

# Sogang International Summer College 2009

**Korea- the Innovative Gateway to Asia**  
**Two-Way Communication in Cultural diversity**

**Duration: June 29 - August 7, 2009**

**Location: Sogang University in Seoul in Korea**

## <Introduction>

A six-week Summer International College offered by Sogang University provides international students with a unique opportunity to enhance a better understanding of various aspects of Korean culture. All participants will have a chance to learn about traditional and contemporary Korea, investigating the historical and religious background, political tensions with North Korea, economic and financial issues, IT/Multimedia industry, ethnic studies, East Asian cultures, etc. that continue to shape Korean life. Field experiences, including a **5-day field trip, master classes and workshops, an intercultural festival**, and many other Korean cultural activities, are the **highlights of this program**.

## <Special Features>

### 1. Global Contents

Diverse courses focused on Korean/East Asian studies, economics/business, ethnic studies, IT/multimedia

### 2. Interesting cultural programs

Unique experiences with master classes/workshops, an intercultural festival, and a 5-day field trip

### 3. The high quality Korean Language Education

World-renowned Language programs combine thinking and performing to communicate in Korean

### 4. Scholarship

Matching Funds Policy / Scholastic Awards / Regional Scholarship

Friends of Sogang Scholarship / Returning Students Scholarship / Sogang Family Scholarship

## <Important Dates>

**Dead Line for Application: May 1**

Tuition Payment: June 1

June 28 Dormitory Opens & Orientation

**June 29 Start of Classes**

Field Trip: July 6 ~ 10

**Graduation: August 7**

Dormitory Closes: August 8

\* Detail schedule is possible to change due to college condition.

## <Tuitions & Fees>

Mandatory		Optional	
Application fee (Registration fee)	\$70/W84,000	Dormitory (Room & Board, Double Occupancy)	\$532/W638,400
Tuition for credit courses (up to 9 credit hours)	\$2,400/W2,880,000	5-day Cultural Field Trip	\$500/W600,000
		Special Activities	On request



### <Course Information - Curriculum (Tentative)>

Category	Course	Code	Credit
Humanities, Social Sciences, Economics/Business	Environmental Ethics: Nature's Lesson	10-503	3
	Environment and Culture: Meat, Modernity, and the Rise of the Slaughterhouse	Am Cult 95	3
	College Mathematics: Finite Mathematics	CORE 38	3
	Computer Game Theory	ECO 4005	3
	International Finance	ECON 132	3
	Political Economy	ECON 173	3
	American Politics	POL 3162	3
	Introductory Economics	ECON 20	3
	Mythology and Symbol	ETU 4017	3
	Industrial Design	LAU 4016	3
	Master Business English	LCU 4017	3
	Business Special Lecture for CEOs	MGT 4704	3
	Introduction to Ethnology	SOC 8	3
East Asian Studies	Screening Modern China: New Chinese Cinema	CHI 126	3
	Studies in Mass Culture of Modern China: Culture, Media, Entertainment in China Today	CHI 127	3
	Introduction to the Chinese Literature	CHI 55	3
	Formation of Modern East Asia	CHS 2003	3
	History of East Asia	HIS 2004	3
	A Survey of North Korea	SHU 4002	3
	Traditional Society of East Asia	SHU 4009	3
Korean Studies	Topics in Korean Tradition	KOS 3008	3
	Topics in Korea Today	KOS 3009	3
	History of Pre-Modern Korea	KOS 3011	3
	History of Korea in 20 <sup>th</sup> Century	KOS 3012	3
	A Survey of Korean Literature	KOS 3013	3
	Religion and Culture in Modern Korea	KOS 3014	3
	Politics of the Korean Peninsula	KOS 3015	3
	International Marketing in Korea	KOS 3016	3
Korean History & Culture	Topics in Korean History: Anthropology for the Korean Family	HIST 107	3
	Traditional Korean Narrative Song	KOR 3203	3
	Traditional Performing arts in Korea	KOR 3312	3
	Korean Characteristic Arts	LAU 4014	3
IT/Multi-media	A Survey of Korean Broadcasting	COM 3118	3
	Digital Culture and Arts	LAU 4026	3
	Communication for Globalization	LCU 4014	3
	Introduction to Cinema: Contemporary Korean Cinema	MC 10	3
Cultural Identity	Writing about Culture: Rhetoric and Composition	Am Cult 20	3
	Cultural Identity: African American Rhetoric - Obama case	Am Cult 70	3





