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2022 Spring Undergraduate Admission Guide
for International Students



The interview of international students



Song Ga Dong

China, Senior student, The department of Business Administration

Q1. Why did you apply to Kwangwoon University

Kwangwoon University was founded in 1934 and has a long history. The Kwangwoon University have fostered many great talents by nurturing students' abilities not only in their learning ability, but also in various fields. Besides, the school atmosphere is good and there are many convenient facilities nearby. I chose Kwangwoon University because I could enjoy the campus life I had dreamed of at Kwangwoon University.

Q2. Why did you choose this department

I have been interested in business administration since high school. Also, business administration suited my aptitude well, and I wanted to get a job in this field later. That is why I chose business administration.

Q3. Why would you recommend the Kwangwoon University

Our university not only has a good study atmosphere, but there are also many study programs and events for international students. It is very good for foreign students to not only study at Kwangwoon University but also to experience Korean culture. For this reason, I recommend Kwangwoon University!



Cao Tihuu

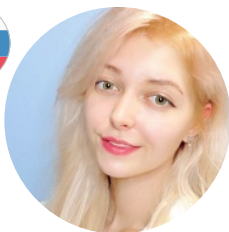
Vietnam, Junior student, The Department of Korean Language and Literature

Q1. Why did you apply to Kwangwoon University

After going through the two-year course at a language school, I had a lot of thought about which school to apply to at first. Meanwhile, an assistant professor in Vietnam at Kwangwoon University recommended this university to me. Kwangwoon University has scholarship benefits for foreign students and an excellent student management system, and the professors who pay special attention to help foreign students adjust to school life and above all, the quality of education is excellent. So, I decided to enter Kwangwoon University.

Q2. Why would you recommend the Kwangwoon University

The reasons why I recommend Kwangwoon University to foreign students who will enter Kwangwoon University in the future are as follows. First, "The scholarship benefits for foreign students are excellent. Second, international students can receive a lot of help because the student unions by country are well organized. Third, professors pay special attention to foreign students so that they can adjust to school life. Fourth, the management and support system for foreign students is excellent." Many foreign students who are thinking about Kwangwoon University should take this into consideration.



Anastasia

Russia, Freshman student, The Department of Software Engineering

Q1. Why did you apply to Kwangwoon University

The reason I applied for admission to Kwangwoon University was after I made up my mind that I wanted to learn 'software', and I knew that Kwangwoon University had excellent competitiveness in computer-related departments. Also, I really like the Pegasus, the symbol of Kwangwoon University.

Q2. Why would you recommend the Kwangwoon University

There are actually too many reasons to recommend Kwangwoon University.

In terms of facilities, our school has a space where you can enjoy leisure life like a skating rink. The spacious reading room and the Pegasus statue are also pleasing to the eye. Also, there are residential areas around, so it is very good to live alone.

Not only that, there are scholarships that you can receive just because you are a Kwangwoon University student, various clubs, wise and kind professor.

There are also several support programs for international students. For example, there is a tutoring program for foreign students who are not yet fluent in Korean, and there is a mentoring program for international students who have not adjusted to life in Korea.



