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Message from the Director

“SNUAC will be a research institute that produces policy suggestions for pan-Asian region”
“SNUAC has prepared the basis for stronger research capacities and international proliferation of research accomplishments”

The years 2020 and 2021 will be recorded as years in which we experienced new crises and changes that mankind had not seen before. The COVID-19 pandemic showed us all how the seemingly natural daily lives were indeed precious. However, we also sought new possibilities in various aspects and witnessed collective responses to crises. SNUAC has held an academic seminar entitled ‘COVID-19, Social Shock and Prospects’ on February 18th, 2020, which was before the pandemic became a serious social threat. Afterward, SNUAC continued to host various academic events and conduct research projects to actively participate in analyzing the social impacts of COVID-19 and its countermeasures. This was possible due to SNUAC’s experience, academic network, and high research capacities of its members that have been accumulated over the last decade.

Since its establishment in 2009, SNUAC has positioned itself as a regional research institute representative of Korea through the devoted efforts of the government, Seoul National University, and the research staff. In 2021, a total of 121 man-days was delivered by our researchers and support personnel. We are proud of the current progress as 17 departments in the university and researchers in diverse fields are participating in joint research projects and faithfully fulfilling our purpose of establishment, which was ‘to tear down walls between disciplines and become a global hub of Asian studies through consilient research’. SNUAC secured an independent building and SNU’s budget for the Cooperation and Integration of Economic and Social Community in East Asia (CORE) project, and in 2020, received funding from the National Research Foundation of Korea’s Humanities Korea Plus (‘Mega-Asia and Asias: Identities, Dynamics, Data-Telling’). The institute thus was able to hire full-time research faculty, strengthening research capacities and preparing the basis for the international proliferation of research accomplishments.

While first ten years since the establishment was a period of collecting resources and building the foundation for the institute, we have now arrived at a point where we must return them to society. As part of such an endeavor, we decided to take upon ourselves the role of a hub that collects the knowledge and information of all regions in Asia, and the responses of countries and people. We aim to concentrate on our current competence in research 1) to perform the role of a hub by fostering local experts through the AsIA Humanities Dissemination Center, and 2) manage and proliferate information on the Asian region through Asia Regional Information Center (ARIC) and Mega-Asia Portal. Moreover, we are functioning as a think tank for Asian regional strategies by 3) publishing Asia Brief every week that caters to the increasing need for systematic research and policy-level responses on the Asian region. Based on these efforts, SNUAC seeks to enrich the Korean life, which is closely related to Asia, and perform the role of suggesting the vision for a new drive for growth.

I send my deepest gratitude to those who have continued to look upon SNUAC with great affection and have provided us generous support. At a time when the importance of Asia is growing both domestically and internationally to be greater than ever, SNUAC will take a leap forward to becoming an advanced institute where all Asian studies researchers can cooperate as subjects to seek out pan-Asiatic suggestions on policy regarding current issues in Asia. We ask for your continued participation and support.

Thank you.

March 2022

Director of SNUAC

Park, Soo Jin
SNUAC ranked first among the 31 separate research institutes in the field of humanities and social sciences at SNU!

With the vision of ‘building a global hub of Asian studies combining regional and thematic research’ and reconsidering the rising roles of Asia and Korea, SNUAC has put in various kinds of efforts. As of 2021, SNUAC has presented the Asian developmental model, the enhancement of quality of Asian life, and sustainable Asian values. Also, the institute has promoted future-oriented knowledge creation through transdisciplinary research and analyzed the emergence and exchanges of people, goods, and ideas in the turbulently changing Asian region. Furthermore, efforts are made for proliferating research accomplishments by collecting and processing various kinds of information produced by countries and regions. SNUAC in 2021 has acquired internal research capacities and distinct outcomes, as well as accomplishing remarkable external growth. After receiving the HK project grant in 2020 from the National Research Foundation of Korea (NRF), the center hired full-time research associates for the first time, maintained independent research space, and faithfully carried out the institute’s developmental plan. As a result of its efforts, SNUAC ranked first among all humanities and social sciences institutes at SNU in 2021.

Specifically, SNUAC recorded 13.5 out of 15 points in 1) research institute organization and operation, which was higher compared to 12.3 points from the previous year. In terms of 2) conditions for research, SNUAC received 16.7 out of 20 points, which was improved from 15.3 points in the previous assessment. For 3) research institute activities, SNUAC recorded 46.18 out of 50 points, also a greatly enhanced result compared to 40.54 points from last year. Lastly, SNUAC scored 12.7 out of 15 points for 4) plans for improvement, higher than 11.55 points from 2020. As the final outcome, SNUAC scored 88.08 points out of 100 total and ranked first, outrunning the runner-up research institute with 85.04 points. SNUAC will continue to seek future directions for the institute’s sustained development.

Deepening and proliferating research on ‘Mega-Asia’

Since May 2020, SNUAC has been leading a Humanities Korea Plus (HK+) research project with the agenda of ‘Mega-Asia and Asias: Identities, Dynamics, Data-Telling’, supported by the National Research Foundation of Korea. ‘Mega-Asia’ is a research concept that refers to Asia that is not otherized by the West but configures itself within the flow of change, thus establishing a new perspective and recognition of Asia.

In 2021, various academic activities were carried out for deepening the research on ‘Asia Operated in Reality’, the specific agenda of the second year of the project. Integrated Cluster Seminar was held twice a month for which the deputy director of the group, HK professors, and HK research professors carried out group research. Research results were shared through the symposium “The Basics of Research on Mega-Asia: Concepts, Perspectives, and Method” and multiple publications. Furthermore, an edited volume entitled Introduction to Research on Mega-Asia will be published in the second half of 2022.

The HK+ Research Project Group takes an approach to Asia as a ‘space of imagination’ and a ‘space of confidence as a vital hub of the global economy’, tracing the intimate flows and exchanges of human and material resources by and between Asian regions, thus verifying the ‘process of self-configuration’ that Asia is experiencing. To this end, diverse projects are underway, other than journal articles, monographs, and academic conferences. First of all, Asia Brief contributes to “exploring the identities of Asian regions and the dynamics in the formation of Mega-Asia”, which is one of the specific aims of the HK+ Research Project Group’s agenda. Second, the project group operates Mega-Asia Portal to provide reports and analyses related to Asia from various institutions organized by theme and country, so that users can access specific topics and issues about certain countries. With the portal up and running, the project group has accomplished one of the original aims of the project, which is “constructing a knowledge-sharing platform for networking with Asian research institutes”. Furthermore, the project group is providing in-depth yet succinct information on a total of 44 countries and capitals to Doopedia, the online encyclopedia serviced by Doosan and linked to the Naver Encyclopaedia of Knowledge. By enhancing a better understanding of Asia and providing correct information on major issues about the Asian region and the countries and capitals within, the project group is faithfully fulfilling its social mission.

Through diverse research projects such as those aforementioned, it is the HK+ Research Project Group’s ultimate objective to understand multiple identities and diverse regional divisions in an integrated perspective beyond regionalism, thus enabling more insightful analyses of Asia.
SNUAC’s policy brief, Asia Brief

SNUAC founded Asia Brief, a publication that analyzes major current issues of Asia and suggests their implication to policy. With the first issue published on March 8th, 2021, Asia Brief has been greeted by over 70,000 readers online through the SNU email subscription system every Monday morning.

When classifying the 54 articles issued in the past year, we can see that 18 articles were on diplomacy and security, the most popular topic. Topics following closely are culture, economy and trade, and Covid-19 with 6 articles each; science and technology and politics with 5 articles each; and others (society, environment, social media analyses, survey, etc.) with 8 articles. When classifying the articles by nation, we had 8 articles published on China, 7 on Korea, 4 on Japan, 3 on India, 2 on the U.S., Myanmar, and Israel respectively, and one on Singapore and Iran each. The contents of the articles were mostly on Asia, with 19 articles dealing with Asia in general; 2 articles on Southeast Asia; one article on Central Asia. Asia Brief will strive to cover diverse topics, regions, and nations with its articles in the future.

Meanwhile, Asia Brief published “2021 Top 10 Issues in Asia” at the end of 2021 with results from survey and social media analyses, and “2022 Prospects of Situations in Asia” contributed by 11 experts on Asia. “Survey on Korean People’s Awareness of Asia” published on Asia Brief on January 10th, 2022, was reported by multiple news media starting with Yonhap News on January 12th, 2022. In particular, the “2021 Top 10 Issues in Asia” article was given major coverage by JoongAng Ilbo on January 19th (pages 1, 4, 5) and 20th (page 8), and 10 related articles were published digitally. These press coverages contributed to the public awareness of SNUAC as a central institution of Asian studies.

AsIA Humanities Dissemination Center meets the public!

AsIA Humanities Dissemination Center was established when SNUAC was selected by the NRF with the HK+ research project in May 2020. The center excavates the humanities assets of Asian regions and operates various programs for diverse groups of citizens at home and abroad in order to proliferate the research accomplishments of each regional research center at SNUAC.

In 2021, the center offered AsIA Local Expert Course, a humanities education program for young citizens in their 20s and 30s who aim to become experts in the Asian region; Compass Humanities School for Career Exploration, a humanities refinement education program for multicultural middle school students whose parents are from Asia; AsIA Humanities Asset Course, co-hosted with the National Museum of Korea for citizens in general off the SNU campus; and AsIA Civilizational Knowledge School, co-hosted with Extension College SNU for middle-aged and elderly citizens interested in Asian civilizational knowledge. These diverse courses were made public on YouTube in real-time or immediately after the event, with over 1,500 subscribers to the channel and several tens and thousands of views. AsIA Humanities Dissemination Center will serve as the foundation on which Asia can pursue becoming Mega-Asia by showing the world the diverse and vivid aspects of Asia.

