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Korea University Business School

Fact Sheet for Student Exchange Program



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Globa	al Initiative	Korea University Business School	
	1905	First Commerce Department in Korea	
	1953	First MS/Ph.D. program in Korea	
	1963	First Evening MBA (Korea MBA) in Korea	
	1994	First Global Internship Program in Korea	
	2003	First Executive MBA program in Korea	
	2006	First Full-Time MBA Programs (Global MBA, Finance MBA) in Korea	
	2007	Accreditations from AACSB (2005) and EQUIS (2007)	
	2008	Tri-University Collaboration Program (S ³ Asia MBA: Fudan-NUS-KU)	
KUBS History	2010	Re-accreditations from AACSB and EQUIS	
	2011	First Business School in Korea to be ranked in the UTD Top 100 Business School Rankings	
		2 nd re-accreditation from AACSB and EQUIS	
	2015	Academic member of CEMS alliance in Korea	
	2016	Founding of KUBS Worldwide University Business Research Rankings Opening of KUBS Startup Institute	
	2017	Asia Tri-lateral Seminar (KUBS-Hitotsubashi-PHBS) The largest number of KUBS alumni among current CEOs at Korea's 100 mo	
	2018	influential companies.	
	2019	Ranked 1 st in producing the most successful CPA candidates for 4 consecutive years (109 in 2019).	
	2020	49th place in Business & Management studies in 2020 QS World University Rankings, ranks 1st among private Korean universities	
KUBS Achievements	First Facu 82 fu Rank Rank Wo Rank Bus Rank Ma Rank Hank Hank Correction No. 2	 Dual International Accreditations: First Institution in Korea accredited by both AACSB (2005) and EQUIS (2007) Faculty Size: 82 full-time faculty members (largest in Korea at the college level) Ranked 19th in Financial Times Top 100 Executive MBA Rankings 2020 (1st in Korea) Ranked 48th in Business & Management, 57th in Accounting & finance in 2021 QS World University Rankings by subject Ranked 148th (1st in Korea) in 2021 Best Global Universities Rankings: Economics and Business Area (U.S. News & World Report) Ranked 117th in THE World University Rankings 2021 by Subject (Business & Management) Ranked No. 1 Business School in Korea for 13 consecutive years (2008-2020, Hankyung Business Survey of HR managers from the Top 300 companies) Highest pass rate on CPA exam for five consecutive years (127 students qualified in 2020) No. 1 Producer of CEOs of Korea's top 100 companies as a single university department – Han Kyung Business 	





	KUBS Student Body				
Programs			Target Segments	Total No. of Students	No. of International Students
Underg	Undergraduate Degree (BBA)		Top-level high school graduates	2115	397
		MS	4 Year college graduates	153	48
Academic Gradu Prograr	Academic Graduate Degree	Ph.D.	Master graduates	84	6
	riogianis		Unified course of the master's and the doctor's	19	1
	Full- time Graduate	S ³ Asia MBA	Mid-level managers in Korea, China, and Singapore	26	16
		Global MBA	Mid-Level managers	49	16
		GMIM (CEMS)	4 Year college graduates	6	5
Degree Programs	Kolea MBA Part-time (Evening) MBA		379	2	
	Part- time	Executive MBA	Senior managers	100	0
		Finance MBA	Prospective finance industry experts	58	0

KUBS Academic Programs for Exchange Students			
Program	Term	Details	
BBA (Undergraduate)	Semester	• 63% of courses conducted in English	
MS (Graduate)	Semester	 50% of courses conducted in English Research oriented, theory-based courses Eligibility: Students studying at the MS (or graduate) level who acquired a Bachelor's degree. 	
Global MBA (GMBA)	Module	 Approximately 90% of courses conducted in English Practice oriented courses Eligibility: students who acquired a Bachelor's degree (or equivalent, Master's/Doctor's degree if applicable) work experience recommended MS students are able to apply for the GMBA Program 	

	Academi	c Schedule & Deadlines		
Academic Schedule Month Semester (BBA&MS) Module (GMBA)			Nomination Deadline	Application Deadline
September 1 ~ December 21 (tentative)	Fall Semester (1 st semester)	Module 1	April 15	May 8
		Module 2		
March 2~	Spring Semester	Module 4	October 13	November 8
June 21 (tentative)	(2 nd semester)	Module 5		