Kuandyk

Kazakhstan, Senior student, The Department of Software Engineering

Q1. Why did you apply to Kwangwoon University

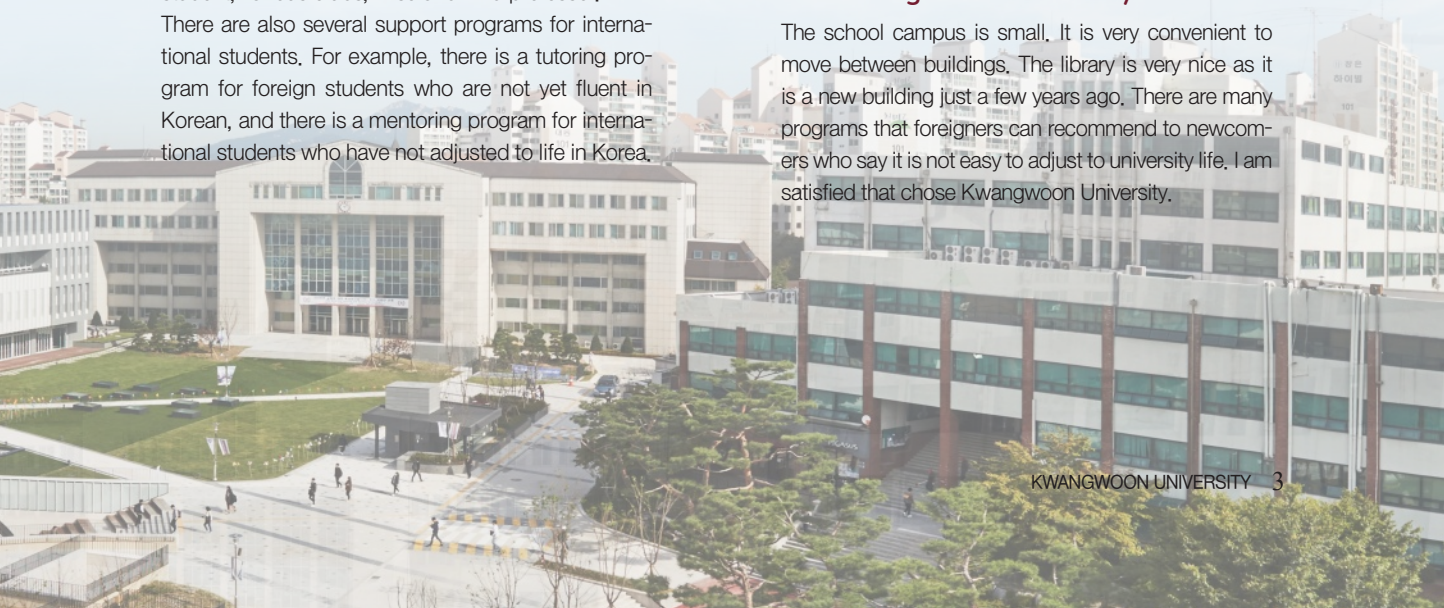
Kwangwoon University is famous for its engineering colleges, especially the college of electronic and information engineering. Also, Kwangwoon University's scholarship system is very good. When I looked for a school, I came across with this university because I thought that this university has a lot of programs to help foreign students adjust to university life as well as the scholarship system.

Q2. Why did you choose this department

When I started coding on a computer since high school, that is why I became interested in web development and small programs, and dreamed of becoming a software developer. So, I chose a SW-centered university that can grow based on various opportunities.

Q3. Why would you recommend the Kwangwoon University

The school campus is small. It is very convenient to move between buildings. The library is very nice as it is a new building just a few years ago. There are many programs that foreigners can recommend to newcomers who say it is not easy to adjust to university life. I am satisfied that chose Kwangwoon University.



Why Kwangwoon?



Convenient transportation and location

Very convenient transportation with 20~30 minute distance to downtown Seoul (City hall, Dongdaemun, Myeongdong, etc.)



Scholarship system at the highest level among universities in Seoul.

- By operating a rich scholarship program, scholarships amounting to 30~80% of the tuition fee are offered during the first semester after admission. For the past three years, more than 64% of foreign students have received the scholarship.
- We provide scholarships for foreign students, including the General Alumni Association Scholarship, LG Industry Scholarship, Korean Immigrant Foundation Scholarship, and so on.



A university with an advantage in employment/entrepreneurship

- Ranked 10th in Korea in terms of employment/entrepreneurship (hold by 2020 Korean Economy)
- Operates specialized foreign students employment program, including, corporate employment project during school, etc.
- Operates No.1 start-up support system among Korean universities



Kwangwoon Educational System that meets the global standard

- IEQAS(International Education Quality Assurance System) certification by the Ministry of Education
- 11 majors from the Engineering School are certified by ABEEK (Accreditation Board for Engineering Education of Korea)
- The School of Business Administration is certified by KABEA (Korean Association for Business Education Accreditation)
- The School of Architecture is certified by KAAB (Korean Architecture Accrediting Board)



Multi-Care Program

- Provides consulting services for foreign students concerning daily life and academic life in the university.
- Operates 1-on-1 mentoring programs with Korean students, as well as study group programs (tutoring, study groups, etc.)
- Operates and supports the international student's unions, and tutoring, etc.



