

Spring 2021 ADMISSION

GRADUATE SCHOOL OF INTERNATIONAL STUDIES EWHHA WOMANS UNIVERSITY

EDUCATIONAL GOALS

Ewha GSIS is a center of academic training and research that produces global professionals with the ability to conduct theoretical analysis about the phenomena and characteristics of expanding and developing global society and to apply such knowledge to real world issues. Since its establishment in 1997, Ewha GSIS has been Korea's leading professional graduate school of international studies and is still devoting its efforts to become a competitive center for cultivating professional female global leaders, not only in Asia but also in the world. With the nation's most prominent faculty body constituted of both Koreans and international experts, an excellent job placement record for graduates, domestic and foreign internship experiences, diverse interchanges with foreign institutions/organizations, and distinguished Ph.D. programs, Ewha GSIS continues to be at the forefront of international education in Korea. Students of Ewha GSIS will be offered Ewha's specialized curriculum, multi-dimensional courses for each concentration taught by regional experts and field specialists, and practice-oriented case studies and academic research that will cultivate global leaders with the highest globally competitive capabilities. Moreover, since the Department of Korean Studies joined Ewha GSIS in 2006, Ewha GSIS has experienced even greater levels of academic synergy.

ACADEMIC PROGRAM

1. International Studies Program

The International Studies Program offers all courses taught in English in the areas of International Trade, International Business, Development Cooperation, and International Relations. Students develop systematically the academic and practical capability required for each concentration. In addition, each student individually builds a specialized field by selecting from a unique matrix curriculum, known as the Certificate Program, which includes Negotiations and Conflict Management, East Asian Studies, Global and Regional Cooperation, Global Social Responsibility, International Legal Studies, International Public Relations, Multiple Stakeholder Engagement and Global Women's Studies. Upon completion of these courses the student receives a certificate. Students participate in internship programs offered by renowned domestic and international institutions that have strategic alliances with Ewha GSIS, acquiring opportunities for field experiences and to receive active career consultations. Moreover, students can pursue a second Master's degree at George Washington University (GWU) through the Ewha-GWU dual M.I.S. degree program.

International Trade

The International Trade concentration is designed to meet the growing need for international trade specialists in Korea and abroad. This program studies the theory, formulation, and history of international trade and negotiation. Students also are expected to develop a broad understanding of how economic, business, and political factors interact in shaping the international trade environment.

International Business

The International Business concentration is designed for students who wish to pursue internationally oriented careers in various kinds of private and public sectors dealing primarily with international business and management. This program offers special expertise in international business, finance, and management.

Development Cooperation

Development Cooperation prepares students for future work in various multilateral and bilateral international organizations with a special emphasis on international development. Through an interdisciplinary array of courses in economic development, democracy, and international development cooperation in developing countries, students in this major acquire a broader understanding of the processes of economic, political, and social change and development in the developing world.

International Relations

International Relations aims to train students to cope better with the ever-changing dynamics of international affairs. This concentration is designed for students interested in international law and organizations, diplomatic relations, global governance, and international conflict. Students in this program are trained to have expertise in the areas of conflict management, regional and global integration, the generation of collective goods, and collective decision making in the international arena.

2. Korean Studies Program

The Korean Studies Program is for people who ponder the question of what Korea is, people who are interested in pursuing an in-depth study of Korea, and people with an affinity for and enthusiasm toward Korean studies. The Korean Studies Program is designed to provide students with both theoretical and practical training in building a concrete perspective about Korean culture and language through a multifaceted study of Korean society, culture, language, socio-psychological structure, and values. The program also aims to enhance students' capability to research and teach Korean as a foreign language as well as enable students to obtain professional knowledge for developing pedagogical skills and the ability to evaluate materials for Teaching Korean as a Foreign Language. As such, the Korean Studies Program encompasses two fields: Korean Culture and Teaching Korean as a Foreign Language.

Korean Culture

Through various research methodologies and with an interdisciplinary approach combining anthropological, theological and other perspectives, the Korean Culture program pursues a many-sided study of Korean society, culture, socio-psychological structure, and values. The program also aims to cultivate cultural analysis skills and suggests new perspectives regarding elements of Korean culture such as religions, folkways, history, and the arts.

