

2021 YONSEI INTERNATIONAL SUMMER SCHOOL

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YONSEI UNIVERSITY

Seoul, Korea

WELCOME TO YONSEI

ABOUT YONSEI

Being the oldest university in Korea, Yonsei University was first established in 1885 by Christian missionaries. Our mission is to educate leaders who will contribute to humanity in the spirit of “truth and freedom”. The 340,000 Yonsei alumni who take this calling to heart can be found manifesting this proud spirit from leadership positions around the world.

Yonsei’s main campus is ensconced in a spacious, picturesque and natural setting located minutes away from the economic, political, and cultural centers of Seoul’s metropolitan downtown. Yonsei has over 5,600 eminent faculty members who are conducting cutting-edge research across all academic disciplines. 20 graduate schools, 23 colleges and 153 research institutes/centers host selective pool of students from around the world.

Yonsei is proud of its history and reputation as a leading institution of higher education and research.

MESSAGE FROM THE VICE PRESIDENT FOR INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS



SunKu Hahn, Ph. D.
Vice President for International Affairs

The Yonsei International Summer School (YISS) opened its doors in 1985 and since then, YISS has become an integral part of campus life based on a unique blend of Korean and global cultures. YISS continues to grow and evolve, accommodating the needs of a rapidly changing student body and meeting the challenges of a fast-paced global society.

The 2021 program provides a dynamic education in a broad range of fields, from the arts, culture and humanities to science and technology.

Furthermore, we offer cutting-edge classes in management and economics, global issues, history and social sciences. Moreover, a shorter, 4-week option is available for students that can be away for only a limited period of time.

This summer, we invite you to experience the legendary “Yonsei Spirit” and to join us for an unforgettable summer in the heart of Seoul. You will make life-long friends, build new networks, expand and deepen your academic and cultural horizons, and experience life in one of Asia’s coolest, yet largely undiscovered metropolises of 10 million. Make Yonsei your summer home in 2021 and have the best summer of your undergraduate journey.

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YISS ADVANTAGES

» Leading Summer Program

Yonsei University has hosted one of the oldest and innovative international summer school programs in Korea since 1985.

» Global Partnerships

Yonsei maintains the most extensive international network in Korea with over 724 partner institutions in 77 countries and educates the largest number of international students among Korean universities.

» Qualified, Driven and Passionate Students

We have a selective admission procedure. Successful YISS candidates with excellent academic records can have a chance to apply for scholarship.

» Distinguished Faculty

Leading professors and scholars from Yonsei and overseas institutions teach courses at YISS.

» Korea's Premier University

Yonsei University has consistently ranked as the top private university in Korea and is taking a leading role in globalizing higher education in Asia.

*Ranked 85th in the QS World University Rankings 2020

» Internship Program

Internship Program offers qualified students the opportunity to acquire direct exposure to global companies located in Korea or Yonsei research centers during the summer. 20 corporations and 10 research centers participated in 2019 YISS.

» Cultural Excursions & Special Activities

Students can experience Korean culture and participate in a variety of activities and events outside the classroom including field trips and cultural immersion programs.

» Global Alumni Network

Our YISS students and faculty come from all over the world. Be a part of the ever expanding global network of nearly 25,000 YISS alumni.

WHAT'S SPECIAL IN YISS



ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE AND DIVERSITY OF CLASSES

YISS offers a wide-range of courses including the arts, culture, humanities, Asian and Korean studies, international politics and economics, global management, science and technology, and environmental studies. Leading experts and professors from Yonsei and worldwide institutes teach courses at YISS.

INTERNSHIP AND RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES

YISS offers various internship positions exclusively for YISS students. Through various companies and research centers, students can explore and experience the real working life. Corporate Internship offers YISS students direct exposure to global corporate settings in the heart of Seoul, Korea. Research Internship offers the opportunity to participate in research projects or work as an intern in research centers or organizations at Yonsei University. Summer Internship program is only available for students who are registered to YISS. Students will earn 3 academic credits for participating in Summer Internship.

CULTURAL EXCURSIONS

The exciting learning environment of YISS continues outside the classroom with a variety of extracurricular activities. Including DMZ tour, Korean cooking class, and many more, YISS offers students an introduction to Korean history, culture and scenic landscape. Students will receive a valuable opportunity to meet with other students along with the events.

2019 YISS STATISTICS



Faculty

60

40 overseas professors
20 Yonsei professors



Courses

100/7¹⁰⁰ courses in
7 different areas



Students

1500

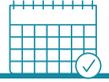


Internship

45

30 Corporations
15 Research Centers/Labs

2021 YISS ADMISSIONS



PROGRAM PERIOD

- 1 6-Week: June 29 (Tue) ~ August 5 (Thu)
- 2 4-Week: June 29 (Tue) ~ July 22 (Thu)

*Dates are subject to change without notice.

