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# Handong Global University

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## I . Overview of the University

### 1. History

- 1995.03** Completion of educational institution facilities; 1<sup>st</sup> Commencement Ceremony
- 1996~98** Selected as the “Best School for Education Reform” by the Ministry of Education, Republic of Korea
- 2001.03** Handong University is renamed Handong Global University.
- 2001.12** Selected as the “Best School for Education Reform” by the Ministry of Education, Republic of Korea
- 2002~03** Selected as the “Outstanding University Among Upcoming Local Universities” by the Ministry of Education, Republic of Korea
- 2006.05** Selected as the '2006 New University for Regional Innovation (NURI)' by the Ministry of Education, Republic of Korea
- 2007.04** Selected as Host University for UNESCO and UNITWIN joint program
- 2007.05** Selected as 'Korea-UNDP National Project' hosted by UNDP and the Ministry of Science and Technology
- 2007.06** Selected as the ‘2007 Innovation Center for Engineering Education’ by the Ministry of Knowledge Economy, Republic of Korea
- 2007.08** Signing of the UN University – Handong Global University (UNI-IGE) Memorandum of Understanding
- 2008.08** Selected as '2008 Education Capability Advancement Project' hosted by the Ministry of Education, Science and Technology
- 2008.09** Signing of OECD – HGU "Internship Agreement"
- 2009.04** Selected as '2009 Education Capability Advancement Project' hosted by the Ministry of Education, Science and Technology
- 2009.07** Registration of UN Academic Impact (UNAI)
- 2009.08** Selected as the pioneering university for the Admission Officer System
- 2010.03** Selected as the ‘2010 Education Capability Advancement Project’ hosted by the Ministry of Education, Science and Technology
- 2010.06** Selected as the ‘Global L.I.F.E Project’ of the ‘2010 ACE Project’ hosted by the Ministry of Education, Science and Technology
- 2011.01** Selected as the UNAI Global hub University
- 2011.05** Selected as the ‘2011 Education Capability Advancement Project’ hosted by the Ministry of Education, Science and Technology

**2012.04** Selected as the '2012 Education Capability Advancement Project' hosted by the Ministry of Education, Science and Technology

**2014~18** Selected as 'University for Creative Korea Project, Environment, and Energy' by the Ministry of Education

**2014.12** Dag Hammarskjöld Library designated HGU Library as UN Depository Library

**2015.03** Awarded the POSCO Cheong Am Education

**2015.07** Best Awards in Donation through Education awarded by the Ministry of Education

**2015.08** ranked in highest category in University Ranking evaluated by Department of Education

**2015.12** Best Awards in Character Education awarded by the Ministry of Education

**2016.05** Korea's first university to become a NGO member to United Nations Department of Public Information (UNDPI)

**2017.03** HGU designated as a 'Software Hub University Project' by the Ministry of Science, ICT and Future Planning

## 2. Key Information

### 1) Globalization

- Majors in English: Handong Global University has major curriculums offered completely in English(Global Management, Information Technology, US&International Law and Global Convergence Studies).
- International Service & Missions: Handong students are encouraged to experience other cultures during their summer and winter breaks by participating in one or more of the many Handong exchange programs and service projects.

### 2) Academic Excellence

- Undeclared Major Enrollment: To provide fairness in entrance evaluation, students at Handong are allowed to enroll with undecided major
- Multiple Majors: Students are expected to acquire expertise in their major, while acquiring additional knowledge in an adjoining field

### 3) Social Service

- Non-Proctored Examinations
- Dormitory Life: About 80% of undergraduates live on campus
- Team System-Community Life, Leadership Training, Work Duty
- Social Service-Cultivating a Loving Heart by Serving Neighbors

## II. Academics

### 1. Academic Programs

Division	Department	Field of Study		Remarks
		Master's	Doctoral	
Law	International Legal Studies	O	X	TOEFL iBT 80, TEPS 550, IELTS 5.5 or higher

## 2. Application

1) Application Period: 2021.2.17. ~ 2021.4.16

2) Required Documents

- An Application Form
- Required Essays
- Two letters of recommendation
- An official copy of University Transcript
- One copy of University Diploma or Certificate of Pending Graduation
- The documents that can prove family economic situation, etc.
- A birth certificate
- A copy of the applicant's passport
- A copy of the parents of the applicant's passport
- English Proficiency Test Score (TOEFL iBT 80, TEPS 550, IELTS 5.5 or higher)

## 3. Important Notes

- All of the above must be written in English.
- All certificates should be issued no longer than 6 months.
- All documents submitted should be originals.
- One of letters or recommendation should be from a teacher or work supervisor.
- Essays must be submitted both by e-mail and hard copy.
- A copy of the diploma is available only for Foreign University.
- If the document is not written in English, it needs to be translated into English and notarized by the Korean embassy/consulate.
- All of the above must be mailed to HILS. E-mails or facsimiles will not be accepted.
- All candidates who are not nationals of the following countries identified by the Korean Ministry of Education (the United States, the United Kingdom, Canada, Australia, New Zealand, Ireland, and South Africa) MUST submit a valid English Test score.

## 4. Further Notice

1) Resident Hall Guide

<b>Resident Hall</b>	<b>Maintenance Fee (per semester)</b>	<b>Facilities and furnishings</b>
Double Room	890,000 WON	bed, desk, chair, closet, bookshelf, shoe shelf, bathroom, shower room, wireless LAN, printer and copy machine, fitness center, lounge, kitchen, reading room, laundry room, prayer room, and etc.
Single Room	1,090,000 WON	

※ English speaking staff stays 24 hours in the International Hall.

## 2) Cultural Programs for International Students

- Provide National Holiday's accommodation and programs
- The University Advisement Center
- School bus operates over 40 times a day (800won single)
- Culture Night, International Fellowship Night, Love Feast

## 3) Academic Programs for International Students

- 100 percent English lecture
- Provide Korean lecture of undergraduate school (consisting of four levels)
- Korean Learning Guide Program
- International Buddy System
- Student Bar Association
- Provide accessible ID to Lexis-Nexis and Westlaw (D/B site for legal cases)
- Networking with Advocates Intranational

## 4) Academic Calendar

<b>Spring Semester</b>		<b>Fall Semester</b>	
<b>February</b>	1L Orientation	<b>August</b>	Start of Summer Classes
<b>March</b>	Start of Spring Semester Classes / Students MT	<b>September</b>	Start of Fall Semester Classes
<b>April</b>	Mid-term Exam	<b>October</b>	Mid-term Exam / Field Day / Recruiting New Students
<b>May</b>	Teacher's Day Ceremony	<b>November</b>	Admission Interview
<b>June</b>	Final Exam / Start of Summer Vacation	<b>December</b>	Final Exam / Banquet / Commencement / Start of Winter Vacation
<b>July</b>	Course Registration for Fall Semester / Law School Experiencing Day	<b>January</b>	Course Registration for Spring Semester

※ The plan is subject to change.

## 5. Contact

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