

2022 Fall Yonsei Graduate School online application for International Students is now open

Department of Public Administration

Are you interested in studying abroad in Korea? 2022 Fall Yonsei Graduate School online application for International Students is now open. The Department of Public Administration is looking for promising international students who lead future governments and contribute to solving global social issues.

The Department of Public Administration at Yonsei University pioneered the Public Administration program in South Korea and has since become a center for academic research and education in the field. The Department offers both undergraduate (BA) and graduate (MA and Ph.D.) programs in Public Administration and ranks as one of the top programs in the nation with 18 standing faculty members whose cutting-edge research is internationally recognized. Our graduates play leading roles in government, finance, public and private corporations, academia, media, and NGOs. The Department takes pride in its tradition of more than sixty years for its contribution to Korean society and now aims for global excellence in research and education.

As a part of our MA program, we offer KOICA-YONSEI Global Master of e-Government and Public Management program, which aims to strengthen the administrative and policy capacities of e-Governments in ASEAN countries. We offer a variety of lectures conducted entirely in English or in Korean to ensure that our students are given a strong competitive edge.

In addition to these academic programs, we provide a rewarding education and research environment to international students and operate a buddy program and mentoring program to help international students adapt to life in Korea.

If you are ready, find out when and how to apply for graduate admission.
We are looking forward to receiving your application!

2022 Graduate School Admissions for International Students

| | Application Procedure | 2022 Fall Admission |
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| 1 | Application Period | 2022. 4. 22.(Fri) ~ 4. 29.(Fri) 17:00 |
| 2 | Interview | 2022. 5. 27.(Fri) |
| 3 | Final Announcement | 2022. 6. 17.(Fri) |

Top-ranked Graduate Programs

Master's Program

The master's course covers basic theories of policy making in public administration. Its curriculum is divided into three paths in order to provide a broad range of theories and practical knowledge in different fields of public administration and policy. Each year approximately 20 students are admitted to the MA program and currently 60 master's students are enrolled.

After master's degrees are granted, students pursue their professional careers in research institutes, public agencies, and the private sector or continue toward doctoral degrees at Yonsei or abroad.

Courses offered in this program include (but are not limited to): Public Administration Theory, Public Policy, and Applied Study.

Doctoral Program

Courses in the doctoral program are divided into six major areas, allowing intensive study in the fields in which students are more interested. The program puts a strong emphasis on methodological rigor, providing solid training in research methods and statistics. Each year approximately 10 students are accepted to the doctoral program. After doctoral degrees are awarded, 50 graduates of the Ph.D. program teach at four-year universities nationwide as leading scholars in the discipline.

Courses offered in this program include (but are not limited to): Public Administration Theory, Public Management and Human Resources, Public Budgeting & Finance, Public Policy Theory, Urban and Local Administration, and Applied Policy Studies.

Scholarships

Regular scholarships are awarded by the university headquarters according to school policy to those students who, through an impartial screening process, have been determined to show outstanding academic performance (Global Leader Fellowship, Outstanding International Student Scholarship I, Outstanding International Student Scholarships II, Outstanding International Student Scholarship III). Aside from this, the Department of Public Administration offers its own scholarships including YUPA Global Excellence Fellowship, Rhee Yang Soo Fellowship, and BK Fellowship. The Department of Public Administration has been selected as one of the implementing institutions of the BK21 FOUR government scholarship project from September 2020 to August 2027, providing various scholarships and research support programs to excellent graduate students.

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