Moreover, the center holds ‘Dungsildungsil AsIA Culture Festival’ every autumn as part of NRF’s Humanities Week to introduce the cultures of Asian countries and enjoy time together with citizens domestically and internationally. In 2021, the festival was organized with Indonesia as the main theme, as the country now sits at the top of the Korean Wave index with a close distance at heart. The festival introduced diverse cultural aspects of Indonesia and shared the time with experts from different fields, thinking together about future cooperation between the two countries as companions.
Broader activities of Center for South Asian Studies

The Center for South Asian Studies (CSAS) was established with the aim of specialized research and systematized building of related capacities on the history, economy, politics, languages, and overall cultures of the 8 countries in the South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation (SAARC) including India, Pakistan, Bangladesh, Sri Lanka and Nepal, as well as pursuing multilayered and reciprocal exchange and cooperation projects with those countries.

The main objectives of CSAS are as follows. First, in the current situation where the international society is showing an increased interest in India and the South Asian region due to their economic growth, the center conducts research on sustainable development in conjunction with an understanding of their history and cultural heritage. Second, the center holds diverse academic events with research topics related to South Asia such as fab labs, smart city and the Korean Wave, and constructs a cooperative network with diverse subjects at home and abroad. Third, the center provides high-quality content for citizens to enhance their understanding of South Asian society and culture, through platforms such as South Asia Culture School.

Major accomplishments of CSAS in 2021 are the 5 colloquia that were held starting in April 2021 with the topic ‘Plans and Practices of Convergence in the Hallyu Genre’ until February 2022 with the topic ‘Last Station for Human Settlement: Digital Twin Based Metaverse’. In August 2021, the center invited the ambassador of Pakistan for a roundtable talk, while in November, the center co-hosted the 12th Korea-SAARC Partnership Seminar with the Ministry of Foreign Affairs with the topic ‘A Way forward for the Korea-SAARC Cooperation on Climate Change’. South Asia Culture School (4th cohort) is a public lecture series on the themes encompassing South Asian culture at large from ancient to contemporary times, and two long-term lectures (The world of classical Tibetan II, Let’s Speak Sanskrit) were offered over 16 weeks from April to August 2021. The center also operates a YouTube channel that offers diverse contents. A monograph, The Smart City of South Asia - Structure and Directions, authored by experts of South Asia, is to be published in the first half of 2022, and Korea-India business exchange and expert training course will be run in partnership with IIMB, India.

Expansion of the SNUAC Thesis and Dissertation Award winners

The SNUAC Master’s Thesis and Doctoral Dissertation Award grants awards for excellent master’s theses and Ph.D. dissertations on Asian region(s) and integrative topics related to Asia. The award includes prize money as well as publication grant for Ph.D. dissertations. The award was first established in 2014 only for doctoral dissertations, and was expanded to include master’s theses in 2018. Every year, two authors of Ph.D. dissertations and two of master’s theses are selected as winners; the total accumulated number of winners mounts up to 27, with 18 doctoral winners and 9 master’s winners. Since 2020, the prize money has been funded by President Sungkwan Hong of Sangam Energy Co. Ltd., and the contribution was enlarged in 2021 in order to allow 6 winners per year instead of 4. Applications to the award are submitted at the end of August every year with theses and dissertations published within the past two years, and are evaluated over three months until November. Based on the criteria set forth by the evaluation committee, the assessment process is undertaken with strict fairness first for suitability and then for academic content by judges in two panels.

The topics dealt with by winners so far have been modern Chinese law, Chinese politics, Southeast Asian society and culture, Japanese politics and diplomacy, post-Cold War world order, Japan and East Asian peace, colonial rule, development assistance, etc., encompassing diverse areas from Asian international relations, politics, law, society, culture, and history. The majors of winners also span over various fields in social sciences and humanities, from political science to sociology, anthropology, geography, international studies, law, environmental studies, history, and performing arts studies.

SNUAC is currently organizing a forum for the winners of the award from 2014 to 2021 in order to facilitate their academic exchange network. The SNUAC Master’s Thesis and Doctoral Dissertation Award performs an important role in the institute’s aim to activate exchange among academic disciplines and lead transdisciplinary research through the common topic of Asia.
HK+Mega-Asia Research Project Group

* Traces past (historical/heritage) contexts and examines present-day interactions and discourse in order to explore the agenda "Asia and Mega-Asia: Identities, Dynamics, Data-Telling"
* Research for publication of the "Mega-Asia Research Series": seminars (16) and workshops (31)
* Progress on the second year research topic "Asia as an experienced reality": seminars (20) and journal publications (5)
* Hosting of international conferences (5) and domestic conferences (2) for cooperation on agenda-based research

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AsIA Humanities Dissemination Center

* Held four educational programs for young adults including ‘2021 2st AsIA Local Expert Course’ and a Humananities festival
* Programs Co-hosted with National Museum of Korea, Extension College SNU
* Held of Humananities Festival ‘INDONESIA –to Imagined communities from Nusantara’
* Uploaded Video of all classes on YouTube and exceeded 1,400 subscribers
* Played the role as a window for Asian Civilizational knowledge and an on/offline platfom for humanities education

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**Northeast Asia Center (NEAC)**

* Conducted research on ‘East Asian Maritime Network’ and hosted an academic conference on ‘Social History of Sea and Island in East Asia’
* Hosted an international academic conference entitled ‘Asia-China Dialogue 2021’ (participated by 23 experts from 11 countries)
* Published <China Perspective>, the issue brief related to China (politics/diplomacy/economy/society, triannual publication)
* Participated in SNUCRN and hosted an academic conference on ‘New Challenges in Asia After COVID-19’
* Hosted an international academic conference with Duke Kunshan University and joint workshop with National Chengchi University, Taiwan
* Conducted research related to COVID-19: Completed research project ‘Comparative Research of East Asian Response to COVID-19 and Prospects of International Cooperation’ and participating in research project ‘Preventive Measures and Urban Transitional Strategies or Major Metropolitan Cities of the World in the Pandemic Era’
* Held lectures, talks, and workshops on Northeast Asian situations

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Southeast Asia Center (SEAC)

* Research agenda: Conducted research on the CSR of Korean companies that have entered or plan to enter Southeast Asian market for sustainable development of Korea and ASEAN; explored the CSR activities of Korean companies in Southeast Asian countries and their influence on the local societies

* Southeast Asia Center Invited Lectures: Held academic lectures with experts working in each Southeast Asian region

* Southeast Asia Open Lectures: Held public lectures for citizens interested in Southeast Asia to enhance their understanding of the region with the topic CSR of Korean companies in Southeast Asia in first semester and Vietnamese and Indonesian history in second semester

* Support for small research groups on Southeast Asia: Operated a support program for next-generation scholars who plan to write their dissertations on Southeast Asia

* Published issue papers and policy reports for enhancing the understanding of the region

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Center for Eurasian and Central Asian Studies (CECAS)

* Held academic conferences and seminars for publishing a series on Central Asian and Eurasian studies
* Hosted seminars on geopolitical middle powers and New Northern Policy and colloquiums on core issues in the Central Eurasian region
* Promoted next-generation scholars: Supported graduate research on Eurasia and built a research network
* 2021 Sejong Books Academic Division selection: Strategies for Small Regionalism Surrounding the North Korea-China-Russia Border and Transboundary Movement
* Conducted research on migration and flow: Examined the migration and flow of people, goods, capital and culture among Central Asian countries and between Central Asia and different regions

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Center for South Asian Studies (CSAS)

* Conducted research on sustainable growth and future perspectives of South Asian region based on historical and cultural heritage of the region
* Built cooperative networks with diverse agencies and organizing academic events, including the series of colloquium on the topic of Fablab, Smart City and Korean Wave in South Asia
* Enhanced understanding of South Asian culture and society in Korea, including open courses for citizens on South Asian culture

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Vietnam Center (VC)

* Performed disciplinary and interdisciplinary researches: A Study on Vietnam’s War Memories and Perceptions of Korea (Dr. Do Thanh Thao Mien), A Study on Optimizations of Labor Productivity at Foreign Manufacturers in Vietnam (Prof. Jongseok Yoon and Prof. Hyuntai Lee), A study on Changes in the Working Environment of Female Workers of Korean companies in Vietnam (Dr. Suhyun Youk)
* Developed an academia-business cooperation with Vietnam Forum at SNU: the industry-academic symposium "Economic Cooperation between Korea-Vietnam in the Post-pandemic Era"
* Built an original dataset: Vietnam Elite Dataset (biographical data of the 13th and 12th Party Central Committee members)

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West Asia Center (WAC)

* Held colloquiums with experts and a special lecture related to Afghanistan's Taliban issue in August 2021
* Hosted a special talk jointly with Korean Society for Cultural Anthropology related to Muslim migrants and refugees in Korea
* Invited West Asian ambassadors in Korea for lectures and visited the Oman Embassy
* Authored the center’s first monograph, Ten Years After the Arab Spring (tentative title)
* Sponsored the research meetings of rising scholars on the West Asian region (KYMR); supported El-Naafidha, an undergraduate student organization
* Conducted domestic local field research on Muslim migrants and refugees

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Research Assistants: Hye Lim Hwang (Dept. of Anthropology)
Asia Regional Information Center (ARIC)

* Provided daily-updated COVID-19 risk bulletin and dashboards related to COVID-19 for recovery of daily life
* Conducted international comparative research on COVID-19 vaccines and overcoming the pandemic; hosted international academic conferences and seminars; eagerly accepted governmental and press requests for expert opinions
* Produced and provided factsheets that summarize general information and public health information of ASEAN countries
* Signed an MOU with SAS Korea and received development fund along with a special workshop
* Authored and published country report for Korea
* Combined various data scattered online from organizations such as the World Bank, IMF, UN, etc. according to research purposes, constructed metadata and updated them annually

