



JEJU NATIONAL UNIVERSITY STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAM OPPORTUNITY FALL 2023



Jeju National University (JNU) is the only state-designated Flagship Korean National University on Jeju, an island that has been awarded UNESCO's triple crown in the field of natural science and was dubbed a New Seven Wonders of Nature. Since its opening in 1952, JNU has worked to cultivate talent who will change the future under the vision of "the university faithful to the basics and the university prepared for the future."

Jeju National University has 15 colleges and 10 graduate schools. Currently over 11,000 students including 900 international students are taking courses there. With partnerships and connections to 271 universities and research institutes in 45 countries, the university is well-connected. Benefit from the high quality of education, experience an internationally recognized university with numerous partnerships around the globe and study in an intercultural environment.

Dates: (Fall Semester):

September 1st – Mid December 2023 Exchange students must arrive by the last week of August 2023 for their orientation.

Eligibility

To be eligible to participate, students must:

- Be enrolled full-time at George Brown College
- Have a minimum program GPA of 2.7
- Be in good health, both mentally and physically, to study in Korea for the full duration of exchange program.
- Require a general education or lower liberal arts elective.
- Passport with at least 6 months validity after trip's end date.
- Meet all entry, exit and re-entry requirements for Korea and Canada (this information is subject to change at any time).
- Have a strong academic interest in Korea and Jeju.

George Brown College students in diploma and degree programs can choose from a list of pre-approved JNU courses taught in English for either George Brown College General Education elective exemptions or lower-level Liberal Studies electives (two courses at JNU = 1 George Brown College credit).



List of Required JNU Exchange Documents to Complete:

- Student Exchange Program Application Form (signed and photo attached)
- Study Plan
- Letter of Recommendation (written by a professor of affiliated department)
- Certificate of Medical Examination (signed and issued by hospital)
- Certificate of Enrollment (officially issued by George Brown College)
- Official Transcript (officially issued by George Brown College)
- Copy of Passport (page where photo is printed)
- Proof of Language Proficiency (English or Korean) *If any
- One digital ID photo file

Costs Estimates of Opportunity

(Estimates only and subject to change)

Air Tickets to and from Korea – approximately CAD \$2000+

Housing at JNU for one semester – approximately CAD \$850 (850,000 Korean Won)

Meal Plan (JNU Student Dormitory – 5 days a week, 3 meals a day, from August 29 to December 21) – approximately CAD \$750 (747,780 Korean Won)

Visa – CAD \$78

Korean National Health Insurance CAD \$56 (56,030 Korean Won)

Deadline:

Receive all required JNU documents to be nominated by George Brown College is March 31, 2023.

Funding Opportunities:

Funding for this opportunity is available to eligible students through the Global Mobility bursary of up to \$1500 to all students (domestic and international), and Global Skills Opportunity (GSO) project, which is funded by the Government of Canada's Outbound Student Mobility Pilot Program. GSO project funding (of up to \$1500) is open to all domestic students, but will prioritize Indigenous students, low-income students, and those with disabilities.

Application:

Please contact Aida Viveiros at aviveiro@georgebrown.ca to receive JNU application documents and confirm your nomination.

Additional information:

- George Brown College relies on the Government of Canada's (GOC) Travel Advice and Advisories and the associated risk level for each destination to assess whether or not students should engage in an overseas activity. Please refer to <https://travel.gc.ca/destinations/south-korea>
- While we make every effort to prepare students for a successful experience abroad, circumstances may arise that are beyond our control including the evolving COVID-19 global pandemic.
- Students who participate on a global mobility opportunity must accept as a condition of participation the possibility that the activity may be cancelled or terminated early due to concerns over the safety and security of students. If cancellation or termination occurs, participants may encounter additional and unexpected financial and academic implications. George Brown College will work to mitigate negative implications to the best of its ability.
- International students at George Brown College who are interested in participating on this opportunity are required to meet with their International Student Advisor to ensure their program of study and/or study permit will not be impacted by travelling abroad. This must take place as soon as possible in the application process.
- All students are advised to consult the Consulate General of the Republic of Korea in Toronto to confirm their visa requirements for D-2-6 VISA.