Multiple International Students Program

- Operates the International Student Counseling Group (KIF) under the Office of International Affairs.
- Operates and supports international student unions of different nations.
- Operates clubs exclusively for international student. (soccer, volunteering, etc.)

Undergraduate Admission for International Students

1. Admission schedule

Category	2022 Spring semester (1st Round)	2022 Spring semester (2nd Round)	Remarks
Admission and department explanatory session	2021.09.24(Fri.)		• Later announcement of time and place
Online application and document submission	2021.09.29(Wed.) ~10.15(Fri.)	2021.11.10(Wed.) ~26(Fri.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Online application (by 18:00 of closing date) – https://www.uwayapply.com • Document submission (by 18:00 of closing date) • Available by visit or by post (application by post shall be effective if it arrives by the closing date) • Address Office of International Affairs, #111, Donghae Arts Center, 20 Kwangwoon-ro, Nowon-gu Kwangwoon University (01897)
Admission exam	2021.10.27(Wed.)	2021.12.08(Wed.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Korean language exam Time and location will be published on the official website 2 days before the exam
Announcement of Final Result	2021.11.12(Fri.)	2021.12.24(Fri.)	• Notice on the homepage (www.kw.ac.kr)
Registration	2021.11.15(Mon.) ~19(Fri.)	2021.12.27(Mon.)~31(Fri.)	• Tuition payment : Bank designated by university
Distribution of Admission Letter (expected)	After 2022.01.03(Mon.)	After 2022.01.10(Mon.)	
Student Orientation	mid-February 2022		• The time and place will be announced later
Semester start	2022.03.02(Wed.)		

※ The schedule above is subject to change due to circumstances within and outside the university

Undergraduate Admission for International Students

2. Academic Department

College	Academic Department	Major
Electronics and Information Engineering	Electronic Engineering	
	Electronics and Communications Engineering	
	Electronics Convergence Engineering	
	Electrical Engineering	
	Electronic Material Engineering	
	Robotics	Information and Control Intelligent System
Software and Convergence	Computer and Information Engineering	Computer Engineering Smart Information Engineering
	Software	System Software Artificial Intelligence
	Information Convergence	Visual Technology Data Science
Engineering	Architecture(5 years)*	
	Architectural Engineering(4 years)	
	Chemical Engineering	
	Environmental Engineering	
Natural Sciences	Mathematics	
	Electronic & Biological Physics	
	Chemistry	
	Sports Convergence Science	
Humanities and Social Sciences	Korean Language and Literature	
	English Language and Industry	
	Media and Communication	Media and Information, Interactive Media Communication, Strategic Communication
	Industrial Psychology	
	Northeast Asian Cultural Industries	Cultural Exchange Cultural Contents development
Policy and Law	Public Administration	
	Law	General Law International Legal Science and Technology Law
	International Studies	Area Studies
Business	Business administration	Business Administration
	International Trade undergraduate	Korean-Japan trade, Korea-China trade

※ Sophomore or Junior transfer program for Department of Architecture (5 years) is only available for applicants who have majored Architecture.

※ The introduction of the college and department



3. Qualifications

Category	Details	
Nationality	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Applicant and applicant parents must be non-Korean citizens. The Applicant with dual nationality who does not have Korean nationality 	
Academics	Freshmen	Applicant must have completed (expected to complete) 12 years' primary and secondary education equivalent to Korean primary, middle and high school education, within Korea or overseas.
	Sophomore Transfer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sophomore Transfer Completed 1 year or more in a 4-year university, or graduate of community college (Complete at least 25 credits)
	Junior Transfer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Junior Transfer Completed 2 years or more in a 4-year university, or graduate of community college (Complete at least 60 credits)
Korean Proficiency	Freshmen	The applicant who is capable of studying the bachelor courses with adequate Korean language skills.
	Sophomore Transfer	The applicant who relates to one of the following requirements <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Level 3 or higher in TOPIK (Korean Language Proficiency Test) Level 4 or higher in Korean Language School of Kwangwoon University Level 5 or higher in Korean Language institutes of other universities
	Junior Transfer	The applicant who relates to one of the following requirements <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Level 4 or higher in TOPIK (Korean Language Proficiency Test) Level 5 or higher in Korean Language School of Kwangwoon University Level 6 or higher in Korean Language institutes of other universities