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Center for Asian Urban Societies (CAUS)

* Selected by the NRF Institute Programs in the Humanities & Social Sciences (2021.09.01.~2027.08.31): A Study on Commons-Based Urban Transition Strategies Responding to Speculative Urbanization

* Conducted continued research on inclusive and commoning cities, post-Cold War cities of peace, sustainable cities for transition, and de-growth and resilient cities

* Secured an urban policy-information network consisting of diverse parties (researchers, activists, policy makers, etc.) for the practice of alternative urbanism

* Held on/offline academic events (2 conferences, 2 colloquiums, 1 international workshop, 4 monthly academic meetings, 6 internal seminars, 5 joint seminars, 2 field surveys, 2 policy forums)

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Research Fellows: Seoungwon Lee (SNUAC), Hanbyul Shim (SNUAC), Yilsoon Paek (SNUAC)

Research Assistants: Jisoo Hong (Dept. of Environmental Planning), Jinyoung Jeong (Dept. of Geography),

Visiting Researchers: Kyoung-ae Han (SNUAC), Ji Hoon Park (Chung-Ang Univ.)
Korea Social Science Data Archive (KOSSDA)

* Achieved KOSSDA 2.0 upgrade and focused on data curation capacity enhancement and international cooperation network establishment for SNUAC 3.0
* Continued to build database with 117 key survey data, approximately 16,000 survey data variables, and 1,000 data-related publication in 2021; organized diverse academic programs to facilitate data usage and sharing including KOSSDA Data Fair, Methodology Training Workshops, KOSSDA Thesis Award, and KOSSDA Open Social Science Data Forum
* Conducted archiving & education-related research including ‘Managing and sharing unstructured data’, ‘Development of KOSSDA’s statistical data service’, ‘Open Data Action Plans’, ‘the Foundation of a Social Science Database (funded by the Nat'l Research Foundation of Korea)’, and ‘Reformulation of KOSSDA Methodology Workshops and Contents’
* Published Korean Social Trends 2021 which narrates the societal changes in Korea with statistics * Continued to pursue establishment of NASSDA (Network of Asian Social Science Data Archives) and ‘International consortium for Social Well-Being Studies’ in order to advance into a data sharing hub in Asia

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Director: Jaeyeol Yee (Dept. of Sociology)

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Research Fellows: Moonhee Choi (SNUAC), Hearan Koo (SNUAC), Hyun-ju Park (SNUAC)

Researchers: Mihee Ban (Methodology Workshop), Areum Han (Data-related publications), Hyeok Heo (Quantitative Data), Hyejin Kim (Qualitative Data), Jiyoung Ko (Methodology Workshop), Sangwun Lee (Data Archiving Manager)
International Development Cooperation Research Center (IDCRC)

* Conducted research on comparative studies of international development cooperation policy in East Asia
* Held a seminar 'Pivotal Moments in Japanese ODA: circa 1950s-2010s' jointly with Asia Development Institute
* Held a seminar 'A Study on the Recipient Country's ODA Management System: Comparison on Korea's Three Priority Partner Countries (Lao PDR, Indonesia, Vietnam)'
* Held a special guest lecture 'Opportunities for International Agricultural Development Cooperation - Focusing on the establishment of a Global High Tech Agricultural Network (GHAN)' jointly with Future Earth Program
* Presented 'The Role of MOOC and Higher Education to Achieve the SDGs' at 2021 ASEM MOOC Stakeholders' Forum
* Participated in the ODA Young Professional (YP) program supported by KOICA as part of the project to train the future student generation in the field of IDC

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People

Director: Huck-ju Kwon (Grad. School of Public Administration)
Co-Researcher: Jiyeon Song (Grad. School of Int'l Studies)
Research Fellow: Da-Jung Jung (SNUAC)
Research Assistant: Yoonbin Choi (SNUAC)

Program on US-China Relations (PUCR)

* Published a monograph entitled At the Crossroads for Survival: U.S.-China Relations and Korea in the 21st Century (SNU Press, October 2021)
* Convened seven PUCR monthly seminars
* Held the Korea-U.S. Dialogue on U.S.-China Relations four times in March, April, October and November 2021
* Organized a webinar on “The PLA’s Reform for Intelligentization”

Publication


People

Director: Jae Ho Chung (Dept. of Political Science & Int’l Relations)
Co-Researchers: Hun Joon Kim (Korea Univ), Min Gyu Lee (The Seoul Institute)
Research Assistant: Nayoung Park (Dept. of Political Science & Int’l Relations)
Future Earth Program (FEP)

- Participated in Global Future Earth's platform analysis, restructuring, and review team for the establishment of FE Global Secretariat Hubs
- Organized an alternative session 'Building Asia-Pacific Regional Hub for Ecological-Societal Health: Vionereing the Doughnut Trilemma' at the Sustainability·Research·Innovation (SRI) Congress 2021
- Co-hosted International Workshop 'Sharing experiences, best practices and lessons learned on COVID-19 outbreak control between Korea and Mekong countries' with the Asian Institute of Chulalongkorn University, Thailand
- Invited presentation and session organization for Northeast Asia International Symposium 'Approaches for Future Earth in Northeast Asia - Climate Change and Its Impact' hosted by Korea-China-Japan National Research Foundations
- Co-organized an international special session on 'Asia and the Environment' at SHE’s 3rd Environmental Academic Forum
- Published chapters in a book 'Metropolitan Quarantine Prevention and Urban Transition Strategies in the Era of Infectious Diseases' co-edited by Seoul Research Institute and SNUAC
- Edited and published papers in the Korean Journal of Agricultural and Forest Meteorology (KSAFM) special issue ‘Re-thinking Agricultural and Forest Meteorology; the Great Transition’

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Director: Joon Kim (Dept. of Landscape Architecture and Rural Systems Engineering)
Co-Researchers: Soonchang Yoon (SNU Emeritus Professor), Eunhui Eom (Center for Social Sciences)
Research Fellow: Da-Jung Jung (SNUAC)
Research Assistants: Hyunyoung Yang (Interdisciplinary Program in Agricultural & Forest Meteorology), Jihyun Cha (Dept. of Geography)
Civil Society and NGOs Program (CSP)

* “COVID-19 in East Asia and Aftermath: Re-globalization, Democracy and Civil Society”: Hosted international academic conferences twice for discussing issues of globalization, democracy, and civil society with a focus on the East Asian response to COVID-19, with researchers participating from Korea, Japan, Taiwan, Vietnam and other countries
* Held a total of 6 CAUS workshops in a series with the topic of civil societies in Asian regions such as Korea, Japan, and Hong Kong
* Convened 8 joint workshops with Toyo Univ. GIC on social innovation
* Convened a joint workshop with Doshisha Univ. on ecological environment, civil participation, and community

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Co-Researchers: Jinhee Kim (KEDI), Taekyoon Kim (Grad. School of Int’l Studies), Young-Choon Kim (UNIST),
Research Fellow: Suk-Ki Kong (SNUAC)
Research Assistant: Haewon Kim (Dept. of Sociology)
Asian Developmental Model Program (ADMP)

* Published COVID-19 and Governance: Crisis Reveals (Routledge, 2021) as the result of the book project on ‘COVID-19 crisis and institution’
* Held an academic conference entitled ‘Change and Continuity of the East Asian Developmental States after the Global Financial Crisis’
* Conducted research on change and continuity of the East Asian developmental model: Comparatively analyzed the developmental routes of Korea, Taiwan, Japan, China, and Vietnam focusing on the influence of and response to the 2008 global recession
* Analyzed and categorized the East Asian developmental model: cohesion of state organizations, bureaucratic autonomy, cooperation of state-socioeconomic powers, external forces; focus on common factors of the developmental paradigm: developmental regimes (Korea, Taiwan, Japan), ersatz developmental regimes (Malaysia, Thailand, Indonesia), rapacious regimes (Philippines, Myanmar, North Korea), reconfigured developmental regimes (Korea, Taiwan, Japan), China (Vietnam)
* Conducted research on the diversity of East Asian capitalism: expanded the horizon of comparative geo economics that had focused on Western Europe, through comparative research of East Asian developmental model by nation on factors such as state-society relationship, role of government, change in industrial structure, etc.

Publications


People

Director: Haeran Lim (Dept. of Political Science & Int’l Relations)
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Research Assistant: Juyeong Shin (Dept. of Political Science & Int’l Relations)
Exchange and Cooperation in the Asian World Program (ECAWP)

* Explored the multiple exchange networks that existed in the 'Asian World' in the past from a diachronic and interdisciplinary perspective
* Undertook research on the diverse networks of the East Asian World: hosted the conference "'Exchange' and 'Choice' in the Ancient Asian World" on 2021.5.20. and published 3 papers
* Undertook research on interactions in the East Sea Rim region (field survey near East Sea, 2021.7.4-5), and published one paper
* Hosted two invited talks (one domestic, one international)
* Constructed program website (http://sub.snu.ac.kr/ecawp/)

Publication

Ko, I. H., Choi, Y. E. & Han, J. S. (2021) Examining Prehistoric and Ancient Ulleungdo Island in its Geographic and Historic Context: with focus on its role in Trans-East Sea Exchange. Korean Cultural Studies 41

People

Director: Oh Young Kwon (Dept. of Korean History)
Co-Researchers: Byung-Joon Kim (Dept. of Asian History), Jongil Kim (Dept. of Archaeology & Art History)
Research Fellows: Ilhong Ko (SNUAC HK Research Professor)
Researcher: Eunbyul Ko (Dept. of Archaeology & Art History)
Research Assistants: Young Eun Choi (Dept. of Korean History), Jisun Han (Dept. of Korean History), Mirae Jo (Dept. of Archaeology & Art History), Minju Kim (Dept. of Korean History)

Program on Asia's Intellectual Values (PAIV)

* Held four international conferences on "A Study on Ancient East Asia Law Using New Historical Sources"
* Held special lectures by experts on ancient wooden tablets of Japan and archaic Chinese characters
* Conducted a comparative study of the Eastern and Western legal cultures
* Conducted seminars for publication of the Yueluqinjian
* Conducted Lunyu seminars

People

Director: Byung-Joon Kim (Dept. of Asian History)
Co-Researchers: Seon-yeop Hwang (Dept. of Korean Language & Literature), Jihyun Kim (Dept. of Religious Studies), Joohyun Lee (Dong-A Univ.), Junghwan Lee (Dept. of Aesthetics)
Research Assistants: Mihye An (Dept. of Asian History), Yunmi Bang (Dept. of Asian History), Jieun Kim (Dept. of Asian History)
Academic Events
### Foreign Studies

- **Seong-woo Hwang** (Hankuk Univ. of Foreign Studies)
- **Se-jin Chung** (Hanyang Univ.)
- **Bong-gu Kang** (Hanyang Univ.)

