



**KDI SCHOOL**  
KDI School of Public Policy and Management



# *Come to KDI School*

*Spring 2016 Admissions*





# Why KDI School?

## Missions

### Fostering Future Leaders

Foster world-class policy, development, and management experts with global perspective

### Knowledge Sharing

Contribute towards balanced economic development across the globe by sharing Korea's development experience and know-hows

## History

1997.12

KDI School Founded with an authorization from the Ministry of Education and Human Resource Development

1999.12

Designated as APEC's Education Hub in Asia

2001.02

Ph.D. Program launched

2012.01

Master's Program restructured into MDP and MPP

2014.07

Appointed as GDLN World Secretariat by the World Bank

2014.07

MPP Program received official accreditation from NASPAA

2015.01

MPM Program launched

## World-renowned Contents

KDI



1<sup>st</sup> in Asia

9<sup>th</sup> among non-US institutes

2014 Global Go To Think Tank Rankings, Univ. of Pennsylvania

### Dynamic and vibrant education program

delving into the experiences and the assets of Asia's top think-tank, Korea Development Institute

- Education based on experiences of systematic research on global development and consultation to developing nations

### NASPAA\* Accreditation Received

\*Network of Schools of Public Policy, Affairs and Administration

- MPP program has received official accreditation from NASPAA, the leading accreditation body for schools in public affairs

- KDI School is the first school outside the United States to receive the NASPAA accreditation in MPP



## Top-Notch Faculty

- Faculty consisting of PhDs from top-tier universities in the world
- Out of 46 full-time professors, 24 have work experience at policy-related institutions such as KDI, World Bank, Bank of Korea, etc.
- New policy design and implementation can directly update the school curriculum



## Extensive Scholarship

### Scholarship for Int'l Students

- Global Ambassador Scholarship
- Seoul G20 Global Leader's Fellowship
- KOICA Scholarship
- NIIED Scholarship(GKS-KGSP)
- IDB Scholarship
- Colombo Plan Scholarship
- POSCO Fellowship
- KOGAS Global Fellowship
- FSS-KFB-KDIS Scholarship
- KOICA-MDI Scholarship

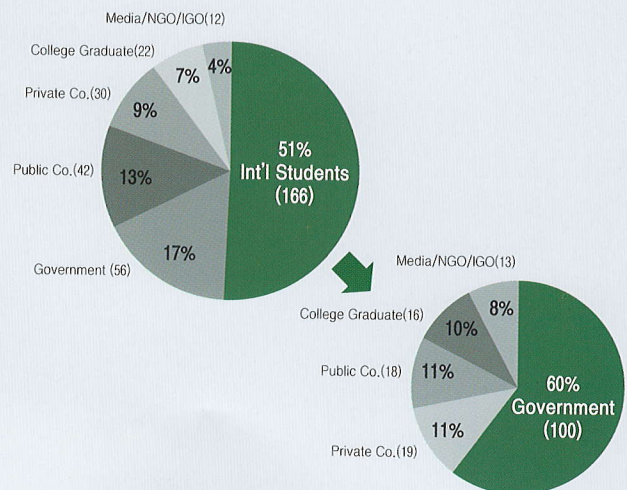
100%

100% of students receive scholarship



## Diverse Student Body

### 2014 Student Body (328)



328 Students from 74 countries



# Academic Programs

## Master of Public Policy (MPP)

The Master of Public Policy (MPP) program is designed to provide global perspective and professional expertise in public policy areas. The program is highly regarded both in and outside of Korea, particularly among developing nations and government officials. The faculty with outstanding research backgrounds and empirical knowledge offers a leading curriculum that integrates theory and practice. The highly diverse student composition provides a unique educational environment. Both domestic and international students from all walks of life, including the government, the media, and NGOs are able to share ideas, knowledge and experiences, and build a dynamic global network.