ELIGIBILITY

Open to all students currently enrolled in an accredited college or university as well as high school seniors who have been accepted to an accredited college or university. Minimum GPA requirement of college or university students is 2.0/4.0.

APPLICATION MATERIALS

We are now entirely paperless and no mailing of hard copy is necessary. Please upload:

- 1 Your official transcript(scanned or e-copy) if you are currently attending a college or university [or]
- 2 Your university admissions confirmation letter if you are a high school senior

APPLICATION PROCEDURES

- 1 Complete online application form and upload a copy of your transcript at [summer.yonsei.ac.kr].
- 2 Pay application fee.
- 3 YISS office will send a letter of acceptance via e-mail.
- 4 Apply for housing / Pay tuition fees, housing and any other remaining fees.

ENROLLMENT PROCEDURES

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- Application Period**
January 4 (Mon) ~ May 14 (Fri)
 - Internship Apply**
April 5 (Mon) ~ April 23 (Fri)
 - Early Bird Reward Ends**
April 30 (Fri)
 - Application Fee Payment Due**
May 14 (Fri)
 - Tuition Payment Due**
May 21 (Fri)
 - Internship Announcement**
May 28 (Fri)
 - Internship Starts**
June 21 (Mon)
 - Classes Start**
June 29 (Tue)
 - Classes End (4-Week)**
July 22 (Thu)
 - Classes/Internship End (6-Week)**
August 5 (Thu)



DISCOVER YOUR PASSION IN OVER 100 COURSES



LIST OF COURSES (Students may choose to combine 6-week courses and 4-week courses.)

6-Week Course

Arts & Humanities

- Asian American Literature
- Global Literature
- Introduction to Art History
- Introductory Philosophy
- World History: Group II
- World Literature: English & American Literature

Business & Economics

- Calculus
- Corporate Finance
- Econometrics (I)
- Economic Sociology
- Financial Accounting
- Global Marketing Management
- Global Supply Chain Management
- International Human Resource Management
- International Management
- Introduction to Accounting Information Systems and Data Analytics
- Introduction to Corporate Finance
- Introduction to Investment Management
- Introduction to Statistics
- Law and Economics
- Macroeconomics
- Marketing
- Microeconomics
- Microeconomic Policy
- Operations Management

- Principles of Macroeconomics
- Principles of Managerial Accounting
- Principles of Microeconomics
- Strategic Management

East Asian Studies

- A New Context of Chinese Foreign Policy
- East Asian Art History
- East Asian Cinema
- East Asian Fiction
- Introduction to Asian Studies
- Philosophy in East Asian Literature
- Understanding Contemporary East Asia: Peace, Prosperity, and Integration

Korean Language

- Beginning Korean Language I, II, III
- Intermediate Korean Language I, II, III
- Advanced Korean Language I, II

Korean Studies

- Contemporary Korean Culture & The Korean Wave
- Contemporary Korean Culture and Society: The Global and the Local
- Introduction to Korean Studies
- Korean American History
- Korean Cinema
- Korean Development
- Modern Korean History
- Topics in Korean Culture: Globalization and Multiculturalism

Science & Technology

- Biochemistry (1)
- Biological Principles
- Cell Biology
- Engineering Math: Differential Equations
- General Chemistry
- Genetics
- Introduction to Computer Graphics
- Introduction to Machine Learning
- Linear Algebra 1
- Neurobiology
- Organic Chemistry (1)

Social Sciences

- Basic Principles of U.S. Law
- Comparative Politics
- Cultural Competence for The Global Citizens
- Introduction to International Relations
- Introduction to Psychology
- Korean Politics and International Relations
- Law and Philosophy
- Media and Society
- Race and Law
- Real Law and Order
- Social Psychology
- Sociology of the Family
- Understanding Sociology
- United States Foreign Policy

4-Week Course

Business & Economics

- Entrepreneurship and Management
- Korean Economy

Korean Language

- Korean (1)

Korean Studies

- Contemporary Korean Culture & The Korean Wave

- Korean Politics and Democracy
- Modern Korean Literature
- North Korean Politics and Foreign Policy

Science & Technology

- Introduction to Computer Science

Social Sciences

- Social Psychology

Online Course

- AI & Design
- COVID-19 : Global Impact and Korea's Perspectives
- Introduction to Probability and Statistics for Machine Learning
- Introduction to Python Programming

* Courses are subject to change without notice.

Course Load

Minimum: 1 Course (3 Credits) **Maximum:** 3 Courses (9 Credits)

Credit Transfer

All YISS courses are credit-bearing courses. Credits earned at YISS are transferable to most institutions outside of Korea. For credit transfer, students are advised to consult and obtain approval from their academic advisors of home institution in advance. Credit transferability of a particular YISS course depends solely on home institutions' policies.

