

Global Business Center MBA Direct Exchange Opportunities



SOUTH KOREA (Seoul) – KAIST College of Business

Homepage: <http://business.kaist.edu>

Student Exchange Program: <http://www.business.kaist.edu/global/0403>

Overview:

The mission of KAIST Business School is to develop global business leaders in management theory and practice with profound knowledge of both management and technology, as well as leaders capable of applying such knowledge to innovation and real-world problem solving. As the premiere business school in Korea, KAIST continues to strive towards its vision of becoming a leading business school, recognized worldwide. South Korea has one of the highest overseas populations of Foster School of Business alumni, giving you instant access to a welcoming network of business professionals.

Terms & dates:

- Fall: late-Aug through mid-Dec
- Winter: schedule does not align with UW calendar
- Summer: no courses available

Academics:

Course information: <https://www.business.kaist.edu/programs/02030102>

Courses at KAIST are either 3 credit courses or 1.5 credit courses (1 credit = 16 contact hours). 3 credit courses run for 16 weeks (Week 1~16), and 1.5 courses run for 8 weeks (Week 1~8, Week 9~16).

Check with the UW MBA Program Office to determine your overseas course load.

Housing:

Students are automatically assigned on-campus housing unless requested otherwise. On-campus housing is located in the middle of the campus. Each furnished room (desk, chair, and dresser) has a phone, air-conditioning, and free internet connection. Approx. cost is USD600/semester.

Career Services:

Inquire with host school about availability of Career Services to exchange students.

Scholarships:

KAIST may offer housing scholarships. Contact their exchange coordinator for details.

Exchange Office Services:

All exchange partners offer course registration assistance, housing assistance or referrals, transcripts, orientations, and paperwork necessary to obtain a student visa. KAIST provides exchange students with a local “buddy” to help students get settled.

Other requirements:

- A visa is required for study in Korea. KAIST will provide information and documentation.
- All foreigners remaining in Korea over 90 days must obtain a Certificate of Alien Registration from the Seoul Immigration Office.
- Students are required to provide proof of medical insurance prior to registering for classes.

Intro language:

Inquire with host school about availability. Additional fees may apply. Language classes do not count toward UW MBA elective credits.

Additional information:

[U.S. Dept of State South Korea Information](#)