2022 KAIST INTERNATIONAL SUMMER SCHOOL
July 4th – July 29th

Website - summer.kaist.ac.kr
Medium of Instruction - English
KAIST is the first and top science and technology university in Korea. KAIST was established in 1971 by the Korean government to educate elite scientists and engineers committed to industrialization and economic growth in Korea.

Since then, KAIST has been the gateway to advanced science and technology, innovation, and entrepreneurship. KAIST has now emerged as the most innovative global institution with more than 10,000 students enrolled in five colleges and seven schools.

**Ranking**

- Asia's 1st Most Innovative University in 2016-2018
- 2020-21 QS World University Ranking: 39th
- 2021 THE Young University Rankings: 4th
- Winner of DARPA Robotics Challenge 2015, DRC-Hubo, humanoid robot developed by KAIST
Eligibility

- Undergraduate and Graduate Students from Partner Universities
- GPA (Grade Point Average) of 3.0 or better on a 4.3 point scale
- Applicants from institutions where the primary medium of instruction is not English are expected to submit English test score (TOEFL iBT : 80, IELTS : overall band 6.0, TOEIC : 800)

**TRACK 1 | Course-oriented Program**

3 credits Courses

- Basic Korean 1 (Morning)
- Anthropology of Food
- Idea and Expression
- Nano-Biomaterials
- College Chemistry
- Introduction to Smart Transportation Systems
- Topics in Life Science VI
- (Bioimaging principles and applications)
- English Science Writing

※ Education 4.0 Programs: Unlike courses, courses classified as Education 4.0 will focus more on interactive activities and discussions instead of lectures. (Courses with *mark)
※ Classes are subject to change.

Tuition

- KRW 1,200,000 for 1 course (3 credits)
- KRW 2,400,000 for 2 courses (6 credits)

**TRACK 2 | Research-oriented Program**

There are no designated departments and labs for this program. Students will have the freedom to pick which department and lab they wish to join, which they must indicate in our online application. Upon submission of application, KAIST will contact the department and lab to see if there are spaces available. Information on KAIST departments and labs are available at [http://www.kaist.edu](http://www.kaist.edu)

Tuition

- KRW 1,500,000

※ There is no tuition exemption for Individual Research Program.

**Cost**

- Application Fee: 100,000 KRW
- Program Fee (Field Trip, Accommodation, etc.): 900,000 KRW
Cultural Activities

Field Trip & Day Trip
Dado & Meditation (Korean traditional tea drinking)
Multicultural Tile Painting
Taekwondo
Welcome to KAIST International Summer School

We invite you to come and experience innovative teaching and the blending of cultures at KAIST this summer at the 2022 KAIST International Summer School Program. This experience will most-definitely broaden your cultural understanding, deepen your intellectual capacity, and expand your network of friendships. We believe that 2022 KISS will provide a wonderful environment and program that will serve as a catalyst in formulating new friendships and pleasant memories that can be shared around the world.

Important Date

Class/Research Period ➤ July 4th ~ 29th
Online Application ➤ January 10th ~
Early Bird Application Deadline ➤ March 11th
Track 1 Application Deadline ➤ May 13th
Track 2 Application Deadline ➤ April 15th

*The program might be canceled depending on the COVID-19 pandemic situation.
Testimony

2019
One month magically passed, turning me from strangeness to yearning. I do appreciate everyone who I met in the summer school, teachers, buddies, classmates, friends... thank you for the cherished time we had, and happiness you brought to me, thanks.

- Alex, Hong Kong Polytechnic University

2018
Personally, it was the people with whom I spent the time left me the most profound impression instead of modern conglomerate, historic temples, etc. In this program, it is literally inspiring that you will befriend people with distinct background but the same passion, positivity, sincerity and simplicity. Thanks 2018-KISS!

- Kasch GUO, University of Hong Kong

2017
This summer KISS filled me with affluent knowledge, entralling culture experience, indelible joy, and awesome friends from all over the world. I am also filled with gratitude to be a summer exchange student in KAIST.

- Chan Wing Yu, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

These four weeks were life-changing and one of the best months in my travel journal. It was a privilege to study at KAIST with the adept academic staff and brilliant peer students from all over the world. At last but not least, I'm pleased to offer credits to one and all who contributed for the outstanding success of this exchange.

- Kasun Kalhara, Queensland University of Technology