Nomination & Application				
Entry Requirements	Must have good academic standing			
	A minimum GPA of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale (GPA by US standard)			
	• Must be currently enrolled at home institution (Undergraduates must have completed a minimum of 2 full			
	semesters at their home institution before the Nomination/Application starts (Transferred			
	undergraduates / Postgraduates: 1 semester)			
	Must be officially nominated by home institution			
	Must be fluent in either Korean or English (recommended English Proficiency Test			
	scores: TOEFL IBT 89, TOEIC 800, or IELTS 6.5. English level acknowledgement letter from the home			
	institution can also be used)			
	• Students who are in their final year of study and/or have required courses that must be taken for			
	graduation are not recommended to participate in our exchange program, as there is a high demand for			
	our business major courses and it is highly possible that students will be unable to take the courses that			
	they need.			
Required Documents for	Nominees must have Gmail account with their email address, not other email address such as their home institution as			
Application	our important notice emails could not be sent, and later KU Portal ID can be only created by the Gmail account. Please			
Application	provide us your Gmail account email address to receive all of important emails.			
	1) Online application form (Will be sent to the nominees via email)			
	2) One Passport-sized photo (JPG file only) (3.5cm x 4.5cm) (file size under 50kb)			
	- This photo will also be used to issue your student ID card, so please do not upload inappropriate photos.			
	3) Official academic transcript			
	Current transcript in English with grading scale demonstrating the equivalent to 2.5 (out of 4.0) and including grades for			
	at least 2 full semesters (Transfer/Postgraduates: 1 semester)			
* All supporting documents	4) Letter of academic reference			
MUST be written in English or	- MUST be completed by a student 's professor or an academic advisor who is familiar with the			
have English translations.	student's college-level work and is able to attest to his or her character, maturity and self-sufficiency - MUST include the recommender's name, title, and the school's logo			
	5) Health Certificates (the form can be downloaded from the application page)			
	All exchange/visiting students are required to complete this form and submit it within the application period. Those who			
	do not submit the form will not be accepted to Korea University Business School. This form must be completed by a			
	physician/doctor only.			
	* Only the examination taken in August to October (for spring semester) and February to May (for fall semester) is			
	acceptable. (examination date must be within 2 months from the start of the application period)			
	6) Statement of purpose and goals – describes the purpose and goals of his or her exchange semester in 1 or 2 pages. (A4			
	size) Students should write the reason why they chose KUBS as a study abroad destination and also what they hope to			
	achieve.			
	7) Copy of Passport Identification Page – (which shows a student's photo, name, and passport number, etc.) –MUST be			
	valid for 6 months beyond the period of student's intended stay in Korea. (If you plan to apply for a new passport, you			
	should inform us in advance)			
	 <u>8) Letter of confirmation for private insurance (for non-Korean passport holders only)</u> Must cover the entire study abroad period, can be uploaded after submission 			
	- MUST state the dates of coverage and benefits in ENGLISH			
	- Insurance can be uploaded to the application page even after submission of the online application as students usually			
	enroll right before their departure. Submission deadline: July 31 (Fall) / January 31 (Spring) to program manager.			
	* All incoming international students will be automatically registered for the mandatory NHI(National Health Insurance in			
	Korea) when they create an alien registration card at the immigration office after their arrival in Korea.			
	Insurance plan from March 2021 due to Korean government's policy change. The fee is approximately KRW 56,030 per			
	month (students must pay during their stay in Korea). No action is required from students, as they are automatically			
	subscribed to health insurance by the NHIS after creating their Alien Registration Card.			
	However, all international students are required to have private insurance that takes effect throughout their study period			
	apart from NHI as the coverage of NHI may not be enough to cover all medical expenses for serious illness and injury which			
	may cause a serious financial hardship. It is required for the students to have both private insurance and Korean National			
	Health Insurance.			
	<u>9) Pledge</u> – Available at KUBS online application link			







