UQ Korean Studies Centre Conference 2025

"Advancing Korean Studies: Sharing UQ's Experience with Universities across Asia and Beyond"

Date: Friday 29th August 2025

Venue: Global Change Institute building (20) – 275, The University of Queensland, Australia

Host: Korean Studies Centre, School of Language and Cultures,
The University of Queensland, Australia

Purpose:

"Advancing Korean Studies: Sharing UQ's Experience with Universities across Asia and Beyond", hosted by the Korean Studies Centre, School of Languages and Cultures at the University of Queensland, aims to bring together scholars, educators, and institutional representatives across regions in Asia and beyond to engage in meaningful dialogue on the development and promotion of Korean Studies.

The primary purpose of the conference is to share the achievements and experiences of University of Queensland as a recipient of both *The Seed Program for Korean Studies* (2014-2017) *and The Core University Program* (2021-2026). The event will highlight best practices in curriculum development of Korean Studies with the goal of supporting sustainable Korean Studies programs across diverse institutional contexts.

This event will provide participants with valuable opportunities to interact directly with fellow Korean studies scholars to gain insights into current and future directions of Korean Studies funding and support. Additionally, representatives from the Korean Studies Promotion Service (KSPS) will be in attendance.

The conference will highlight approaches that reflect local contexts and diverse global institutional frameworks, encouraging comparative dialogue and mutual learning. It will serve as a platform for participants to share institutional experiences, present their research findings, and discuss strategic efforts in advancing Korean Studies globally.

This conference aspires to contribute to the growth of a more connected, innovative, and resilient Korean Studies community worldwide.

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Friday 29th August 2025 Global Change Institute [Building 20 – Room 275]		
9:00 – 9:20	**Opening Remarks**	A Prof Dong Bae Lee (Co-Director, Korean Studies Centre, The University of Queensland, Australia)
	Welcoming Speech	Prof Greg Hainge (Head of School, School of Languages and Cultures, The University of Queensland, Australia)
	Congratulatory Speech	Prof Jeonghye Park (Korean Study Promotion Service, The Academy of Korean Studies, South Korea)
Session 1 – Chair: H.A Prof Jae-hoon Jung		
9:20 – 9:40	A Prof Dong Bae Lee (The University of Queensland, Australia)	
9:40 – 10:00	Ms Sheuli Fateha (University of Dhaka, Bangladesh)	
10:00 – 10:20	Dr Chandeka Klot (Royal University of Phnom Penh, Cambodia)	
10:20 – 10:30	Q&A Session (10 Minutes)	
10:30 – 10:50	**BREAK**	
Session 2 – Chair: A Prof Dong Bae Lee		
10:50 – 11:10	Mr Ahtisham Hussain (National University of Modern Languages, Pakistan)	
11:10 – 11:30	Mr Naushad Alam (The English & Foreign Languages University, India)	
11:30 – 11:50	Dr Pham Thi Ngoc & Ms Ba Thi Nga (Hanoi University, Vietnam)	
11:50 – 12:10	Ms Chidchanok Yomjinda (Chiang Rai Rajabhat University, Thailand)	
12:10 – 12:20	Q&A Session (10 Minutes)	

12:20 – 13:20	**LUNCH**
Session 3 – Chair: Dr Min Jung Jee	
13:20 – 13:40	Ms Hasmik Tshagharyan (Yerevan State University, Armenia)
13:40 – 14:00	A Prof Yoshihiro Ogata (Fukuoka University, Japan)
14:00 – 14:20	Ms Tamta Abuladze (Ilia State University, Georgia)
14:20 – 14:40	A Prof Andrew Jackson (Monash University, Australia)
14:40 – 14:50	Q&A Session (10 Minutes)
14:50 – 15:10	**BREAK**
Session 4 – Chair: Dr Narah Lee	
15:10 – 15:30	Dr Nguyen Thi Phuong Mai (Vietnam National University, Vietnam)
15:30 – 15:50	Prof Haiying Li (Ocean University of China, China)
15:50 – 16:10	A Prof Jo Elfving-Hwang (Curtin University, Australia)
16:10 – 16:30	A Prof Changzoo Song (The University of Auckland, New Zealand)
16:30 – 16:40	Q&A Session (10 Minutes)
16:40 – 17:10	Academy of Korean Studies (AKS) Presentation
17:10 –	**Closing + DINNER**