Hosted by the Research Institute of Korean Studies at Korea University
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The 3rd RIKS Academy
for Young Korean Studies Scholars

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

Over the past generation, there has been much progress qualitative and quantitatively an increasing number of researchers in Korean Studies overseas and domestically. The depth of our diversity is thanks to the diverse numbers of countries, cultures, academic environment from which our researchers come from. Unfortunately young researchers do not have many opportunities to share their findings and increase their expertise.

In response, Korea University's Research Institute of Korean Studies (RIKS) worked to receive the support of the Pony Chung Foundation for the creation of such a platform in 2016, called RIKS Academy. Since its founding in 1957, RIKS, a leader in the field of Korean Studies, has done its best to fulfill the long-term mission of enabling vibrant interactions between young researchers and broaden the reach of Korean Studies. The title of the third RIKS Academy, to be held this year, is *Expanding Horizons of Korean Studies*. In response to the ever –changing nature of Korean Studies and Korean society, the scope of the seminars have expanded to include religion, journals, cultural heritage, and ideals, among others.

The following two events aim to deepen the participants expertise and broaden the interwoven networking between Young Korean studies scholars: (1) Korean studies seminars from leading scholars (2) Young Korean studies scholar presentations on research topics and discussion. We at RIKS would like to encourage all participants' research and cooperation, and look forward to hearing from you.

OUTLINE

○ Dates : Monday, August 6 – Friday, August 11, 2018 (for the duration of five days)

○ Main Programs :

① Intensive seminars run by leading scholars

② Research Symposium

③ Fieldwork

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PROGRAM AND SCHEDULE

○ **Intensive Courses**

Time	08/06 (Mon)	08/07 (Tues)	08/08 (Wed)	08/09 (Thurs)	08/10 (Fri)
10:00 - 12:00	< Intensive Course I > Religion and Modernity: Religious Conflicts at Organizational Vacuum (Sungtaek Cho, Korea University, Department of Philosophy)	<Intensive Course Ⅱ> Examining the Daily Life of Joseon People through Diaries (Woo Bong Chung, Korea University, Department of Korean Language and Literature)	<Fieldwork> (Leeum, Samsung Museum of Art) 10:30 - 15:00	<Intensive Course Ⅲ> 'Difficult Heritage' in Nation Building: South Korea's Responses to Japanese Colonial Occupation Architecture (Hyun Kyung Lee, University of Cambridge)	<Intensive Course Ⅳ> The March 1st Movement at the Crossroads of Natioanlism and Global Utopianism (Boduerae Kwon, Korea University, Department of Korean Language and Literature)
14:00 - 18:00	Research Symposium	Research Symposium		Research Symposium	Research Symposium

○ **Fieldwork : Leeum, Samsung Museum of Art**
-Visiting the architecturally famous, Leeum, Samsung Museum of Art filled with nationally renowned artworks and artifacts,

○ **Research Symposium : Presentation 20 min, Discussion 20 min**
- RIKS Academy participants present on their research topic
- It is highly recommended that it be a future dissertation topic or have high relevance to your
- Language of presentation: Korean
- Presentations with a high level of completion will be encouraged to submit to Korean cultural studies, an academic journal of RIKS, after revision

* Program schedule and program are subject to change.

Application Guidelines

○ Eligibility Criteria :

- Graduate students from overseas or domestic Korean Studies programs who are preparing for Korean Studies doctoral programs
- Currently taking classes conducted in Korean, and can participate in discussions and presentations in Korean (intensive courses, research symposium, (must be able to do all of the aforementioned)

○ Award Information :

- Amount awarded : overseas participants KRW 1 million, domestic students KRW 500,000
- Overseas participants are eligible for travel grants (United States/Europe: up to KRW 1 million, Asia within: upto KRW 500,000)
- Reception Dinner (8/06), Fieldwork Lunch (8/08), Farewell Luncheon (8/10) are provided

(Housing arrangements can be introduced per request)

○ Number of Participants : 16-20 persons (domestic students 8 - 10, overseas students 8 – 10 persons)

○ Application Instructions :

- Completed online application (personal information, presentation title, and abstract): link to be provided

○ Application Deadline : May 31, 2018 (KST. All **deadlines** are **strictly enforced**)

○ Regarding participant selection, notification and submission of presentation materials:

- Submitted applications will be reviewed by the academy's selection committee under RIKS
- Results will be sent to applicants via email by June 30, 2018
- Selected persons must submit five page manuscript (A4) by July 20, 2018 (deadline strictly enforced)
- Detailed further instructions will be provided at the time of results notification

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