

# Participation Guide for 2020 International Conference of Korean language Educators Abroad

※ This guide is for invited education administrators group only

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- ❖ We are pleased to inform you that *2020 International Conference of Korean Language Educators Abroad* will be held in October 2020, which will be hosted by the Korean Ministry of Education, and organized by the International Korean Education Foundation. We look forward to the active participation of many education administrators abroad in this event.
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## ☐ Overview

- **Conference name** : 2020 International Conference of Korean Language Educators Abroad
- **Date** : November 5-7, 2020 (3 days)
  - ※ The schedule may change based on the result of discussions on joint programs with the participating ministries of education. In the case of a change, the revised schedule will be announced.
- **This conference will be held virtually (online).**
  - ※ More detailed information with regard to the conference will be sent to all invited participants via email
- **Participants** : around 90 education administrators from around the world
- **Support details** : In accordance with the results of bilateral meetings on promoting Korean language education cooperation, participants will be invited to future events that will be held in Korea on priority.

## □ Programs

### ○ Schedule

Type		Educators		Education Administrators	
		University	Primary / Secondary Schools	Office of Education / School	Government
Day 1	Joint program	Opening Ceremony. MoU Signing Ceremony			
	Break-out program	Award Ceremony / Thematic Lecture / Forum / Seminar			Bilateral/Multilateral Meetings
Day 2	Joint Break-out programs	Online Educational Event			Bilateral/Multilateral Meetings
	Break-out programs	[ TRACK I ] International Conference	[ TRACK II ] Professional Training	[ TRACK III ] Policy Training	
Day 3	Joint program	Online Korean Cultural Experience / Closing Ceremony			
	Break-out program	General Discussion			Bilateral/Multilateral Meetings

※ The schedule is subject to change

○ **Joint program** : Opening Ceremony, Online Korean Cultural Experience, MoU Signing Ceremony, Closing Ceremony

○ **Program for education administrators**

- **Policy Training** : Training in Korean language education policy focusing on education administrators

(i.e. those who work at the Offices of Education, and the Korean Education Institutes)

▲ **Participants** : Heads of Korean Education Institutes and education administrators in charge of the adoption or promotion of Korean language education

▲ **Training contents** :

- (Education policies) Introduction to policies in relation to cooperating in Korean language education with primary and secondary schools outside of Korea
- (Experience sharing) Presentation of cases by the heads of Korean Education Institutes and university officials that have been taking part in developing the initial teacher training system of Korean language teachers with the Ministry of Education in 2020.
- (Roundtable discussion) Measures to establish and develop the initial teacher training system of Korean language teachers in primary and secondary schools outside of Korea

- **Multi-bilateral Meetings** : Multilateral and bilateral meetings at the working level between the officials of the ministries of education of counterpart countries and government representatives of other countries

- ▲ **Participants** : Officials of the ministries of education of counterpart countries in charge of the adoption and promotion of Korean language education
- ▲ **Discussion agenda** :
  - Introduction to education policies in Korea with regard to COVID-19 response
  - Introduction to policies regarding Korean language education adoption and cooperation
  - Discussions on the proposal made by the ministries of education of counterpart countries and a Q&A session

## □ Application

### ○ Eligibility for application

Type	Education administrators	Government officials
Definition	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Officials in charge of Korean language education in Korean Education Institutes, universities, the Offices of Education, and education administrative institutions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Officials of the ministries of education in counterpart countries</li> </ul>
Participants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Heads of schools whose schools provide Korean language classes.</li> <li>• Officials of the Offices of Education in counterpart countries which have adopted Korean language as a second foreign language or have plans to do so.</li> <li>• Officials in charge of the promotion of Korean language in diplomatic missions abroad.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Officials of the ministries of education in counterpart countries who can discuss about the possibility of adopting Korean language as a second foreign language</li> </ul>
Criteria for recommendation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Education administrators who are influential in the adoption of Korean language education in schools outside of Korea will be recommended on priority</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Senior officials who have the authority over the adoption of second foreign languages will be recommended on priority</li> <li>• Officials who can discuss about the adoption of Korean language education as a second foreign language</li> </ul>
Note		<b><u>Recommendation is compulsory</u></b>

○ **Application**

- Application should be sent to the Korean diplomatic offices in the country of residence : Applicants should submit their application documents below to the diplomatic office.
- Application documents : application form · curriculum vitae · consent for the provision of personal information - on a prescribed form - and the proof of employment

※ Ministry of Education officials are asked to submit discussion agenda in advance for bilateral and multilateral working group meetings.

○ **Deadline** : October 7.(Wed) 2020

○ **Notification of acceptance**

- Notification will be sent to the relevant diplomatic office in the official letter and to selected applicants via their personal email

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