### Analysis of Geopolitical Middle-ground States in Central Eurasian Regions

- **Conference** Comparative Foreign Policy Analysis of Geopolitical Middle-ground States in Central Eurasian Regions
- **Speakers**
  - Omnia Shaban Ibrahim (SNU)
  - Najeebullah Khan (SNU)
  - Maria Emilia Alvarez Lezcano (SNU)
  - Jean David De Jesus Adon (SNU)
  - Elmir Mazahir Aghayev (SNU)
  - Andi Bayu Wiraditya Pawi (SNU)
  - Alejandra Villacorta (SNU)
  - Juran Kim (SNU)
  - Bum Kim (SNU)

### Developing Countries

- **Conference** Comparative Foreign Policy Analysis of Geopolitical Middle-ground States in Western Eurasian Regions
- **Speakers**
  - Akio Takanayagi (Ferris Univ.)
  - Marti Mätas (Estonian Embassador to Korea)
  - Kilkon Ko (Grad. School of Public Administration)

### The people in this section have been noted by their names and affiliations in alphabetical order. Titles were excluded.

### 3/5

- **SNUAC**
- **Conference** Comparative Foreign Policy Analysis of Geopolitical Middle-ground States in Western Eurasian Regions
- **Speakers**
  - Beom-shik Shin (Dept. of Political Science & Int’l Relations)
  - Kyu-nam Kim (Univ. of Warsaw)
  - Min-woo Yun (Ewha Womans Univ.)
  - Kyong-un Choi (Kyu Nari Univ.)

### 3/17

- **WAC, HK + Mega-Asia Research Project Group**
- **Conference** The future of the Abraham Accords
- **Speakers**
  - Gi Yeon Koo (SNU)
  - Jhyung-jung Jang (The Asia Inst for Policy Studies)
  - Abdulla Saff Al Nuaimi (Ambassador of the United Arab Emirates to Korea)
  - Alok Tor (Ambassador of Israel to Korea)

### 3/11

- **Colloquium** The 24th SNUAC Colloquium
- **Speakers**
  - Seonpil Jin (AFoCO)
  - Yonggwon Lee (Korea Forest Service)

### 3/16

- **CAUS**
- **Colloquium** The 24th CAUS Colloquium
- **Speakers**
  - Yonggwon Lee (Korea Forest Service)
  - Se-jin Chung (Hanyang Univ.)
  - Seong-woo Hwang (Hankuk Univ. of Foreign Studies)

### 3/21

- **FUER**
- **Conference** The ‘Huawei Issue’ and Korea’s Response
- **Speakers**
  - Jae Hong Lee (SNU Prof. Emeritus)
  - Jeong Kyungseo (SNU)
  - Sookjin Kim (Nanyang Technology Univ.)
  - Soon Ae Kim (Korea Foundation for Int’l Cooperation)
  - Jaehyung Kim (Yonsei Univ.)
  - Hyung-jong Kim (Yonsei Univ.)

### 3/23

- **SNUAC**
- **Conference** Comparative Foreign Policy Analysis of Geopolitical Middle-ground States in Asia: Current issues and future challenges
- **Speakers**
  - Yoon-jung Choi (Sejong Ins’t)
  - Ji-hyang Jang (Asan Ins’t)
  - Soon Ae Kim (Korea Foundation for Int’l Cooperation)
  - Sang-ryul Jung (Myongji Univ.)
  - Hyun-do Park (Myongji Univ.)
  - Dal-seung Yu (Hankuk Univ. of Foreign Studies)

### 3/26

- **HK**
- **Mega-Asia Research Project Group**
- **Conference** Comparative Foreign Policy Analysis of Geopolitical Middle-ground States in Asia: Southeast Asia
- **Speakers**
  - Kyung-hee Choi (SNU)
  - Hyung-jong Kim (Yonsei Univ.)
  - Jae-hyuk Shin (Korea Univ.)
  - Jinho Yoon (Sungshin Women’s Univ.)

### 4/1

- **ARIC**
- **Conference** Politics economy of the COVID-19 vaccine in Asian countries: Current status and issues
- **Speakers**
  - Yong-gyun Kim (Dept. of Political Science & Int’l Relations)
  - Beom-shik Shin (Dept. of Political Science & Int’l Relations)
  - Kang Dae Wook (Sungkyunkwan Univ.)
  - Hyung-jong Kim (Yonsei Univ.)
  - Yong Kyun Kim (Dept. of Political Science & Int’l Relations)
  - Suhyun Youk (SNU)
  - Young-guk Yoo (NICE Retail Vietnam)

### 4/6

- **Conference** The 13th Vietnam Communist Party Congress: Evaluations and Prospects
- **Speakers**
  - Jin Jang (KOTRA)
  - Hanwoo Lee (Sogang Univ.)
  - Jin Jung (KOTRA)

### 4/12

- **ARIC**
- **Conference** COVID-19 between Europe and Asia: Challenge for public administration
- **Speakers**
  - Kilkon Ko (Grad. School of Public Administration)
  - Marti Mätas (Estonian Embassador to Korea)

### 4/17

- **HK**
- **Mega-Asia Research Project Group**
- **Conference** International pressures on Asia: China, India, and the US
- **Speakers**
  - Young-guk Yoo (NICE Retail Vietnam)
  - Donghui Park (Hankyung Newspaper)

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*For more information on the seminar on Global Refugee Policies and the Role of UNHCR, see page 27.*
4/20 PUCR
*Seminar* US-China Relations in the Biden Era: A Preliminary Prospect
Jae-Ho Chung (Dept. of Political Science and Int’l Relations)

4/21 CALIS
<Colloquium> The 25th CAUS Colloquium
Shiyene Choi (Yonsei Univ.)

4/21 SNUAC
<Special Lecture> Does Intervillage Competition Promote Social Capital? Experimental Evidence from Two Countries
Booyuel Kim (Dept. of Environmental Planning)

4/27 SNUAC
<Asia Square Brown Bag Seminar> Limitation of Lebanon’s Public Education Policy Implementation: Focusing on the Education of Syrian Refugee Students
Kyungsoo Lee (Konkuk Univ. of Foreign Studies)

4/27 Hit-Mega-Asia Research Project
<Workshop> The Development of Ancient Maps and Understandings of the World
Chang-Mo Choi (Konkuk Univ.)

4/29 SEAC
<Special Lecture> Social Responsibility and Localization Strategies of Korean Companies Entering Indonesia in the Era of the 4th Industrial Revolution
Seungchang Ha (Korea Ins’t of Defence Analyses)

4/29 CSP
<Workshop> Everyday Politics and Social Innovation Towards A Light Community
Sun-Ki Kong (SNUAC)

4/30 SEAC
<Asia Square Brown Bag Seminar> Literary Flourish in the Adjudication of Homicide Cases: Analyzing the Structure and Purpose of Closing Statements (palsa) and Decision Statements (chesa) in late Chosŏn Inquest Records (kŏman)
Tony Qian (Fulbright U.S. Scholar)

5/6 SEAC
<Special Lecture> CSR concept and theory
Seungkwoon Jang (Songkonghoe Univ)

5/7 SNUAC
<Conference> Association of Intangible Cultural Heritage in Asia
Gi Yeon Koo (SNUAC)
Soojin Park (Dept. of Geography)
Jeong Won Kang (Dept. of Anthropology)
Jin Gon Cho (Yunnam Normal Univ)
Yongho Heo (Kores Nat’l Univ. of Arts)
Boyoung Chwa (UNESCO ICHCAP)
Sukjoon Hong (Mokpo Univ)
Hyungboon Kim (Kangwon Univ)
Kyunghaik Kim (Ewhannam Univ)
Sangmu Park (Hankuk Univ. of Foreign Studies)

5/7 Yohan Lee (Yonsei Univ.)

5/12 SNUAC
<Colloquium> The 26th CAUS Colloquium
Min-Gyoeng Ko (Kyungpook Nat’l Univ) Kwang Suk Lee (SeoulTech)

5/16 Hit-Mega-Asia Research Project Group, WAC, Ritsumeikan University Asia-Japan Research Institute
<int’l Conference> The Multi-layered Dialogue between the Muslim Society and East Asian Culture
Gi Yeon Koo (SNUAC)
Doobo Shim (Sungshin Women’s Univ.)
Ik Ran Eum (Dankook Univ)
Amalia N. Andini (Brawijaya Univ)
Ichiro Ozawa (Ritsumeikan Univ)
Toryama Juniko (Ritsumeikan Univ)

5/17 CSP
<Workshop> Exchange between Balhae and Central Asia as Seen from Artifacts
Seok Bae Jeong (Korea Nat’l Univ. of Culture Heritage)
5/20
SEAC
<Special Lecture> The future picture and role of Vietnamese CSR expansion
drawn by Korean companies: Changes in Vietnam’s economy and social
environment and CSR
Hyeoung Jeong (Konkuk Univ.)