4. Application path

Category	Application step	Application guidance
General Application	Document Screening & Admission exam	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Document screening and admission exam process Admission exam is to test applicant's Korean proficiency (TOPIK level 3), and either submission of a certificate of TOPIK level 3 (or higher) or on condition of completion of level 4 course at Kwangwoon Center for Korean Language and Culture will be exempt from the admission exam Applicant who failed the admission exam after passing document screening can be admitted conditionally if he or she wishes
Conditional Application	Document Screening	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The applicant who is conditionally admitted should register for Korean language course offered by Kwangwoon Center for Korean Language and Culture. The applicant can start undergraduate course from next semester if he or she submits a certificate of TOPIK level 3 (Level 4 for junior transfer students) or above, or completes Middle Level 2 courses (High Level 1 for junior transfer students) from Kwangwoon Center for Korean Language and Culture Conditionally admitted students cannot change his or her visa to D-2. Admission will be cancelled if applicant is unable to stay in Korea legally due to change of visa status or failure to obtain visa extension

※ Conditional Application is open for undergraduate applicants without Korean proficiency

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5. Documents for submission

Category	Documents for submission	Type	Freshmen	Transfer
1	Application form ※ printed after online application	Original	○	○
2	Self introduction and learning plan ※ printed after online application	Original	○	○
3	Official authorization for inquiry into enrollment and academic credit ※ printed after online application	Original	○	○
4	Official high school transcript and diploma (or expected date of graduation) ※ In case applicant for transfer admission is currently enrolled in a college, high school diploma to be submitted	Notarization	○	△
5	Certificate of academic credit for all grades in high school	Notarization	○	○
6	Community college/university diploma (Certificate of Completion)	Notarization	X	○
7	Certificate of academic credit for all grades in community college/university ※ Translation (Korean or English language) shall be submitted mandatorily ※ Academic achievements and credits during all grades shall be stated for purpose of acknowledging credits (application not accepted in case credits are not stated)	Notarization	X	○
8	Certificate on highest level of education ※ Freshmen Admission applicant : Education level certification on graduating high school ※ Transfer Admission applicant : Education level certification on graduating community college/university (In case currently enrolled in college, high school diploma shall be additionally submitted)	Original	○	○
9	Applicant's passport	Copy	○	○
10	Alien registration card (front, back) ※ Mandatory submission in case resident in Korea with foreigner registration	Copy	△	△
11	Certificate of family relationship ※ Nationality other than China : birth certificate or certificate of family relationship ※ Chinese Nationality : notarized translation of copy of family registry, family relationship certificate	Notarization	○	○
12	Applicant and parent's identification cards	Copy	○	○
13	Original certificate of Bank Statement with balance more than USD 20,000 (applicant or parent) ※ Either of the following - Korean bank balance certificate and transaction statement for recent 3 months (as of date of application submission) - Overseas bank balance certificate (effective period of certificate shall expire after admission date)	Original	○	○
14	Certificate of Korean language skills ※ Korean Proficiency test (TOPIK) qualification certificate ※ Korean course certificate of completion (grades) and attendance certificate (mandatory submission for D-4 visa holder)	Original	○	○
15	Application fee KRW 120,000 ※ Need to pay during the online application (credit card payment or account transfer)	—	○	○

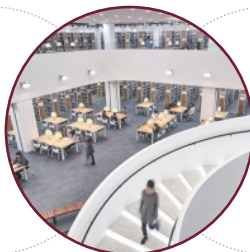
※ ○ : Required, X : Not required, △ : Required only for eligible applicant

