

Landmark Scholarship Program

• Academic Level	Postgraduate (master's and doctoral degree programs)
• Duration of Study	4 semesters for master's degree program and 6 semesters for doctoral degree program
• Coverage	Airfare, tuition, settlement allowance, living allowance, language training, textbook, medical insurance, academic conference allowance and others

► Overview

The Landmark Scholarship Program was established in 2015 under the Landmark Program. The Secretariat offers scholarships to a select number of outstanding recipients each year. When the applicants apply for the Program, they can only apply to study at our partner universities, which are announced every year.

Our partner universities in the Republic of Korea (ROK) include: Chungbuk National University, Chungnam National University, Dongguk University, Kangwon National University, Kongju National University, Kookmin University, Seoul National University, University of Seoul, and Yeungnam University.

► Objective

The Landmark Scholarship Program aims to promote capacity building in the forestry sector in ASEAN Member States (AMS) by providing opportunities for higher education in forestry-related fields in the ROK for applicants from AMS. We are committed to ensuring that our scholarship recipients receive the support that they need to excel in their respective fields.

► Application Criteria

Scholarship applicants must:

- be a government official/staff in the field of forestry in AMS.
- be in good health to stay in the ROK for an extended period of time.
Handicapped or disabled applicants who satisfy the requirements are eligible to apply for the Program.
- have a Grade Point Average (GPA) of at least 80 on a 100-point scale.
- meet the admission requirements for language proficiency set by the universities open for application.



Signing of MOU with Chungbuk National University (9 July 2015)



2016 Scholarship Award Ceremony (17 June 2016)



► Beneficiaries of the Landmark Scholarship Program



• Neab Keng (Cambodia)

Yeungnam University, Graduated 2015 Landmark Scholarship Recipient (MSc)

"I am proud to be one of the pioneer batches of Landmark Scholarship Recipients and I am grateful to be given the opportunity to study Forest Resources and Ecological Restoration in Korea. I hope to collaborate more with other researchers and share my knowledge with other organizations in the future."



• Vo Trung Kien (Viet Nam)

Yeungnam University, Graduated 2015 Landmark Scholarship Recipient (MSc)

"Studying in a technologically and economically advanced country has been my dream ever since I decided to pursue a postgraduate degree. The Landmark Scholarship Program has given me the opportunity to pursue a master's degree in Korea – one of the most developed countries in the world. I will keep working hard until I achieve my career goals and contribute to the forestry sector in Viet Nam."



• Muhammad Sulaeman (Indonesia)

University of Seoul, 2015 Landmark Scholarship Recipient (PhD candidate)

"The Landmark Scholarship Program is a valuable opportunity for me to develop myself in the fields of forestry and environmental science, and also achieve personal growth. I hope that the knowledge and skills that I learned from my doctoral studies in Korea can be applied in Indonesia."



• Nhem Sareth (Cambodia)

Kongju National University, 2016 Landmark Scholarship Recipient (PhD candidate)

"The Landmark Scholarship Program benefits my professional career and provides support for international opportunities to share about my research with others. I have been inspired by my supervising professor, who works very hard and gives plenty of advice to enable us to better utilize the knowledge and skills we have learnt."



• Somsanouk Pathammavongsa (Lao PDR)

Kangwon National University, 2016 Landmark Scholarship Recipient (MSc candidate)

"Korea is renowned for its expertise in forest rehabilitation and I hope that I will gain more knowledge and experiences on sustainable forest development. As my work mainly involves forest plantation promotion and restoration, I hope to apply Korea's forest management techniques in Lao PDR and share my experiences with others."



• Thant Sin Aung (Myanmar)

Chungbuk National University, 2016 Landmark Scholarship Recipient (MSc candidate)

"It is a great pleasure to be selected as one of the 2016 Landmark Scholarship Recipients. I am eager to acquire more forestry-related knowledge at my university, which can be applied to improve the forestry sector in my country. I believe that this Program can contribute to establishing Southeast Asia as a model for a greener Asia."

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