



ASIAN ECONOMIES - A COMPARATIVE ANALYSIS OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

SEOUL, SOUTH KOREA

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2 WEEKS ABROAD, 2 WEEKS ON CAMPUS

JSU PASSPORT TO THE WORLD
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ACADEMIC OVERVIEW

Students will be introduced to the economic systems of several Asian countries, and will learn about the influences of the respective political systems, government structures, banking and finance practices, and manufacturing and/or service sectors, on shaping the economic development of each nation. Other thought-provoking topics such as income distribution and poverty, race, religion and culture, education, immigration and foreign relations are among topics discussed. The program supplements a very interactive classroom structure with several guided site visits.

ABOUT THE CITY

Situated on the Han River, densely populated Seoul is the capital and largest city in South Korea. This vibrant business and financial hub and cultural center is home to more than 100 museums, numerous religious monuments, parks and surrounding mountains, markets, festivals, sports teams, and tourist attractions including the Gyeongbok and Changdeok palaces. And that's just the start.

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Passport to the World takes place during the first summer term at JSU. Two weeks are spent on campus and two weeks abroad. CIEE will organize a 15 day, 14 night program abroad, providing academic, logistical, and emergency support. Faculty members from Jackson State University will lead the program, including providing all instruction.

Classroom lessons will be supplemented by guest lectures on the economic development and history of South Korea as well as government policies, international trade and international relations of South Korea. Co-curricular and cultural activities such as a city tour, visits to major companies like Samsung and Kia as well as small businesses, the Korean War Museum and Women's Human Rights Museum, a day-trip to the Korean Demilitarized Zone (DMZ), explorations of local neighborhoods including a cooking class and fan-making and also a concert and traditional Nanta performance will allow students to examine and develop an awareness of both their course topics and the cultural influences of a region with some of the world's largest economies.

PROGRAM COST

\$2,975per participant

- Tuition: 6 credit hours
- Accommodations
- All meals (in country)
- Transportation (in country)
- Excursions, admission fees, cultural experiences, etc
- iNext Comprehensive Travel Insurance
- 24/7 Emergency Assistance

**Financial aid can be applied to the program cost; airfare not included.*

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