- ※ The submission of documents by mail or direct submission are both acceptable, however, the application will be considered invalid if the arrival of the documents is overdue.
- ※ It is not possible to check the arrival status of the mail application individually.
- ※ Original copy of all documents shall be submitted as a general rule dictates. The document and application fee submitted will not be refunded.
- ※ Any document not in Korean or English language shall be submitted with Korean or English translation, duly notarized.
- ※ In addition to the documents mentioned above to be submitted, any other additional document may be required as necessary.
- ※ Regarding certificate evidencing the highest level of education
 - Submit after receiving <Apostille Certificate> from a government institution in the respective country for graduation certificate or submit after receiving <Consulate Certification> or <Overseas Learning Institution Certificate> from the Consulate of Korea in the respective country
- ※ Issuance of the certificate takes about 30 days, hence applicants are reminded to apply and prepare in advance.
- ※ Submitted certificate shall not be returned. Applicants shall prepare any documents required for the issuance or amendment of visas separately.

ICT Specialization No. 1 Kwangwoon



**Selected as
SW-oriented University**



**Central Library with
advanced ICT technology**



**Selected as
Seoul Campus Town
Construction Project**



**Selected as Autonomous
Contract University
for the University Innovation
Support Project**

Undergraduate Admission for International Students

6. Tuition fee

College	Admission fee (Only for first semester)	Tuition fee (Semester)
Computer and Information Engineering, Software and Convergence, Engineering	KRW 190,800	KRW 4,266,000
Natural Sciences, Media and Communication		KRW 3,753,000
Northeast Asian Cultural Industries, International Trade		KRW 3,630,000
Business		KRW 3,432,000
Humanities and Social Sciences, Policy and Law		KRW 3,244,000

※ Admission fee and tuition fee are subject to change each year

7. Scholarship

A. Scholarship at admission semester

Category	Scholarship
Normal student	30% of tuition fee
Students from Kwangwoon University Korean Language School	50% of tuition fee
Students with certification for TOPIK level 3	70% of tuition fee
Students with certification for TOPIK level 4 or above	80% of tuition fee

B. Scholarship after admission semester

Previous Semester GPA	Scholarship	
	TOPIK level 3 or below (Include the students with no TOPIK certification)	TOPIK level 4 or above
4.3 or higher (97 or higher)	80% of tuition fee	100% of tuition fee
4.0 or higher~lower than 4.3(90~96)	50% of tuition fee	80% of tuition fee
3.5 or higher~lower than 4.0(85~89)	40% of tuition fee	60% of tuition fee
3.0 or higher~lower than 3.5(80~84)	20% of tuition fee	40% of tuition fee
2.5 or higher~lower than 3.0(75~79)	N/A	20% of tuition fee

※ The change of scholarship may occur varied by the semesters

※ The student will not receive a foreign student scholarship as he/she changes his nationality to Korean

8. Korean Language Curriculum Based on Skill Level

Korean language and liberal arts curriculums that foreign students can adapt to based on TOPIK level or entrance examination

9. Requirements for Graduation

- A. The graduation will be in order if the student has submitted a Level 4 certificate of The Test of Proficiency in Korean (TOPIK) before he/she graduates.
- B. Please consult with the department office for the detailed information, provided that each department has different required credits and other requirements for graduation.

10. Dormitory

Category	Happiness Dormitory (Bitsoljae)	International House
Room	2 Students per room	4 Students per room
Cost	Approximately 1,500,000 KRW / Semester (Security Deposit 100,000 KRW)	
Private Facilities	Bed (Bedding not included), bookshelf, desk, chair, closet, bathroom, shower, internet, etc.	
Public Facilities	Laundry room, ironing room, fitness room, seminar room, kitchen, mailbox, etc.	Living room, washing machine, etc.