5/20
AEP
<Conference> Exploring issues of “Exchange” and “Choice” in the Ancient
East Asian World
Ilhong Ko (SNUAC), Eunbyul Ko (Dept. of Archaeology and Art History),
Byung Joon Kim (Dept. of Asian History), Woosoo Lee (Cheongju Nat’l Museum)

5/20
CSP
<int Conference> East Asia in the Post COVID-19 Era: Re-globalization,
Democracy and Civil Society
Hyun-Chin Lim (SNU prof Emeritus), Suk-ki Kang (SNUAC), Ik Ki Kim (Donggui Univ.),
Jonghee Yang (Sungkyunkwan Univ.), Taekyoon Kim (Grad. School of Int’l Studies),
Hae-rim Lim (Dept. of Political Science and Int’l Relations),
Wang-Hwi Lee (Apou Univ.), Hyug Baeg Im (Korea Univ.),
Michael Hsiao (Academia Sinica), Minh Nguyen (Vietnam Academy of Social Sciences),
Tatsuo Nikiawa (Doshisha Univ.)

5/21
SEAC
<Conference> Achievements and Tasks of the “People-Centered” New Southern
Policy: A Country Strong in Crisis, Together with the People
Soo Jin Park (SNUAC, Dept. of Geography), Eunhee Eom (SNUAC),
Daejung Jeong (SNUAC), Jhungyoon Yuk (SNUAC), Rhee Yong (SNUAC),
Byung-Hwa Ahn (Vis Prof Emeritus), Joo Hyung Kim (KNU),
Chai Ho Kim (KNDA), Hang-il Nam (KIVS), Ku Hyoung-Ji (Korea Institute of Civil
Planning), Jongchan Park (KNU), Dongman Han (KNDA), et al.

5/22
SEAC
<Conference> CAUS-Korea Association of Space & Environment Research
Spring Conference
Yilsoon Park (SNUAC), In Kwon Park (Grad. School of Environmental Studies),
Jung Won Soh (Univ. of London), Haerin Shin (Grad. School of Environmental Studies),
Hyunjoo Jung (Grad. School of Environmental Studies)

5/22
CSP
<Workshop> Creative Public Space Design in Japan under Post COVID-19
Hajime Iramura (Toyo Univ.)

5/22
AV
<Special Lecture> Studies of Ancient Wooden Tablets of Japan – Research
History and Recent Works
Guo-hua Fang (Kyungpook Nat’l Univ.)

5/25
SNUAC
<Asia Square Brown Bag Seminar>
The UN International Investment-Sustainable Development Nexus during
the Rise of ESG Investments
Soo Hyun Lee (Sweden Lund Univ./UNDP)

5/27
SEAC
<Special Lecture> Social contribution activities of Korean companies entering
Indonesia
Kwang-Woo So (KOMPOC), Yeon-Woo Nam (KOMPOC)

5/27
CSP
<Workshop> How does the agriculture realize social value? The development and
the challenges of social farming in Jeonbuk
Won Lee Cho (Jeonbuk Home)

5/29
CSP
<Workshop> Escape from Developmentalism: Forging Political Inventions for Modernizing
South Korea’s Development Cooperation
Taekyoon Kim (Grad. School of Int’l Studies)

5/29
ARIC
<Workshop> What we learned from COVID-19
Kikion Ko (Grad. School of Public Administration), Ays Okada (Tohoku Univ.),
Haibo Zhang (Nanjing Univ.), Wei-Ning Wu (San Yat-Sen Univ.)

6/1
SNUAC
<Asia Square Brown Bag Seminar> Indian Auto Component Industry’s Global Supply
Chain Incorporation Strategy and Korean Companies’ Application Plan
Dong Seok Choi (Gwangju Metropolitan City)

6/1
PUCR
<Seminar> US-China Relations, Where are They Headed? Evaluations and Suggestions
Heungho Moon (Hanyang Univ.), Sang Chul You (Toongchina China Inst.)

6/1
SNUAC
<int Conference> Conflict and Adaptation of Korean Companies to Vietnam
Bae Jiyoon Kim (Korea University), Jaeyoung Kim (Dept. of Economics),
Yong-rae Kim (Dept. of Political Science and Int’l Relations),
Suhuyun Youk (SNUAC), Le Thi Viet Ha (Vietnam Nat’l Univ., Hanoi),
Nguyen Thi Phuong Mai (Vietnam Nat’l Univ., Ho Chi Minh City),
Yoon Min (Korea Foudnation), Jin Zhang (KOTA Academy),
Nguyen Thi Thuy Huong (Vietnam Nat’l Univ., Hanoi),
Mai Kim Chi & Nguyen Thi Ly (Vietnam Nat’l Univ., Ho Chi Minh City),
Le Thi Viet Ha (Vietnam Nat’l Univ., Hanoi), Byongsik Kim (Vietnam Nat’l Univ., Ho Chi Minh City)

6/1
SNUAC
<Special Lecture> Imagination Matters: Plausible Spatial Futures for a
Reconciled Korean Peninsula
Annie Pedret (Dept. of Design)

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SNUAC
<Special Lecture> Social contribution activities of Korean companies entering
Indonesia
Kwang-Woo So (KOMPOC), Yeon-Woo Nam (KOMPOC)

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Indonesia
Kwang-Woo So (KOMPOC), Yeon-Woo Nam (KOMPOC)

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SNUAC
<Special Lecture> The future of South Korea’s green diplomacy: Evaluating
Korea’s future picture
Juhyun Lee (Dept. of Asian History)

6/10
SEAC
<Special Lecture> Spread of Ecological Agriculture Movement in Northern
Thailand and Formation of Knowledge: Focusing on the Interaction of Civil
Society-University-Farmers
Daejung Jeong (SNUAC)

6/12
SNUAC
<Workshop> Combating Racism in Civil Society: Multicultural Education as
Lifelong Learning
Jinhee Kim (Korean Educational Development Inst)

6/14
ARIC
<Conference> Sustainability Research & Innovation Congress (SRI) 2021 Special Session
Joon Kim (Dept. of Landscape Architecture and Rural Systems Engineering),
Minji Yun (SNU), Hye Won Seo (World Bank),
Dooi Don (Korea Food for the Hungry Int’l),
El Sand Set (Ministry of Natural Resources and Environmental Conservation),
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Sandeep Maharaj (Planetary Health Alliance),
Samiul Talucder (Sylhet Agricultural Univ.),
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* AJPS has been enlisted to SCOPUS, the global citation index for outstanding academic papers launched in 2004 by Elsevier

* AJPS provides the basis for developing new theories in understanding Asia by introducing articles on Asian politics, policy and regional studies based on strong evidence and theories.

* Published three times a year (April, August, and December)

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Education

KF Global e-School Program

* Real-time online lectures to undergraduate and graduate students interested in modern Korean society at leading overseas universities

* Credits for foreign students at their home institutions taking the e-School courses by SNU faculty

* Video conference-based real-time online lecture plus offline programs at overseas universities with SNU faculty visits and fellowship program to invite outstanding e-School students to Korea

* With generous support from the Korea Foundation, offered 121 courses to 22 universities in 13 countries across Asia and Europe in 2011-2021 (3,106 students)

List of 2021 e-School Courses

Spring Semester

- Korean History (Univ. of Social Sciences and Humanities – VNU, Hanoi, Vietnam)
- Multicultural Society and Korea (Univ. of Social Sciences and Humanities – VNU, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam)
- Human Geography of Korea (Eberhard Karls Universität Tübingen, Germany)

Summer Semester

- Comparative Economics of South and East Asia (Christ Univ., India)

Fall Semester

- Business Korean (Université Bordeaux Montaigne, France)
- Korean Language, Beginner (Univ. of the Philippines-Diliman, The Philippines)
- Culture and Society in Korea (Univ. of the Philippines-Diliman, The Philippines)
- Understanding Modern Korea: Economic Development (Univ. of Social Sciences and Humanities – VNU, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam)
- Business Korean (Irkutsk State Univ., Russia/ Tomsk State Univ., Russia)
- Korean Language, Beginner (Nat’l Univ. of East Timor, East Timor)
- International Relations and Foreign Policy of Republic of Korea (Universitas Indonesia, Indonesia)
- Korean Economy (Univ. of Social Sciences and Humanities – VNU, Hanoi, Vietnam)
- Cultural and Social Transformation of Contemporary Korea (Eberhard Karls Universität Tübingen, Germany)

Winter Semester

- Korean Economy (Nat’l Univ. of Mongolia, Mongolia)
- Hallyu and Korean Media Culture (Université Bordeaux Montaigne, France)
- Human Geography of Korea (Université Bordeaux Montaigne, France)
- Cultural and Social Transformation of Contemporary Korea (Christ Univ., India)
- Introduction to Comparative Economics in East Asia (Irkutsk State Univ., Russia/Tomsk State Univ., Russia)
- Korean Language and Culture (Nat’l Univ. of East Timor, East Timor)
- Society and Culture of Korea (Nat’l Univ. of Mongolia, Mongolia)
- Introduction to Korean Studies (Nat’l Univ. of East Timor, East Timor)
- Korean Language, Intermediate (Univ. of the Philippines-Diliman, The Philippines)
**KOSSDA Methodology Education Program**

* In Spring 2021, four courses were offered, including Multiple Regression Analysis, Grounded Theory, Applications of Network Analysis and Big Data Analysis Using Web Data (online/flipped learning)

* In Summer 2021, nine courses were offered, including Introductory Statistics, Intermediate Statistics, Spatial Statistical Analysis, Panel Data Analysis, Big Data and Machine Learning for Social Scientists, Introduction to Categorical Data Analysis, Focus Group Interview Methodology, Qualitative Research Design and Qualitative Data Analysis using MAXQDA and Big Data Analysis Using Web Data (online/flipped learning)

