

Call for Applications
2026 HY–GKSC Summer School for Junior Scholars
Application Deadline: May 30

The Global Korean Studies Center (GKSC), at the Research Institute of Comparative History and Culture, Hanyang University is pleased to announce the Summer School program for junior scholars. In today's academia, Global Korean Studies is being reconstructed beyond national boundaries, finding its place within the broader horizon of various disciplines. To engage and contribute to the emerging scholarship trends, GKSC invites junior scholars interested in Korean Studies to a platform for in-depth discussion and vibrant academic exchanges.

The Summer School aims to explore new possibilities and share perspectives in Korean Studies through academic exchanges with distinguished faculties and Hanyang University graduate students. Participants are expected to share diverse perspectives and methodologies, to broaden their research horizons.

We encourage interested junior scholars to apply for the Summer School.

1. Program Overview

- Dates: Monday 10th August - Friday 14th August, 2026
- Location: College of Humanities, Hanyang University, Seoul, Republic of Korea
- Eligibility: Post Graduate students at overseas universities and international Post Graduate students residing in Korea (majoring in Korean Studies)
- Language: Korean (English as a secondary language)

2. Core Curricula

The summer school introduces multidisciplinary approach encompassing history, literature, society, and archives.

- Humanities Insight: Talks by distinguished faculties in Korean Studies.
- Writing Workshops: An opportunity to receive detailed, valuable feedback on their research from their peers and senior colleagues in small group settings.

- Navigating Korean Archives: A researcher's guide to archives led by an expert from the National Institute of Korean History (NIKH).
- K-Culture Experience: A field trip to the National Museum of Korea to experience Korean history and culture firsthand.

3. Featured Faculty

- Prof. Lee Seung il (Dept. of History, Hanyang University): Korean Legal History and Modern Korean History.
- Prof. Kwon Eun (Dept. of Korean Language & Literature, Hanyang University): Modern Korean Literature.
- Prof. Lee Dong ki (Dept. of Peace Studies, Kangwon National University): Historical Peace Studies.
- Dr. Jung Dae hun, Senior Researcher (National Institute of Korean History): Modern Korean History.

4. An application package consist of:

- 1) Abstract : 500 words describing your current research topic.
- 2) Curriculum Vitae (CV)
- 3) Motivation letter : 500 words explaining your reason for participating.
- 4) Submission & Inquiries: jcaesar99@hanyang.ac.kr
- 5) Application Deadline: May 30, 2026 (Sat), 18:00 KST
documents must be written in Korean
Results will be notified individually after the deadline.

5. Presentation and Papers

- Selected participants will be expected to submit a **8-10 page paper(including bibliography)** in Korean by **July 3, 2026**.

6. Fee & Financial Support

- Participation Fee: **Waived for all participants.**
- Accommodation: Provided during the program (Nine Tree by Parnas Seoul Dongdaemun), including breakfast, lunch, and official banquet.
- **Airfare: Not provided.** Participants are encouraged to secure round-trip airfare

through their own funds or their home institution.

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