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**DGS
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**Korean & East
Asian Studies
Program**

Department of
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**PUSAN NATIONAL UNIVERSITY
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PNU, a renowned world-class university,
is ready to make your dreams of a rewarding
study abroad experience come true!

Why PNU?

Pusan National University is one of Korea's top-ranked universities and a national and regional leader in research and higher education. Established in May 1946, the university provides educational opportunities in almost all areas of study. Around 1,190 full-time professors, 560 administrators, and 200 department coordinators contribute to the university's academic environment. Approximately 29,000 students, including 1,866 international students, are dedicated to research and study at PNU in various programs, including humanities, physical sciences, engineering, nanotechnology, life sciences, law, business, arts, medicine, and many others.





Academic Standings

No. 1 among national universities in Korea. **No. 12** among domestic universities. **No. 78** among Asian universities (2017, *Chosun Ilbo* and *QS Asian University Rankings*).

No. 1 in number of published papers per professor among national universities in Korea (2014).

No. 4 in number of alumni in Korea's top 10 corporate groups among domestic universities.

No. 1 in number of alumni in Hyundai Motors and Hyundai Heavy Industries (2014).

No. 5 among Korean university research centers (Ministry of Education, Science & Technology, 2011).

Top-ranked domestic university in university-industry cooperation (2013 and 2014).

Department of Global Studies

(English-only Department)

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The DGS provides students with a challenging, interdisciplinary curriculum taught entirely in English and almost exclusively by native speakers. Included in the curriculum are courses in Korean and other East Asian studies, law, international relations, history, economics, political science, human rights, culture, business, art, regional studies, and religion. The department emphasizes classroom participation and activities, allowing international and Korean students to work together and develop lasting relationships.



*At DGS, it was the first time in my academic life that I felt that professors, apart from teaching, can be good friends with students. The number of friends—including professors, classmates, and staff—that I made at the DGS made my study journey unforgettable. The classes are so interactive and learning-based. If I had a chance I would happily come back. **Jawad Khalili** (Australia)*

The Curriculum

The DGS curriculum provides an interdisciplinary, internationalizing education, fostering intercultural understanding from a variety of academic perspectives.



*I'm so glad I chose to take courses at the Department of Global Studies, as an exchange student I needed something that I could fall back upon in a foreign country and this department provided just that. Courses at DGS are definitely challenging but worth the effort and left me feeling like I achieved something. **Ildze Skestere** (Latvia)*

Courses (3 credits per course)

- CHALLENGES OF THE 21ST CENTURY
- CONTEMPORARY TOPICS IN INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS: MARKETING
- CROSS-CULTURAL AND RELIGIOUS VALUES AND INSTITUTIONS
- CULTURAL ANALYSIS
- CULTURES OF ECONOMY: GIFTS AND MONEY
- CURRENT ISSUES IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS
- CURRENT ISSUES IN SOCIAL JUSTICE
- DISCOVERING HUMAN RIGHTS
- DISCIPLINING COMMERCE: CONCEPTS AND DYNAMICS OF BUSINESS LAW
- THE ART OF NEGOTIATING
- MAJOR THEMES IN WORLD HISTORY
- ECONOMICS OF INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT
- GAME THEORY
- GLOBAL ECONOMY AND LEADERSHIP
- INNOVATION & TECHNOLOGY MANAGEMENT
- INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS STRATEGY AND ORGANIZATION
- INTERNATIONAL TRADE
- INTERPRETING THE WORLD'S MEDIA
- INTRODUCTION TO ECONOMICS
- KEY WESTERN TEXTS
- MODERN THEORY OF MANAGEMENT
- ORGANIZATIONAL BEHAVIOR
- RESEARCHING SOCIAL LIFE
- THE WORLD AND SOCIETY
- TRENDS IN FILM, LITERATURE, ART AND ARCHITECTURE
- TYPOLOGIES OF POLITICAL LEADERSHIP

Korean and East Asian Studies Program(KEASP)





The Department of Global Studies offers a specialized curriculum dedicated to Korean and East Asian studies. The Korean and East Asian Studies Program provides undergraduate international students with a diverse education in the cultural, social, political, economic, trade, business, and security issues found in this dynamic region, which comprises one-fifth of the world's population, more than one-fourth of the global economy, and is leading the way into the Asian Century.

- 100% English instruction by international professors designed primarily for international, exchange and study-abroad students.
- Short-term study (1-2 semesters)


Courses (3 credits per course)

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| - EAST ASIAN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT | - NORTH KOREA: POLITICS AND FOREIGN POLICY |
| - INTERNATIONAL NORMS AND RULES IN EAST ASIA | - REGIONAL TOPICS IN BUSINESS |
| - INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS IN EAST ASIA | - SECURITY IN EAST ASIA |
| - INTRODUCTION TO KOREA AND EAST ASIA: PAST AND PRESENT | - TECHNOLOGY IN EAST ASIA REGIONAL AFFAIRS |
| - THE G2: CHINA AND US | - THE CITY AND THE COUNTRYSIDE IN 20TH AND 21ST CENTURY KOREA |
| - GENERATIONS: PERSONS AND THINGS IN CONTEMPORARY KOREA | - TRANSPORT SECTOR DEVELOPMENT IN EAST ASIA |
| - RISING POWERS IN ASIA | |
| - JAPAN: POLITICS AND FOREIGN POLICY | |
| - KOREA: POLITICS AND FOREIGN POLICY | |

