



Step out toward the world with the KDI School

The KDI School Commitments

Excellence in Teaching

Top-notch faculty who combine theory and practice

Innovative curriculum focused on policy-making processes and management issues

International Learning Environment

Diverse student body with English as the official language of communication

Excellent peer learning and networking opportunities

All courses are taught in English

Global Hub for Knowledge Sharing

Sharing Korea's experience on development and crisis management

Cooperation with numerous partner universities and think-tanks abroad

My KDI School Story



William Andrey Rodriguez

Class of 2008, Costa Rica

Associate Administrative Officer

United Nations Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC/CEPAL)

When I look back in time, I realize how fortunate I was to pursue my Master's degree at KDI School of Public Policy and Management. While enjoying the most amazing eye-opening cultural experience of my life, the School offered me the possibility to explore and learn from many areas of knowledge through a careful selection of courses, a proficient faculty staff that encouraged student participation and an outstanding learning environment with excellent infrastructure and a fully supportive administrative staff. The diverse environment fostered at the School made the experience even more enriching because it provided the opportunity to listen to varied perspectives from students of many nationalities and fields of work. Ultimately, KDI School has presented me with the necessary tools to face challenging situations at my work. In parallel, it has been a significant element in my career progression. I am truly thankful to KDI School for all the positive impact received.



Daniel Jemberu

Class of 2010, Ethiopia

National Economic Account Expert

Ministry of Finance and Economic Development (MOFED).

The education I have received from KDI School to earn a Master's degree certainly has helped me to become a higher level of expert professionally. It surely enabled me to understand what it takes to have an economic transformation and how to play my role in attaining economical goals and objectives for my country. Learning about Korea's rapid economic achievement can be an excellent model for most developing countries including Ethiopia. The knowledge and experience I have acquired upon completion of the academic program have helped me to have higher self-confidence, become more independent, and to enlarge my ideas and perspectives. This changed the way I think and the way I see the world. Moreover, I got to actively participate in the development of bilateral relationship of the two countries through cooperation and experience sharing. I currently work at MoFED that greatly contributes to the speedy, fair, and sustainable economic development through an economic transformation. Achieving this economic transformation requires highly educated and experienced individuals and is only possible when there is a clear vision and mission in each ministry, which will support the education and experience of each official.



KDI School of Public Policy & Management Scholarship Opportunities for International Students

Academic Programs

- Master of Public Policy (MPP)
- Master of Development Policy (MDP)
- Ph.D. in Public Policy
- Ph.D. in Development Policy

Korea Global Leaders Fellowship (KGLF)

- Eligibility: High-level government officials from G20 and developing countries
- Type: Executive program (non-degree)
- Contents: G20 agendas and Korea's development experience
- Length: 3 weeks ~ 3 months

Scholarships Opportunities

Benefits vary by scholarship, but generally include full tuition, monthly stipend and round-trip airfare.

- Global Ambassador Fellowship
- Seoul G20 Global Leader's Fellowship
- KOICA Scholarship
- NIIED Korea Government Scholarship
- IDB Scholarship
- POSCO Fellowship
- KOGAS Global Fellowship
- Colombo Plan Scholarship

Scholarship Eligibility Requirements

- Government officials preferred
- Work experience recommended
- English Proficiency

Admissions for International Students

Application Requirements

- For Master's Program: Bachelor's Degree or an Equivalent
- For Ph.D. Program: Master's Degree or an Equivalent
- English Proficiency

Schedule for Spring Admissions

Procedures	Schedule
Application Deadline	October 26, 2012
Final Result Notification	Early December, 2012
Semester Opening	Early February, 2013

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