



## [KU GSIS] LETTER OF ADMISSION

Date: 6/16/2026(mm/dd/yyyy)

### Dear Admitted Applicants,

Congratulations on your successful admission to the Korea University Graduate School of International Studies (KU GSIS)! We are delighted to welcome you to our academic community and are confident that your experience at KU GSIS will be both intellectually stimulating and personally rewarding.

We are pleased to offer you admission as a full-time student in the following program:

<b>PROGRAM</b>	<b>Korea University Graduate School of International Studies Degree Program</b>
<b>STUDY PERIOD</b>	<b>2 years (4 semesters)</b>
<b>FIRST SEMESTER</b>	<b>Fall, 09/01/2026(mm/dd/yyyy) ~ 12/18/2026(mm/dd/yyyy)</b>
<b>ORIENTATION DATE</b>	<b>08/07/2026(mm/dd/yyyy), 11:00 AM (KST) (<i>tentative</i>)</b>
<b>COURSE REGISTRATION</b>	<b>08/11/2026(mm/dd/yyyy) ~ 08/15/2026(mm/dd/yyyy) (<i>tentative</i>)</b>

This Letter of Admission includes key information you will need to begin your studies, so please read it carefully.

### A. ORIGINAL DOCUMENT SUBMISSION FOR ADMISSION: **July 1 ~ July 13, 2026**

All admitted students **MUST** submit **ALL** the original version of the required documents to the address below by the deadline, **July 13<sup>th</sup>, 2026**.

Address: (02841) Administration Team of Graduate School of International Studies  
Room #223, International Studies Hall, Korea University  
145 Anam-ro, Seongbuk-gu, Seoul, KOREA  
E-mail: [gsisadmin@korea.ac.kr](mailto:gsisadmin@korea.ac.kr) / -Tel: +82-2-3290-1393~4

Please refer to the Admission Guidelines on the [LINK](#) for a detailed checklist and instruction.

Failure to submit the original documents **by July 13<sup>th</sup>, 2026** will result in automatic disqualification for admission.

### B. STUDENT VISA (D-2) APPLICATION

All international students must obtain Korean Student Visa (D-2) from the Korea Embassy or Consulate in their country before entering Korea. To apply, you will need a **Certificate of Admission(CoA)** from Korea University, which will be issued and sent by email after the following steps are completed:

1. Submission of All the Original Documents
2. Submission of Admission Acceptance Form
3. Tuition Payment (details provided separately via email).

For exact visa application procedure, please contact your local Korean Embassy/Consulate in advance.

**If there is any change to your passport information during the admission process before the issuance of the COA, Please inform us as early as possible.**

### C. COURSE REGISTRATION

All KU GSIS courses are offered **in English**. The list of course offerings in the upcoming Spring 2026 will be available on the Graduate Course Registration System ▶ <http://sugang.korea.ac.kr/graduate> from **the beginning of February**.

In this system, you can also search the courses offered in the past.

- Search Course - Graduate Course → Enter the 'year' and 'semester' → Select 'International Studies' → 'Search'

You will be guided through course registration during new students' orientation (08/07/2026(mm/dd/yyyy)).

In the meantime, we encourage you to take time to explore potential courses in advance.

## D. HOUSING

a) On-Campus Housing: International Student Residence

Graduate students may apply for a single/double/triple room at **Anam Global House**:

- ▶ Application: <https://dorm.korea.ac.kr/front/content/19>
- ▶ Contact: [reslife\\_grad@korea.ac.kr](mailto:reslife_grad@korea.ac.kr) | +82-2-3290-1555

Use your application number (e.g., GSM262xxx) in place of a KU student ID when applying.

- **Online Application Period:** 07/06/2026 (11:00 KST) – 07/09/2026 (17:00 KST)
- **Result Announcement:** 07/17 (10:00 KST) – 07/26, 2026
- **Payment Period:** 07/17 (10:00 KST) – 07/26, 2026
- **Check-in Date:** 08/26/2026
- **Check-out Dates:** 12/28/2026 (4-month), 02/14/2027 (6-month)
- ▶ Announcements: [https://dorm.korea.ac.kr/front/board/5/post/6438?search\\_field=TITLE&search\\_keyword=2026](https://dorm.korea.ac.kr/front/board/5/post/6438?search_field=TITLE&search_keyword=2026)  
\* Please check the KU dormitory website for the newest and accurate information.

b) OFF-CAMPUS HOUSING:

Due to the limited capacity on campus, most international students live off-campus. It is your responsibility to secure your accommodation in this case.

- ▶ Reference: <https://gsc.korea.ac.kr/usr/international/accommodation.do>

## E. ORIENTATION

All new international students **must attend** the orientation for course registration and general onboarding.

- **Date/Time:** 08/07/2026(mm/dd/yyyy), 11:00 AM (KST) \*(tentative)\*
- **Venue:** International Studies Hall, Korea University

Orientation will be conducted in **hybrid or online format**.

Updates will be sent via email, so please ensure your contact information is up to date.

## F. MANDATORY NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE

As of March 1, 2021, all D-2 visa holders are automatically enrolled in Korea's National Health Insurance (NHIS).

No separate sign-up is required. (F visa holders automatically sign up six months after entering Korea)

- **For new arrivals:** insurance becomes valid from the date of Alien Registration.
- **For previously registered foreigners:** insurance becomes valid from the re-entry date.

For inquiries, call the NHIS Center: +82-33-811-2000

## G. KOREA UNIVERSITY STUDENT HEALTH COVER (Optional)

In addition to NHIS, KU offers Student Health Cover (SHC). If you pay the optional SHC fee with tuition, you can receive free minor medical care at the KU Student Health Service Center and a discount on services at KU or other hospitals.

- ▶ Contact: +82-2-3290-1571~3

## H. USEFUL LINKS

For more information, please check the websites below:

- Academic Calendar: <https://int.korea.edu> → Graduate Program → Academic Calendar
- Course Listing: <http://sugang.korea.ac.kr/graduate/>  
(Search Course - Graduate Course → Put the 'year' and 'semester' → Click 'International Studies' → 'Search')

Once again, please note that once we finalize the confirmation of **both Submission of Original Documents & Admission Acceptance Forms(sent by separate email attachment), and Tuition Payments** for all the admitted students who wish to enroll, we will be able to issue and email out your Certificate of Admission(CoA).

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact us. We look forward to welcoming you to Korea University and wish you every success in your academic journey.

Sincerely,



**KOREA UNIVERSITY**  
Graduate School of International Studies

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