# **Woosong University**

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### I. University Introduction

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With over a half century of knowledge and experience in the management field, the Woosong Educational Foundation established Woosong University in 1995 under the motto "Paving the Way to a Stronger and Brighter Future." Equipped with a spirit of ambition and challenge, Woosong University provides a gateway to knowledge and educational opportunities for future generations.

Since its establishment, Woosong signed with more than 100 sister universities from over 30 countries around the world, sends students abroad, operates joint degree programs, established an overseas IT campus in China and Vietnam and is becoming the forefront of global education. Woosong established 6 colleges: SolBridge International School of Business, SolAsia Service & Convergence Management College, the College of Railroad and Transportation, the College of Digital Media, the College of Health and Welfare, the College of Hotel and Culinary Arts. While operating a specialized educational system, Woosong has 9,300 students, including 1,200 international students, and is Daejeon's prestigious private university.

SolBridge International School of Business is unique in many ways, not only to Korea, but to all of Asia. The business school was established with a vision to prepare students to be globally employable by incorporating unique aspects of a tertiary business education in Asia. These values are:

- ① All courses are taught in English
- ② International professors from 14 nations represent 80% of the faculty
- ③ Curriculum modeled after American business schools with a focus on business in Asia
- ④ A multi-cultural student body of 500 students from 30 countries; 80% are non-Koreans

In the College of SolAsia Service & Convergence Management, any interested students can study abroad at the Beijing Foreign Studies University and can easily select a major through the Open Platform education system.

In order to increase students' job aspects, Woosong University operates a 1 year, 4 semester program and students are able to graduate in 3.5 years. Woosong also helps students' future prospects with minors, double majors, national certifications, 6 month internships abroad, and career development programs during vacation periods.

In 2012, Woosong University was selected as "Leaders in Industry-University Cooperation(LINC)", receiving about USD 2.3 million (about USD 11.3 million over the next 5years) and chosen as "the Educational Advancement Capacity" three years in a row, receiving about USD 1.9 million, total amount is USD 13.2 million.

In 2011, Woosong University was selected the Advancement of College Education award receiving USD 9.4 million over the next four years and also selected the Education Advancement Capacity award by the Ministry of Education, Science and Technology in 2011. Out of 200 universities across the country, 11 were selected. Woosong University received an above average assessment due to its international programs and the 4 semester process, making Woosong the first university to distinctively model a year-long educational program.

Woosong University is externally taking the lead in revolutionizing university education and internally producing a new vision for the global era in the 21<sup>st</sup> century.

## 2. History

1954. 04. 17	Woosong Educational Foundation established			
1954. 07. 26	Opening of Daejeon Dong Middle School			
1954. 07. 26	Opening of Daejeon Commercial High School			
1963. 01. 28	Opening of Woosong Information College			
1963. 01. 28	Opening of Woosong Technical College			
1972. 12. 26	Opening of Seodaejeon High School			
1982. 11. 22	Opening of Woosong Kindergarten			
1995. 03. 01	The Inauguration of the first President			
1995. 03. 08	Opening of Woosong University			
1997. 03. 01	Opening of Seoul Design Education Center			
1998. 08. 25	Opening of Woosong Foreign Education Center			
1999. 04. 30	Woosong Techno-Design Center and Woosong Language Institute established			
1999. 10. 22	Continuing Education Center founded as an affiliated center of Woosong University			
2000. 05. 24	Opening of New Business Information Center			
2001. 07. 02	Opening of Woosong IT Education Center			
2002. 11. 01	Woosong Health Clinic Center founded			
2003. 01. 21	Selected as Continuing Education Center in Daejeon City			
2003. 07. 17	Opening of Korea-China IT Education Center in China			
2003. 07. 21	Selected as a specialized excellent university.			
2004. 05. 25	Opening of Korea-Vietnam IT Education Center in Vietnam			
2004. 06. 16	Selected by NURI of the Ministry of Education and Human Resources Development.			
2004. 11. 23	Education-Industry Cooperation with Korea Railroad Research Institute			
2006. 01. 17	Education-Industry Cooperation with Daejeon Metropolitan Rapid Transit Corporation			
2007. 04. 30	Opening of Woosong Confucius Academy			

