

Kookmin University
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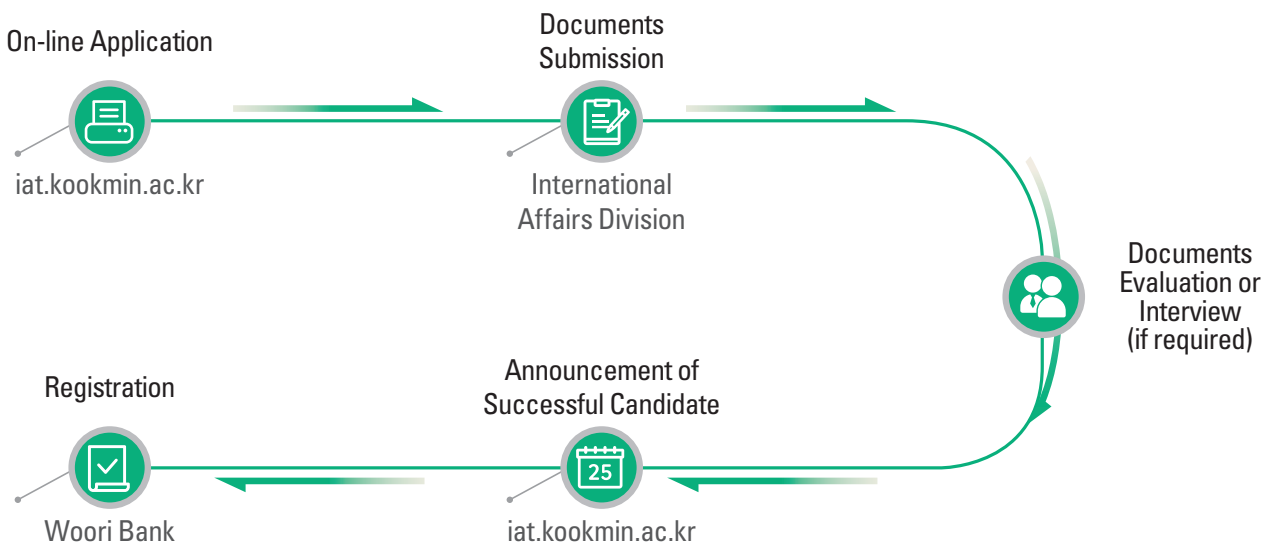
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1. Application Schedule

| Spring Semester | Fall Semester |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------|
| Mid October ~ Early January | Early April ~ Early July |

※Please refer to the guideline or website(<http://iat.kookmin.ac.kr>) for more detailed information.

2. Application Process



3. Eligibility

Freshmen Admission

| Category | Requirements |
|--|---|
| Nationality Requirement | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The applicant and his/her parents must have foreign citizenship. |
| Education Requirement | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The applicant must have completed or will complete regular high school (graduate or graduate-to-be). |
| KMU International Business School | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> TOEFL iBT 80(CBT 210, PBT 550), IELTS 5.5 or above English native speaker Applicant who works for the government or international organization and has a reference from the organization. (If necessary, interview will be held.) |

Transfer Admission

| Category | | Requirements |
|-------------------------|--------------------------|---|
| Nationality Requirement | | The applicant and his/her parents must have foreign citizenship. |
| Language Requirement | | <p>Applicants must meet one of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. Applicants who acquired TOPIK (the Test of Proficiency in Korean) Level 4 or higher B. Applicants who completed the Level 4 or higher in Korean Language Center of Kookmin University. C. Applicants who completed the Level 4 or higher in a Korean language institution run by a 4-year university. D. Applicants who have studied in a college in Korea for 1 year (2 semesters) or more (except for international schools or colleges) F. Applicants who have passed the Korean Proficiency Test held by Kookmin University. G. [For KMU International Business School only] <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - TOEFL iBT 80 (CBT 210, PBT 550), IELTS 5.5 or higher - Applicant who works for the government or international organization with a reference from the organization. (If necessary, interview can be held.) - Applicants for transfer to the 2nd year who have studied in a regular college course taught in English for 1 year or more - Applicants for transfer to the 3rd year who have studied in a regular college course taught in English for 2 years or more - Native English speakers |
| Academic Requirement | Transfer to the 2nd year | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. Applicants who completed (or are expected to complete) the 1st year or two regular semesters in a regular 4-year university course in Korea with more than 33 credits earned (or scheduled to earn), with the exception of applicants to the College of Law, College of Engineering, College of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, College of Forest Science, College of Natural Sciences, and College of Physical Education, who are required to have more than 34 credits earned (or scheduled to earn). B. Applicants who graduated (or are expected to graduate) from a college in Korea or abroad. C. Applicants who completed (or are expected to complete) the 1st year (or 2 semesters) or more and earned (or are expected to earn) more than 1/4 of the credits required for graduation in a regular 4-year university course (a bachelor's degree course) abroad. |
| | Transfer to the 3rd year | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. Applicants who completed (or are expected to complete) the 2nd year or 4 regular semesters in a regular 4-year university course in Korea with more than 65 credits earned (or scheduled to earn), with the exception of applicants to the College of Law, College of Engineering, College of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, College of Forest Science, College of Natural Sciences, and College of Physical Education, who are required to have more than 68 credits earned (or scheduled to earn). B. Applicants who graduated (or are expected to graduate) from a college in Korea or abroad. C. Applicants who completed (or are expected to complete) the 2nd year (or 4 semesters) or more and earned (or are expected to earn) more than 1/2 of the credits required for graduation in a regular 4-year university course (a bachelor's degree course) abroad. |

