 2 consecutive years (2011-2012)(Ministry of Education, among A-group school that have over 3,000 graduates)
- International Accreditation: ABEEK (Engineering) and AACSB (Business)
- Ranked first among large regional universities, with 26 graduates passing the 47<sup>th</sup> public accountant exam(2012)
- Ranked 5th in number of theses per faculty by QS Asian University Ranking Assessment by Chosun Ilbo (2012)
- Department of Food Science & Nutrition ranked top among related departments at Korean universities (2012 Jungang Ilbo University Ranking)
- Department of Physics confirmed as the top ranking department in production of SCI standard articles in Korea (2012)
- School of Public Administration, Over 100 graduates passed the government administration exams(2012)
- 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)
- Ranked 8<sup>th</sup> among Korean Universities in 'Best Global Universities' by US News & World Report(2014)
- Recorded as having a 100% passing rate of alumni in National Examinations in Medicine, Dentistry, and Pharmacy(2015)
- Ranked among top universities in Korea for rate of successful secondary school teacher recruitment examination applicants (2009-2015)

## Academic Programs (Graduate)

Division	Department / School	Field of Study	
		Master's	Doctoral
	Korean Language & Literature	Korean Language & Literature	Korean Language & Literature
	English Language & Literature	English Language & Literature	English Language & Literature
	History	History	History
	Philosophy	Philosophy	Philosophy
	French Language & Literature	French Language & Literature	French Language & Literature
	German Language & Literature	German Language & Literature	German Language & Literature
	Chinese Language & Literature	Chinese Language & Literature	Chinese Language & Literature
	Archaeology & Anthropology	Archaeology & Anthropology	Archaeology & Anthropology
	Japanese Language & Literature	Japanese Language & Literature	Japanese Language & Literature
	Korean Literature in Chinese Characters	Korean Literature in Chinese Characters	Korean Literature in Chinese Characters
	Russian Language & Literature	Russian Language & Literature	Russian Language & Literature
	Political Science	Political Science	Political Science
	Sociology	Sociology	Sociology
Humanities / Social Sciences	Geography	Geography	Geography
	Psychology	Psychology	Psychology
	Library & Information Science	Library & Information Science	Library & Information Science
	Faculty of Social Welfare	Social Welfare Policy & Administration Social Work Practice	Social Welfare Policy & Administration Social Work Practice
	Mass Communication	Mass Communication	Mass Communication
	Economics	Economics	Economics
	International Trade	International Trade	International Trade
	School of Business Administration	Business Administration	Business Administration
	Agricultural Economics	Agricultural Economics	Agricultural Economics
	Public Administration	Public Administration	Public Administration
	Law	Law	
	Education	Education	Education
Ethics Education	Ethics Education	Ethics Education	
Korean Language Education		Korean Language Education	
English Language Education		English Language Education	
Social Studies Education		Social Studies Education	
School of Mathematics	Mathematics	Mathematics	
Physics	Physics	Physics	
Chemistry	Chemistry	Chemistry	
School of Life Science	Life Science	Life Science	
Geology	Geology	Geology	
Statistics	Statistics	Statistics	
Astronomy & Atmospheric Science	Astronomy & Atmospheric Science	Astronomy & Atmospheric Science	
Oceanography	Oceanography		
Natural Sciences	School of Applied Biosciences	Agronomy Agricultural Chemistry	Agronomy Agricultural Chemistry
		Agricultural Biology	Agricultural Biology
	School of Food Science & Biotechnology	Food Biotechnology Food Biomaterials	Food Biotechnology Food Biomaterials
		Food Application Technology	Food Application Technology
	Horticulture	Horticulture	Horticulture
	Agricultural Civil Engineering	Agricultural Civil Engineering	Agricultural Civil Engineering
	Bio-industrial Machinery Engineering	Bio-industrial Machinery Engineering	Bio-industrial Machinery Engineering
	Bio-fibers and materials Science	Bio-fibers and materials Science	Bio-fibers and materials Science

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		Master's	Doctoral
	Forestry	Forestry	Forestry
	Wood Science & Technology	Wood Science & Technology	Wood Science & Technology
	Landscape Architecture	Landscape Architecture	Landscape Architecture
	Child & Family Studies	Child & Family Studies	Child & Family Studies
	Clothing & Textiles	Clothing & Textiles	Clothing & Textiles
	Food Science & Nutrition	Food Science & Nutrition	Food Science & Nutrition
Natural Sciences	Nursing	Nursing	Nursing
	Science Education	Science Education	Science Education
	Biomedical Science	Biomedical Science	Biomedical Science
	Dental science	Dental science	Dental science
	Pharmacy	Pharmacy	Pharmacy
	Home Economics Education		Home Economics Education
	Mathematics Education		Mathematics Education
	Public Health		Public Health
	School of Electronics Engineering	Electronics Engineering	Electronics Engineering
	Electrical Engineering	Electrical Engineering	Electrical Engineering
Engineering	School of Computer Science and Engineering	Computer Science and Engineering	Computer Science and Engineering
	Mechanical Engineering	Mechanical Engineering	Mechanical Engineering
	Textile System Engineering	Textile System Engineering	Textile System Engineering
	School of Applied Chemical Engineering	Applied Chemistry Chemical Engineering	Applied Chemistry Chemical Engineering
		Polymer Science & Engineering	Polymer Science & Engineering
	School of Architectural, Civil, Environmental and Energy Engineering	Architectural Engineering Civil Engineering Environmental Engineering	Architectural Engineering Civil Engineering Environmental Engineering
		Energy Engineering	Energy Engineering
	School of Materials Science and Engineering	Materials Science & Metallurgical Engineering Electronic Materials Engineering	Materials Science & Metallurgical Engineering Electronic Materials Engineering
	Music	Music	Music
	Music&Arts & Physical Education	Korean Classical Music	Korean Classical Music
Fine Arts		Fine Arts	Fine Arts
Physical Education		Physical Education	Physical Education
Visual Communication Design		Visual Communication Design	Visual Communication Design
Medicine	Medicine	Medicine	Medicine
	Veterinary Medicine	Veterinary Medicine	Veterinary Medicine
	Dentistry	Dentistry	Dentistry
Law School	Law		Law
	Ecology Science	Ecology Science	Ecology Science
Natural Sciences (Sangju Campus)	Animal BT Science	Animal BT Science	Animal BT Science
	Ecology and Environmental System	Ecology and Environmental System	Ecology and Environmental System
	Food and Food-service Industry	Food and Food-service Industry	
	Automotive Engineering	Automotive Engineering	Automotive Engineering
Engineering (Sangju Campus)	Computer Information	Computer Information	
	Constructional Disaster Prevention and Environmental Engineering	Constructional Disaster Prevention and Environmental Engineering	Constructional Disaster Prevention and Environmental Engineering
	Textile & Fashion Design	Textile & Fashion Design	
	Nano & Materials Science and Engineering	Nano & Materials Science and Engineering	
	Electronic Engineering	Electronic Engineering	
	Precision Mechanical Engineering	Precision Mechanical Engineering	
	Sports(Sangju C)	Leisure Sports	Leisure Sports