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## International Summer School "Asia and Regional Intergration"



July 28-August 16, 2008

#### **Organized by**

Graduate School of International Studies, Seoul National University, Korea In collaboration with Graduate School of Asia-Pacific Studies, Waseda University, Japan and School of Economics, Peking University, China

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## **Objective** & Features



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The objective of the International Summer School is to educate students from East Asia and around the world about the politics, economy, and society of Korea, Japan, and China in order to examine ways to establish peace and co-prosperity by regional integration. Students will have opportunities to learn and discuss diverse ways for deepening integration in East Asia.

Participants are junior and senior undergraduate students or post-graduates from Korea, Japan, China and other parts of the world with a strong background in Political Science, International Relations, Economics, Business and Regional Studies.

### **Features of International Summer School**

#### The Most Prestigious Asian Universities

The program is made up of lectures and workshops that will be offered respectively by professors and experts of Seoul National University, Korea, Waseda University, Japan and Peking University, China for three consecutive weeks. The first week of International Summer School will be held at Shanghai, China; the second week at Tokyo, Japan; the third week at Seoul, Korea.

#### Special Courses offered at the Hearts of Asia

The course agenda for each week will be divided into two parts. In the first half, students will be introduced to the politics and economy of the respective Asian nation in which they are studying. During the second half, students will learn about the principles of regional integration in Asia from the perspective of each country. A final wrap-up is prepared at the end of the summer school in Korea.

#### Wealth of Asian Traditional Lore

The Summer School will offer a unique setting for students to gather together and learn from each other as they satisfy their intellectual curiosities and explore historical and cultural values of each country. Excellent resources from the most prestigious universities in Asia will be made available to students, as they gain deeper mutual understanding with participating students from neighboring countries.



# Program & Faculty

### Examples of core courses (subject to change)

#### In Korea

- Korean Politics in Transition Inter-Korean Relations
- Korean Economy and Globalization
- Korean Firms in a Globalizing World
- Regional integration in Asia
  : a Lesson from Europe
- Regionalism in Asia and Korea's External Economic Strategy
- Korea and Security Cooperation in Asia

#### In Japan

- Human Security in Asia and the Role of Japan
- Regionalization in East Asia and Japan's FTA Strategy
- •Japan's economic reform and its opportunities for East Asian Economies
- Perception of Foreign Countries and 'Asian Consciousness' in East Asia
- The East Asian Community and the Role of Law
- Japan and Evolution of Asian Regionalism

#### In China

- Introduction to Chinese Culture
- Chinese Population and Development
- China's Contemporary Politics System
- China's Newspapers and New media
- Banks and Financial Markets in China
- China's Trade and Global Economic Integration

## **Field Trips**

**FIEIC** trips to political institutions and business firms make up the central pillar of the program. For instance, students visiting Seoul are scheduled to visit Samsung Electronics (or Hyundai Motors), in addition to customary cultural sites including the visit to the DMZ. Similar field trips are scheduled to take place in Shanghai and Tokyo.

- Visits to Political Institutions
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- (i.e. DMZ in Korea, Yasukuni Shrine in Japan, etc)



### **Credits**

Students who successfully complete the program are allowed to receive 3 credits from Seoul National University. Students are expected to take a total of 48hours of course work, which consists of eight classes (2hours each) for each of the 3 countries.

## Faculty

The faculty of the Summer School consists of famous scholars, businessmen, and politicians in Korea, Japan, and China along with other international experts on integration issues. The faculty will provide a wide range of lectures, seminars, and discussion sessions in each field.

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## Application & Schedule

## Application

The Graduate School of Internationals Studies welcomes application from students who are interested in Asian cultures and academia.

All application materials must arrive at GSIS SNU by the application dead line.

Online Application	gsis@snu.ac.	kr			
Offline Application	Mi-Jung Choi, GSIS, Seoul National University				
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	Telephone	+82-2-880-4047			
	Fax	+82-2-889-8524			
	E-mail	mijung23@snu.ac.kr			
Application Deadline	June 10. 200	8			

### **Accommodation**

All participants will be staying at the dormitory or guest house of each hosting institutions in Korea, Japan, and China (2 people per room). Breakfast and Lunch, unless otherwise indicated, will be offered at the university restaurants of each hosting country.



#### **Sche**dule

Admissions Decision	June 16, 2008
Payment Deadline	June 30, 2008
Courses begin	July 28, 2008
Graduation	August 16, 2008



## Fees, Visa & Travels

## **Participation Fee for International Students**

I he participation fee includes registration, tuition, accommodation, half-board, public transportation, documentation, excursions and, cultural program.

Registration and Tuition	US \$ 1,200
Meals and Accommodation (2 persons /room)	US \$ 1,500
Airfares (Seoul-Tokyo and Tokyo-Shanghai)	US \$ 1,200
Total program Fee	US \$ 3,900

#### **Payment Method**

Bank Name	NACF
Account Number	079-01-455638
Swift Code	NACFKRSEXXX
Address	Seoul National University Branch Gwanak-no 599, Gwanak-gu, Seoul, Korea
Zip Code	151-742
Telephone	+82-2-880-4047
Fax	+82-2-889-8524

## **Visa and Other Travel Information**

All accepted international students are recommended to receive their visas individually. If necessary, the official letter of acceptance can be used for obtaining entry visa to Korea. Students are responsible for contacting the Korean consulate to check for visa requirements. Please visit <u>http://www.g4f.go.kr</u> to get more information on visa issues. (Also for China and Japan students must receive their visas from each country.) All participating students are required to take their travel insurance on their own charge.



