



YONSEI UNIVERSITY Course Search Guide

Seoul Arts and Science Program

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All CIEE Seoul AS participants must complete their CIEE Course Selection task *and* register for courses through Yonsei University online. In advance of the official Yonsei University course registration period, you can browse for courses and syllabi on [Yonsei University's Portal](#). You do not need a login/password to browse, but you will be given student login details for official registration.

Students are welcome to browse at any time but **Yonsei University only updates its course offerings about one month prior to the semester start**. By browsing in advance, you can see the current semester or the prior spring/fall semester to get a sense of typical offerings. Of course, there is **no guarantee** that the same courses will be available during your semester. For those students needing course pre-approval from their home schools, CIEE recommends creating a list from what you find on the portal currently, and seeking home school approval for *more courses than you'll actually need* as back up, just in case all courses on your wish list aren't offered during your semester.

CIEE MINIMUM COURSE AND CREDIT REQUIREMENTS:

- You are required to take a minimum of 15 credits and may take up to 18 credits.
- Of those credits, at least one must be a 3-credit course related specifically to Korean Studies.
 - Examples include Korean language, Korean History, Korean Economics, Korean Cinema.
 - The CIEE Intercultural Communication and Leadership course can also satisfy this requirement. Please see below for further details.
- CIEE participants **cannot** take Pass/Fail courses.

IMPORTANT NOTES

1. WHEN WILL I BE ABLE TO SEE THE COURSES AVAILABLE FOR MY STUDY ABROAD SEMESTER(S)?

- a. Yonsei University's online course catalogue is updated in mid-to-late December with Spring semester courses, and in mid-to-late June/early July with Fall semester courses.
 - i. Yonsei's online course catalogue refers to Spring semester as 'First Semester' and Fall as 'Second Semester,' since the Korean academic calendar is opposite of the American.
 - ii. Most courses are only offered once an academic year (i.e. each Spring or each Fall semester); it is less likely that a course would be offered in back-to-back semesters.

2. WHAT COURSES CAN I TAKE?

- a. Yonsei offers nearly 1,000 courses taught in English and many of them are open to CIEE students in all departments EXCEPT **medicine, nursing, law, music**, and courses at the remote **International Songdo Campus** (reference code © in the course catalogue.)
- b. You can also take courses designed for exchange/visiting students offered through the **Office of International Affairs** (course code IEE), and some courses



offered through the **Underwood International College** (UIC), though priority is given to students who are fully enrolled at UIC.

3. I NEED TO TAKE **BUSINESS CLASSES; ARE THEY COMPETITIVE?**

- a. Yes! Due to the high demand for business courses, those offered by the **School of Business** (course code BIZ) may be open to international students, but only to *Business Majors* (as designated in your Yonsei University online application). However, there are other business-related courses offered by the **College of Commerce and Economics** as well as the **Office of International Affairs**, which are available to ALL incoming exchange and visiting students without restrictions.

4. I NEED TO TAKE **SCIENCE CLASSES; ARE THEY AVAILABLE?**

- a. There are many science courses available. However, students are advised not to consider taking lower level (general and introductory) science courses because they tend to have a lab taught by a non-English-speaking TA and/or taught at a different campus and thus not open to CIEE students. There are many upper level science courses to choose from without labs. Be sure to check the syllabi for prerequisites.

5. WHAT ARE MY OPTIONS FOR KOREAN LANGUAGE CLASSES?

- a. CIEE participants can **elect** to take a Korean language course. There are two to choose from: a **6-credit intensive course** offered through the Korean Language Institute (course code: KLI) and a **3-credit less intensive course** offered through the Office of International Affairs (course code: IEE). The following describes the 2 courses:
 - i. **6-credit KLI course:** Unlike other classes, it meets every day, Monday through Friday, 4 pm - 6 pm (periods 8 & 9), it is taught in Korean, and it carries 6 credits. Depending on the level, classes emphasize grammar, speaking and listening skills, basic writing skills, listening comprehension, and composition. Note: Beginning Korean language is 'KLI1001 Intensive Korean Language (Level 1)' and Advanced Korean language is 'KLI1006 Intensive Korean Language (Level 6)'. Students should register for whatever level they think they are and then, after taking the Language Placement Exam on the first day of classes, adjust their course in the Portal during the Drop/add period during the first week of classes. If a student enrolls in this class, they should be committed to attending class every day.
 - ii. **3-credit course (IEE3341):** The class meets twice a week and is taught in English. It emphasizes the development of basic communication skills.

