South Korea, Seoul-Ewha Woman’s University Exchange
IAP Academic Notes

Please refer to your IAP Study Abroad Handbook for a complete list of UW policies. These academic notes supply additional information specific to your program.

Registration
IAP will register you for a special “Study Abroad Course” for the term(s) you will be studying abroad; therefore, it is not necessary for you to register on the UW-Madison campus. This is a temporary registration, which will be converted into graded UW-Madison credit after the completion of your program.

Equivalents and Course Equivalent Request (CER)
Each course you take abroad must be assigned a UW-Madison “equivalent” and the grade you receive in the course also transfers back to be recorded on your UW-Madison transcript. In order to establish UW-Madison course equivalents for your study abroad courses, you will submit a Course Equivalent Request (CER) through your My Study Abroad account. The deadline to submit the CER is by the end of the fourth week of classes (not including pre-session terms). Detailed information on the UW course equivalent process that you will use through your My Study Abroad account is available in the IAP Study Abroad Handbook and in your My Study Abroad account under the academics tab.

If you are taking a course taught in Korean, the equivalent for this course is determined based on the CONTENT of the course, not the language the course is being taught in. For example, if you are taking a history course taught in Korean, you would request a history equivalent for the course.

NOTE: ALL courses you take abroad must be awarded an equivalent course and posted to your UW Madison transcript at the end of your time abroad. You will receive the letter grade and credit number along with the UW equivalent course.

Limits and Load
UW-Madison students are required to take a minimum of 12 UW-Madison equivalent credits each semester. A recommended credit load is 12 to 18 credits per semester.

Pass/Fail/Drop/Audit
Please refer to the IAP Study Abroad Handbook for Academic Policies. A Pass/Fail form as well as the due date for Pass/Fail submission can be found in the Academics tab of your My Study Abroad account.

Credits
One course is usually three credits with three classroom hours per week. Credits will be converted on a one-to-one basis. For example, a 3-credit course at Ewha University will receive 3 credits at UW-Madison. Korean Language courses are an exception to this rule.
1) **One Semester** of (Beginning level) Korean:
   e.g., A UW exchange student is currently taking a Beginning Korean for Fall or Spring Semester →
   160~200 hours = EA105 Elementary Korean I (80 hours: 4 credits) + EA106 Elementary Korean II
   (80 hours: 4 credits)

2) **One academic year or two semesters** of (Beginning/Intermediate level) Korean:
   e.g., A UW exchange student has been taking Beginning Korean for an academic year (or two
   semesters) → 380~400 hours = EA105 Elementary Korean I (80 hours: 4 credits) + EA106
   Elementary Korean II (80 hours: 4 credits) +EA345 Third Semester Korean (80 hours: 4 credits) +
   EA346 Fourth Semester Korean (80 hours: 4 credits)

**Advanced** (5-8 semester): Students will receive 3 credits of the next course in their language
sequence and 3 credits of EA 699

**Grades and Grade Conversions**
Grades will be converted according to the following scale:

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