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YONSEI UNIVERSITY

Winter Abroad at Yonsei (WAY) Program

Information Guide

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YONSEI UNIVERSITY, SOUTH KOREA:

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Yonsei University, the oldest private university in Korea, it was first established in 1885 by Christian missionaries. Yonsei's mission is to

educate leaders who will contribute to humanity in the spirit of "truth and freedom." The 300,000 Yonsei alumni who take this calling to heart can be found manifesting this proud spirit from leadership positions around the world. Its for this reason it is ranked number one university in Korea and ranked 112th at QS World University Ranking.

Yonsei's main campus is ensconced in a spacious, picturesque and natural setting located minutes away from the economic, political, and cultural centers of Seoul's metropolitan downtown. Yonsei has 3,500 eminent faculty members who are conducting cutting-edge research across all academic disciplines. There are 21 graduate schools, 22 colleges and 127 subsidiary institutions hosting a selective pool of students from around the world.

Yonsei University offers a 6-week winter program at its Sinchon campus for international students who would like to enjoy the winter in Seoul.

The winter program is composed of two separate 3week sessions, with intensive morning coursework and unique afternoon Korean language and Taekwondo classes. At the weekend, students can enjoy Korean winter activities. It will be an excellent opportunity to catch up with your coursework,



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meeting professors in an intimate setting, and to enjoy the companionship of students from all over the world.

Find out more here: http://www.yonsei.ac.kr/eng/

Program Overview

- Intercultural Learning
- Broaden your Korean language skills
- Intercultural learning
- Learn about the day-to-day activities of locals
- Additional cultural activities
- 500—year historical sites located nearby.
- Seoul is one of the top three "must visit" cities of the world as voted by the New York Times



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Program Details

Winter Abroad at Yonsei (WAY) program is a three week program. Over the three weeks, students will:

- Gain expert knowledge in the field
- Participate in Academic courses
- Improve Korean language skills
- Gain extensive in depth learning with workshops and lectures
- Undertake field trips to ski fields



Courses in included in the Session	

Korean Studies	General Studies	Korean Language	Taekwondo
Modern Korean His- tory	Biomedical Optics Theory & Lab	Korean Language 1	Taekwondo 2
Korean Development	Principles of Microe- conomics	Korean Language 2	
	Strategic Manage- ment	Korean Language 3	



"I would highly recommend Seoul and Yonsei University to any UTS students. It's such an eye opening experience and so different to the Sydney lifestyle that it would be silly to miss"

UTS student at Yonsei University on exchange



Program Dates

Thursday 21 January until Monday 15 February 2016

Program Cost

KRW 1,600,000 (Korean Won) Application Fee: KRW 100,000 (Korean Won)

Travel Grants

Applications will be on a competitive basis and ranked on the merit of the application statement. Once granted, students will be invited to apply to Yonsei University. Once students has been accepted into the program by Yonsei University, UTS BUILD travel will be granted. Grants up to \$1,500 will be available.

OS-HELP Loan

Extra financial support can be gained by applying for an <u>OS-Help</u> loan if applicable. This program must be for academic credit.

INCLUDED IN PROGRAM COST:

- Tuition and study material
- Travel and medical insurance through UTS Travel Insurance Policy

NOT INCLUDED IN PROGRAM COST:

- International airfares from Sydney to South Korea
- Accommodation. Students need to find their own accommodation. This can be completed through the support of the Yonsei Housing. It is allotted on a first-come first serve basis. Once accepted into this program, please organise straight away.
- Visa application costs
- Personal expenses and spending money





Who can apply

This fantastic trip is open to students:

- A keen interest in Korean culture and a background in either business or economy
- A minimum GPA requirement for acceptance is 2.50.
- An easy going, flexible and independent character with a willingness to take initiative to learn.
- Willingness to work hard and adapt to different surroundings and work environments
- Strong team working skills

Requirements

If you are selected you must:

- Attend a pre departure session
- Represent UTS with distinction at all times during the program
- Submit at least two blog posts during the program to UTS to be used on the UTS:BUILD Abroad Blog
- Submit a reflection piece to BUiLD on your return
- Complete a feedback survey on your return

Academic Credit

Students successfully completing the Yonsei University Winter Abroad (WAY) program may be eligible for academic credit towards their UTS course; 6CP electives only.

You must complete a concurrent study form to your Faculty Student Centre and have it approved before being accepted on this program.

Next steps

Applications close on Sunday 30 September 2015 at Midnight.

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