### Academic Goals

- Expand policy-makers' capability in policy planning, analysis and implementation
  - Foster professionals in the field of economic and social policies
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## Master of Development Policy (MDP)

Based on the KDI's hands-on experience on development policy of over 40 years, the Master of Development Policy (MDP) program offers a curriculum where students can examine various issues of socio-economic development in both theoretical and practical frameworks. The program is specifically targeted for international professionals, including government officials, development consultants, and regional specialists who wish to contribute to development policy-making. The program is also focused on fostering professionals in the field of the official development assistance (ODA).

### Academic Goals

- Build capacity in designing and implementing economic and social policies of developing countries
  - Train professionals in the field of official development assistance (ODA) and international development
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## Master of Public Management (MPM)

The MPM seeks to fulfill policy management needs in today's global environment through an integrative education program that covers various facets of management and leadership in both public and private sectors. The aim of the program is to nurture professionals who can successfully navigate and manage the complexities of global and private policy environments, make preemptive decisions to deal with the challenges, and have the capacity to put them into action.

### Academic Goals

- Improve comprehensive problem solving skills in public administration and management, with the help of reinforced understanding of global and private policy environment
  - Foster high-quality public workforce capable of policy design and execution
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## Ph.D. Programs

The KDI School offers Ph.D. in Public Policy degree and Ph.D. in Development Policy degree. The goal of the Ph.D. program is to prepare qualified candidates to produce cutting-edge research in their chosen field and to equip them with the skills they need to ascend to leadership positions in the public or private sector.

### Curriculum Tailored to Your Research Topic

The KDI School encourages Ph.D. students to take the initiative in shaping their own course of study, once they complete the required courses during the first 1~2 years.

### Faculty Involvement

The KDI School also encourages Ph.D. students to collaborate with the faculty on research projects. Along with an emphasis on supervised research courses, the KDI School provides an environment where students work closely with professors.

### Expected Target Students

The KDI School selects individuals with demonstrated potential for research. Applicants are also expected to have a research topic firmly in hand.

# How to Apply

## Admissions Overview

Category	2016 Spring Admissions	2016 Fall Admissions
Available Programs	<b>Master's Programs</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Master of Public Policy</li> <li>• Master of Development Policy</li> <li>• Master of Public Management</li> </ul> <b>Ph.D. Programs</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ph.D. in Public Policy</li> <li>• Ph.D. in Development Policy</li> </ul>	<b>Master's Programs</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Master of Public Policy</li> <li>• Master of Development Policy</li> <li>• Master of Public Management</li> </ul>
Application Period	August 10 – October 23, 2015	March – May, 2016
Final Result	Early December, 2015	Early July, 2016
Program Entrance	February, 2016	September, 2016

## Qualifications

### Applicant Qualification

International Applicants must meet one of the following

- A foreign national whose parents are both foreign nationals
- An applicant who has completed at least 16 years of education (elementary, middle, high school, and university) in a foreign country

### Degree Qualification

Applicants for Master's degree program must meet one of the following

- A bachelor's degree holder from an accredited college or university (min. 3 years)
- Educational attainment equivalent to bachelor's degree (min. 3 years) approved by law

Applicants for Ph.D. degree program must meet one of the following

- Both bachelor's (min. 3 years) and master's degree holder from an accredited college or university
- Educational attainment equivalent to both bachelor's (min. 3 years) and master's degree approved by law

## Application Process

### STEP 1

Download both application guideline and online application guideline for Spring 2016 Admissions from the KDI School's admissions website (<http://admissions.kdischool.ac.kr>).

### STEP 2

Submit an online application through the admissions website by October 23, 2015.

### STEP 3

Submit all required application documents to the admissions office by October 23, 2015.  
(Address: 263 Namsejong-ro, Sejong-si, 339-007, Republic of Korea)



# Scholarship

All admitted international students will become potential candidates for full or partial scholarships. The scholarship awards and benefits will be decided by the admissions committee upon one's admission to the school. The benefits may vary depending on each candidate's qualification.