	10) Certificate of Enrollment with consular confirmation or apostille. (Additional document required for NON-OECD country nationals) NON-OECD country nationals must submit an official Certificate of Enrollment of the current home university with consular confirmation or apostille from the Korean embassy or consulate in the country where the university is located to the KUBS International office by POST before Nov 14 for Spring semester and May 15 for Fall semester to complete the application.
	Submission deadline : Nov 14 for Spring semester and May 15 for Fall semester by POST (Original Hardcopy Only)
	Office address : KUBS International Office, Korea University Business School, #304, Business School Main Hall, 145 Anam- Ro, Seongbuk-Gu, Seoul, Republic of Korea(02841)
	11) Bank Statement (for non-Korean passport holders only)
	- Must submit a bank statement opened under your name showing a minimum balance of US\$ 5,000 (1 semester), US\$ 10,000 (2 semesters) or the same amount of the applicant's country's currency issued between October to December (for Spring semester) / between April to June (for Fall semester) to program manager by Jan 1st for Spring semester, July 1st for Fall semester.
	-If you cannot provide your bank statement, you can submit your mother's or father's bank statement along with a copy of your 'family relation certificate' or any other official document that can replace the family relation certificate. The certificate must be in English. If not, please attach the English translated version with the following statement for confirmation, 'translated by [], date and signature'. (Notarization is not required)
	If you are a scholarship recipient, please submit an official certificate or letter that proves your scholar status and the amount of scholarship benefits such as monthly allowances and so on for the entire study period.
	*OECD country nationals : By email only (kubs_exchange@korea.ac.kr) - same as before (original soft copy)
	*Non-OECD country nationals : By post only (Office address : KUBS International Office, Korea University Business School,
	#304, Business School Main Hall, 145 Anam-Ro, Seongbuk-Gu, Seoul, Republic of Korea(02841)) It is highly advised that students get two original copies from the bank as one should be submitted to Korea University and another one to the Korean embassy.
	Details will also be sent to students too upon acceptance.
	Your Certificate of Admission and Letter of Admission will be issued upon receiving the application documents and the bank statement.
Nomination and Application	1. Before the official nomination, program managers at partner universities MUST jointly agree on the
Procedure for Student	number of slots for each academic year with the KUBS exchange program manager.
Exchange Program	2. Once the number of nominees are confirmed, the KUBS Nomination Sheet will be distributed at the
	beginning of April (for fall semester) and end of September (for spring semester).
	3. A link to KUBS's online application will be given to the nominees within one week after the nomination, and they MUST complete the online application by the deadline indicated.
	4. By early June (for fall semester) and December (for spring semester), the 'Admission Package' including 1)
	original copy of Letter of Admission, 2) Certificate of Admission, and 3) Business License of Korea University will be sent to the students to their e-mail.
	5. All the exchange students MUST have worldwide insurance coverage for a study abroad program during the whole duration of their stay at KUBS. Those who do not submit the letter of confirmation for private
	insurance will NOT be allowed to enroll at KUBS even if they have received the Letter of Admission.
	6. The letter of confirmation for private insurance can be submitted either at the time of online application or via e-mail by end of July (for fall semester) and January (for spring semester).

Course Information			
Majors Accounting / Finance / International Business / Logistics, Service & Operations Management Majors Management / Marketing / Management Information System (MIS)			
Course List	Refer to <academic offerings=""> from page 6</academic>		
	• BBA: 15~100 (35 students per class on average)		
Class Size	 MS: 5~15 (less than 20 students per class on average) 		
	GMBA: Different each semester		
Tests	Midterm exam, Final exam, Presentations, Group work, etc. (varies by class)		





Workload per Credit Hour	• 3 credits= 3 hrs/wk, 16 wks/semester				
workload per credit hour	• 2 credits= 4 hrs/wk, (GMBA) 8 wks/module				
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		Program	Maximum Limit	Regular (non-exchange)	
		BBA	19 credits per semester	Normally take 4-6 classes	
				(12 - 18credits)	
		MS	12 graduate credits per semester	Normally take 3-4 classes	
			(If student takes undergraduate	(9 - 12credits)	
Credit Hour Limit			courses, max 19 credits)		
		GMBA	Two modules cannot exceed 19 credits	Normally take 2-4 classes	
				each module	
	Students must take at least 1 course per semester/module.				
	* Even if you take one course, you will be recognized as a full-time student at KUBS. However, you				
	should also check the minimum number of credits to be taken with your home university				
	coordinator.				

Grading System

Professors have full authority for evaluating students. Each student's academic performance is graded according to the following criteria: exams and assignment results, attendance, and class participation, etc. A minimum of 70% attendance is required in order for a student to earn a passing grade.

