

# Division of Global Korean Studies

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# Bachelor of Arts in Global Korean Studies (GKS)

### **Designed**

- ✓ To explore Korea in its regional and global contexts
- ✓ To develop an in-depth interdisciplinary understanding of Korea
- ✓ To cultivate intellectual competence in student-selected fields including political science, law, economics, sociology, cultural studies, and history

### **Tailored**

- ✓ To meet the needs of diverse students
- ✓ To provide education in both Korean and English
- ✓ To build proficiency in Korean language

## An Ideal Place for Studying

- ✓ Build international friendships and networks in a multicultural environment
- ✓ Learn from leading academics
- ✓ Experience Korean culture and heritage
- ✓ Venture to East Asian cities and countries



# Multiple Academic Opportunities

### ✓ English or Korean Curriculum

- Based on language proficiency

### ✓ GKS Intensive Major

- Graduate with in-depth knowledge of global Korean studies

### ✓ Double Major Program

- Graduate with a major in GKS and an additional self-selected major (e.g., Business, Economics, Political Science, Sociology, and Media)

### ✓ Exchange Student Program

- Exchange agreements with more than 1,000 schools in 98 countries

### ✓ BA/MA Integrated Program (3+2)

- Obtain both a BA and an MA in five years
- Bachelor (7 semesters) + Master's (3 semesters)

# Scholarships for Foreign Students

## Entering Students (Admission Scholarship)

- ✓ Program-Based Scholarship
  - ✓ Foreign Student Scholarship A
  - ✓ Foreign Student Scholarship B
- ✓ College of International Studies Scholarship (Planned)
  - ✓ GKS Honor Scholarship
- ✓ For more information on scholarships, visit  
[http://oia.korea.ac.kr/listener.do?layout=dgr\\_3\\_3](http://oia.korea.ac.kr/listener.do?layout=dgr_3_3)

## Enrolled Students

- ✓ Academic Excellence Scholarship: Undergraduate students who have excellent academic records
- ✓ Academic Improvement Scholarship: Undergraduate students who have significant improvement of academic records in the previous semester
- ✓ Need-Based Scholarship: Undergraduate students who is financially disadvantaged

# Internship Opportunities

## GKS Internship Program

- ✓ GKS actively encourages professional experiences and coordinates internship opportunities for students
- ✓ Internship opportunities in the public, private, international organizations and NGOs
- ✓ For more Internship opportunities, visit the Career Development Center

[https://job.korea.ac.kr/?\\_ga=2.184589226.2097145618.1626165941-1294473129.1625736051](https://job.korea.ac.kr/?_ga=2.184589226.2097145618.1626165941-1294473129.1625736051)

## GKS Intensive Major

- ✓ Required major courses are offered in both English and Korean
  - Students can choose one
- ✓ GKS Major Electives include
  - Understanding Korean Business Management, Urbanization and Industrialization in East Asia, Korea and Global Co-operations, The making of Contemporary Korea, K-Culture, En-gendering Korea, South-North Korean Relation, Political Life in Korea

<b>GKS</b> (63 Credits)	<b>General Education</b> (30 Credits)	<b>General Courses</b> (37 Credits)
<p><b>Required</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 15 Credits (5 courses)</li><li>1. Introduction to Korean Studies(KS)</li><li>2. Economics for KS</li><li>3. Political Science for KS</li><li>4. Korea in International Relations</li><li>5. Korea in International Commerce</li></ul> <p><b>Electives</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 48 Credits (16 courses)</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Liberty, Justice, Truth I&amp;II</li><li>• College Writing</li><li>• Academic English I&amp;II</li><li>• Freshman Seminar I&amp;II</li><li>• Informative Thinking</li><li>• Core General Education</li><li>• Secondary Foreign Language I&amp;II</li><li>• General Education Electives</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Remaining credits</li></ul>

## GKS 1<sup>st</sup> Major + 2<sup>nd</sup> Major

<b>First Major (GKS) (36 Credits)</b>	<b>General Education (30 Credits)</b>	<b>General Courses (64 Credits)</b>
<p><b>Required</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 15 Credits (5 courses)</li><li>1. Introduction to Korean Studies(KS)</li><li>2. Economics for KS</li><li>3. Political Science for KS</li><li>4. Korea in International Relations</li><li>5. Korea in International Commerce</li></ul> <p><b>Electives</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 21 Credits (7 courses)</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Liberty, Justice, Truth I&amp;II</li><li>• College Writing</li><li>• Academic English I&amp;II</li><li>• Freshman Seminar I&amp;II</li><li>• Informative Thinking</li><li>• Core General Education</li><li>• Secondary Foreign Language I&amp;II</li><li>• General Education Electives</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 2<sup>nd</sup> Major (Double Major, Interdisciplinary Major or Student-designed Major requirements)</li></ul> <p>AND</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Remaining credits</li></ul>

# Career Paths after Graduation

## ✓ Public Sector

- Public institutes (e.g., diplomat, policy officer, consultant), media (e.g., correspondent, reporter, columnist), government agencies, etc.

## ✓ Private Sector

- Multinational corporations, financial and consulting companies, venture start-ups, K-entertainment companies, etc.

## ✓ Non-profit Sector

- International organizations (e.g., UN, UNESCO, World Bank), non-governmental organizations (NGOs), museums, think-tanks, research institutes, etc.

## ✓ Advanced Degrees

- Ideal preparation for domestic and overseas MA and PhD programs, law school, etc.



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