

# Guide for GNU Exchange Program, 2025 Spring



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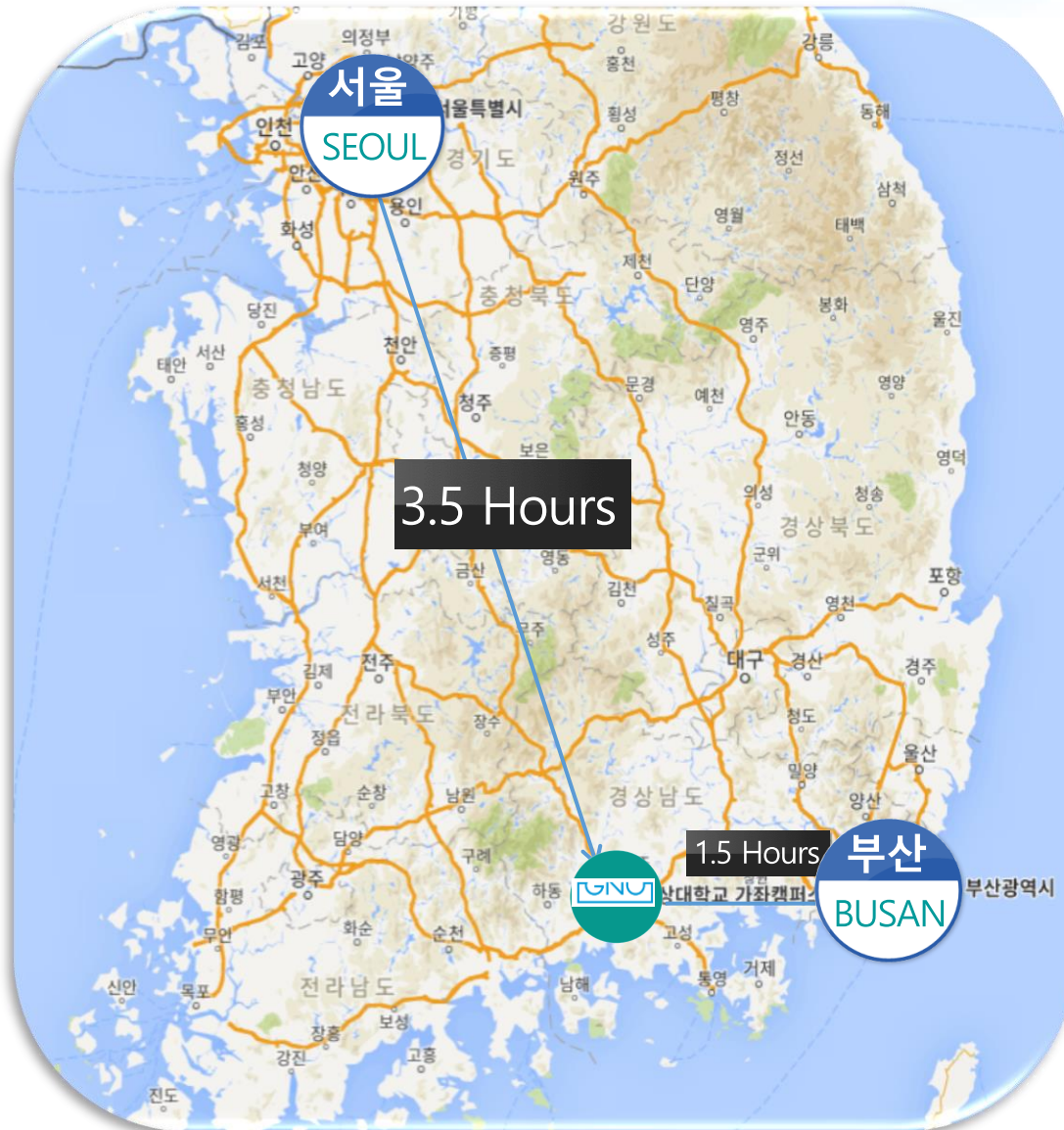


# About GNU



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# Location



# About GNU



## 경상국립대학교

### Gyeongsang National University

- Established: 1948
- University Type: National
- Organization: 5 campuses, 17 colleges, 11 graduate schools, 106 departments
- No. of Student: About 27,706  
(Undergraduate 24,756, Graduate 2,950)
- No. of Staff: 3,332  
(faculty 2,504, Administration staff 828)

# 5 Campuses

3 Campuses in Jinju (Gajwa, Chilam, Naedong)

Gajwa Campus

Chilam Campus

Changwon Campus

Tongyeong Campus

Map labels: 거창군, 산청군, 이령군, 함안군, 양산시, 김해시, 창원시, 진주시, 하동군, 사천시, 고성군, 거제시, 통영시, 남해군

Note: The main campus is the **Gajwa Campus**, where the dormitory and international office are located.