TUITION & HOUSING



FEES

Mandatory	
Application Fee	KRW 100,000 (approx. USD 90) Due: May 14
Tuition	3 Courses KRW 3,000,000 (approx. USD 2,719)
	2 Courses KRW 2,000,000 (approx. USD 1,813) Due: May 21
	1 Course KRW 1,000,000 (approx. USD 906)
Optional	
Housing	6-Week KRW 860,000 (approx. USD 779) On-campus
	4-Week KRW 696,000 (approx. USD 631) Double-room

*Fees are subject to change without notice. *Fees provided in USD is for reference only.

PAYMENT

1 Wire Transfer

Wire transfer information will be provided by email after the online application is submitted.

2 Credit Card

Credit/ Debit cards that are issued overseas are accepted (Visa, Master and JCB).

SCHOLARSHIPS (FEE-PAYING STUDENTS ONLY)

*Exchange students are not considered for scholarships.

*Scholarship will be cancelled if one withdraws from the program.

Scholastic Awards

Students who earn A+ in all courses at YISS

2 Courses (KRW 200,000)/ 3 Courses (KRW 300,000)

Yonsei Alumni Scholarship

Students whose parents are graduates of Yonsei University (KRW 100,000).

BENEFITS (FEE-PAYING STUDENTS ONLY)

1 Early Bird Reward: (40% discount)

All students who fully pay the tuition before April 30 will be given a 40% discount on the tuition.

2 Early Enrollment Benefit: (KRW 200,000)

All students who register for 2021 YISS by February 28 are eligible to receive a fee benefit and it will be deducted from the tuition fee.

3 Re-Enrollment Benefit: (KRW 100,000)

All students who already have participated in YISS or WAY in the past will receive a fee benefit and it will be deducted from the tuition fee.

4 APRU & AEARU Associate University Scholarship (KRW 100,000)

All students who are enrolled in the APRU and AEARU associate university will receive an APRU & AEARU Scholarship and it will be deducted from the tuition fee.

HOUSING

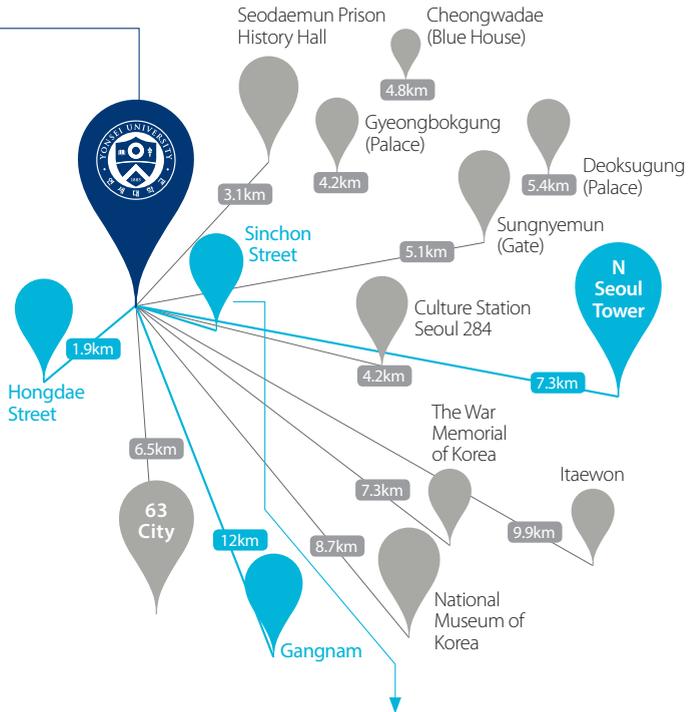
Due to the limited room availability, students are strongly recommended to apply for housing as soon as possible through the housing website (<https://dorm.yonsei.ac.kr/>) after receiving the YISS acceptance e-mail.

*For further information, please visit YISS website (summer.yonsei.ac.kr).

The Center of Traditional Culture

—The Heart of Seoul

Yonsei University is located in the center of the capital city of South Korea, Seoul, where you can witness a variety of traditional Korean culture. In addition to Korea's first Western health institution, Gwanghyewon which is located within the university, there are other nearby sites where you can experience traces of the 500-year history of the Joseon Dynasty, such as Deoksugung, Changdeok-gung, and Gyeongbok-gung. These sites are located only 15 minutes away from campus so that students may easily seek out these opportunities to experience Korea's traditional culture. The New York Times selected Seoul as one of the top three "must visit" cities of the world.



The Center of Youth Culture

—Sinchon

The Sinchon area around Yonsei campus is home to one of the most vibrant and exciting college towns in Seoul. With a rich array of facilities and activities, Sinchon creates a unique culture of its own and attracts young population from around the city and around the country. This is where one can mingle the youth of Korea.



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