Seoul, Korea

South Korea

Spring | Fall | Academic Year

Hanyang University
EXCHANGE PROGRAM

Sponsored by the Department of Political Science and the College of Arts and Sciences

TRAVEL IN SOUTH KOREA
This program is an academic exchange program. Exchange students should consult with the Program Directors regarding opportunities to explore South Korea and the region with other students. The University reserves the right to alter program arrangements if required by circumstances.

APPLICATION DEADLINES:
Fall Semester | Academic Year: March 1
Spring Semester: October 25

Because program size is limited, early application is strongly advised. Individual interviews may be scheduled with students upon receipt of application.

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George State University, a unit of the University System of Georgia, is an equal opportunity educational institution and an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer.
ACCOMMODATIONS
Hanyang University offers on-campus housing for exchange students. Most dorm rooms are doubles and all rooms are furnished with airconditioning, telephone, Internet access and a bathroom. For more information, refer to the Hanyang University website: www.hanyang.ac.kr/english/Exchanges/indexE3.html

Disability Accommodations
Students with documented disabilities who may need accommodations during their study abroad experience should discuss these needs with the Program Director and the Office of Disability Services at the time of application.

ELIGIBILITY
This program is open to Georgia State University undergraduate students who have completed at least two years of university work prior to enrollment. Enrollment is limited to one or two students and is a competitive process. Students should have a GPA of at least 3.0. Although some knowledge of Korean is useful, it is not required.

CREDITS AND COURSES
Students receive Georgia State University credit for courses taken during this program. Students will carry a normal load of classes appropriate to full-time status and will receive appropriate GSU credit. Registration for classes at Hanyang University will be done with the assistance of the Program Directors at GSU and Hanyang University.

VISA INFORMATION
A visa is required for American citizens staying in Korea for more than 90 days. Upon acceptance into the program, Hanyang University will send the student the forms to obtain a student visa from the Consulate General of Korea in Atlanta. Students are advised to obtain a passport or apply for one at the time of application for the program.

COST
Program cost may vary according to currency fluctuations and changing travel arrangements. Students pay regular Georgia State University tuitions and fees and such tuition and fees will be waived at Hanyang University.

Students are responsible for:
• Georgia State tuition and fees
• Mandatory international medical insurance
• Airfare
• Living accommodations, food and travel
• Cost of passports and visas

FUNDING AND SCHOLARSHIPS
Georgia State University students may be eligible to apply for the IEF Study Abroad Scholarship and the Global Experience Scholarship. Visit www.gsu.edu/studyabroad or contact the Office of International Affairs, Study Abroad Programs at 404/413-2529 for more information about these and other scholarships.

Contact the Office of Financial Aid at 404/413-2400 for information on how financial aid might apply toward the program.

Students have the option of purchasing an “International Student ID Card” from STA Travel for travel discounts in participating countries. For more information, visit the STA Travel website at www.sta-travel.com.

APPLICATION INFORMATION
Participation is contingent upon acceptance by the Program Director. Students interested in applying should find this program’s listing at www.gsu.edu/studyabroad to begin an application, and students should contact the Program Director before completing the application. Availability of positions for each semester varies, depending on the number of accepted applicants for the fall semester program. The fall semester is a more convenient semester to study in Korea in terms of scheduling classes and administrative issues related to the GSU academic calendar.

Application materials include:
• A completed application
• A current resume
• Two letters of recommendation from GSU instructors familiar with the student
• A 500-word essay describing your interest in the program and the expected benefits of participating in this exchange program
• A transcript or GoSolar grade report

Applications are reviewed by a faculty committee, which makes recommendations to the Program Director. For further information, please contact the Program Director. For more information about Hanyang University, please visit: www.hanyang.ac.kr/english/index.html.

International students at Georgia State who hold F-1 visas must contact the Office of International Students and Scholar Services at 404/413-2070 to discuss possible implications of study abroad for their immigration status.

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