※ This amount is based on current semester, and is subject to change at each new semester

11. Notes for applicants

- A. If it is proven that accepted documents have been forgotten or any applicant otherwise illegally obtained admission, admission will be revoked even if the applicant is attending the university.
- B. Submitted document shall not be returned to the applicant in any case. Applicants shall prepare any documents required for the issuance or amendment of visas separately.
- C. Any disadvantages due to typos of the completed application form will be the responsibility of the applicant himself or herself.
- D. Contact information on the application form should be contactable during the examination period. Any disadvantages due to non-communication by error or change in telephone number and address will be the responsibility of the applicant himself or herself.
- E. The applicants who are scheduled to graduate or are scheduled to complete the previous educational process, provided that the applicant passes the admission, must submit a certificate of graduation to the office of the international exchange team of this school by February 11(Fri), 2022.

Korean language course

- Four semesters per year (spring, summer, fall, winter).
- Four hours a day, five days a week, 200hours a semester in total.
- Students can obtain creative Korean language capabilities as they partake in various activities in realistic scenarios.
- Students can directly experience the culture of Korea through Taekwondo, Samulnori, K-POP, dancing, etc.

1. Composition of class subjects

Class day	Class hours	Class contents
Mon~Fri	09:00 ~ 13:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Four areas of integrated training including speaking, listening, reading, and writing • Practical practice of related vocabulary and grammar • Extensive activities training for practical use of learning content • Conduct systematic pronunciation training

2. Tuition fee

- Admission fee: 50,000 KRW (non-refundable)
- One semester: 1,400,000 KRW (including Cultural Experience Expenses)

3. Schedule

Year	Semester	Application Deadline	Class Period	Level Test
2022	Spring	2022.01.28(Fri.)	2022.03.14(Mon.) ~ 05.23(Mon.)	2022.03.08(Tue.)
	Summer	2022.04.22(Fri.)	2022.06.08(Wed.) ~ 08.18(Thu.)	2022.06.02(Thu.)
	Fall	2022.07.29(Fri.)	2022.09.14(Wed.) ~ 11.23(Fri.)	2022.09.07(Wed.)
	Winter	2022.10.21(Fri.)	2022.12.7(Wed.) ~ 2023.02.16(Thu.)	2022.11.30(Wed.)

- ※ Schedule above may be subject to change
- ※ The application deadline for students from Vietnam, Uzbekistan, Mongolia and other countries will end 4 weeks early.
- ※ If a student is eligible to stay in Korea (D-4 visa is not required), the application deadline will end 2 weeks early.
- ※ It is advised to make separate inquiries regarding possible early application deadline due to different visa policies by countries

History

- 1934 Chosun Radio Training Center was established
- 1964 Renamed as Kwangwoon University of Electric Engineering
- 1976 Renamed as Kwangwoon University of Science and Technology
- 1987 Became a four-year granting Kwangwoon University
- 1999 Selected into the BK 21 University of Korea
- 2005 Signed South Korea's first ICT Track Operation Agreement with Samsung Electronics
- 2011 Signed an agreement with Samsung Electronics and has operated Samsung Talent Program(STP)
Signed an employment cooperation project with LG
- 2014 Selected by the Ministry of Education as the Pioneer of Undergraduate
Education University Cultivation Institution (ACE)
- 2015 Ranked 56th in the IT feature section in Asia
- 2016 Selected as the IPP support institution by Ministry of Employment and Labor
- 2017 Selected as Software-Oriented University Project by Ministry of Science and ICT
Selected as a comprehensive campus town project in Seoul (10 billion won)
- 2018 In the assessment of employment and entrepreneurship ability by Korea Economy,
the employment rate ranked second in the country
- 2019 Received accreditation of education in science and technology
- 2020 Ranked fourth overall in the Leiden Rankings' Quality Assessment of Top 1% of Papers'
Ranked 10th overall in the assessment of employment and entrepreneurship ability by Korea Economy
Signed the employment scholarship agreement with LG Innotek
- 2021 The university is accredited by International Education Quality
Assurance System(IEQAS), which is given by the Ministry of Education for third time.





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- 교양과 인성을 갖춘 사람
- 전공지식을 깊게 탐구한 사람
- 글로벌 소양을 계발한 사람





빛[Lux] 사람

- 융합적으로 소통하는 사람
- 혁신적 창의성을 발휘하는 사람
- 지속가능 미래에 기여하는 사람



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