Konkuk University, which is conveniently located in Seoul, is one of the leading comprehensive private universities in Korea, generally regarded as one of the top 10 universities out of over 170 universities and colleges in Korea. The university has over 1,300 full-time faculty members and over 1,300 part-time instructors, offering 120 undergraduate, 74 graduate, and 64 doctoral degrees. The university has an enrollment of about 26,850 students including around 6,000 graduate students. The university is renowned for its research, having over 70 research centers and institutes. Some of the better or best known academic disciplines include Real Estate, Economics, Business & Public Administration, Political Science, Humanities, Veterinary Medicine, Aeronautical Engineering, Bio-molecular Science, Industrial Design, Animal Resources and Technology.

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Highlights of the Program
- 100% On-campus Housing Guaranteed
- Variety of Courses offered in English (Transferable Credits)
- Small-sized Classes
- Field Trips to Historical Places in Korea
- Weekend Programs to enhance understanding of Korean culture
- Strong Administrative Support from the Office of International Programs (Orientation, Student Study Tours, etc.)
- Building International Networks

Academic Courses
ISP offers various courses taught in English and many of them can be transferred to your home university. Each credit is equivalent to 15 hours of classes and students can choose to take up to 6 credits or 3 credits for each course. The final class schedule and class registration will be ready in early June (i.e. soon after the application deadline). For your reference, please see the 2013 ISP course list below.

Field of Study Credit
Business & Economics 3
Economics of Innovation and Technology
3 Current Issues of the Global Economy
3 Operations and Supply Chain Management
3 International Corporate Finance
3

Credit Transfers & Transcript
Soon after the completion of ISP, at student’s request, the official transcript of the summer program will be sent to the student’s home university. Most partner universities accept KU’s credits and grades, however, students are advised to confirm with their home institutions prior to application and registration to the program.

How to Apply
All applicants must be capable of carrying on college-level work in English. All applicants should be currently enrolled in an accredited college or university. We strongly recommend students from certain countries to provide recent evidence that your spoken and written command of English is adequate for the program. This is to ensure that your academic progress is not hindered by language difficulties. The required evidence may take the form of one of the following:
- Substantial education (min. two years) conducted in English
- English language test results (minimum of 60 in TOEFL IBT or 6.0 in IELTS)
Please consult with the study abroad advisor at your home institution to find out if you are required to provide any evidence for your English proficiency.

Required Documents for Application
Applicants must follow the following steps by email: sshlab@konkuk.ac.kr:
1. Completed Application Form
2. Academic Transcript from Home University (in English)
3. One Passport Photograph
4. Copy of International Travel Insurance (i.e. covered in Korea)
5. Application Fee: KRW 100,000 (non-refundable / waived for exchange students)

The application fee must be wire-transferred to the account below with the name of the applicant along with the online application in order for the application to be processed. Please pay all transaction fees and make the KRW 100,000 payment to the Konkuk University account.

Account Number & Beneficiary Name: Shikshin Bank (Konkuk University) 01030170010129

Application Deadline: May 31, 2014
All application documents must arrive at the Office of International Programs by May 31, 2014.

Room & Board [KU House]
All ISP participants will be guaranteed with a double occupancy room in KU House upon their request. This ultra-modern dormitory complex is located in the heart of our campus and overlooks the picturesque 8-lane lake. Each room is completely furnished with two single beds, mattresses, desks, chairs, study lamps, wardrobes, and an Ethernet connection, air-conditioning and private bathroom. Various communal facilities exist for resident convenience (laundry, lounge room, convenience store, etc.). Students may purchase meal coupons to eat at the student cafeteria located in KU House.

Visa
Upon acceptance to the summer program, applicants will be issued with an Issuance Letter from Konkuk University. All applicants must submit this letter along with other documents required by the Korean consulate or embassy in their respective countries in order to obtain a C-3 visa. Applicants from countries with Visa Waiver Agreements with the Republic of Korea may enter without a visa. (Korean Immigration Bureau – http://www.Visa.go.kr/main/main_en.html)

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If you are arriving at Konkuk before the dormitory opening dates or leaving Konkuk after the dormitory closing dates, you will be required to pay for your extra nights. The room rate for the extra night is KRW 800,000/night.

Participants can look for off-campus housing but are strongly recommended to use on-campus housing. It is less expensive to rent private housing in Seouls especially when it is only for a month.

Students applying by April 15, 2014 will be eligible for a KRW 50,000 tuition discount.

Students are only eligible for one of the discounts listed above.