



# KOREA INSTITUTE (KI), HARVARD UNIVERSITY

## SUMMER 2025 UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMS IN SEOUL, KOREA

### KOREA INSTITUTE WEBSITE

<https://korea.fas.harvard.edu/> Click 'Opportunities' tab.  
Please check our website closely for deadlines and updates.

### HARVARD'S ONLINE APPLICATION SYSTEM-CARAT

For funding research & to access the online applications:  
<https://carat.fas.harvard.edu/>

### ALL STUDENTS MUST BE IN GOOD STANDING TO APPLY

### FOR KI PROGRAM QUESTIONS:

Please email Catherine, [cglover@fas.harvard.edu](mailto:cglover@fas.harvard.edu)

All KI programs / opportunities are subject to change and/or cancellation

### KI TUITION WAIVERS TO EWHA WOMANS UNIVERSITY INTERNATIONAL CO-ED SUMMER COLLEGE (EISC) OR TO THE SEOUL NATIONAL UNIVERSITY-INTERNATIONAL SUMMER PROGRAM (SNU-ISP) (STUDY ABROAD)

Online applications are due on CARAT February 10, 2025.

These study Programs are 4-5 weeks long.

**EWHA-ISC PROGRAM** - Students must take at least 1 Korean language course and 1 content class in English or 1 Korean language course. You may not take 2 Korean language courses. If selected, tuition is paid for. Student will receive a KI funding award for the flight cost (up to a max amt). Student must arrange and pay for their own flight from the KI award. Student is also responsible for dorm cost, meals, and general living expenses. No Korean language pre-requisite. Please see more details on the KI website.

**SNU-ISP PROGRAM-STUDENTS** may take 1 Korean class and 1 content class in English or 2 content classes in English. If selected, tuition and dorm costs are paid for. Student will receive a KI funding award for the flight cost (up to a max amt). Student must arrange and pay for their own flight from the KI award. Student is also responsible for meals and general living expenses. No Korean language pre-requisite. Please see more details on the KI website.

### HARVARD SUMMER SCHOOL (HSS) SEOUL, KOREA PROGRAM (Study Abroad)

The HSS-Korea Program runs from late June-mid/late August; half the class on the program is comprised of local Korean university students. Focus is on Korean Language (all levels) and an Anthropology based content course, "Global Korea. Both classes are required. The program is based at Ewha Womans University (co-ed in the summer.) No Korean language pre-requisite. Please see the HSS website for further program details and the online application, typically available in early December. More details on the KI website. HSS online Application deadline: January 30, 2025

**Applicants:** Note that it is important to address both Korean language and the Anthropology "content" course separately in the online application essay.

### FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES FOR HSS KOREA PROGRAM:

#### MCS (Mignone Center for Career Success) Summer Funding

On the HSS online application, you will be asked if you are a Harvard College student, then you will be asked for your HUID, then there will be a checkbox question asking if you'd like to be included in the MCS funding lottery. **Be careful not to overlook this checkbox to be considered for MCS Summer Funding.**

### KI SCHOLARSHIPS FOR THE HSS-SEOUL, KOREA PROGRAM

KI Scholarships are due the same date as the HSS Program application is due. **The 2025 deadline is January 30, 2025.** Visit the KI Webpage for the KI HSS in Korea Program Scholarship funding information and specific application process.





## UNDERGRADUATE SUMMER RESEARCH TRAVEL GRANTS TO KOREA (RESEARCH)

Online applications are due on CARAT February 10, 2025. Korea Institute Undergraduate Summer Travel Grants are awarded to Harvard undergraduates in the humanities or social sciences to use in Korea for research and/or field work relating to a senior honors thesis in an area of Korean studies. Ordinarily, the award covers the cost of travel and research related expenses for the research project. **Typically, undergraduate applicants must have at least two years of Korean language training or equivalent proficiency in the language.** In the case of exceptionally strong projects, more limited language background may be considered. More details on the KI website.

## UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH ASSISTANTSHIPS FOR KOREA (RESEARCH)

The 2025 deadline is February 28, 2025. Details on the KI website on how to apply. The Korea Institute will offer hybrid Research Assistantships for Korea focused projects supervised by Harvard faculty for summer 2025. There will be a range of opportunities for Harvard undergraduates to work on faculty research projects in a variety of capacities. RAships are a great opportunity for students with little research experience to get hands-on exposure to the research world. Work is arranged and directed by faculty members, who will directly supervise student RAs. The student and faculty member will discuss and clarify in advance the research responsibilities and outcomes. Students may assist with data collection, data analysis, literature reviews, or other aspects of a faculty project. If awarded a KI Research Assistantship, students are paid \$20/hour (up to \$2,000 total summer stipend per Assistantship) over 5-10 weeks, based on the needs of the faculty project. Korean language requirements vary. Listings of 2025 faculty projects will be on the KI website updated beginning in January 2025.

## KI SUMMER INTERNSHIP PROGRAM IN SEOUL, KOREA (INTERNSHIPS) [STILL TBC FOR SUMMER 2025]

Online applications are due on CARAT February 10, 2025. There will be interviews for finalists. Program is 8 weeks long. Internships require solid background in the Korean language, with a minimum requirement of conversational fluency (2 years) and higher levels of fluency definitely preferred. Returning Harvard students are highly preferred. If selected, interns must arrange and pay for their own flight, dorm costs and living expenses from the KI funding award. Housing will be in a dormitory based at Ewha Womans University. Our intern host organizations (still to be confirmed) are at CJ Corporation affiliates, CJ ENM (CJ Entertainment and Merchandising) and the CJ Cultural Foundation. Subject to change. More details and former intern reflections are on the KI website.



KI Undergraduate Opportunities



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