Letter Grade	Grade Point	Percentage	
A+	4.5	95 – 100	
Α	4.0	90 – 94	
В+	3.5	85 – 89	
В	3.0	80 - 84	
C+	2.5	75 – 79	
C	2.0	70 – 74	
D+	1.5	65 – 69	
D	1.0	60 - 64	
F (NA)	Fail	59	

Academic Offerings		
BBA Courses (Undergraduate)	http://sugang.korea.ac.kr > Major Subject > Korea University Business School	
	 Students may refer to the course list from the previous corresponding semester. (e.g. 2022 Spring Semester students should refer to 2021 Spring semester) The course list is to be used as a reference only as not all courses may be offered. Students may refer to the course list from the corresponding semester of the previous year as it will remain similar. However, courses are subject to change every semester and we cannot guarantee all the courses will be available. Students are responsible for making a 	
	back-up plan for their course registration.	
	- The Course List for the upcoming semester will be released in mid-July and mid-January.	
	• Students are responsible for checking the latest course list in July for the fall semester and in January for the spring semester. The lists offered in Fall and Spring may differ, so please check carefully.	
	Courses conducted in English are indicated as "(English)".	





	• All KUBS undergraduate courses taught in English are open to the exchange students. (Exception: "BUSS163 Introduction to Business" and "BUSS402 Management Strategy")
	• Click on the Course No. link to see the syllabus. If no information is available, please click the 'Upload File' link at the bottom of the page for the syllabus.
	• Exchange students can take non-business courses if pre-requisites are met and they have successfully registered online. (<u>Non-available subjects</u> : Medicine, Nursing, Law, Information Security, and all the courses provided by the departments at <i>Sejong</i> campus, which is indicated as S in the Campus category)
	• BBA students CANNOT take MS/MBA courses.
MS Courses (Graduate)	http://sugang.korea.ac.kr/graduate > Search course: Graduate Course > Select Graduate School >
	Department of Business Administration
	• Students may refer to the course list from the previous corresponding semester. (e.g. 2022 Fall Semester students should refer to 2021 Fall semester) However not all courses are guaranteed to be open, and only a selected number of classes will be available among the courses which will be announced after application.
	 Courses offered in English are indicated as "(English)".
	• Click on the Course No. link to see the syllabus of each course. If none is available, please click the 'syllabus document' link at the bottom of the page.
	• The final list of business courses available to exchange students will be distributed via email to individual students in August for the fall semester and in February for the spring semester.
	• <u>Students MUST be aware that not all business graduate courses are available</u> . By participating in KUBS exchange program, they will be coming at their own risk of taking limited courses.
	 Students can take graduate courses provided by other departments regardless of major, as long as they meet the requirements (prerequisites) and have the professor's permission. (Only subjects under the category of "Graduate School" are available. MBA courses or Graduate School of International Studies are not available. <u>Non-available subjects:</u> Medicine, Nursing, Law, Information Security, and all the courses provided by the departments at <i>Sejong</i> campus)
	- Course codes with IDC, IIC, IAC, IPS, IRC, IKS, IAS are courses from the <graduate international="" of="" school="" studies=""> which are not open to any exchange students.</graduate>
	• MS students are allowed to take BBA courses (refer to the above BBA Courses), but GMBA courses are not available (students are responsible for checking with the program manager at their home institution regarding the compatibility of undergraduate courses in terms of credit transfer).
MBA Courses	http://sugang.korea.ac.kr/graduate > Search course: Graduate Course > Choose semester (Fall incoming: Module 1 & 2/ Spring incoming: Module 4 & 5) > Business Administration > Global MBA * The semester should be set as Module #, not fall or spring
	• Change the setting for <i>Year</i> and <i>Term</i> to the previous corresponding module. (e.g. 2021 module 4 for 2022 module 4)
	• Click on the Course No. link to see the syllabus. If no information is available, please click the 'syllabus document' link at the bottom of the page for the syllabus.
	• The final list of courses available to exchange students will be distributed via email in August for module 1, September for module 2, February for module 4 and March for module 5.
	• As core courses are offered in the fall (modules 1&2) and electives are offered in spring (modules 4&5), it is recommended for exchange students at the MBA level to come in spring in terms of course selection since most students will have already taken their core courses at their home institution.
	• MBA students CANNOT take BBA/MS courses, or courses other than GMBA





