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The Republic of Korea which is approximately 5,000 years old has overcome a variety of difficulties such as the Korean War, but it has grown economically and is currently ranked the 11th richest economy in the world. The economy is driven by manufacturing and exports including ships, automobiles, mobile phones, PCs, and TVs. Recently, the Korean-Wave has also added to the country’s exports through the popularity of Korean pop culture, dramas and movies. Celebrities in various fields such as PSY and Lee Minho, etc. have strengthened Korean culture internationally.

Daegu is located in the south-east of the Republic of Korea and it is the fourth largest city after Seoul, Busan and Incheon with about 2.5 million residents. Daegu is famous for high quality apples, and its historic textile industry. With the establishment of the Daegu-Gyeongbuk Free Economic Zone, Daegu is currently focusing on fostering fashion and high-tech industries. Daegu also has become a global city, which has held the 2003 Summer Universiade, 2011 World Championships in Athletics, 22nd World Energy Congress of 2013, and the 7th World Water Forum in 2015.
## ABOUT KEIMYUNG UNIV.

### INTRODUCTION

Keimyung University is one of the top 10 most beautiful campuses among 400 universities in Korea. It was founded on May 20, 1899.

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<td>- Korean Faculty: 1,060</td>
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<td>- International Faculty: 144</td>
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<td>- Administrative Staff: 627</td>
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<td>- Undergraduate: 23,155 / Postgraduate: 2,067</td>
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<td>- International Students: 1,120 (including exchange students &amp; Korean Language Learners)</td>
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<td>- 344 Sister Universities and Institutions in 57 countries</td>
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As of March, 2016
Asia
- Japan
  - Kansai Gaidai University
  - Momoyama Gakuin University
  - Hiroshima Shudo University
- China
  - Beijing Foreign Studies University
  - Shanghai Business School
  - Beijing Jiaotong University
- Singapore
  - Nanyang Polytechnic (School of Business Management)

Philippines
- Silliman University
- West Negros University

Hong Kong
- Hong Kong Baptist University
- The Hong Kong Institute of Education

Uzbekistan
- Banking and Finance Academy of the Republic of Uzbekistan
- National Institute of Fine Art and Design [Kamoliddin Bekhzod]
- University of World Economy & Diplomacy

Kazakhstan
- Almaty Technological University
- Kazakh Ablaikhan University of International Relations & World Languages

Taiwan
- Tunghai University

Sri Lanka
- University of Colombo
- University of Peradeniya

Kenya
- Maseno University

Tanzania
- University of Dodoma

Zimbabwe
- University of Zimbabwe

Vietnam
- The University of Danang
- Thai Nguyen University

Indonesia
- Petra Christian University
- Maranatha Christian University

Cambodia
- Royal University of Phnom Penh

Russia
- Udmurt State University
- St. Petersburg State University
- Arctic State Institute of Arts and Culture

Canada
- Vancouver Island University

Colombia
- Pontificia Universidad Javeriana

Europe
- France
  - ECE Paris, Ecole D' ingenieurs
  - SUP' BIOTECH
  - EPITECH (Paris Graduate School of Innovation)
- U.K.
  - Robert Gordon University
  - Northumbria University
- Germany
  - Ingolstadt University of Applied Science
  - University of Augsburg
  - University of Passau
- Italy
  - Conservatorio Statele di Musica C. Pollini
  - Hanze University of Applied Sciences Groningen
- Norway
  - BI Norwegian Business School
- Denmark
  - University of Southern Denmark
- Sweden
  - Jonkoping University
- Poland
  - Cracow University of Economics
- Spain
  - University of Barcelona
- Turkey
  - Istanbul University
  - Ankara University
- Finland
  - Tampere University of Technology
  - Lappeenranta University of Technology

North and South America
- U.S.A
  - Washington State University
  - East Tennessee State University
  - San Diego State University
  - Georgia Southern University
  - California State Polytechnic University, Pomona
  - State University of New York, Oswego
- Canada
  - Vancouver Island University
- Mexico
  - Universidad de Las Americas, Puebla (UDLAP)

55 Countries
298 Universities
### Enrollment

**Above 24,000 Students**
Over 24,000 Korean students are enrolled at Keimyung University.

### Number of Inbound Students

**Above 200 Students yearly**
Keimyung University welcomes exchange students from more than 20 countries yearly.

### Number of Undergraduate Students

**About 660 students**
International Students from more than 25 countries are studying at undergraduate level.

### Number of Graduate Students

**Above 180 Students**
International Students from more than 25 countries are studying at graduate level.

### Number of Korean Language Learners

**Above 200 Students yearly**
International Students from more than 60 countries are studying at undergraduate level.

### Spring Season

**Beautiful Universities in Republic of Korea**

As Keimyung University is famous for its beautiful campus, numerous dramas and movies have been filmed here.