# Dormitory

Providing a comfortable living environment

## Dormitory Expenses and Meal Plan

(Currency: KRW, subject to change)

Building	Capacity	Gender	Dormitory Expenses	Meal Plan 〈Required〉	Facilities
5	2	F	546,250	<b>〈Required〉</b> ① <b>120</b> (408,000) ② <b>150</b> (450,000) ③ <b>190</b> (513,000) ④ <b>230</b> (529,000) ⑤ <b>300</b> (660,000) - cannot be changed after payment	Beds, desks, chairs, wardrobes, bookshelves, etc.
6	2	M	560,050		
7	2	F			
Gaecheok	2	M			
8	2	M	572,700		
9	2	F	572,700		
10	2	M	632,500		
11	2	F	632,500		
1	2	M	673,900		
2	2	M	673,900		
3	2	M	673,900		
4	2	F	673,900		

# Dormitory Facilities

Student dormitory interior, exterior and convenience facilities

Building 5 (interior, exterior) Building 1-4 (interior, exterior) Building 6-7 (interior, exterior)





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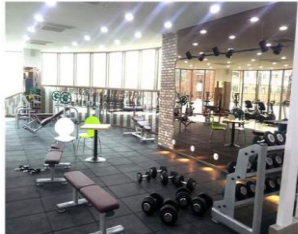
**Building 8,9(interior, exterior)**

**Building 10,11(interior, exterior)**



# Dormitory Facilities

Student dormitory interior, exterior and convenience facilities



# Contact

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# Application Procedure



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# Requirements

- ☑ At GNU, **most courses are taught in Korean(around 90%),** and **some taught in English(around 10%).** If you are fluent in Korean, you may take any courses that you want.
- ☑ However, **if you are not fluent in Korean, please bear in mind that your course registration can be limited.**  
You may not find any relevant courses with your majors and even your course application can be rejected by department policy
- ☑ So, we strongly advise you to take good care of your credits for your Graduation at your home university before coming to GNU.
- ☑ Graduate students **will officially be admitted** only after being **reviewed and approved by their respective department or laboratory at GNU.**

# Programs Available in GNU

[Gajwa Campus-Jinju City] – Main campus with dormitories and International Office

Colleges	Departments
Humanities	Language and Literature (Korean, German, Russian, French, English, Chinese), History, Philosophy, Korean Classics in Chinese, Ethnic Dance
Social Science	Economics, Social Welfare, Sociology, Psychology, Political Science, Public Admin., Media Communication
Natural Science	Physics, Life Science, Mathematics, Food and Nutrition, Clothing and Textiles, Information Statistics, Geology, Chemistry
Business	Management Information System, Business Administration, Intl' Trade, Accounting
Engineering	Mechanical, Aerospace and Information Eng. (Aerospace and), Nano- New Materials Eng., Industrial Systems Eng., Architectural Civil Eng., Architecture, Chemical Eng.,
Agriculture and Life Science	Food and Resources Economics, Forest Environmental Resources, Environmental Materials Science, Agricultural Plant Science, Animal life science, Agrochemical Food Eng., Agrosystems Eng. (Biotechnology Industry Mechanical Eng., Area-based Environmental Eng.)
Law	Law
IT Engineering	Electrical Eng., Electronics Eng., Semiconductor Eng., Software Eng., Control and Instrumentation Eng., Computer Eng., AI information Eng.
Space and Aeronautics	Aerospace Engineering



# Programs Available in GNU

[Chilam Campus-Jinju City]

Colleges	Departments
Life Sciences	Anti-aging Advanced Materials Science, Pharmaceutical Engineering, Computer Science(Computer Software major)
Construction& environmental Engineering	Interior Materials Engineering, Landscape Architecture, Textile Design, Environmental Engineering
Integrated Technology Engineering	Mechanical Material Convergence Engineering, Mechatronics Engineering, Automotive Engineering, Convergence Electronic Engineering, Energy Engineering
Humanities and Social Science	Social Welfare, Children and Family Studies, English
Business	Smart Logistics and Commerce

## ※ Note

- We advise you to apply for the same or similar major or department at GNU as with your home university. All the colleges, departments(majors) at

<https://www.gnu.ac.kr/eng/cm/cntnts/cntntsView.do?mi=8527&cntntsId=4497> ,

And you can find course information at

<https://www.gnu.ac.kr/main/na/ntt/selectNttList.do?mi=16549&bbsId=4526> .

# Procedure and Schedule

Step	Nomination	Application	Announcement of Acceptance	Sending Certificate of Admission	Semester Begins
<b>Spring</b>	11. 1.	11. 15.	Early December	Mid December	Early March
<b>Fall</b>	5. 1.	5. 15.	Early June	Mid June	Early September

## 1) Nomination

- Please send an email with designated nomination form to GNU through the International Program Manager of candidate's home university
- The nomination form is included in the recruitment notice email.