* In Autumn 2021, four courses were offered, including Hierarchical Linear Models, Oral History Research, Advanced Regression Analysis and Panel Data Analysis (online)

* In Winter 2022, seven courses were offered, including Introductory Statistics, Intermediate Statistics, Event History Analysis, Big Data Analysis Using Web Data, Qualitative Research Design and Qualitative Data Analysis using MAXQDA, Big Data and Machine Learning for Social Scientists and Network Analysis (online)

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**List of 2021 KOSSDA Methodology Courses**

**2021 Spring Methodology Short Course - 2021.4.3-5.28**

- Multiple Regression Analysis
- Grounded Theory
- Applications of Network Analysis
- Big Data Analysis Using Web Data

**2021 Autumn Methodology Short Course - 2021.10.2-11.27**

- Hierarchical Linear Models
- Oral History Research
- Advanced Regression Analysis
- Panel Data Analysis

**2021 Summer Methodology Workshop - 2021.7.5-8.20**

- Introductory Statistics
- Intermediate Statistics
- Spatial Statistical Analysis
- Panel Data Analysis
- Big Data and Machine Learning for Social Scientists
- Introduction to Categorical Data Analysis
- Focus Group Interview Methodology
- Qualitative Research Design and Qualitative Data Analysis using MAXQDA
- Big Data Analysis Using Web Data

**2022 Winter Methodology Workshop - 2022.1.3-2.18**

- Introductory Statistics
- Intermediate Statistics
- Event History Analysis
- Big Data Analysis Using Web Data
- Qualitative Research Design and Qualitative Data Analysis using MAXQDA
- Big Data and Machine Learning for Social Scientists
- Network Analysis

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**South Asia Culture School**

* Learning South Asian culture from the authors of relative publications: Public lecture series on the themes encompassing South Asian culture at large from ancient to contemporary times

* 14 to 16 weeks in one semester, offered as evening classes for accessibility of field workers

4th Cohort of South Asia Culture School - 2021.4.27-8.17.

- World of Tibetan Classical Texts II - Sang Yeop Cha (Kyungpook Nat’l Univ)
- Let’s Speak Sanskrit - Nrusingha Charan Kar (Hankuk Univ. of Foreign Studies)
AsIA Humanities Dissemination Center Humanities Education Program

* Held four educational programs for young adults including ‘2021 2nd Cohort of AsIA Local Expert Course’
* Co-hosted programs with National Museum of Korea and Extension College SNU
* Held the Humanities Festival with the theme ‘INDONESIA – to Imagined communities from Nusantara’ in November 2021
* Uploaded videos of all classes on YouTube and exceeded 1,500 subscribers
* Functioned as a window for Asian civilizational knowledge and built an on/offline platform for humanities education

2021 AsIA School of Civilization and Knowledge: 2021.3.10.-4.14
(6 courses; for the middle-aged above 40s)
- A splendid treasure of Islamic civilization: A glimpse into Western Asian culture,
- The Belt and Road Initiative and reconstruction of Chinese identity
- Background and driving force of emerging Southeast Asia
- Central Asia: Crossroads of movement and flow,
- The birth of India’s IT industry and its path to AI and smart city
- What is Japan to Koreans in the 21st century?

2021 2nd Cohort of AsIA Local Expert Course: 2021.10.6.-12.23
(12 classes total, 32 participants; for the youth in their 20s and 30s)
- Emerging mega-Asia and regional research
- Looking at Asia by data
- Global megatrend migration: Asia and Korea
- East Asianization of East Asian discourse
- China’s policy toward Asia and Central Asia’s response
- Changes and social problems in Asia Minor
- Flow of East Asian youth social movement
- Iranian millennials speak of resistance through popular music
- Myanmar MZ youth standing at the intersection of hope and frustration for change
- 2019 Protest in Hong Kong and the youth generation, and afterward
- Youth generation in Malaysia, between problems in reality and new hopes
- ASEAN huge consumption market, Indonesia

Open Lectures on Southeast Asia

* A public lecture program to deepen the general public's understanding of the Southeast Asian region
* Each semester consisting of 4 weeks; certificates of completion issued upon taking all four lectures

1st Semester “Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) and Social Responsibility of Korean Companies in Southeast Asia” 2021.5.6.-27.
(4 weeks, number of certificates issued: 24)
- CSR concept and theory
- KOTRA Global CSR+ESG Support Projects and Major Achievements
- The future picture and role of Vietnamese CSR activities drawn by Korean companies: Vietnam’s economic, social and environmental changes and CSR
- Social contribution activities of Korean companies in Indonesia

(4 weeks, number of certificates issued: 12)
- Vietnam’s history in terms of comparison and region, both far and near
- Division, war and unification in Vietnam’s modern history
- Dutch colonial rule and the rise of “Indonesia”
- Overview of Indonesian Contemporary History
Nurturing Next-Generation Scholars

2021 SNUAC Dissertation Writing Fellowship

Chang Joon Ok (Dept. of Political Science and International Relations) | International Politics of Topos: International Politics as a knowledge and International Politics as an academic discipline
Bo Jiang (Dept. of Asian History) | A Study on the Qing Dynasty’s Diplomatic Administration System for Joseon, 1880s~1890s
Na-Mi Hong (Interdisciplinary Program In Urban Design) | The Spatial Patterns and Driving Forces of Urbanization in Transitional Vietnam

2021 SNUAC Doctoral Dissertation Award
※ Prize money sponsored by President Sungkwan Hong of Sangam Energy Co. Ltd. since 2020

Doctoral Dissertation Award
Hyunjong Noh (Dept. of Sociology) | A Comparative Study of Socialist Transition in East Germany, Vietnam, and North Korea since 1970s: By Focusing on the Dynamics of ‘State-Society’ Relation
Byungsik Cho (Dept. of Asia History) | A Study on the Court Reform in Tianjin, 1901~1911
Youngmi Kim (School of Law) | Theory on the Guiding Force of China’s Guiding Cases

Master’s Thesis Award
Jeonghyun Oh (Dept. of Political Science and Int’l Relations) | The 1954 Geneva Conference and the International Relations on the Korean Peninsula-the Formation of the System of Division-
Juryoung Park (Dept. of Geography) | Indonesian Post-colonial Spatial Practices - Through the post-colonial spatial practice concepts of “space of resistance” and “the third space” -

2021 SNUAC Field Research Grant for Graduate Students
※ Grant period extended for 2020 winners due to COVID-19

Yeo-Rin Kang (Dept. of Political Science & Int’l Relations) | The Analysis of Threat Perceptions, Role Conceptions and the Foreign Policies of Rhee Syngman and Park Chung Hee: Focusing on the Case of the Korea-Japan Normalization Talks
Shin Ae Lee (Dept. of Education) | Improvement Plan of the Cambodia Pre-service Teacher Training, Institution Administration and Korea’s Role in Education Development
Joowon Lee (Dept. of Political Science & Int’l Relations) | Episodic Legitimacy and Economic Statecraft: Two Cases of China’s Belt and Road Initiative (BRI) in Indonesia and Myanmar
Gayoon Chang (Dept. of Education) | Decentralization of Education and Teacher Agency in Indonesia: Case of Teacher Learning Community in Sumadang District
Yoonjung Hwang (Dept. of Education) | Development of Instructional Design Principles for Using ICT in Education: A Case Study of Secondary School in Dhaka, Bangladesh

KOSSDA Thesis and Dissertation Competition
※ To raise the awareness of data archives and promote data-based researches, KOSSDA confers awards to theses and dissertations written with KOSSDA data holdings

The 10th KOSSDA Thesis and Dissertation Competition Awardees

Doctoral Dissertation Award
Si Young Song (Yonsei Univ.) | Changes in Consumption Patterns of the Baby-boomers and the Generation of Liberation from a Life Course Perspective
Seungji Baek (Sungkyunkwan Univ.) | How do South Koreans view North Korean Defectors?: National Identity and Economic Conditions
Duhui Lee (Seoul Nat’l Univ.) | Social Mobility Perception and Trust in Korea: Focusing on Interpersonal Trust and Public Trust
ODA YP (Young Professional) Project
* Youth Capacity Development Program in the area of international development and cooperation sponsored by KOICA

First Half of 2021 (2021.1-2021.7)
Yoonbin Choi (Comparative Studies of the International Development Cooperation Policy in East Asia, Asia Brief Publishing Project)

First Half of 2022 (2022.2-2022.8)
Sol Kim (Research Project for Establishing Asia-Africa Center at SNUAC)
Jinsil Choi (Asia Brief Publishing Project)

SNUAC Research Internship Program
* With the objective of fostering future Asia experts, the program consists of undergraduate and graduate students interested in Asia studies
* In 2021, a total of 24 research interns completed the program with 32 lectures on Asia studies

The 14th Cohort
Jeung Mo Koo (SNU), Sanghoon Kim (Korea Univ.), Jaesung Kim (SNU), Mijung Park (Hankuk Univ. of Foreign Studies), Subin Bae (SNU), Jungyun Oh (SNU), Jieun Yoo (Sungkyunkwan Univ.), Dam Lee (SNU), Hyeewon Lee (Korea Nat’l Univ. of Arts), Sebin Jung (SNU), Fattaneh Noori (SNU), Jisu Hong (Korea Univ.)