Teaching Korean as a Foreign Language

With recognition that Teaching Korean as a Foreign Language (TKFL) is one dynamic subfield of Applied Linguistics, both the M.A. and Ph.D. programs in TKFL have prepared a systematic and comprehensive curriculum that specializes in the acquisition, analysis, pedagogy, and use of Korean as a foreign language. The M.A. program provides both pre- and in-service professional training in TKFL to produce competent and knowledgeable teachers of KFL to teach and conduct research at KFL institutions both domestic and abroad. The Ph.D. program in TKFL recruits and trains a critical mass of Korean applied linguists, who will become thoroughly familiar with theory and research in such areas of specialization as Korean Second Language Acquisition and Korean for Specific Purposes and capable of conducting independent and in-depth research in issues of KFL.

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Degree Programs

Department	Programs	Concentrations
International Studies	a. Master's Program b. Ph.D. Program c. Combined Master's & Doctoral program d. Non-degree Program (Master's Level / Ph.D. Level)	- International Trade - International Business - Development Cooperation - International Relations
Korean Studies	a. Master's Program b. Ph.D. Program c. Non-degree Program (Master's Level / Ph.D. Level)	- Korean Culture - Teaching Korean as a Foreign Language

* Non-degree Program (Research students)

- (1) Up to two courses (6 credits) may be taken per semester, for a maximum of two semesters.
- (2) Credits earned during non-degree status can NOT be transferred into a degree program.

Eligibility

- **Master's Program/Combined Master's and Doctoral program/Non-degree Program:**
Applicant must have completed a four-year-course university or university-equivalent courses and acquired Bachelor's degree as of February 2021.
- **Ph.D. Program/Non-degree Program:**
Applicant must have completed post-graduate course and acquired Masters' degree as of February 2021.
- Unless applicant obtains a degree by her entrance date, admission shall be cancelled.
- Exceptions may be made in cases where the start date of the academic year or semester is on a later date than those of Korea's by one month or less according to the concerned country's school system.

Application Schedule

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	Schedule	Remarks
Submission of (online) Application Forms and Documents	From October 13 (Tue.) to October 29 (Thu.), 2020 17:00	* After online application, submit the printed application form to Ewha GSIS office with supporting documents. Website for online application will be announced on our website. Late delivery of documents will be accepted only with domestic postmark stamped within the submission period. * International applicants or those who reside outside of Korea can submit the hard copies by post or email. <u>International students can send documents by e-mail to gsis97@ewha.ac.kr by 5pm on October 29 (Thu.), 2020. E-mail should include scanned</u>

		<u>copies of all original documents except recommendation letters (should be sent by recommenders). Applicants who send application materials by email have to submit the hard copies of the documents to be arrived by November 2 (Mon.), 2020.</u> * Refrain from submitting documents in person in order to prevent infections.
Notification for Document Screening Result (for International/Korean Studies)	November 10 (Tue.), 2020 17:00 (Tentative)	Ewha GSIS website (http://gsis.ewha.ac.kr)
Interview (only for applicants who passed documents screening)	November 14 (Sat.), 2020 For International Studies, from 9:00 For Korean Studies, from 14:00	Ewha GSIS website (http://gsis.ewha.ac.kr) * Interview Method (on-site/video) will be notified later.
Final Acceptance Notification	November 27 (Fri.), 2020, 17:00 (Tentative)	Ewha GSIS website (http://gsis.ewha.ac.kr)

- **Mailing Address:** International Education Building #1102, Graduate School of International Studies, Ewha Womans University, 52 Ewhoyeodae-gil, Seodaemun-gu, Seoul, 03760, Republic of Korea

Selection Process

- **Document Screening**
- **Interview** (Only for applicants who passed document screening)

Required Documents

- * Applicants should submit original documents or copies authorized by the originating institution.
- * Submitted documents or records will not be returned to the applicant in any case.
If documents required cannot be reissued, copies certified by Ewha GSIS office or the issuing institution or consulate are acceptable.
- * International Studies applicants must submit all application documents in English, whereas Korean Studies applicants, in Korean.
- * Documents which are not in Korean or English must be notarized with translation.