4. Field of Study

| College | School(Department) / Major | |
|---|---|--|
| Global College of Humanities and Area Studies | Korean Language and Literature | Korean Language and Literature |
| | | Korean as a Global Language |
| | English Language and Literature | English Literature and Linguistics |
| | | English for Global Communication |
| | Chinese Language and Literature | Chinese Literature and Linguistics |
| | | Chinese Politics and Economy |
| | Korean History | |
| Eurasian Studies | | |
| Japanese Studies | | |
| College of Social Sciences | Public Administration and Public Policy | Public Administration |
| | | Public Policy |
| | Political Science and Diplomacy | |
| | Sociology | |
| | Communication | Media and Communication |
| Advertising & Public Relations | | |
| Education | | |
| College of Law | Law | Public Law |
| | | Private Law |
| College of Economics and Commerce | Economics | |
| | Commerce and Finance | |
| College of Business Administration | Business Administration | Business Administration |
| | | Business Analytics and Statistics |
| | Management Information Systems | Information Management |
| | KMU International Business School | International Business |
| Finance and Accounting | Finance and Insurance | |
| | Accounting | |
| College of Creative Engineering | Advanced Material Engineering | Mechanical Systems Engineering |
| | | Convergence Mechanical Engineering |
| | Civil & Environmental Engineering | Civil & Environmental Engineering |
| | Electrical Engineering | Electronics Convergence Engineering |
| | | Electronics & Information System Engineering |
| Energy Electronics Convergence | | |
| College of Computer Science | Software | Software |

| College | School(Department) / Major | |
|---|---|----------------------------------|
| College of Automotive Engineering | Automotive Engineering | |
| | Automobile and IT Convergence | |
| College of Natural Sciences | Forestry, Environment, and Systems | |
| | Forest Products and Biotechnology | |
| | Nano and Electronic Physics | |
| | Applied Chemistry | |
| | Information Security, Cryptology, and Mathematics | |
| | Food and Nutrition | |
| | Advanced Fermentation Fusion Science and Technology | |
| College of Architecture | Architecture | Architectural Design |
| | | Architectural Ssystems |
| College of Design | Industrial Design | |
| | Visual Communication | |
| | Metalwork & Jewerly | |
| | Ceramics | |
| | Fashion Design | |
| | Spatial Design | |
| | Entertainment Design | |
| | Automotive & Transportation Design | |
| College of Arts | Music | Voice |
| | | Piano |
| | | Orchestral Instrument |
| | Fine Arts | Painting |
| | | Sculpture |
| | Performing Arts | Theatre |
| | | Cinema |
| Dance(Ballet, Korean Dance, Modern Dance) | | |
| College of Physical Education | Physical Education | Sports Education |
| | | Sports Industry and Leisure |
| | | Sports Health and Rehabilitation |

5. Required Documents

| Category | Freshmen Admission | Transfer Admission | Remarks |
|--|--|--|--|
| University Forms | Application Form | Application Form | - Print out the online Application Form |
| | Self-introduction Essay and Study Plan | Self-introduction Essay and Study Plan | - Written in applicant's own handwriting - KIBS applicants should use the English form |
| Documents Verifying Academic Background | High school graduation (or expected graduation) certificate | Certificate of graduation (or expected graduation) or Certificate of Completion (or Enrollment) from previously attended college or university | - It MUST be a notarized document. |
| | High school transcript | Official transcript of previously attended college or university, Documents describing the requirements for graduation (credits earned, semesters completed, etc.) | |
| Documents Verifying Nationality | A copy of ID card (of the applicant and parents) | A copy of ID card (of the applicant and parents) | |
| | A copy of applicant's passport | A copy of applicant's passport | |
| | A copy of applicant's Alien Registration Card | A copy of applicant's Alien Registration Card | - For applicants living in Korea only |
| | Certificate of entry and exit issued by the Korean Immigration Office | Certificate of entry and exit issued by the Korean Immigration Office | - For applicants living in Korea only (within 1 month of the submission date) |
| | Official documents verifying of the relationship between the applicant and parents | Official documents verifying of the relationship between the applicant and parents | - China: Certificate of family relations (notarized) and a copy of family register |
| Documents Verifying Language Proficiency | Certificate of Korean proficiency | Certificate of Korean proficiency | - Choose one of the followings - A certificate of completion (attendance) from the Korean language institution - A TOPIK certificate - Other documents which can prove the applicant's Korean proficiency |
| | Certificate of English proficiency (or KIBS applicants only) | Certificate of English proficiency (or KIBS applicants only) | |
| Documents | A copy of Korean bankbook | A copy of Korean bankbook | - The account number should be included for refunding application fee |