 My courses in the Department of Global Studies were international norms and rules in East Asia, international relations in East Asia, and North Korea politics and foreign policy. These classes were a first for me, and I was ready to struggle. But I had absolutely no problems following the courses; all were really interesting, engaging, interactive, and with class debates where we shared opinions and ideas. The professors really impressed me; though they differed in style, they shared the same passion and skill. I will always be grateful to have had the possibility to be at PNU. **Marco Cameran (Italy)**

 The courses on North Korean politics and foreign policy, and technology in East Asia, exposed me to the prospects and complications faced by Northeast Asia. The professors in the Korean and East Asian classes were well-versed in the topics

and very willing to share their views on the latest news in the region. There is much to learn in the Korea-East Asia classes, and I would really recommend that international students take these classes to learn more about the region. **Jun Ying Lor (Singapore)**

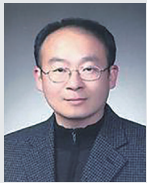
 The courses on technology in East Asia and North Korea politics provided me with an interesting and in-depth analysis of the region's historical events and current developments. I had discussions with Korean and exchange students which provided many alternative perspectives and varied opinions. I fulfilled my initial goal to widen my global perspective and learn more about other cultures. **Ting Jun Quek (Singapore)**

The Faculty

The diversified faculty is dedicated to creating a challenging and engaging classroom, along with offering creative extracurricular activities to integrate international and Korean students.



*I was able to develop analytical and communication skills in the classes. There were also plenty of opportunities to apply the many skills learned and chances to interact with a diverse group of students. I had many interesting takeaways from my class at DGS and highly encourage international and exchange students to take it up! **Jemie Then (Singapore)***



Yong Kyun Bae (Republic of Korea)

Ph.D., State University of New York at Stony Brook

- **Fields** : Economics, Trade, Game Theory, and Statistics



Tommi Tapanainen (Finland)

Ph.D., Turku University

- **Fields** : MIS in Business Administration



William F. Pore (U.S.A.)

Ph.D., George Washington University; Master's, Columbia University and Johns Hopkins University

- **Fields** : East Asian History, World History, Religions, Cultural Studies, and Political Leadership



Michael McArthur (U.S.A.)

Ph.D. (ABD), University of Washington

- **Fields** : Literature, Philosophy, and English Language



Ryo Hinata-Yamaguchi (Japan)

Ph.D., University of New South Wales – Canberra, Australia

- **Fields** : East Asian Security, Political Science, International Relations, and other East Asian Studies



Chris Hennessey (U.K.)

M.A., George Washington University

- **Fields** : International Relations, European and Eurasian Studies



George Khoury (U.S.A.)

Ph.D., The European Graduate School, Saas-Fee

- **Fields** : Media and Communication



Robert Kelly

(Lecturer from PNU's Department of Political Science & Diplomacy) (U.S.A.)

Ph.D., Ohio State University

- **Fields** : International Relations and Northeast Asian Security

Student-Faculty Activities



From its beginning, the Global Studies Program has been a community of students, faculty, and staff, and a key part of this community is our extracurricular activities. Activities bring together our international and Korean students and faculty in an open, casual environment.

Over the years, these activities have spanned a range from the academic to the social, and, from small discussions to special lectures. They have included outings to plays, concerts, musicals, podcasts, and baseball games, as well as participation in book clubs. The department hosts a yearly international food and culture festival, a law society, and co-sponsors events with the university's Human Rights Center.



The professors and staff have been wonderful, very forthcoming. The DGS has a very welcoming atmosphere for students who have come to such an unfamiliar country, and it helps students in the long run while they're living in Korea.
Liene Jakovleva (Latvia)



The professors at the DGS are amazing, and they always showed their dedication to education by inspiring their students. The department was more 'international' than I had expected, with the classes mostly composed of both Korean and international students. The classroom atmosphere was

very positive and the teachers would encourage us to express ourselves and make sure that we did not merely sit and listen.
Janice Wong Chi Kei (Hong Kong)



Most DGS lectures have interesting discussions and many professors add a lot of their own written material or mention things for certain topics from their experience. Everyone is friendly and it's easy to follow the class. I had a great time and would 100% study at DGS again!
Sindija Vindela (Latvia)