The 15th Cohort
Seungkyo Kim (SNU), Cheyeon Kim (SNU), Changeun Park (Yonsei Univ.), Eunbin Seo (Yonsei Univ.), Yeeun Shim (Hanyang Univ.), Yerin Oh (Hankuk Univ. of Foreign Studies), Hyounim Oh (SNU), Kyungjoo Lee (SNU), Yumin Jang (SNU), Seunghye Jung (SNU), Jinsil Choi (SNU), Taesoo Choi (Hankuk Univ. of Foreign Studies)

Nurturing Next-Generation Scholars in West Asian Studies
* Held events associated with West Asian embassies in Korea
  - Visited the Oman Embassy on Nov. 23, 2021 with SNU researchers and students interested in diplomatic institutions for ‘2021 Introduction of Oman: Past and Present’ and provided them opportunities for exploring career options as regional/diplomatic experts
* Supporting undergraduate student organization for Middle East research, ‘El-Naafidha’
  - Fostered the growth of next-generation scholars in West Asian studies by supporting study groups and various activities of undergraduate students with majors related to West Asia or academic interests in the region
  - Supported seminars, reading discussions, writing research papers, and conducted interviews and invited lectures with West Asia experts
* Supporting Korean Young Scholars of Middle East Research (KYMR)
  - Activated the academic cooperation among researchers and promoted academic development of individuals by supporting the research exchange of rising scholars in MENA studies in Korea
  - Held five colloquia in 2021

Nurturing Next-Generation Scholars in Central Asian Studies
* Established the student organization for Central Asian and Eurasian studies, ‘Eurasia Research Organization’, in April 2020 with support of CECAS for fostering next-generation scholars
* For graduate students interested in the Eurasian region to grow into future regional experts on Eurasia, proceeded with in-depth discussions on issues on the politics, economy, society, culture, history, etc. of Central Asia and Eurasia

Daehyun Cho, Mihee Han, Minki Jung, Soobin Lee, Hangsung Lim, Jieun Oh, Soolim Kang (SNU), Jooyoung Kim (Moscow State Univ.)
International Exchanges

Visiting Scholars Fellowship Program
* Provides domestic and foreign scholars of Asian studies with space and research grant
* Supports outstanding academic work on Asian studies
* Promotes collaboration with Asian studies researchers at SNU

Changmo Choi (Konkuk Univ.), Dong Seok Choi (Gwangju Metropolitan City), Dong-man Han (Korea Nat’l Diplomatic Academy Center for ASEAN and India Studies), Eunyeong Kim (Stanford Univ.), Ho Jung Choi (Princeton Univ.), Ju Hyun Lee (Urban & Regional Studies Inst., Univ. of Groningen), Kyungsoo Lee (Hankuk Univ. of Foreign Studies), Soo-Hyun Lee (Lund Univ. & UNDP), Yohan Lee (Yonsei Univ.)

Visiting Scholars Program
* Provides an exchange opportunity for outstanding scholars at home and abroad interested in Asian studies

Ariunbaigali Boldbaatar (Nat’l Univ. of Mongolia), Chang-Won Choi (Nat’l Univ. of East Timor), Da Jung Jung (Yeojeong Nat’l Univ. of Education), Douglas Gabriel (Getty/American Council of Learned Societies Postdoctoral Fellow), El No (Univ. of Cambridge), Ja Ok Kwon (Heidelberg Univ.), Jihyun Kwon (Univ. of Toronto), Joo Young Yoon (KOTRA), Kyoungsun Heo (Korea Ins’t of Public Finance, Center for Asia-Pacific Fiscal Affairs), Kahee Jo (King’s College London), Martina Sottini (London School of Economics and Political Science), Soo-Hyun Mun (Hanyang Univ.), Sun Yong Lee (Princeton Theological Seminary), Sunggeun Kim (Korea Ins’t of Public Administration), Tycho van der Hoog (Leiden Univ.)

New MOU Agreements
* Agreed on official partnerships with domestic and foreign institutions for research collaboration and exchanges

- Hanns Seidel Foundation Korea,
- CHRIST Univ.,
- SAS Korea

2021 ICAS Book Prize Korean Language Edition
* SNUAC has been the organizing institute along with the International Convention of Asia Scholars (ICAS), a global platform for scholars and experts on Asia, for the ICAS Book Prize Korean Language Edition since 2017
* Selected five outstanding academic books in Korean in 2021


IIAS The Newsletter
* SNUAC regularly contributes theme-based articles to the Northeast Asia News Section in <The Newsletter>, which is published three times a year by International Institute for Asian Studies (IIAS, the Netherlands).

- Cultural encounters through Translation in Northeast Asia (Vol. 88)
- Solidarity with Myanmar in Northeast Asia (Vol.90)
SNUAC Research Grants for Asian Studies

2021 SNUAC Research Grants

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* Asia Brief | Myungmoo Lee (SNUAC)
* Asian Popular Culture in Platform Era: How Netflix mediate Hallyu in Asia? | Seok Kyeong Hong (Dept. of Communication)
* Associations of coffee and tea intakes with liver cancer and chronic liver disease in Asian populations | Jungeun Lee (Dept. of Food & Nutrition)
* Association of post-migration acculturation-related stress with plasma metabolomic profiles and chronic diseases among Filipino women married to Korean men in Korea: the Filipino Women’s Diet and Health Study | Okekunle Akinkunmi Paul (Research Inst. of Human Ecology)
* A Study on the Impact of Technology Gap in International Urban Development Cooperation on Asian Developing Countries | Youngsang Kwon (Dept. of Civil & Environmental Engineering)
* A study on the integration of early childhood education and care of three East Asian countries: focusing on the legal systems of Korea, Japan, and Taiwan | Sunhee Kim (Education Research Inst.)
* Intangible Cultural Heritage of Asia | Jeongwon Kang (Dept. of Anthropology)
* Hull-Nomura talk and Southeast Asia issues - Focusing on the Japanese Army’s Discussions on Southward advance and the Correspondence of U.S. Department od State to them | Jaeik Ahn (Dept. of Asian History)
* Linguistic Turn in Indian Thought | Sungdoo Ahn (Dept. of Philosophy)
* Linking Energy and Urbanization – A Triangular Approach in South Asia, Southeast Asia, and West Asia | Quan Jige (Grad. School of Environmental Studies)
* Long Covid-19 Era, the Crisis and Transition of Urbanity | Joon Kim (Dept. of Landscape Architecture & Rural System Engineering)
* Meso-Rice testing the early rice domestication hypothesis in the Ganges Mesolithic and Neolithic | Jennifer Bates (Dept. of Archaeology & Art History)
* Park Chung Hee’s Perceptions of Tradition and Social Changes -With a Comparative Reference to Japan | Yongchool Ha (SNUAC)
* Planning of 2021 Asia Review Commissioned /Special Papers | Eunyoung Nam (SNUAC)
* Quality of Life, Social Quality and the Fate of Nations; Homogeneity and Heterogeneity among Asian Countries | Jungmin Park (Dept. of Social Welfare)
* Research for Establishing Seoul National University Africa Research Center | Hyun-Chin Lim (SNUAC)
* The Evolving State-led Developmental Models: A Comparative Analysis of Singapore, China, and Vietnam | Yongkyun Kim (Dept. of Political Science & Int’l Relations)
* The Industrial Great Transformation: Focusing on the industrial diversification patterns of East Asian economies | Jeongdong Lee (Dept. of Industrial Engineering)
* The study on the background of the formation of the literary circles in the China Middle Tang -On the basis of the establishment and analysis of literary relations network of middle Tang centered on HanYu- | Jiyong Kim (Dept. of Chinese Language & Literature)
* Trans Asian Networks Review Report | Hyosup Kim (SNUAC)

2021 SNUAC Publication Grants

* “Grey Zone” of Shanghai Literature under Japanese Occupation - A Case Study on Miscellany Monthly (1942-1945) | Gabae Song (Dept. of Chinese Language & Literature)
* Pandemic Crisis in East Asia Varieties of Responses and Their Impacts on Post Pandemic Political, Economic, and Social Transformations | Taekyoon Kim (Grad. School of Int’l Studies) et al.
* Return of the Party: Vietnam at Crossroads | Yong Kyun Kim (Dept. of Political Science & Int’l Relations) et al.
* Smart Cities in South Asia - Structure and Direction | Jungyul Sohn (Dept. of Geography) et al.
* Southeast Asian Cities: Crossroads of the Past and the Present | Eunhui Eom (Center for Social Sciences)
* Spirit and Defiance: Ali Shariati in Translation | Siavash Safiari (Dept. of Asian Languages & Civilizations) et al.
* The Transformation of World Order and Asia: Comparative Regional Order Studies | Jung Hwan Lee (Dept. of Political Science & Int’l Relations) et al.
* Women in Contemporary Asia: Predicaments, Discontents and Solidarity | Eunsook Jee (Ins’t of Cross-Cultural Studies) et al.