# Procedure and Schedule

## 2) Application

- ① Go to [www.studyinkorea.go.kr](http://www.studyinkorea.go.kr) and register as a new member, and access the application link
  - Application link is sent to international program manager of candidate's home university

### ◎ Required Documents

- **Photo** (3.5\*4.5cm)
- **Official Academic Transcript** (issued by the home institution)
- ※ Graduate students must also submit the official transcript of their undergraduate academic records.
- **Official Certificate of Enrollment** (issued by the home institution)
- **Copy of Passport**
- **Medical Checkup** (Form Provided)
- **Letter of Recommendation**
- **Permission for the Use of Personal Information**(Form Provided)

- ② Complete the online application form

# Procedure and Schedule

## 3) Notification of Acceptance

- Notification of Acceptance will be sent to the International Program Manager of each university via email.

## 4) Sending Admission Documents

- We shall dispatch the admission documents to the International Office of each respective university.  
We kindly request that you subsequently facilitate their dissemination to the students, enabling them to initiate the visa application process.

# Course Selection

☑ **Course registration** is scheduled **one month prior to the commencement of the semester**. Also, there is the option to apply during the additional course registration period within the initial week following the commencement of the semester.

☑ While we recommend exchange students to take courses among their own departments' curriculum, **they are also allowed to take other preferred courses in other departments**

## ※ Note

- For an overview of courses taught in a foreign language, kindly refer to the link provided below.  
<https://www.gnu.ac.kr/main/na/ntt/selectNttList.do?mi=16549&bbsId=4526>
- The course list for **the fall semester** will be updated **in August**, and the course list for the **spring semester** will be updated **in February**.
- Apart from the list, there is a **basic Korean course for beginners and for intermediates**.

# Academic Information

**Spring Semester:** March 1<sup>st</sup> ~ Mid June

**Fall Semester:** September 1<sup>st</sup> ~ Mid December

**Credit System**

- At GNU, **1 credit** consists of **50 minutes coursework per week** for **15 weeks** during the semester.

# Arrival Information

**Pick-up service** will be provided **from ICN to GNU.**

**Orientation**

- Orientation will be held for the incoming international students at the end of Feb. or early Mar. for Spring semester and end of Aug. or early Sept. in the fall semester.

# Health Insurance

Students are **automatically enrolled** at health insurance after alien registration

**Estimated Amount(KRW): 84,150(each month)**

# Benefits for Exchange Students



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# Benefits for Exchange Students

Welcome Week for International Students

Free Korean Language Classes

Career & Employment Programs



1:1 Mentoring Program

Cultural Exploration

Admission to Graduate Programs (if interested)

# Welcome Week

- **Airport Pickup Service:** We provide a pick-up bus from the airport to GNU.
- **Course Registration:** Students may enroll in the course with a Buddy for up to one week following the commencement of the new semester.
- **Alien Registration:** We offer guidance on Alien Registration for a secure life in Korea.



# 1:1 Mentoring Program

- Support when Immigration and Dormitory check-in
- Help with course registration and adjustment to school life from the beginning of the semester
- Support for Korean language and department classes **through continuous exchange with Korean students(Buddy Program) or Staff through 1:1 matching**
- Participate in local and University festivals





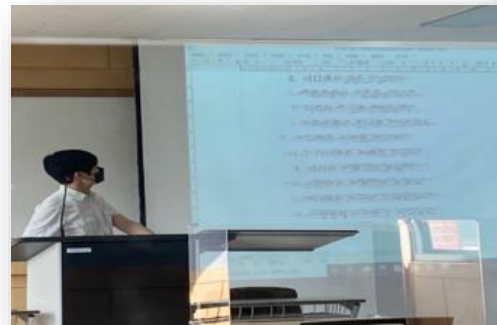
# Korean Language Classes

## Purpose

- Korean conversation classes and TOPIK test preparation classes for foreign students
- Improve Korean conversational skills to increase academic achievement and support adaptation in Korea

## Period and Benefits

- Period: 8~9 weeks <48-54 Hours>
- Completion criteria: Awarding a certificate of attendance for **achieving 80% or higher attendance.**
- Completion benefits: **Tuition waiver**



# Cultural Exploration

Understanding Korean culture through cultural experiences at attractions near Jinju

## Purpose

- Providing opportunities for cultural experience and enhancing understanding of Korea to enhance university life satisfaction

## Summary for Program

- Period: During the semester (end of March - May / end of September - November)
  - No. of Session: 2-3 times per semester
- (※ The number of sessions and schedule may change depending on the situation each semester)

# Cultural Exploration

Understanding Korean culture through cultural experiences at attractions near Jinju



# Cultural Exploration

Understanding Korean culture through cultural experiences and having fun activities



# Cultural Exploration -Sports Activities

- At the GNU Sports Complex, we **offer opportunity to partake in one-day session of experiencing various sports activities**, including swimming, Pilates, and yoga at **no additional cost**.
  - **An International Students' Sports Day** is hosted during the spring semester, providing students with the opportunity to engage in a diverse range of sporting activities.
- ※ Please note that the scheduling and frequency of this activity may be subject to adjustment based on the prevailing circumstances.



# Career & Employment Programs

- We provide **valuable opportunities** for students to participate in a **range of employment-related initiatives**, including involvement in job fairs and related activities.



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THANK YOU!