Korean Language Courses	• Korean language courses for BBA/MS students are offered during regular semesters. There are 5 different levels from Beginner to Advanced.
	 For those who wish to take Korean language classes, no prior knowledge of the Korean language is required but there might be placement test depending on the lecturer. It will be held on the first day of the class.
	 Korean courses for exchange students can be found at <u>http://sugang.korea.ac.kr</u> > General Subject > General Studies > Electives > IFLS108 – 113 / IFLS240 – 247.
	• Non-credit Korean language classes are offered for 4 weeks during the summer/winter vacation to exchange students who completed a regular semester at KU, regardless of academic level. For further information please refer to https://klc.korea.ac.kr/index.do

Course Registration						
Schedule	Fall Semester			Spring Semester		
Schedule	BBA	MS	MBA	BBA	MS	MBA
Preparatory Preferred Course Listing	Early August	N/A	N/A	Early February	N/A	N/A
Course Registration	Mid-August	End of August	Mid-August	Mid-February	End of February	Mid-February
Add/Drop Period	Early September	Early September	First week of first module	Early March	Early March	First week of first module

*** No changes can be made after Add/Drop period ends

* Preparatory Preferred Course Listing for BBA students allows students to expedite course registration before the official registration period begins. Spring semester Early-February / Fall semester Early-August (TBC)

- * At Korea University, every course has limited openings not only for exchange/visiting students but also for regular KU students. While the number of vacancies for regular KU students depends on their enrolled year (e.g. sophomore), exchange/visiting students are counted separately. If the number of exchange/visiting students who have selected a specific course (e.g. WORLD ECONOMY AND BUSINESS) during the 'Preferred Course Listing' period is equal to or below the number of quota available to exchange/visiting students, the course will be automatically registered (The quota for exchange/visiting students is usually 15% of total enrollment in each class).
- * Students may refer to the course list from the corresponding semester of the previous year as it will remain similar. However, courses are subject to change every semester and we cannot guarantee its availability. Students are responsible to make a back-up plan for their course plan. KU cannot recommend or find a course for individual students in principle of fairness. It is student's responsibility to make a backup plan (plan B) when they make their course schedule.
- * Detailed information with specific dates and complete instruction will be sent to students prior to the course registration period in July/August for the fall semester and January/February for the spring semester, and students are responsible for reading and following the guideline very carefully.

Important Notice regarding course registration

* We are experiencing a high demand for some areas of the courses, especially in Business School, Media and Communication and International Studies. This means students must be aware that it may be very difficult to register for these courses and there will be No Guarantee for their preferred choices.

* KU cannot recommend or find a course for individual student for fairness issue.

It is student's responsibility to make a backup plan when they make their course plan.

KUBS cannot guarantee any courses for exchange students. Therefore, we request students to be very flexible with their course selections and also be ready with a plan B.





