

<Asia Society Korea: 2023 Voice of Youth>

Since 2018, Asia Society Korea has been supporting talented young minds who wish to refine and achieve their academic pursuits beyond the boundary of the school. Listening to the voices of the younger generation, “Voice of Youth” is a program that supports student research on diverse issues that impact both South Korea and the world.

Asia Society Korea is recruiting for the sixth class of the **Voice of Youth (VOY)** program. This exciting opportunity to expand your research ability will support you by providing research funding, research assistance, networking opportunities, and publication. In addition, you will receive a certificate of completion upon report submission, along with a book containing the works of all participants.

1. Research Topics (Topics can be chosen freely within the four main subject areas)

- **Arts & Culture:** Research in various areas such as art, music, literature, and culture.
- **Education:** Research on the education system of developed countries along with policy suggestions.
- **Policy & Society:** Research on East Asian political issues and domestic social issues.
- **Business & Economy:** Research on prospects for future industries and economic development.

2. Qualifications

- University students in South Korea.
*Applicants who are in the process of completing bachelor’s/master’s/doctoral courses at a South Korean university, or who are expected to enroll this year.
- Majoring in a relevant field.
- Able to participate in various events during the program.
- An interest in current affairs and social issues.
- Able to research and write in English.

3. Benefits

- Networking opportunities and research assistance will be provided.
- Invitations to attend monthly luncheons and seminars hosted by Asia Society Korea.
- Final research papers will be published in a special volume and a VOY program certificate will be awarded.
- Asia Society Korea's Student Membership will be given to the researcher with the most outstanding performance.
- Maximum of 1,000,000 KRW will be funded towards research.

4. 2023 Schedule

- May 4, 2023, at 18:00: Deadline for applications.

- May 10-12, 2023: 30-minute interviews
- May 18, 2023: Selection process completed.
- May 2023: Orientation.
- June 2023: Deadline for revised research proposals and budget plan.
- June 2023: Interim check for research projects.
- July 2023: Deadline for final research draft submissions.
- August 2023: Presentations and awards ceremony.

** Dates are prone to be affected by external changes.*

5. Required Documents

- 2023 VOY Application Form (application form attached) (1)
- Reference material that proves your research ability (writing sample) (1)

6. Number of Available Slots

- Researchers: 5~10 (depending on the number and quality of the applications).
- Application: Due by April 20, 2023, at 18:00 KST.
- Please e-mail your application with provided application form and writing samples to koreacenter@asiasociety.org.

7. Note

- We do not accept postal, in-person, or phone inquiries.
- Submitted documents will not be returned.