Hosted by the Research Institute of Korean Studies at Korea University
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The 4th RIKS Academy
for Young Korean Studies Scholars

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

Over the past generation, research into Korean Studies has seen both quantitative and qualitative progress alongside an ever-increasing number of researchers in Korean Studies both domestically and overseas. Our variety is thanks to the diverse numbers of countries, cultures, and academic environments from which our researchers come from. Despite this, young researchers do not have many opportunities to share their findings and enhance their expertise.

In response to this, Korea University's Research Institute of Korean Studies (RIKS) worked in collaboration with the support of the Pony Chung Foundation to create such a platform in 2016, called the 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 active interaction among young researchers and to broaden the reach of Korean Studies. This year, the fourth RIKS Academy will bring together scholars of philosophy, history, and literature for intensive courses designed to explore the context of Korean Studies as it relates to East Asia.

The following two events aim to deepen participants' expertise and broaden networking connections between young Korean studies scholars: (1) Korean studies seminars from leading scholars (2) Young Korean studies scholars' presentations and discussion on their research topics. We at RIKS encourage all participants' research and cooperation, and look forward to working with you.

OUTLINE

○ Dates: Monday, August 5 – Friday, August 9, 2019 (for the duration of five days)

○ Main Programs:

① Intensive seminars run by leading scholars

② Participant research presentation

③ Fieldwork

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PROGRAM AND SCHEDULE

○ **Intensive Courses**

Time	08/05 (Mon)	08/06 (Tues)	08/07 (Wed)	08/08 (Thurs)	08/09 (Fri)
10:00 - 12:00	< Intensive Course I > The Soldier's Way and The Citizen's Rights (Hyoung Chan Kim, Korea University, Department of Philosophy)	<Intensive Course II> Korea's Commemoration Culture (Ho-geun Choi, Korea University Department of History)	<Fieldwork> (National Museum of Korea) 10:30 - 15:00	<Intensive Course III> Writing About One's Own Death, a Practice of the Joseon Dynasty (Jun-cheol Im, Korea University Department of Chinese Literature)	<Intensive Course IV> The March First Independence Movement and Decolonization: Between Wilsonianism and Leninism (Boduerae Kwon, Korea University, Department of Korean Language and Literature)
14:00 - 18:00	Research Presentation	Research Presentation		Research Presentation	Research Presentation

○ **Fieldwork: National Museum of Korea**

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The National Museum of Korea in Yongsan is the sixth largest museum in the world. It contains artifacts dating from the Stone Age to the Three Kingdoms, the Goryo and Joseon Periods, and even historical photographs depicting more modern times. The museum boasts over 300 historic and national treasures and more than 1.4 million artifacts, over 10,000 of which remain on permanent display in the 46 exhibition rooms.

http://www.museum.go.kr/site/main/home

○ **Participant Research Presentation: Presentation 20 min, Discussion 20 min**

- RIKS Academy participants will present on their research topic
- It is highly recommended that it be a future dissertation topic or have high relevance to your degree study
- Language of presentation: Korean
- Participants with highly-developed presentations 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:

- Student enrolled in a Korean Studies graduate program
- Currently taking classes conducted in Korean, and can participate in discussions and presentations in Korean (intensive courses, research presentations) (must meet all aforementioned requirements)

○ Award Information:

- Amount awarded: KRW 1 million for overseas participants, KRW 1 million for domestic students
- Overseas participants are eligible for travel grants (United States/Europe: up to KRW 1 million, Asia: up to KRW 500,000)
- Reception Dinner (8/05), Fieldwork Lunch (8/07), Farewell Lunch (8/09) are provided (Accommodation arrangements can be organized upon request)

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

○ Application Instructions:

- Completed online application (personal information, title of presentation, and abstract)
  http://naver.me/FA6SHSyB

○ Application Deadline: June 7, 2019 (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, 2019
- Selected persons must submit a five page manuscript (A4) by July 20, 2019 (no late submissions accepted)
- Detailed further instructions will be provided at the time of results notification

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