Accommodation					
On-campus Accommodation		All on-campus accommodations are located within about 20 minutes of walking distance from the			
		main campus. (Prices may vary; visit, <u>https://gsc.korea.ac.kr/</u> > Student Services > Accommodation)			
		* On-campus housing is not guaranteed so please be prudent before applying if your major			ng if your major concern
		in choosing a study abroad destination is on-campus accommodation.			
Residence Hall	Туре	Fall Semester	Summer A	Summer B	Spring Semester
		(4 months)	/ Winter A	/ Winter B	(4 months)
CJ International	Single	KRW 2,000,000	KRW 500,000	KRW 1,000,000	KRW 2,074,000
House (w/ Bath)	Double	KRW 1,580,000	KRW 395,000	KRW 790,000	KRW 1,671,400
Anam Global	Double	KRW 1,580,000	KRW 395,000	KRW 790,000	KRW 1,671,400
House (w/ Bath)	Triple	KRW 940,000	KRW 235,000	KRW 470,000	KRW 940,000
Applying for On-campus		*The price could have been char		make sure to check the updated	I price and all the information
Accommodation		from the On-campus website lat	er.		
		Online Application Period	l		
		-Exchange students are eli		npus housing (CJ Internati	onal House).
		-Students are required to a			
		basis) Applications past th			
		-Students who are assig		-	be required to take a
		tuberculosis test (x-ray, bl			
		for spring semester. The c			
		be submitted to the dorm	itory, not to the KUBS.		
		• Fall Semester: Early June	e ~ Early July		
		Spring Semester: Early D	ecember ~ Early January	,	
		- You can also find more details and information at http://gsc.korea.ac.kr > Exchange/Visiting			
		Student > Board or from the below On-campus website.			
	Details will be sent before the application period.				
		-Residence Office	esidence Office		
		Web: https://dorm.korea.ac.kr/			
		E-mail: reslife@korea.ac.kr			
		Phone: +82-2-3290-1554			
		Fax: +82-2-929-3184	3184		
		However, please note that IT IS VERY DIFFICULT FOR KUBS EXCHANGE STUDENTS TO GET A ROOM			
		IN ONE OF THE ON-CAN	IPUS DORMITORIES due	e to its assignment prior	ity and limited spaces.
		Therefore, it is highly recommended for students to find and prepare to stay in off-campus			
		accommodation in case of	n-campus housing is not	provided (which is very lik	kely).
Off-campus Accommodation There are numerous private student accommodations called Goshitel near camp walking distance. These accommodations vary widely in terms of room size and from approximately KRW 500,000 to KRW 700,000 per month, and the average 550,000.		e and rate. Prices range			
		General information on http://global.seoul.go.kr	nousings in Seoul is also	o available at the <i>Seoul</i>	Global Center website,
		Homestay Korea (http://h homestay student, and re		-	amilies willing to host a
		-Off-housing recommenda -Off-campus accommodat Services > Accommo	ion information can be a		





	Insurance
Private Health/Travel Insurance	All KUBS incoming exchange students except for those with Korean citizenship MUST have worldwide
(for non-Korean passport holders	insurance coverage, and the benefits should provide for all injuries and illnesses that may occur
only)	during the entire duration of their stay in Korea.
	** All incoming international students are required to enroll in the mandatory Korean National
	Health Insurance plan from March 2021 due to Korean government's policy change. The fee is
	approximately KRW 56,030 per month (students must pay during their stay in Korea). No action is
	required from students, as they are automatically subscribed to health insurance by the NHIS after
	creating their Alien Registration Card. It is required for the students to have both private insurance
	and Korean National Health Insurance.
	*Submission deadline : Spring semester : January 31 / Fall semester : July 31 via our email.

	Visa	
For foreigners of non-Korean	KUBS exchange students of non-Korean descent MUST have a D-2-6 visa (exchange student visa) to	
descent	study at KUBS. They can apply for a visa at the nearest Korean Embassy or Korean consulate in their	
	home country by submitting the documents in the admission packet: Certificate of Admission, Letter	
	of Admission, and Business License of Korea University (students with Chinese nationality MUST	
	apply in the country where their home institution is located).	
	**Additional documents might be required: A copy of agreement with partner university (Please ask your home institution's exchange coordinator)	
	※ Extra documents may be required depending on student's Nationality.	
	Those who are going to travel and apply for the student visa in countries other than their home	
	country MUST make sure to check if they can process the visa application there.	
	Important notice: When the student comes to Korea with a single-entry visa and the student leaves	
	Korea before making an Alien Registration Card (ARC), their visa will be cancelled. Please	
	remember this before making travel plans after arriving in Korea.	
For foreigners of Korean descent /	Requirements for obtaining a visa may vary for foreigners of Korean descent and/or individuals	
individual holding Korean and other	holding Korean and other (dual) citizenship. Thus, they MUST check with the Korean Embassy or	
(dual) citizenship	Korean consulate in their place of residence before applying to our exchange program.	
For Korean passport holders /	Students holding a Korean passport or F-4 visa do not have to apply for any other specific visa to	
F-4 visa holders	study at KUBS.	

	Arrival Guide
Orientation for Exchange Students	Orientation is MANDATORY for all incoming exchange students.
	• Fall Semester: a week before the semester starts in August
	 Spring Semester: a week before the semester starts in February
	* Specific dates to be announced.
Airport Pick-up Service	Before the first day of the orientation in August (for fall) and in February (for spring), airport pick-up service is provided for students who are staying at either the KU on-campus accommodation or the off-campus housing options around campus.
	Those who would like to apply for this service MUST submit the online request form at http://oia.korea.ac.kr > Exchange/Visiting > Requests > Airport Pickup.
	* Specific dates to be announced. (Usually around the weekend before orientation)
	*Airport Pick-up Service will be announced later with details.