	Women's Literature	ENG 3213	3
	Historical Understanding of Women's Literature	KOR 4505	3
Ethnic Studies	Identity of Multi-culture	AMC 3080	3
	Multicultural Story Creation	KOR 4505	3
Intensive Korean Language Program		KOS 3001 / KOS 3003	6
Sogang/SUNY Program	Introduction to Modern Architecture & Urban Design - Genres in Virtual Space	LAU4019	6
	Art and Identity - Body/Mind Performance Training	10-751	
	Ritual and Performances	KOR187	

## Korean Language Program

Founded in 1990, the Korean Language Education Center (KLEC) at Sogang is renowned for challenging learners to communicate in Korean from the start. Our program employs a learner-centered and task-based curriculum that requires students to combine thinking and performing in Korean to develop communicative competence, and we are continuing to develop teaching materials that support our unique methods.

You can view our online Korean class on the World Wide Web at (<http://korean.sogang.ac.kr>).

Classes will be offered at 6 levels of Korean language proficiency. Upon arrival, students will take a placement test and be assigned accordingly.

Level	Course Title	Code
1	Elementary Korean I	KOS 3001
2	Elementary Korean II	KOS 3002
3	Intermediate Korean I	KOS 3003
4	Intermediate Korean II	KOS 3004
5	Advanced Korean I	KOS 3005
6	Advanced Korean II	KOS 3006

## Special Cultural Program at Sogang

### <Master Class / Workshop>

Master Classes and Workshops will offer students a unique chance to live, breathe, and feel Korean culture. World-renowned creative leaders of Korean culture and arts, including Korean Human Cultural Assets, will teach you how to understand the philosophy and practice of Korean film, dance, drama, media arts, music, popular culture, and more.

### <Intercultural Festival>

At the end of this program, all students will present the result of their study in a creative group project incorporating their personal and cultural backgrounds. Projects can be creative presentations of media work, performance, exhibition, etc. This is a festival of intercultural perspectives on Korea from students' own point of view.

### <5-days Field Trip>

International Summer College students will visit cultural heritage sites such as the regions of ancient Korean kingdoms, including Gyeongju, designated by UNESCO as a World Cultural Heritage site. In addition, visits to the Demilitarized Zone (DMZ) and IT/Multimedia sites will provide students with different perspectives on Korean society today. **The trip is scheduled from July 6 to July 10.**



### <Class requirements>

In order to receive credit, students are required to participate in at least 80% of the total class hours. If students cannot meet this requirement, they will not receive passing credit for the course(s). (3 tardies are equivalent to 1 absence.)

### <Completion and Credits>

Students in the program will receive undergraduate or graduate level academic credits upon successful completion of the course requirements. Credits may be transferred to the students' home universities at their discretion. Upon request, an official transcript will be sent to the registrar's office of the university requested by the students. There is a small processing fee for transcripts.

### <Special Activities after Class>

A Special Activities bazaar at the start of the program will introduce students to extracurricular activities, including:

**East Asian Culture:** Pottery   **East Asian Culture:** Calligraphy   **East Asian Culture:** Asian Foods  
**Martial Arts:** Taekwondo   **Korean Culture:** Break-dancing   **Korean Dance:** Mask Dance  
**Korean Culture:** Samulnori(Four Instruments)

### <Accommodation>

It is strongly recommended that students stay in the brand-new **Gonzaga Hall**. If you would like dormitory housing, the dormitory fee should be paid in full along with the other fees by June 1, 2009.

To visit "Gonzaga Hall" website <http://gonzaga.sogang.ac.kr/home/main.jsp>

### < International Summer College Academic Calendar >

Week	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.	Sun.	
1	6/29	6/30	7/1	7/2	7/3	7/4	7/5	
	AM	Courses				Master Class/Workshop, Forums		
PM								
2	7/6	7/7	7/8	7/9	7/10	7/11	7/12	
	AM	Field Work	5-day Field Trip					
PM								
3	7/13	7/14	7/15	7/16	7/17	7/18	7/19	
	AM	Courses				Master Class/Workshop, Forums		
PM								
4	7/20	7/21	7/22	7/23	7/24	7/25	7/26	
	AM	Courses				Master Class/Workshop, Forums		
PM								
5	7/27	7/28	7/29	7/30	7/31	8/1	8/2	
	AM	Courses				Master Class/Workshop, Forums		
PM								
6	8/3	8/4	8/5	8/6	8/7	8/8	8/9	
	AM	Courses			Finals	Master Class/Workshop, Forums	Dorm Closes	
	PM				Intercultural Festival			

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