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APPLICATION FORM

Applicants are requested to submit a completed application packet, including the application form and supporting documentation, **by August 1, 2011** (postmarked) to:

Yong Jin Choi, Vice President
KOREAN STUDIES PROGRAM

The Korea Society
Eighth Floor
950 Third Avenue
New York, NY 10022

PERSONAL DATA (PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE)

NAME _____ DOB ____/____/____ SEX _____

ADDRESS _____ CITY/STATE/ZIP _____

HOME TEL. (____) _____ - _____ WORK TEL. (____) _____ - _____ FAX (____) _____ - _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS _____

PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND

CURRENT POSITION _____ NO. OF YEARS IN PROFESSION _____

SCHOOL/ORGANIZATION _____

ADDRESS _____ CITY/STATE/ZIP _____

*LIST YOUR DUTIES, INCLUDING TITLES OF COURSES YOU TEACH, EXTRA DUTIES
(E.G., TEXTBOOK WRITING OR EDITING, WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS, SERVICE AS A MENTOR TEACHER), ETC., AS APPLICABLE:*

REQUIRED SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION

All application materials must be typed and submitted in ONE envelope. The Korea Society is not responsible for materials sent separately.

- 1 Current resumé
- 2 One page statement outlining how you intend to use what you learn during the program in your future work
- 3 A reference report by your immediate supervisor (Use the provided form and submit it in a sealed envelope together with the other application materials.)

SIGNATURE _____ DATE ____/____/____

Return to: Ms. Yong Jin Choi, The Korea Society, Eight Floor, 950 Third Avenue, New York, NY 10022



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The Korea Society is pleased to announce its 16th annual Fall Fellowship in Korean Studies program to be held in Korea over the 12-day period of October 13-24, 2011 in collaboration with the Academy of Korean Studies and with the support of a grant from the Freeman Foundation. The objective of the program is to provide a general overview of Korea, past and present. All the expenses of the participants will be covered, including round-trip international airfare, accommodations and meals.

ELIGIBILITY

Applications are invited from American educators who are professionally engaged as textbook writers and editors, and East Asia specialists in higher education who would like to include Korea in their teaching, research or writing. Priority consideration will be given to applicants who are planning to author textbooks on world history or Asian history, those who contribute articles to reference works and those who will be editors of such works.

ACTIVITIES

The program will begin in Seoul with three days of lectures and fieldtrips and continue with a seven-day docent-led tour to major points of interest throughout the southern part of the Korean peninsula. The lectures will be delivered by prominent scholars from leading Korean universities on topics such as language, art, architecture, literature, economics and the politics of a divided country. The field trips during this initial phase of the program will take participants to places of historical and cultural significance in the Seoul area, including royal palaces, the royal ancestral shrine, museums and historical districts. In the second phase of the program, the participants will travel to various points of interest throughout the southern part of the Korean peninsula on an extended docent tour.

Dr. Mark Peterson of Brigham Young University, a distinguished expert on Korean history and culture, will accompany the participants throughout the entire program. He will lecture informally on topics related to Korean history, society and literature as well as the impact of Shamanism, Buddhism, Confucianism, and Christianity on the Korean people.

REFERENCE REPORT THE KOREA SOCIETY FALL FELLOWSHIP IN KOREAN STUDIES

NAME OF APPLICANT _____

I am aware of my rights under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 to have access to letters of recommendation written on my behalf.

- It is my desire that this letter be written in confidence, and I, therefore, wish to waive my rights of access to this letter.
- I wish to retain my rights of access.

APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE _____ DATE ____/____/____

TO THE REFEREE:

How long and in what capacity have you known the applicant? Please evaluate the applicant's suitability for a program of intensive study in Korea (see program description). We would appreciate your candid assessment of the applicant's overall professional competence, accomplishments, creativity, special talents, physical and emotional strength. Please rate the applicant's effectiveness with students, creativity in the classroom and ability to communicate in a professional manner in comparison with other individuals you have known at a similar state in their career. In what ways has the applicant demonstrated commitment to the advancement of global education and cross-cultural understanding? How has the applicant demonstrated an ability to adapt to unfamiliar conditions?

Upon completion, please return this form to the applicant in a sealed envelope unless applicant has retained his or her right of access. (Additional comments may be submitted on a separate sheet of paper.)

NAME OF REFEREE _____ RELATIONSHIP TO APPLICANT _____

NAME OF INSTITUTION _____ POSITION/TITLE _____

SIGNATURE OF REFEREE _____ DATE ____/____/____