Recommended Arrival Date	On-campus Accommodation Move-in Date
	 Fall Semester: Mid-August (14 days prior to the semester start date)
	• Spring Semester: Mid-February (14 days prior to the semester start date)
	On-campus Accommodation Move-out Date
	 Fall Semester: Sunday right after the finals week
	Spring Semester: Sunday right after the finals week
	However, unlike the on-campus dormitory, there are no official check-in/out dates for off-campus
	housing, as the rental fee is calculated according to the date the student moves in.
COVID-19	Currently, the 7 days mandatory quarantine has lifted, but we will inform you in advance if
(7 days quarantine required for non-	the policy changes. Please refer to the http://gsc.korea.ac.kr > Exchange/Visiting Students >
vaccinated foreigners or not	Board
registered their vaccine records)	
How to Get to KUBS	Those who are not able to use the KU airport pick-up service on the official dates or are coming to
	visit KUBS for non-academic purposes will need to arrange their own means of transportation.
	• Airport Shuttle Bus: https://www.airport.kr/ap/ko/index.do > To & From > Airport Shuttle Bus
	• By public transportation: http://oia.korea.ac.kr > Introduction > Visit KU > Transportation

	Estimated Living Expenses in Seoul
Tuition Fee	Waived at the host institution; paid only to the student's home institution
Korean National Health Insurance Fee	Approx. KRW 56,030 per month
On-campus Accommodation	* Students are required to apply for housing online on a
On-campus Accommodation	separate website. (<u>https://dorm.korea.ac.kr/</u>)
Off-campus Accommodation	Approx. KRW 350,000 ~ 650,000 per month
Food/Meals	Approx. KRW 400,000 per month
Local Transportation	Approx. KRW 100,000 per month
Academic Expenses	Approx. KRW 150,000 per semester (mainly textbooks)
Personal Expenses	Approx. KRW 300,000 per month but may vary

*This information could have been changed, therefore always check the updated version from the regarding websites.

Student Services			
Korea University Buddy Assistants (KUBA)	KUBA is a buddy matching program that connects incoming exchange students with KU domestic students. International students will have the opportunity to experience and participate in KU's events and learn about Korean culture while building strong friendships with their buddies. All exchange students will be assigned to a KUBA buddy by default.		
KUBS Buddy Program (undergraduate only)	KUBS Buddy is a KUBS student organization specifically designed to help KUBS undergraduate exchange students (not available to MS and GMBA students) adjust to KUBS life and give advice in course selections. KUBS undergraduate exchange students will join the KUBS Buddy program without an application.		
Campus Facilities	Library, Computer Lab, Fitness Club, Bookstore, Print Shop, Post Office, Stationery, Bank, ATMs, Cafeteria, Restaurant, Mobile Shop, Hair Salon, Convenience Store		

** Please visit KU GLOBAL SERVICE CENTER website to find more information < <u>https://gsc.korea.ac.kr/</u> >





Activities & Events			
Seoul City Tour	August	February	A sightseeing tour to famous places in Seoul
Annual Korea University – Yonsei University Sporting Event	October		A sporting event between Korea University and Yonsei University
University Festival (Ipselenti)	Мау		KU's annual school festival

Academic Transcript

KUBS sends out students' initial copies of academic transcripts to their home institutions in January (for fall semester) and in July (for spring semester) free of charge when they complete their semester(s) at KUBS.

• Fall Semester: at the end of January – beginning of February

• Spring Semester: at the end of July- beginning of August

- We will send the digital version via email first, but if you need the hard copy as well, you can request us once you get our email regarding the transcript.
- For students who will be studying at our KUBS for a full year, we will send out their academic transcript after they have finished all 2 semesters. (1 year)
- If full year students need the first semester's transcript, they can issue it by themselves by visiting One Stop Service Center, located in Central Square in KU.
- * Should students need more copies, they can make an online request and pay extra fees at https://gsc.korea.ac.kr/ > Exchange/Visiting Student > Requests > Transcript Request.

*Any Inquiries are welcomed via our email (kubs_exchange@korea.ac.kr)