6. CAN I TAKE COURSES INSTRUCTED IN KOREAN?

- a. Students with near-native Korean language skills may be able to take content courses taught in Korean. This requires proficiency in speaking and listening as well as being reading and writing literate. Depending on the course, you may also be required to have some knowledge of Chinese characters. To be successful, one must have a comprehension of university-level Korean. Non-native speakers of Korean should consult with the course professor on the first day of class to determine whether their Korean level is sufficient to keep up with the course.

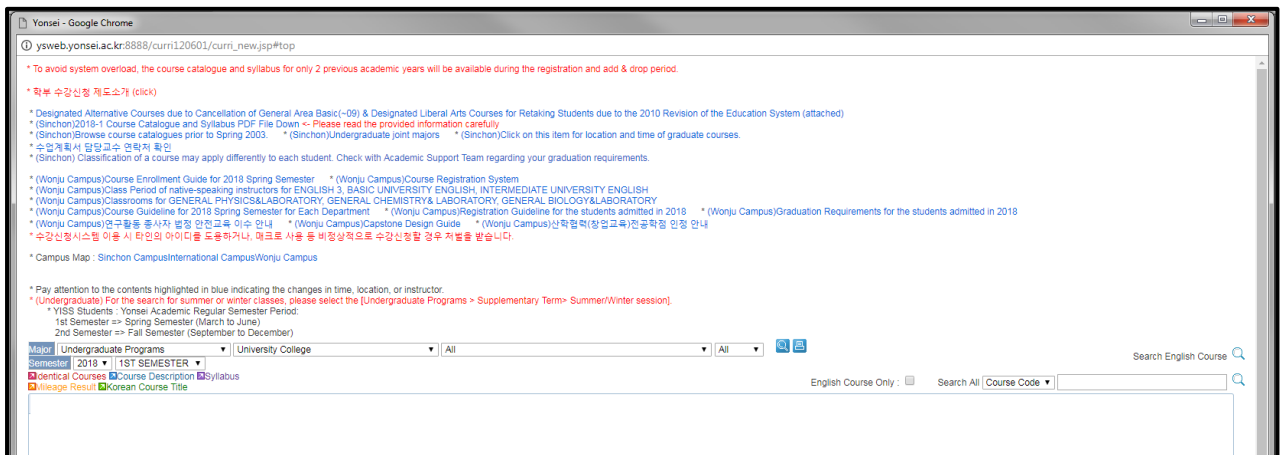
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LET'S GET STARTED!

1. I AM READY TO SEARCH FOR COURSES; WHERE DO I START?

- a. Access the Yonsei University portal and course catalogue using **INTERNET EXPLORER** here: <http://portal.yonsei.ac.kr/main/indexe.jsp>
- b. Click “Course Catalogue and Syllabus: Undergraduate & Graduate”.
- c. The actual portal will be a pop-up window (make sure pop-ups are allowed in your browser!). *If necessary, move the screen all the way to the right using the bottom scroll bar.* You should be able to see the words “Search All” with a box that says “Course Code”; and, to the far right the words “Search English Course” with a small magnifying glass. It will look something like the following:



- d. Make sure the Semester fields on the left side of the page say the year and semester for which you are searching courses.
 - i. Remember that this *may* be a previous year depending on how far in advance you are searching for courses; see **IMPORTANT NOTE 1** above.
 - ii. Remember that “1st semester” is Spring and “2nd semester” is fall; see **IMPORTANT NOTE 1** above.