1. Required Documents (Both International Studies and Korean Studies Applicants)

Documents to be submitted	Notes
Application form	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♦ Korean applicants are required to submit printed application form after completing on-line application procedure. (Application website will be informed later in GSIS website) ♦ Foreign applicants don't need to apply on-line. Please submit the hard copies to the GSIS office directly.
Diploma(s) or Certificate of (expected) graduation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♦ Doctoral program applicants are required to submit original copy of their undergraduate diploma and master's program degree. ♦ <u>A Bachelor/Master's degree holder in China are required to submit a certificate of (prospective) diploma from the last school attended, as well as an English version certificate of degree from the '中國高等教育學歷查詢報告'</u>

	<p>(www.chsi.com.cn) (China Higher Education Student Information and Career Center) or, from the 中國學位認證報告'(www.cdgd.edu.cn) (China Academic Degrees and Graduate Education Development Center).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♦ If English version is not available, certificates have to be translated and notarized.
Official transcript of academic records	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♦ Doctoral program applicants are required to submit original copy of their undergraduate transcript and master's program transcript. ♦ Graduates of Chinese schools should submit a transcript of academic record from the last school attended, as well as an English version certificate of transcript, from the '中國高等教育學歷查詢報告' (www.chsi.com.cn). ♦ If English version is not available, certificates have to be translated and notarized. ♦ Students with double degree or transferred record must submit official transcripts from all institutions they have attended ♦ Please do not open these envelopes.
International Students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♦ A copy of Passport ♦ Language Proficiency Requirement
A certificate of former employment	※ Only for applicable candidates.

2. Additional Requirements for Each Department

Dept.	Documents	Master's	Combined M-D program	Doctoral	Remarks
International Studies	Statement of Purpose (Form 1-3)	Submit	N/A	N/A	250-500 words in English
	Study Plan (Form 1-3)	N/A	Submit	Submit	In English (No limit in page)
	Two Letters of Recommendation (Form 1-4)	N/A	Submit	Submit	Only Doctoral/Combined applicants have to submit Recommendation Letters (Two letters)
Korean Studies	Statement of Purpose (Form 1-8)	Submit	N/A	Submit	
	One letter of recommendation (Form 1-9)	Submit	N/A	Submit	One letter

* The letter of recommendation should be kept confidential. The letter should be directly mailed to the GSIS main office, or if the applicant delivers the letter by hand, the envelope must be sealed and signed by the recommender.

3. Additional requirements for international students

(1) Language Proficiency Requirement: Applicants must meet one of the following language requirements (Please submit the original copy)

<p>* Only Language Proficiency test scores obtained after March 1, 2019 are considered valid.</p> <p>* Only test results/certificates which are turned in within submission deadline are accepted.</p> <p>[Applicants for Department of International Studies]</p> <p>A. Applicant who has the following English proficiency test scores or above in TOEFL (PBT 530, CBT 197, iBT 71), IELTS 5.5, TEPS 600 (New TEPS 327), TOEIC 605.</p> <p>B. Applicants who have obtained a high school diploma or a degree from an institution in English speaking</p>
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countries.

C. Applicants who have been recognized by Ewha Womans University as possessing sufficient proficiency in English language.

[Applicants for Department of Korean Studies]

A. Applicants who have obtained a 4th level certificate or above in Test of Proficiency in Korean (TOPIK).

B. Applicants who have completed level 4 or above from a Korean language course at the Ewha Language Center.

C. Applicants who have completed level 4 or above from a Korean language course administered by educational institutions affiliated with regular 4-year universities in Korea

D. Applicants who have obtained a high school diploma or a degree from an institution taught in Korean.

E. Applicants who have been recognized by Ewha Womans University as possessing sufficient proficiency in Korean language.

F. Applicant who has the following English proficiency test scores or above in TOEFL (PBT 530, CBT 197, iBT 71), IELTS 5.5, TEPS 600 (New TEPS 327), TOEIC 605.