2021 KOSSDA Research Grants

* Developing open data action plans | A study on the improvement plan for sharing social science research data | Jaeyeol Yee (Dept. of Sociology)
* A study on development of KOSSDA’s statistical data service | Data visualization and storytelling on Korean Social Trends Data | Hyunsup Kum (Grad. School of Public Administration)
* A study on managing and sharing unstructured data | the case if social media data | Hee Han (SNUAC)
* A study on the Reform KOSSDA Methodology Education Program and the Educational Contents Making | Moonhee Choi (SNUAC)
SNUAC Research Projects with External Funding

**Humanities Korea Plus (HK+)** – NRF

*Asias and Mega-Asia: Identities, Dynamics, Data-Telling - Phase 1*

Second Year (2020.05.01.-2021.04.30)

Research Funds: KRW 1,260,000,000 (including matching fund)

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**Police Lab – NRF**

Affidavit-Assistant System for Sexual Crime Victims - Phase 2 Second Year (2021.3.1.-2022.5.31)

Research Funds: KRW 76,775,000

Principal Investigator: Joohwan Lee (Dept. of Communication)

**Group Research Support Program – NRF**

**Varieties of Social Well-Being Mechanisms in Southeast Asia Comparison with East Asian Societies - Second Year** (2021.07.01.-2022.06.30)

Research Funds: KRW 104,160,000

Principal Investigator: DongHoKim (Dept. of Sociology)

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A Study on Sustainable Digital Fabrication Community Model: Focusing on Fab Lab in Partner Countries of “New Southern Policy” - Second Year (2021.7.1.-2022.6.30)

Research Funds: KRW 104,160,000

Principal Investigator: SungYong Kang (Ins’t of Humanities)

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**Institute Programs in the Humanities & Social Sciences – NRF**

**A Study on Commons-Based Urban Transition Strategies Beyond Speculative Urbanization - Phase 1 First Year** (2021.09.01.-2022.05.31)

Research Funds: KRW 289,350,000

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**National Research Foundation of Korea, Academic Research Professors**

The Rule of Law of the Greater Mekong Subregion and the Korea-Mekong Legal Cooperation (First Year 2021.9.1.-2022.8.31)

Research Funds: KRW 14,000,000

Principal Investigator: Joongpyo Lee (SNUAC)

**Social Science Korea (SSK) – NRF**

A Study on a New Urban Paradigm in the Era of Post-developmentalism: Towards the East Asian Cities of Commoning, Peace and Sustainability - Phase 3 Fourth Year (2020.9.1.-2022.2.28)

Research Funds: KRW 582,750,000

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**Korean Research Memory (DB Construction) – NRF**

Construction of a Korean Research Memory Database - Second Year (2021.4.1~2022.3.31)

Research Funds: KRW 120,000,000

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**Basic Research Program for Mid-Career Researchers (Humanities & Social Sciences) – NRF**

Machine Learning and Highly-nonlinear Econometric Models - Fourth Year (2021.7.1.-2022.6.30)

Research Funds: KRW 13,020,000

Principal Investigator: Myung Hwan Seo (Dept. of Economics)

A Study on the Living Lab Business Model for Solving Social Problems in Emerging Countries: Focusing on the Case of India for rural and urban areas - First Year (2021.7.1.-2022.6.30)

Research Funds: KRW 26,040,000

Principal Investigator: YunHoKim (SNUAC)

**Group Research Support Program – NRF**

**Iranian Student Migration: The ethnographic studies of those who wish to leave and those who left - Second Year** (2021.5.1.-2022.4.30)

Research Funds: KRW 19,530,000

Principal Investigator: Gi Yeon Koo (SNUAC)

**National Research Foundation of Korea, Academic Research Professors**

A Study on International Trade Networks of Marine Products, Fisheries ODA and International Trade, Commerce, Maritime Dispute Resolution between Korea and ASEAN - First Year (2021.7.1.-2022.6.30)

Research Funds: KRW 40,000,000

Principal Investigator: Jeemoon Pak (SNUAC)

**Moral Realism?: A Critical Approach to China’s Discourses & Policy on New International Order - First Year (2021.7.1.-2022.3.31)**

Research Funds: KRW 30,000,000

Principal Investigator: Jeong Kyung Seo (SNUAC)

**National Research Foundation of Korea, Academic Research Professors**

A Study on the Rule of Law and Legal Cooperation within the Greater Mekong Subregion and the Korea-Mekong Legal Cooperation (First Year 2021.7.1.-2022.6.30)

Research Funds: KRW 100,000,000

Principal Investigator: Joonpyo Lee (SNUAC)
Support for Creative and Challenge Research Foundation - NRF
Analyzing and assessing multifunctionality of community-based resource management systems for enhancing adaptive capacity of rural areas to climate change (First Year 2021.6.1.~2022.2.28.)

Research Funds: KRW 41,998,049
Principal Investigator: Goiwoon Kim (SNUAC)

Other Public Projects
21st Century New Kyujanggak Data Construction Project – Kyujanggak Institute for Korean Studies
Social History of Gyeongbu Expressway – First Year (2021.5.14.~2022.11.15.)

Research Funds: KRW 6,315,000
Principal Investigator: Baek Yong Kim (Dept. of Sociology)
Researchers: Dongkun Yim (Korea Nat'l Univ. of Education), Jung Woo Cho (Kyungnam Univ.), Han Sang Kim (Ajou Univ.)

Policy Research
ODA Young Professional (YP) Program (First Half of 2021) (Korea Int'l Cooperation Agency (KOICA) (2021.1.1.~2021.7.31.)

Research Funds: KRW 45,454,545
Principal Investigator: Sung Yong Kang (Inst.of Humanities)

The 12th ROK-SAARC Partnership Seminar (2021.06.01.~2021.12.31.)

Research Fund: KRW 45,454,545
Principal Investigator: Sung Yong Kang (Inst.of Humanities)

Analysis and response of Russia's position on freedom of overflight-2021.05.11.~2021.09.10.

Research Funds: KRW 27,272,727
Principal Investigator: Beomshik Shin (Dept.of Political Science and Int'l relations)

Global Metropolis' Disinfection and Urban Transition Strategy Under the Pandemic Era-2021.08.02.~2021.11.01.

Research Funds: KRW 18,181,818
Principal Investigator: Eunhui Eom (Center for Social Sciences)


Research Funds: KRW 15,900,000
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The Labor Management Guidebook for Oversea Korean Firms: The Philippines

Research Funds: KRW 20,909,091
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Korean Social Trends 2021 (Statistics Korea) (2021.3.22.~2021.11.30)

Research Funds: 138,090,909 KRW
Principal Investigator: Jaeyeol Yee (Dept. of Sociology)

Korea Labor and Employment Service Research Project
Title: Labor Management Guidebook for Korean Companies in Malaysia, (2021.3.16.~2021.8.30.)

Research Funds: KRW 20,909,091
Principal Investigator: Joonpyo Lee (SNUAC)

Research Service Project (Community Media Foundation)
Upgrading fact-checking technology based on artificial intelligence

Research Funds: KRW 390,909,091
Principal Investigator: Joonhwan Lee (Dept. of Communication)
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Research Funds: KRW 40,000,000
Principal Investigator: Myung-Seok Oh (Dept. of Anthropology)

Research Project for publishing Intangible Cultural Heritage in Asia (UNESCO Intangible Cultural Heritage Center for Asia-Pacific Centre of Education for International Understanding) - 2021.1.28.~2021.11.30

Research Funds: KRW 10,000,000
Principal Investigator: Jeong-won Kang (Dept. of Anthropology)


Research Funds: KRW 20,400,000
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#### Gross Income

- **Government Fund**: KRW 2,451,386,000
- **External Research Fund**: KRW 6,079,464,297

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- **Publication (Series & Journals)**: KRW 74,006,070
- **Research Achievement Proliferation**: KRW 18,445,160
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- **Overhead Cost (income)**: KRW 238,869,529
- **Overhead Cost (carryover)**: KRW 270,336,398
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- **Sep** The first SNUAC International Conference: What Is Asia? Retrospectives and Prospects
- **2010 Jul** Groundbreaking for the SNUAC building (completion in February 2013)
- **Sep** Designation as a Key Research Institute by the National Research Foundation of Korea
- **2011 Mar** Selection as part of the Korea Foundation Global e-School Program
- **Jun** Publication of the first issue of Asia Review
- **2012 Sep** Selection as part of the Emerging Economies Research Program (NRFK)
- **2013 Mar** Commencement of the Asia Basic Research Program
- **Apr** Open lecture series: “The Age of Asia”
- **May** Opening ceremony of the SNUAC building
- **Sep** Appointment of Prof. Myungkoo Kang as SNUAC director
- **Sep** Initiation of the second phase in Key Research Institute Project “Cooperation and Integration of East Asian Economic and Social Community”
- **2014 Mar** International Conference for directors of Asia research institutes: New Horizons of Asian Studies
- **Sep** Initiation of the second phase in the Emerging Economies Research Program; Initiation of the medium-scale project “International Trade, Trade Order, and Standardization” within the SSK program; Initiation of a new project “East Asian Cities”; Reception of a grant for Foundational Research from the NRF
- **2015 Jun** Affiliation of the Korea Social Science Data Archive (KOSSDA) with SNUAC
- **Jul** Selection of Asia Review as a candidate for inclusion in the Korean Citation Index (KCI)
- **Oct** International conference: Capitalism and Capitalisms in Asia: Origins, Commonalities, and Diversity
- **2016 Apr** International conference: Inter-Asian Connections V: Seoul
- **Dec** Initiation of the third phase in Key Research Institute Project “Cooperation and Integration of the East Asian Economic and Social Community”
- **2017 Aug** Selection of Asia Review to be registered in KCI
- **Sep** Appointment of Prof. SooJin Park as SUNAC Director
- **Oct** Advancement of East Asian Cities project to SSK large-scale research project by the NRF; Commencement of the Center for Asian Urban Societies
- **2018 Feb** Commencement of the Asia Regional Information Center
- **Apr** Organization of the Council of Asia Regional Research Institutes at Seoul National University
- **Jun** Publication of the first issue of Diverse+Asia by SNUAC Asia Regional Review Research Team
- **Aug** Ranked in the top level in the SNU Research Institute Evaluation in the humanities and social sciences field
- **2019 Sep** Commemoration of SNUAC’s 10th anniversary and announcement of new visions
- **Sep** International conference: Managing, Sharing, and Employing of Regional Information in Asia
- **Oct** Affiliation of Korea Association of International Development Cooperation, East Asian Sociological Association, and Future Earth Korea with SNUAC

- **2020 Jun** Selected as part of Humanities Korea Plus (HK+) Program (NRF)
- **Oct** Commencement of Vietnam Center
- **Dec** Initiation of Asian Journal of Political Science (AJPS) as the official English journal of SNUAC
- **2021 Mar** Establishment of Asia Brief, the policy brief of SNUAC
- **Aug** Ranked first in the SNU Research Institute Evaluation in the humanities and social sciences field
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