6. Selection Criteria

| Field of Study | | Evaluation Criteria | | | |
|--------------------|--|----------------------|-----------|------------------|-------|
| | | Documents Evaluation | Interview | Performance Test | Total |
| Freshmen Admission | - All admission units (EXCEPT College of Design and College of Arts) | 100% | - | - | 100% |
| | - College of Design | - | 20% | 80% | 100% |
| | - College of Arts | - | 100% | - | 100% |
| Transfer Admisson | | 100% | - | - | 100% |



7. Scholarship

Scholarship for Freshmen (for 1st semester only)

| Category | | Eligibility | Amount of Scholarship |
|---|--|---|--|
| Freshmen Admission | Admission Scholarship | • All freshmen students | 20% of Tuition fee |
| | | • Students who acquired TOPIK Level 6 • Students who are equivalent to IELTS 8.0 or higher | 100% of Tuition fee |
| | | • Students who acquired TOPIK Level 5 • Students who are equivalent to IELTS 7.5 or higher | 70% of Tuition fee |
| | | • Students who acquired TOPIK Level 4 • Students who are equivalent to IELTS 7.0 or higher | 50% of Tuition fee |
| | | • Students who acquired TOPIK Level 3 • Students who are equivalent to IELTS 6.5 or higher | 30% of Tuition fee |
| Transfer Admission | Admission Scholarship | • All transfer students(Depending on the admission scores) | 20~50% of Tuition fee |
| | TOPIK Scholarship | • Students who acquired TOPIK Level 6 | Living allowance 2,000,000KRW |
| | | • Students who acquired TOPIK Level 5 • Students who acquired TOPIK Level 4 | Living allowance 1,500,000KRW Living allowance 1,000,000KRW |
| Freshmen Admission / Transfer Admission | KMU Korean Language Center Scholarship | • Students who finished 2 terms or more at KMU Korean Language Center | 50% of Tuition fee |
| | | • Students who finished 1 term at KMU Korean Language Center | 30% of Tuition fee |

※ If a student is eligible for two or more scholarships, the student will only receive one scholarship which is higher than the others.
(Except for TOPIK Scholarship)

Scholarships for Enrolled Students

| Category | | Eligibility | Amount of Scholarship |
|-------------------------|--|--|----------------------------------|
| Merit-based Scholarship | Sungkok Scholarship | 1 st Ranked international Student in each College or Department | 100% of Tuition fee |
| | Top of the Class Scholarship | 2 nd Ranked international Student in each College or Department | 70% of Tuition fee |
| | Grade Type 1 Scholarship | Certain Number of International Students with High GPA | 50% of Tuition fee |
| | Grade Type 2 Scholarship | Certain Number of International Students with High GPA | 30% of Tuition fee |
| TOPIK Scholarship | TOPIK Scholarship Type 1 | • TOPIK Level 6 | 2,000,000KRW |
| | | • TOPIK Level 5 | 1,500,000KRW |
| | | • TOPIK Level 4 | 1,000,000KRW |
| | TOPIK Scholarship Type 2 (Only for "Korean as a Global Language Major" Students) | • TOPIK Level 6 | 100% of Tuition fee (1 semester) |

8. Accommodation

| Category | On-Campus Dormitory | Off-Campus Dormitory | | |
|--------------|---|---|---|---|
| | | Jeongreung Dormitory | Gireum Dormitory | Jeongreung #2 Dormitory |
| Location | On-Campus | 10 Minute Walk from the Campus | Subway Line 4 "Gireum" Station | 10 Minute Walk from the Campus |
| No. of Rooms | 256 | 60 | 113 | 49 |
| Room Type | Quadruple Occupancy Double Occupancy | Quadruple Occupancy Double Occupancy | Quadruple Occupancy Double Occupancy | Quadruple Occupancy Double Occupancy |
| Cost | KRW 705,600 for 4 Months(Approximately USD 590) | KRW 705,600 for 4 Months(Approximately USD 590) | KRW 685,100~987,700 for 4Months (Approximately USD 570~825) | KRW 968,800 for 4 Months(Approximately USD 910) |

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