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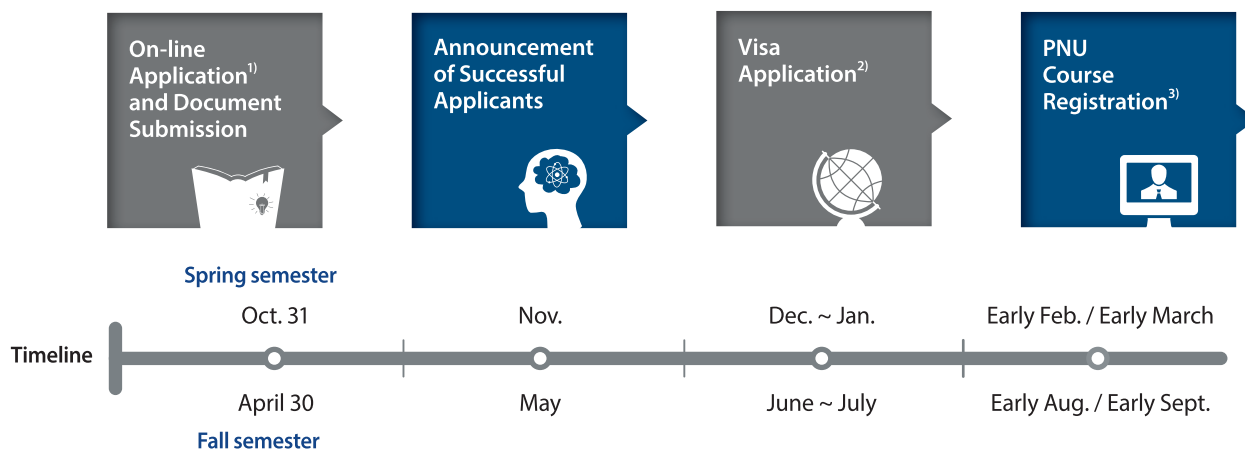
How to Apply to the DGS

<http://international.pusan.ac.kr>



A. Short-term International Students (Exchange & Visiting Students)

• Application flow chart



1) **Exchange students** should be nominated to PNU by their home universities before completing the online application. **Visiting students** do not need to be nominated by their home universities before submitting the online application.

2) PNU will issue an Acceptance Letter to be used for the student's visa application.

3) Students can register for any DGS and KEASP courses during PNU's course registration periods, including the 'add/drop' period.

※ What is the difference between an Exchange student and a Visiting student?

Exchange Student	Visiting Student
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Your home university must be a PNU partner through a formal student exchange agreement. You remain enrolled at your home university. You continue to pay your home university's tuition fees and are exempt from PNU's tuition fees. The courses you study may be credited towards your degree. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Your home university does not have a formal exchange agreement with PNU, or there are not enough student exchange openings available. You pay tuition fees to PNU. You must check with your home university's Study Abroad office regarding gaining credits towards your degree.

➤ For further information, please visit the PNU International website at <http://international.pusan.ac.kr>

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B. DGS for Full-time PNU Students

You may major in DGS by enrolling at PNU as a full-time international student.

- **PNU Admission Flow Chart for International Students**

Online application → Documents submission → Document review & interview → Announcement of successful applicants → Issuing standard admission letter → Tuition payment

- **PNU Admission Outline**

<http://go.pusan.ac.kr>

	Application Period	Evaluation	Language requirements
International Students (freshmen & transfer students)	August for spring semester	Document review and Interview	TOEFL (PBT550, IBT80), IELTS 5.5, TEPS 550
	April for fall semester		

※ **Required documents:** transcripts, certificate of graduation, nationality certificate, family relations certificate, and documentary proof of financial support (USD 10,000).

※ For more details, refer to admission guidelines at <http://go.pusan.ac.kr>



DGS Tuition Fees & Scholarships

– Academic Year 2018

(not applicable to exchange students)

Tuition (per semester)	KRW 1,680,000
Scholarship	Performance based scholarship available: 100%, 70% or 30% tuition waiver based on the previous semester's GPA

※ For more details, refer to admission guidelines at <http://go.pusan.ac.kr>

On-campus Housing (Dormitory)

Type	Cost (per 6 months)*	Facilities
Twin room with private or shared bathroom	US\$1,200 ~ US\$1,300 (including three meals per day)	bed, desk, chair, closet, bookshelf, telephone ※ No kitchen facilities

➤ exchange rates applied: USD 1=KRW 1,100

※ Academic Year of Korean Universities (based on 16-week semesters)

Spring semester: Early March ~ late June

Fall semester: Early September ~ late December



Why Busan?

Busan serves as a gateway, opening the Eurasian continent to the world. It is the second-largest city in Korea, with a population of 3.6 million people, and hosts one of the world's five super hub ports.

The Busan International Film Festival (BIFF) and the Busan Cinema Center, located in Centum City, are positioning the city at the top of Asia's cultural contents industries. Busan also is developing into an international financial hub representing Northeast Asia, as well as rapidly becoming a globally-recognized MICE (Meetings, Incentives, Conferences, and Exhibitions) city by successfully playing host to a number of international exhibitions and conventions each year.

Busan is a city with an abundance of natural beauty, beloved by foreign and domestic tourists alike. It is a city filled with festivals and excitement year-round, ensuring a high quality of life for everyone. Busan is a city of opportunity with a bright future. Come see for yourself!

※ For more information on Busan go to <http://english.busan.go.kr>





• from Seoul, Korea

- ✈ 55 min. by plane
- 🚄 2 hrs. 45 min. by train (KTX)
- 🚌 4 hrs. 20 min. by bus



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