

2026 Fall Semester

Graduate School Admission for International Students

FAQ

APPLICATION	
Q 1	When is the deadline for the application?
A 1	Our Graduate school admission period is from 2026.05.18. to 2026.06.17. Original application documents must reach to the Int'l office by 2026.06.17, 5pm. Also, online application has to be completed by 2026.06.17, 5pm. We don't accept overdue documents.
Q 2	Where can I submit my application? Is online submission available?
A 2	All applicants should submit original application documents by post (or in person) to the KIT international office and should complete the online application within the deadline. You can find the address through admission guidelines.
Q 3	Can I submit the documents that are in languages other than Korean or English?
A 3	No. KIT requires that all documents be translated into Korean or English, and then be authenticated by the issuing institution, by a notary public or Korean Embassy in your home country. If your country has joined the apostille convention, you should get your degree document apostilled. If not, you should get your degree document consular confirmed.
ELIGIBILITY	
Q 4	Must I submit the certificate of language proficiency (English or Korean) when I apply for KIT admission?
A 4	If your citizenship is not one of US, Canada, England, Ireland, Australia, New Zealand or South Africa, it is a must to submit one of TOEFL, IELTS, TOEIC, TEPS or TOPIK. Test scores must be obtained on or after June 17, 2024, and only scores confirmed before the deadline are valid. If you don't have the official language certificate listed above, you are not eligible to apply for our admission.
Q 5	I am expected to complete my Bachelor's (Master's) degree in August 2026. Am I eligible to apply for a Master's (Doctoral) degree program?
A 5	If you submit an official certificate of expected graduation or a provisional degree certificate from the university, you may apply for KIT Graduate School admission. However, it is only permitted under the condition that you submit your final degree certificate and final academic transcript to KIT by August 28, 2026. The failure of doing so will result in the cancelation of the admission.
Q 6	Must I get a letter of acceptance from one of KIT professor before the application?
A 6	It is not a must to be accepted by one of KIT professors before the application. However, I highly recommend you contact your future supervising professor to discuss your study and get the professor's confirmation on your admission. To match applicant and professor is very important for the admission stage. If no professor wants you to join one's lab, then you will not get the acceptance eventually.

DEGREE PROGRAM

Q 7	How many credits do I have to complete during the program?			
A 7		Master's Degree	Doctoral Degree	Integrated Master's & Doctoral Degree
	Maximum credits for one semester	9 credits	9 credits	9 credits
	Required credits for graduation	Total 24 credits	Total 36 credits	Total 60 credits
Q 8	Do you provide part-time Graduate School program for international students?			
A 8	No, KIT does not provide part-time program. We provide full-time Graduate School Program only.			
Q 9	Are Graduate School classes conducted in English or in Korean?			
A 9	Teaching language for classes depends on each department and faculty members. Some courses will be conducted in English, some in Korean, and some in both languages. I highly recommend you to contact faculty members to find out the medium of instruction for each department. <i>*All classes in the Department of IT Convergence Engineering are taught entirely in English.</i>			
OTHERS				
Q 10	How can I search professor's contact address?			
A 10	Please visit KIT English webpage. http://eng.kumoh.ac.kr You will be able to find the faculty member's contact address.			
Q 11	Does KIT offer full scholarships for international students?			
A 11	Yes, KIT does offer a full scholarship. We offer 100% and 50% tuition fee exemption scholarships according to language proficiency test scores within the yearly budget capacity. Please see the admission guidelines carefully.			
Q 12	Must I purchase Korean National Health Insurance?			
A 12	Due to the introduction of the new policy of the 'Compulsory National Health Insurance Registration System' for registered foreigners by the Ministry of Health and Welfare of Korea, all the D-2 visa holders must enroll for the National Health Insurance from <u>28th February 2021</u> . Also, all KIT international students are recommended to purchase private health insurance which covers death, disabling injuries/liability accidents additionally.			
Q 13	Can I get my application documents back if I fail to get KIT admission?			
A 13	No. KIT does NOT return submitted admission documents to the applicants regardless of the result.			