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UNIVERSITY PRESIDENTS' FORUM

**5. 8 WED - 5. 9 THU, 2024**  
**THE WESTIN JOSUN SEOUL**



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# Greetings

Dear University Presidents of Korea and Japan

Korean Council for University Education (KCUE) and the Korea Foundation (KF) are pleased to jointly host the Korea-Japan University Presidents' Forum in May, a month of beauty and blooming flowers.

The goal of this forum is to foster engaging discussions and strengthen the network among university presidents – sources of soft power – to establish a future-oriented bilateral relationship and promote exchange between future generations. It will also bring together members of the Federation of Korean Industries (FKI) and the Keidanren to engage in macro-level discourses on industry-academia cooperation and fostering young talent from the perspective of industry leaders.

We are pleased to invite you to participate in this meaningful event, where we believe you will provide a valuable contribution to the higher education landscape in Korea and Japan, and offer unique insights into the future with real-world examples. We also look forward to hearing your thoughts on fostering international exchanges in higher education between the two countries during the forum's in-depth discussions, which will place a special focus on youth exchange opportunities.

Your participation will be greatly appreciated and will contribute to vibrant youth exchanges between Korea and Japan, which are expected to lead to a forward-looking relationship that builds on mutual understanding and cooperation.

We look forward to seeing you at this wonderful occasion.

**April 2024**

**Yours truly,**

**Park Sang-Gue**  
Chairman of Korean Council  
for University Education

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**Kim Gheewhan**  
President of  
the Korea Foundation

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# Program

Date	Time	Event/Speaker
5.8	17:30~20:00	<b>Welcome Reception</b>
	09:40~10:20	<p><b>Opening Remarks</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Park Sang-Gue</b> Chairman of KCUE · President of Chung-Ang University</li> <li>● <b>Rhee Jongkook</b> Executive Vice President of The Korea Foundation</li> </ul> <p><b>Greetings</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Minato Nagahiro</b> Chairperson of Japan Committee of Universities for International Exchange · President of Kyoto University</li> </ul> <p><b>Congratulatory Remarks</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Lee Juho</b> Deputy Prime Minister · Minister of Education</li> <li>● <b>Mibae Taisuke</b> Minister, Deputy Chief of Mission, Embassy of Japan in Korea</li> <li>● <b>Kim Chang Beom</b> Vice Chairman&amp;CEO, The Federation of Korean Industries</li> <li>● <b>Chang Jekuk</b> Former Chairman of KCUE · President of Dongseo University</li> </ul>
	10:20~11:20	<p><b>Keynote Speech</b> <b>Developing Highly Specialized Talent for in the era of the 4th Industrial Revolution (including STEM fields)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Kim Heon Young</b> President, Kangwon National University</li> <li>● <b>Houkin Kiyohiro</b> President, Hokkaido University</li> </ul>
	11:30~13:00	<b>Luncheon</b>
	13:00~14:20	<p><b>Session 1 The Role of Universities as National Soft Power</b></p> <p><b>Moderator</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Nasu Yasutomo</b> President, Okayama University</li> </ul> <p><b>Presenters</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Tanioka Ichiro</b> Chancellor, Tanioka Gakuen Educational Foundation President, Osaka University of Commerce</li> <li>● <b>Jung Sungtaek</b> President, Chonnam National University</li> </ul> <p><b>Discussants</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Byun Chang-Hoon</b> President, Daegu Hanny University</li> <li>● <b>Sameshima Hiroshi</b> President, University of Miyazaki</li> <li>● <b>Lee Jangho</b> President, Kunsan National University</li> <li>● <b>Yoneyama Hiroshi</b> President, Ritsumeikan Asia Pacific University</li> </ul>
5.9		<b>&lt;Featured Session : Federation of Korean Industries – Keidanren&gt;</b>
	14:20~15:40	<p><b>Session 2 Industry-University Partnership focusing on Joint Research(R&amp;D), Human Resource Development</b></p> <p><b>Moderator</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Hong Wonhwa</b> President, Kyungpook National University</li> </ul> <p><b>Presenters</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Lee Jin-Sook</b> President of the National Committee on Industry-Academia-Research Cooperation · 19<sup>th</sup> President of Chungnam National University</li> <li>● <b>Yoshimura Takashi</b> Director, The 21st Century Public Policy Institute, Keidanren</li> </ul> <p><b>Discussants</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Oh Junghoon</b> CEO, HYUNDAI NGV</li> <li>● <b>Koike Asako</b> Corporate Officer, Hitachi General Manager, Technology Strategy Office, R&amp;D Group</li> <li>● <b>Park Chansun</b> President, TXINNO Bioscience</li> <li>● <b>Tani Akito</b> Senior Executive Officer, JX Metals Corporation</li> </ul>
	15:40~16:00	<b>Coffee Break &amp; Networking</b>
	16:00~17:20	<p><b>Session 3 Suggestions for Promoting International Students Exchange in Higher Education between Two Countries</b></p> <p><b>Moderator</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Chang Jekuk</b> President, Dongseo University</li> </ul> <p><b>Presenters</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Lee Ki Jeong</b> President, Hanyang University</li> <li>● <b>Otani Hiroki</b> President, Shimane University</li> </ul> <p><b>Discussants</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Kwak Ho Sang</b> President, Kumoh National Institute of Technology</li> <li>● <b>Kato Atsuko</b> President, The Public University Corporation, Tsuru University</li> <li>● <b>Lee Yong-Sang</b> Vice-president of Industry Academy Cooperation, Woosong University</li> <li>● <b>Kato-Otani Eiko</b> President, Osaka Jogakuin University</li> </ul>
	17:30~19:30	<b>Dinner</b>





# Direction



## Date

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## Location

Orchid Room(2F), The Westin Josun  
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## Transportation

Date	Meeting Point	Departure time of bus
5.8(wed)	GATE 3 / 1F Arrival Hall, Gimpo International Airport	① 12:30
		② 15:00
5.10(fri)	Lobby(1F), The Westin Josun	① 09:00
		② 10:00
		③ 12:00



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