## Participating Universities

#### Graduate School of International Studies, Seoul National University

Secul National University (SNU) is the nation's leading university, incomparable to any other private or public universities in Korea in its quality of education, students, and research, as well as in its influence on Korean society. SNU today is comprised of 16 colleges and five graduate schools, including the Graduate School of International Studies (GSIS). The main campus, Gwanak, occupies an area of 4.795 square km. SNU has a student enrollment of 32,000: 23,000 at the undergraduate level and 9,000 at the graduate level. Currently the university's 264,000 alumni are playing leading roles in every corner of the Korean society.

The Graduate School of International Studies (GSIS) was established on March 1, 1997 to offer multi-disciplinary education to its students and to train international and area specialists. The GSIS offers two-year postgraduate MA programs in the fields of international commerce, international cooperation, international area studies and Korean

studies. All of these programs are conducted in English, further integrating GSIS as a natural academic hub for East Asia.

With its rich history, steadfast foundation, and the school's close collaboration with other colleges of Seoul National University, GSIS is the nation's leading institution educating international experts and area specialists. As a member of the Association of Professional Schools in International Affairs (APSIA), GSIS is well recognized abroad.



#### Graduate School of Asia-Pacific Studies, Waseda University

Founded in 1882, Waseda University is one of Japan's top private coeducational institutions of higher learning. Waseda University established the Waseda University Institute for Asia-Pacific Studies (WIAPS) in 1997 to build an educational network for the region and to serve as an international focal point for the advancement of learning on the Asia-Pacific region. The WIAPS became the launch pad for the establishment of the Graduate School of Asia-Pacific Studies (GSAPS) in April 1998, the first completely independent graduate school in the history of Waseda University. The founding principle of GSAPS is the use of an interdisciplinary, global, and local approach to analyze and understand the complex political, economic, industrial, managerial, social, and cultural

dimensions of the Asia-Pacific region. GSAPS aims to educate professionals who possess a high level of specialized knowledge and those who will give back to the community, contributing to the current societal development.

GSAPS offers courses of study leading to both masters and doctoral degrees in two major fields of study: International Relations and International Management. Both major fields of study maintain their separate characteristics, but they complement and support each other to create an optimal learning and research environment.



### School of Economics, Peking University

Peking University is a comprehensive and key national university, consisting of 30 colleges and 12 departments. The institution offers 93 specialties for undergraduates, two specialties for a second Bachelor's degree, 199 specialties for master's candidates, and 173 specialties for doctoral candidates.

The School of Economics is one of the most prominent economics research institutions in China, with a strong faculty made up of both distinguished senior scholars and a large number of young academic leaders. Currently, it has six academic departments, including the Department of Economics, the Department of International Economics and Trade, and the Department of Finance. The graduate program offers master's degrees in seven major fields and doctoral degrees in six fields. The school also has 12 research institutes and one post-doctoral research sta-

tion, which was the first of its kind ever established in China. In 2005, the school had a total of over 8,000 students (including 119 foreign students).

The School of Economics aims at becoming one of the best economics institutions in Asia with worldwide influence. Led by the Dean, Professor Wei Liu, the school is actively expanding its key resources and working diligently to achieve its goals through research and teaching excellence.



# Hear what our participants have to say



#### Hye-Rim Kim Seoul National University

**Through** this program I learned a more comprehensive picture that has shaped East Asian regional integration and have deeper insights and analytical skills. True integration cannot be realized without working to generate a shared vision of understanding and cooperation. East Asia should develop its own way considering historical differences between Europe and Asia.

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#### Mizuno Sunao Waseda University

It is no doubt that the Asian century is coming up. In the next few decades we will be going to experience an economic power shift toward Asia. Our young generations in these countries might become the leaders of the new era. This summer school has been the actual step for that stream with meaningful programs of politics, economics, and cultural studies.



#### Song Danyang Peking University

really appreciate to get such an opportunity to study with Korean and Japanese students, and we have built up a deep friendship between each other. I have learned very much from this program, not only from the wonderful lectures, but also from the variedly field trips. The three weeks program will be one of the best memories in my life.



## **Application Form**

Please type in English, your name should be indicated as it appears in your passport.												
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#### Institution address for official transcript

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#### Permanent Address

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Phone	
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#### Person to be notified in case of emergency

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Telephone	E-mail	



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I declare that the information contained above is accurate and true. If there is any falsity in the submitted materials, I will take a full responsibility.

Date of Application	
Applicant's Name	
Applicant's Signature	

Please attach the following documents with this application. All documents should be written in English

- 1. Resume
- 2. Statement of Purpose (1-2 pages typed)
- 3. A copy of transcript (undergraduate and graduate school)

Interview schedule will be notified individually to those who successfully passed document screening. All Interviews will be performed in as well as in English



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