Scholarship	Benefits	Eligibility
Global Ambassador Scholarship	Full/partial tuition Monthly stipend	<b>All overseas students</b> ※ Choose 'international general' when creating an online application.
Seoul G20 Global Leader's Fellowship	Full tuition Monthly stipend Round-trip airfare	<b>Public officials</b> who meet one of the follow requirements: – Division head level (or) – Over 6 years of experience ※ Choose 'Seoul G20' when creating an online application.
POSCO Asia/Africa Fellowship	Full tuition Monthly stipend Round-trip airfare	<b>Government officials</b> from Asia and Africa ※ Choose 'international general' when creating an online application. Candidates will be chosen from International general applicants.
Colombo Plan Scholarship	Full tuition Monthly stipend Round-trip airfare	<b>Government officials</b> recommended by Colombo Plan ※ This scholarship is limited to those who are officially recommended by the Colombo Plan only.
FSS-KFB-KDIS Scholarship	Full tuition Monthly stipend Round-trip airfare	<b>Government finance officers</b> (banking sector only) from Asian countries ※ This scholarship is limited to those who are officially recommended by the FSS and KFB only.
KOICA-MDI Scholarship	Full tuition Monthly stipend Round-trip airfare	<b>Myanmar citizens</b> who hold bachelor's degree in economics or related fields ※ Visit the admissions website for more information about the eligibility.

## Contact Information

### Address (Application Submission) :

The Office of Admissions KDI School of Public Policy and Management  
263 Namsejong-ro, Sejong-si, Republic of Korea, 339-007

**Phone :** +82-44-550-1281/1220

**E-mail :** admissions@kdischool.ac.kr

**Office Hour :** 9:00~18:00, KST

**Website :** <http://admissions.kdischool.ac.kr/>





# Campus Life

Located at the heart of the multifunctional administrative city, Sejong, the KDI School's new campus offers world-class education taking advantage of its geographical proximity to central government agencies and national research institutes. The Sejong campus offers optimum educational environment by providing students with up-to-date research and educational facilities.



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# INTL AIU Demo



## Africa 19%

Algeria  
Botswana  
Burundi  
Cameroon  
D.R. Congo  
Cote d'Ivoire  
Egypt  
Eritrea  
Ethiopia  
Gambia  
Ghana  
Kenya  
Lesotho  
Liberia  
Madagascar

Malawi  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Namibia  
Nigeria  
Rwanda  
Senegal  
Sierra Leone  
South Africa  
Sudan  
Tanzania  
Tunisia  
Uganda  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

## Europe 8%

Albania  
Belarus  
Bosnia–Herzegovina  
Bulgaria  
Croatia  
Czech Republic  
France  
Georgia  
Greece  
Hungary  
Lithuania  
Poland  
Romania  
Russia  
Serbia and Montenegro

Slovakia  
Sweden  
Ukraine  
United Kingdom

## Oceania 1%

Australia  
Fiji  
New Zealand  
Solomon Islands

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1998~2014



### Asia 61%

- Afghanistan
- Armenia
- Azerbaijan
- Bangladesh
- Bhutan
- Cambodia
- China
- East Timor
- India
- Indonesia
- Iran
- Iraq
- Israel
- Japan
- Jordan

- Kazakhstan
- Kyrgyzstan
- Laos
- Malaysia
- Maldives
- Mongolia
- Myanmar
- Nepal
- Pakistan
- Palestine
- Philippines
- Sri Lanka
- Taiwan
- Tajikistan
- Thailand
- Turkey
- Turkmenistan

### America 11%

- Uzbekistan
- Vietnam
- Yemen
- Antigua and Barbuda
- Belize
- Bolivia
- Brazil
- Canada
- Chile
- Colombia
- Costa Rica
- Dominican Republic
- Ecuador
- El Salvador

- Grenada
- Guatemala
- Haiti
- Honduras
- Jamaica
- Mexico
- Nicaragua
- Panama
- Paraguay
- Peru
- St. Lucia
- Suriname
- United States of America