2. HOW DO I FIND COURSES THAT APPLY TO ME? (THERE ARE TWO WAYS):

- a. Click on the small magnifying glass by the words “Search English Course” and all the courses taught in English will appear. The page will look like this:

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 ysweb.yonsei.ac.kr:8888/curri120601/curri_new.jsp#top

* Pay attention to the contents highlighted in blue indicating the changes in time, location, or instructor.
 * (Undergraduate) For the search for summer or winter classes, please select the [Undergraduate Programs > Supplementary Term> Summer/Winter session].
 * YSS Students - Yonsei Academic Regular Semester Period.
 1st Semester => Spring Semester (March to June)
 2nd Semester => Fall Semester (September to December)

Major: Undergraduate Programs | University College | All | Search English Course

Semester: 2018 | 1ST SEMESTER

Identical Courses | Course Description | Syllabus | Manage Result | Korean Course Title

English Course Only: Search All Course Code

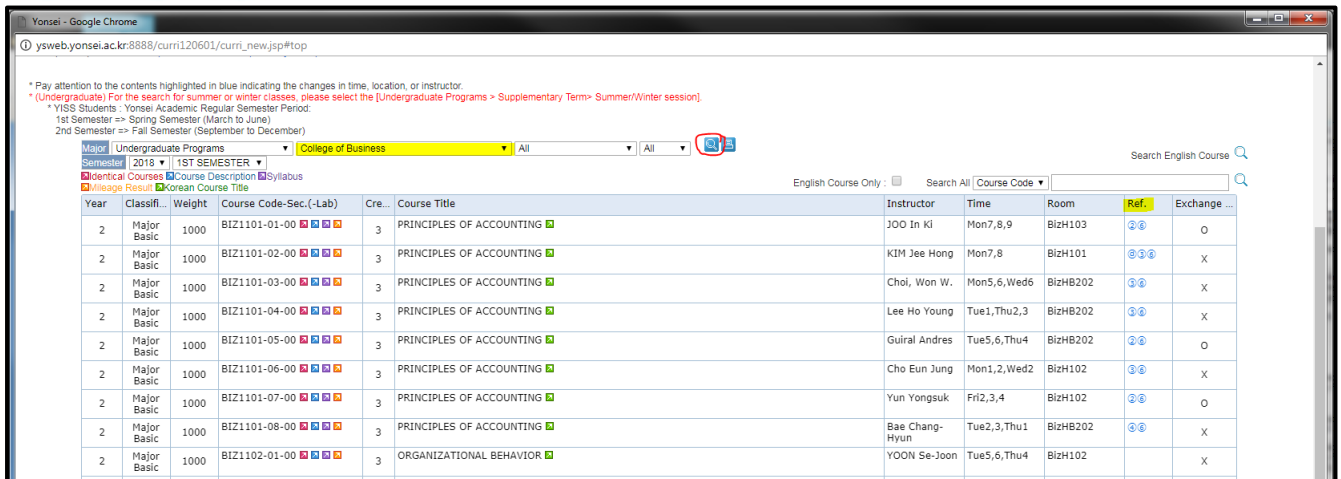
Semester	Major	Year	Classifi.	Weight	Course Code-Sec. (-Lab)	Cre...	Course Title	Instructor	Time	Room	Ref.	Exchange ...
20181	Korean Language and Literature	3,4	Major Elective	3000	KOR3529-01-00	3	KOREAN LITERATURE AND HISTORY	Yoo Theodore Jun	Tue1,Thu2,3	WDH211	②	o
20181	English Language and Literature	2	Major Requisite	2000	ELL2001-01-00	3	ENGLISH WRITING(1)	Kilpatrick-Lee Linda	Tue1,Thu2,3	OSH106	②	o
20181	English Language and Literature	2	Major Requisite	2000	ELL2001-02-00	3	ENGLISH WRITING(1)	Kilpatrick-Lee Linda	Mon5,6,Wed6	OSH106	②	o
20181	English Language and Literature	2	Major Requisite	2000	ELL2001-03-00	3	ENGLISH WRITING(1)	Lee Tae-hee	Tue5,6,Thu4	WDH203	②	o
20181	English Language and Literature	2	Major Requisite	2000	ELL2002-01-00	3	SPEECH AND DEBATE	PANG PEARL KIM	Mon5,6,Wed6	WDH212	②	o
20181	English Language and Literature	2	Major Requisite	2000	ELL2002-02-00	3	SPEECH AND DEBATE	Kilpatrick-Lee Linda	Mon3,4,Wed4	OSH106	②	o
20181	English Language and Literature	2	Major Requisite	2000	ELL2002-03-00	3	SPEECH AND DEBATE	Kilpatrick-Lee Linda	Tue5,6,Thu4	OSH106	②	o
20181	English Language and Literature	2	Major Requisite	2000	ELL2002-04-00	3	SPEECH AND DEBATE	Lee Tae-hee	Wed1,Thu2	WDH215	②	o
20181	English Language and Literature	2	Major Requisite	2000	ELL2003-01-00	3	ENGLISH WRITING(2)	HELLBERG DUSTIN CHARLES	Mon1,2,Wed2	WDH212	②	o
20181	English Language and Literature	2	Major Requisite	2000	ELL2003-02-00	3	ENGLISH WRITING(2)	HELLBERG DUSTIN CHARLES	Wed1,Fri1,2	WDH212	②	o
20181	English Language and Literature	2	Major Requisite	2000	ELL2003-03-00	3	ENGLISH WRITING(2)	Kilpatrick-Lee Linda	Tue2,3,Thu1	OSH106	②	o
20181	English Language and Literature	1	Major Requisite	2000	ELL2101-01-00	3	INTRODUCTION TO ENGLISH LINGUISTICS	Lee Eun-Kyung	Tue4,Thu5,6	WDH215	②③	o
20181	English Language and Literature	1	Major Requisite	2000	ELL2501-02-00	3	INTRODUCTION TO ENGLISH LITERATURE	Park Hyungji	Mon2,3,4	IVHA401	②③④	o
20181	English Language and Literature	2	Major Elective	2000	ELL2502-01-00	3	SURVEY OF AMERICAN LITERATURE	Moon Sahng Young	Tue8,9,Thu7	WDH212	②	o
20181	English Language and Literature	2	Major Elective	2000	ELL2902-01-00	3	INTRODUCTION TO INTERPRETING AND TRANSLATION	Jeon Sion	Tue1,Thu2,3	WDH212	②	o