**Buddy Program**
A Korean buddy will help you start your school life, helping out with course registration, and activities, etc.

**Field Trip**
International students go on field trips every semester. (i.e. Gyeongju and Busan, etc.)

**Athletics Competition**
International students compete in various sporting events.

**Marathon**
International students can challenge themselves and run with the local community.
International Lounge Program

International students can enjoy and experience a variety of programs with Korean and other International students such as introducing cultures and languages, etc.

CCAP (Cross Cultural Awareness Program)

It is designed to be a participatory process that augments education for international understanding in the schools nationwide.

LAS (Language Support Advisory) Program

Why not share your culture with local middle and high school students? The LAS program runs on Saturdays and the program offers English and Chinese language and culture help for students.

International Day

Every week, we have International Days, celebrating a variety of cultures, French, Mexican, Japanese, Finnish etc... with our International and Korean students sharing languages, games, music and food with local middle and high school students.

KCEP (Korean Cultural Experience Program)

International students can experience Korean culture, through painting and art, etc., in Hanhak-chon.

Internship

International students can have an opportunity to work in local government or institutions.

Trips of 1 Night & 2 Days with Korean Students

International students can go on trips planned together with Korean students.

Halloween Party

Students can wear their own costumes, carve pumpkins and compete with each other to win prizes.

International Week

All international students can share and enjoy each country’s culture, food and performance.

Global Festival

Korean Traditional and Cultural Work Contest

International Food’s Day

Parade

Singing Contest

Korean Quiz Contest
Keimyung University has become a global university with approximately 1,200 international students from all over the world. As international students bring a rich mix of nationalities and cultural backgrounds to the campus, you can quickly and easily turn into a cross-cultural experience in Keimyung University! Here are profiles of 20 international students from various countries.

**ALEXANDER YEE**  
**BRUNEI DARUSSALAM**

**Major**: Exchange Student  
**Reason to Choose Keimyung University**: the number of International Students  
**How to Express Keimyung University in a word**: Colorful  
_A very colorful and beautiful campus, filled with friendly people I met. I am so glad I took the opportunity to study here._

**ANDRES MARQUEZ COETO**  
**MEXICO**

**Major**: Exchange Student  
**Reason to Choose Keimyung University**: Multicultural Difference  
**How to Express Keimyung University in a word**: Mutual Respect  
_All Korean students are very kind and supportive to foreign students. I made my best Korean friend, here._

**CHRIS STAENGL**  
**GERMANY**

**Major**: Exchange Student  
**Reason to Choose Keimyung University**: the number of International Students  
**How to Express Keimyung University in a word**: International Programs  
_Many interesting Programs are going on around campus and International Lounge._
VOZNESENSKAIA DARIA
RUSSIA

Major: Exchange Student
Reason to Choose Keimyung University: Global Environment
How to Express Keimyung University in a word: Melting Pot
As you can experience enjoyable life with friendly people from all around the world, here is a nice melting pot of culture to discover.

HONDA MIKI
JAPAN

Major: Korean Studies (Bachelor Degree)
Reason to Choose Keimyung University: Well Management for international students
How to Express Keimyung University in a word: Diversity
Lots of opportunities to meet with various int’l students.

BRICE HERNANDEZ
FRANCE

Major: Exchange Student
Reason to Choose Keimyung University: Attractive Campus
How to Express Keimyung University in a word: Beautiful
A variety of Flowers and Trees make school beautiful.

CHRISTIAN HALD BARGHOLZ
DENMARK

Major: KGSP Scholarship Student
Reason to Choose Keimyung University: Activities
How to Express Keimyung University in a word: Cultural Exchange Place
KMU really allowed me to fully indulge into the Korean culture and language through it’s motivated staff and the most beautiful campus in Korea.

ASHLEY LEDGERWOOD
U.S.A.

Major: Exchange Student
Reason to Choose Keimyung University: Recommendation from Friends
How to Express Keimyung University in a word: Sincere Community
Being so far away from my home for the first time, I have felt so welcomed into the KMU community.

OSCAR MALELA
TANZANIA

Major: Korean Studies (Bachelor Degree, KISS Student)
Reason to Choose Keimyung University: Education System
How to Express Keimyung University in a word: Warm-hearted
Professors and administrative staff consider students’ satisfaction.

HEIN MIN HTET
MYANMAR

Major: English Language & Literature (Bachelor Degree)
Reason to Choose Keimyung University: Famous University in Daegu
How to Express Keimyung University in a word: Relaxed
I’ve never felt lonely while I am studying at KMU. People are treating me nice and I am always with my friends.