2007. 09. 01	Opening of SolBridge MIB Program				
2008. 03. 01	Openning of SolBridge International Business School				
2009. 09. 15	Selected the best division by NURI of the Ministry of Education, Science and Technology				
2010. 02. 16	Selected the Education Advancement Capacity award about USD 2.7 million by the Ministry of Education, Science and Technology in 2010				
2011. 05. 09	Selected the Education Advancement Capacity award about USD 2.2 million by the Ministry of Education, Science and Technology in 2011				
2011. 05. 09	Selected the "Advancement of College Education" award receiving about USD 9.4 million over the next four years and the Best of 11 award in 2011 as a pioneering Korean university by the Ministry of Education, Science and Technology				
2011. 11. 01	Established Reserve Officers 'Training Corps(ROTC)'				
2012. 03. 28	Woosong University was selected as "Leaders in Industry-University Cooperation(LINC)" receiving about USD 11.3 million over the next 5years				
2012. 04. 18	2010, 2011, 2012 selected the Education Advancement Capacity award for three years in a row, receiving about USD 2.3 million average yearly				

# **II. Application Guidelines**

## 1. Departments

Colleg	Major		
	Department of International	-Business Strategy	
	Business Management	-Entrepreneurship	
		-Convergence Service	
College of	Department of Global Service	Management	
Asia Service &	Management	-Supply Chain Management	
Convergence		(SCM)	
Management	Department of IT Management	-Information Systems	
		-Technology Management	
	Department of Senior		
	Management Consulting		
	Department of Railroad		
	Management		
	Department of Transport &		
	Logistics		
College of Railroad	Department of Railroad		
and Transportation	Electrical System Engineering		
	Department of Railway		
	Construction System		
	Department of Railway Vehicle		
	System Engineering		
	Department of Computer		
	Information Science and		
	Engineering		
	Department of Game and		
	Multimedia		
College of	Department of Media Design	-Digital Design	
Digital Media		-Communication Design	
Digital Weala	Department of Broadcasting	-Broadcasting Production	
	Media	-Smart TV Broadcasting	
	Department of Architectural		
	Design		
	Department of Architectural		
	Engineering		
	Department of Social & Child	-Social Welfare	
College of	Welfare	-Child Welfare	
Health and Welfare	Department of Occupational		
	Therapy*		

	Department of Early Childhood Education	
College of Health and Welfare	Department of Health Care Management	
	Department of Health and Fitness Management	
	Department of Health and Fitness Management for Rehabilitation	
	Department of Beauty Design*	
	Department of Fire and Disaster Protection Engineering	
College of Hotel and Culinary Arts	Department of Culinary Arts*	-Culinary Arts -Patissier
	Department of Global Korean Culinary Arts*	
	Department of Foodservice Management	
	Department of Culinary Nutrition	-Food science & Nutrition (Minor in Culinary Arts) -Biofood Science
	Department of Hotel and Tourism Management	

## \* Strategic department

### 2. Applicant Qualifications

- ① Holder of high school diploma or expected graduation by February 2013 or the equivalent to a high school degree that is acknowledged by law.
- ② TOPIK Level 3 or higher level

### 3. Required Documents

- \*\* All documents shall be in Korean or English and any non applicable items shall be marked with "-".
- All documents NIIED would send
  - ① 1 Application form
- ② 1 Pledge

③ 1 Self-introduction

4 1 Study plan

- ⑤ 2 Letters of recommendation
- 6 1 Personal Medical Assessment
- ① 1 Graduation or Expected Graduation Certificate of High School
- 8 1 High School Grade Transcripts
- 9 1 Certificates of Citizenship of the Applicant and his/her Parents
- ① 1 Proof of Korean or English language proficiency (if applicable)

#### 4. Important Notes

- ① All submitted documents will not be returned.
- ② Disadvantage is applicant's responsibility unless s/he stays in contact with Woosong University during applying and registration period.
- 3 The applicants will not be considered for admission if the information on the application and other documents are incorrect and could be expelled even after the letter of acceptance has been issued.
- 4) All of evaluation records for admission will not be disclosed.
- ⑤ Accepted applicants should take up an health insurance for foreign students prepared by Woosong University.
- 6 Accepted applicants should follow the regulation of NIIED and Woosong University. The disadvantage due to breaking the regulations and rules are his/her responsibility.

#### 5. Residence Hall

- ① Dormitory capacity of people: 2,700 students
- ② Dormitory price: KRW 500,000/semester
- ③ GKS scholars are required to stay in double room and have meals in the dormitory. (According to the dormitory type, required meals could be changed)
- 4 Woosong university offers the most modernized dormitory with different types of room from double to quad room. With the capacity of 2,700 residents, the dormitory provides lots of convenient

facilities such as a gym, cafeteria & cafe, Study room and Internet lab so on.

## 6. Contact Details

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