G. Applicants who have obtained a high school diploma or a degree from an institution in English speaking countries.

Application Fee

Online Application	For international students / If online application is not available
Application Fee: 80,000 KRW <ul style="list-style-type: none">♦ Payment via online system.♦ Application Fee includes online application system fee.♦ When applying via postal submission, application fee has to be paid within the given application period. <u>If not, the application can be cancelled.</u>	Application Fee: 80,000 KRW <ul style="list-style-type: none">♦ Please wire the fee to the following bank account:<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Name of Bank: Shin Han Bank- Swift Code: SHBKKRSE- Branch Name: Ewha Womans University Branch- Address: 52 Ewhayeodae-gil, Seodaemun-gu, Seoul, 03760, Korea- Account No.: 100-027-212819- Depositor: Ewha Womans University(이화여자대학교)♦ Please make sure to transfer the fee <u>under the applicant's name.</u>

Scholarships

- Merit-based Scholarships offered by the University and GSIS
- Private Scholarships
- Supports students' participation at overseas internship programs

Note

- Any matters which are not specified in this admissions guide will be pursuant to the decisions of the Ewha GSIS Admissions Review Committee.
- **Application**
 1. Applicants who have attended more than two colleges or universities should write down all schools they have attended on the application form.
 2. Once the application is registered, cancellation of the application is not available, and the documents and admission fee are not subject to be returned to the applicant.

3. Applicants will not be accepted if they fail to submit the required documents by the deadline, even though on-line application is completed. Also, documents that are submitted after the application deadline will not be taken into account in the evaluation.
4. No submitted documents or records will be returned to the applicant.
5. If admitted, certificates (including transcripts, diplomas, etc.) given by foreign institutions, students must submit the “Confirmation documents from a foreign educational institute”, or “Confirmation document from consulate or embassy” which are certified and verified by the Korean Embassy where the institution is located by **February 19, 2021**. If the students are from countries with Apostille treaty, they can submit an “Apostille certificate” issued by the government where the institute is located.
 *** A Bachelor/Master’s degree holder in China ***
 is required to submit a certificate of (prospective) diploma, and a transcript of academic record from the last school attended, as well as an English version certificate of degree and academic transcript, from the ‘中國高等教育學歷查詢報告’ (www.chsi.com.cn) (China Higher Education Student Information and Career Center) or, from the 中國學位認證報告’(www.cdgd.edu.cn) (China Academic Degrees and Graduate Education Development Center). (Only certificate without expiration date is accepted. ‘Online Verification Report’, which has expiration date, is not accepted.)
 ** If English version is not available, the certificates have to be translated and notarized.
6. Students who have submitted the Certificate of Prospective Diploma when registering online application must submit the Certificate of Diploma by February 26, 2021.
7. GSIS office may ask an applicant to submit additional documents not listed above, if there is a need to verify the authenticity of submitted documents.

● Evaluation Process

1. Applicants who do not attend the interview will have their application to be terminated.
2. Applicants should bring their national ID card and admission ticket to the interview. Possession or use of a cell phone or other device is not allowed during the interview.
3. Details of the evaluation process and scores shall not be disclosed.
4. Even scored applicants will be treated according to the rules of Ewha Graduate School Admission.
5. Even if the number of applicants is fewer than the volume of recruitment, applicants who do not meet the academic requirements of Ewha GSIS, will be refused admission according to the Ewha Admission Review Committee.
6. In cases where the applicant is found to be ineligible for application, or has made any misrepresentation/ alteration to the submitted documents (including those submitted by proxy), or has perpetrated any other kind of fraud, the university may deny or revoke the applicant’s admission or enrollment. This applies even if the fraudulence poses no immediate effect on the applicant’s passing of admission. Those whose admission or enrollment is denied or revoked for this reason may not reapply for admission to the university in the future.

● Registration

1. Accepted students should pay the tuition within the designated time period.
2. Applicants who will not enroll in school or who want to be refunded the whole tuition are required to submit an Admission Withdrawal and Application for Tuition Repayment form to GSIS office.
3. The refund of tuition will be conducted according to the “Rules of Education and Entrance Fee” by Ministry of Education, Science and Technology (MEST).

- **Information for student visa application:** It will be announced to the admitted students.

Admission Information Session

● Dept. of International Studies	● Dept. of Korean Studies
Date: Mid-October (TBD by late September) Venue: Online/Virtual (subject to change)	Date: (1st) October 8 (Thu.) 17:00 (2nd) October 23 (Fri.) 17:00 Venue: Online/Virtual (subject to change)

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