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③ - Native Lecture, ① - supplementary video lectures, ② - Course Taught in English, ④ - Graded on P/NP basis, ⑤ - Offered at the International Campus, ⑥ - FLIPPED CLASSROOM

- i. Use the arrows at the bottom of the page by “1-15 of xx” to see more courses.
 - ii. **NOTE:** The small purple arrow beside the course title is the link to the **syllabus**. The syllabi often contain course descriptions and comments about **prerequisites** and **requirements**. Be sure to check for any prerequisites (i.e. having junior or senior standing, pre-requisite course requirements, having a certain major, etc.)
 - iii. **NOTE:** All courses taught in English have the reference code ②.
- b. Choose a college by opening the drop-down menu that is defaulted to “UNIVERSITY COLLEGE”. You should see options such as “College of Business” and “College of Liberal Arts.” Select your college of choice and click the magnifying glass. Be sure to filter through the “Ref.” column for courses marked with reference code ②:

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- i. **NOTE:** “Study Abroad Course” is where many courses open to international students are located. You can also type “IEE” in the course code field for courses offered by the Office of International Affairs.
 - 1. For some colleges, (for example, “College of Engineering,”) you can find more choices by using the drop down menu rather than the “Course Code” search field.
- ii. **NOTE:** In the drop down menu, **do not choose** “International Campus”, “Exchange Course,” and “International Education and Exchange.” These are not available to CIEE students at the Seoul campus.

3. HOW DO I READ THE YONSEI CLASS TIME PERIOD IN THE PORTAL?

- a. If the portal lists a course as meeting **M1,2, T1**, it means the course meets every Monday **09 AM to 11 AM**, and **Tuesday 09 AM to 10 AM**. **If a course is listed as meeting M1, 2 (T1)**, it means the course meets every Monday **09 AM to 11 AM**, and it has a lab on **Tuesday 09 AM to 10 AM**; **the parenthesis indicate a lab**. Please refer to the time table below, and note it is in [military time](#).

[M: Monday, T: Tuesday, W: Wednesday, Th: Thursday, F: Friday]

Days	Time Period	Real Class Time
Mon to Fri	1	0900-0950
	2	1000-1050
	3	1100-1150
	4	1200-1250
	5	1300-1350
	6	1400-1450
	7	1500-1550
	8	1600-1650
	9	1700-1750
	10	1800-1850

4. HOW DO I KNOW WHERE THE CLASSES ARE LOCATED?

- a. Here is a [campus map](#); remember you are studying on the Sinchon (Seoul) campus.
- b. Here is an abbreviation guide for Yonsei classrooms:

Abbr.	Building Name English with Bldg # / Korean Name of the Bldg.		Associated College
APZH	Appenzeller Hall, #40	아펜젤러관	Old Theology Hall
BilHall	Billingsley Hall, #45	빌링슬리관	Graduate School of Journalism and Mass Communication
BYH	Baekyang Hall, #29	백양관	University College
Chong	General Classroom Bldg, #35	종합교실단	Graduate School of Education
DWHA	Daewoo Hall(Annex), #47	상경대학(별관)	College of Business and Economics Auditorium (Gak-dang-heon) Located
DWHM	Daewoo Hall(Main Bldg), #46	상경대학(본관)	
EngHA	Engineering Hall I, #3	공학관(구관)	College of Engineering Engineering Hall Auditorium Located
EngHB	Engineering Hall II, #4	제 2 공학관	
EngHC	Engineering Hall III, #5	제 3 공학관	
ERC	Engineering Research Center, #2	공학원	Service Center Located
GBH	Gwangbok Hall, #27	광복관	College of Law
Gym	Gymnasium, #18	체육관	
Med	College of Medicine, #100	의대	College of Medicine
MnAud	Main Auditorium, #78	대강당	
MusO	College of Music (Old), #79	음악관(구관)	College of Music
MusN	College of Music (New), #80	음악관(신관)	
NMH	New Millennium Hall, #61	새천년관	Underwood International College Office, Graduate School of International Studies Office
Nur	College of Nursing, #86	간호대학	College of Nursing
OSH	Oesol Hall, #34	외술관	College of Liberal Arts (Old)
PEC	Physical Education Center, #17	체육교육관	Physical Education/Sports & Leisure Studies Department - Swimming Pool Located
SciH	Science Hall, #16	과학관	College of Sciences
SRC	Science Research Center, #15	과학원	College of Sciences
SSH	Samsung Hall, #25	삼성관	College of Human Ecology
TheoH	Theology Hall, #33	신학관	College of Theology, Underwood International College
WDH	Widang Hall, #36	위당관	College of Liberal Arts
YHH	Yeonhui Hall, #43	연희관	College of Social Sciences
YJH	Yongjae Hall, #77	용재관	College of Sciences in Education - Weight Training Room Located
무용실	Physical Education Center, #17	체육교육관	Physical Education/Sports & Leisure Studies Department - Swimming Pool Located



수영장 & 체조장	Physical Education Center, #17	체육교육관	Physical Education/Sports & Leisure Studies Department - Swimming Pool Located
우유처리장	Drawing Classroom, #50	Maintenance Bldg.	Drawing Classroom

5. WHAT IS THE ICL COURSE OFFERED THROUGH CIEE? HOW DO I REGISTER FOR IT?

- a. The Intercultural Communication and Leadership (ICL) course can be used to satisfy the CIEE program's Korean related course requirement.
 - i. **NOTE: This is NOT a Yonsei University course, and is NOT registered for during Yonsei Course Registration.** You must pre-register with CIEE for this course prior to departure. There is a Course Selection task on your [CIEE My Account](#) To Do List, which correlates with the **COURSE INFORMATION READING** found on your account, too. The deadline to complete the Course Selection Task is in the **COURSE INFORMATION READING**. The Course Selection task requires you to select one of two options: Either to register for the 3-credit COMM 3301 KSEO - Intercultural Communication and Leadership course taught by the CIEE Program Coordinator OR 'Opt Out, Seoul – None of the Courses Above.'
 - ii. The Intercultural Communication and Leadership (ICL) course develops students' skills, knowledge, and understanding that will help them communicate and engage more appropriately and effectively in Korea as well as in other intercultural contexts. Students will explore various topics in intercultural communication in the context of their experience abroad, and will practice intercultural learning processes that they can apply when working across difference in a wide variety of contexts. Participants will increase their own cultural self-awareness and develop personal leadership skills to help them become more effective in an interdependent world. Learning will involve in-class exercises, active reflection, discussion, readings, field reports, short lectures, and out-of-class activities that engage students in the local culture on a deeper level. At the end of the course, each successful participant will receive a **CIEE CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT IN INTERCULTURAL EDUCATION (CAIE)**. Listing this certificate on your resume will help differentiate you from other candidates during future job interviews. There are no pre-requisites; all you need is an interest in international culture, intercultural communications, and Korean culture and society.