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Government of India
Ministry of Human Resource Development
Department of Higher Education
External Scholarship division

2020 Global Korea Scholarship

Last date for online application: - 21.03.2020

The Ministry of Human Resource Development invites applications from Indian nationals for "**2020 Global Korea Scholarship**" which is being provided by the National Institute for International Education (NIIED) of the Government of Republic of Korea.

- **Number of scholarship slots:** 22
- **Number of nominations:** 45 (Final Selection would be done by the Government of Republic of Korea).
- **Level of Course:** (i) Master's, (ii) Doctoral and (iii) Research Programme

- **Eligibility**:

   (A)   Age:

(a) Applicants applying for Master's/ Doctoral Programme must be under 40 years of age as of September 1st, 2020 (born after September 1st, 1980).

(b) Applicants who are working as a professor must be under 45 year of age as of September 1, 2020 (born after September 1, 1975).

   (B)   Qualification:

   o **For Master's Programme**: Must hold or must be expected to hold a Bachelor's Degree or a level of education equivalent to Master's Degree by August 31st, 2020.

   o **For Doctoral Programme**: Must hold or must be expected to hold a Master's Degree or a level of education equivalent to Master's Degree by August 31st, 2020.

   o **For Research Programme**: The applicant must have received an invitation from one of NIIED's designated Korean universities and must have the following qualification relevant to the proposed study:

(a) Postdoctoral Research Program: Applicants must hold a Doctoral degree or a level of education equivalent to a doctoral degree by August 31st, 2020

(b) Professor Exchange Program: Applicants must hold a Master's degree or a level of education equivalent to or higher than a Master's degree by August 31st, 2019

(c) Program for Education, Science, Culture, (International Professionals): Applicant must hold or be expected to hold a Master's degree or a level of education equivalent to or higher than a Master's degree by August 31st, 2019

(C) Other conditions as set out by the Government of Republic of Korea (please refer to the enclosed guidelines for the scholarship).

(D) Apart from the above criteria, the applicant must fulfill the following condition:

Candidates who have already been abroad for study/training/specialization either on scholarship or on their own for a period exceeding six months are eligible to apply only if they have been in India for at least two consecutive years after returning from abroad as on 21.03.2020.

- **Scholarship benefits:** For details about the scholarship benefits, please refer to enclosed guidelines.

- Students may download the application form booklet in word document format from the following link: http://studyinkorea.go.kr. **The applicants are requested to go through the information available on the website before applying to this scholarship.**

- **Application:**

  ➢ Applicants are required to apply online on the Ministry's applicationportal http://proposal.sakshat.ac.in/scholarship. The last date for online application is **21.03.2020**.

  ➢ Applicants are required to submit **four copies** of the prescribed 2020 Global Korea Scholarship application form available on the aforementioned Korean

Government website duly filled along with the supporting documents, by 21.03.2020 to **the Under Secretary (Scholarship), Ministry of Human Resource Development, Department of Higher Education, West Block-1, 2nd Floor, Wing-6, R. K. Puram, New Delhi- 110066.**

- **Documents required:**

Scanned copy of the following documents needs to be uploaded at the time of online application at http://proposal.sakshat.ac.in/scholarship .

> ➢ Marks sheet and certificate for Secondary Examination
> ➢ Marks sheet and certificate for Higher Secondary Examination
> ➢ Last Grade Card available (in case of appearing candidates) or Degree Certificate in case of already passed candidates.
> ➢ Bachelor's/Master's/Doctoral degree or equivalent.

Note:
(i) Candidates are required to obtain transcript from their university/institution.

(ii) Applicants who are currently in the last semester/year of his/her study are required to upload the transcript up to the semesters/years completed and need to mention the passing year as 2020.

(iii) **Candidates are advised NOT to use Camscanner app for scanning their application form and supporting documents. All files to be submitted/uploaded must be of .pdf file extension (jpeg/jpg etc. are not allowed). Size of the application form and other supporting documents to be uploaded on SAKSHAT Portal must be below 750 Kb.**

- **Criteria for nomination:**
  The following criteria would be adopted for shortlisting the candidates:

  i) The merit list would be drawn by giving weightage to Centrally Funded Educational Institutions (CFEI's)/Institution of National Importance and NAAC accredited institutions, from where the candidate is pursuing or has completed his/her qualifying exam.

  ii) In case of tie, weightage would be given to the marks obtained in the last qualifying exam.

  iii) Nominations would be made in a proportional manner with regards to the number of applications received course-wise and the desired field of study i.e. Liberal Arts and Social Science; Science, Technology and Engineering; Arts and Sports.

Important notes:

➢ Employed candidates must obtain 'No Objection Certificate' from their employer. In case of Government servant, cadre clearance is a must.

➢ Canvassing in any form & suppression of any fact in the application will disqualify the candidature of the applicant.

➢ All information regarding the aforementioned scholarship would be made available on Ministry's website i.e. http://mhrd.gov.in/scholarships . Queries may be directed by email at es3.edu@nic.in or by telephone at 011-26172492 (between 3:00 PM and 5:00 PM).

➢ All communication to nominated candidates would be made on their registered email.

Encl: Scheme Guidelines

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