

Application for the STaKE Study Abroad Program

Name:

Student ID:

Date of Birth:

Please check one: Male () Female ()

Address:

Home Phone:

Cell Phone:

Email Address:

Please provide your area of study and submit your GPA:

Junior () Senior () Graduate () GPA ()

Please provide your major or your area of study and submit the application with a letter of interest and two letters of recommendation to:

Dr. Kyu Young Park
Director, Asian Programs
Academic Development
Northeastern Illinois University
5500 St. Louis Ave.
C-520, Chicago, IL 60625.

Interviews of candidates will be held.

The application deadline is Dec. 22, 2008



Information & Orientation Sessions (Required for all Participants)

Dates: You will be notified upon acceptance to the program

Location: You will be notified upon acceptance to the program

Tentative Departure Date for
Seoul, Korea: March 1, 2009

For questions, contact
Dr. Kyu Young Park at
773-442-5447 or
K-Park@neiu.edu



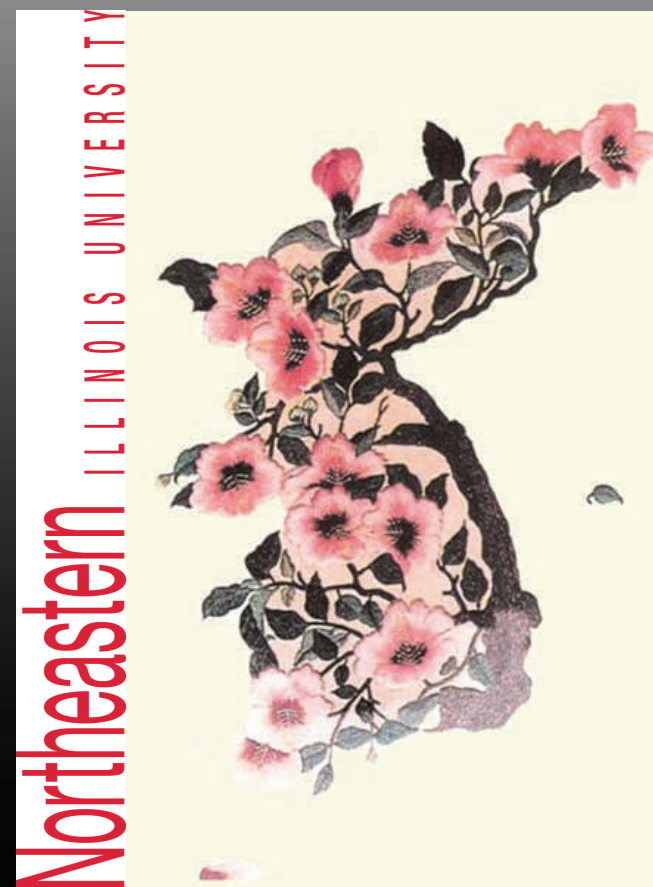
Spring 2009
(March – July 2009)

The STaKE Program

Student Teaching
and Korean Experience

Northeastern Illinois University's
Study Abroad Program

In association with the
Office of International Programs



What is the STaKE Program?

Student Teaching and Korean Experience

NEIU is partnering with the Chungnam Office of Education in South Korea to provide our students with the opportunity to study abroad and have a practical learning experience for five months by working with Korean students and teachers.

Students participating in the program will work closely with their Korean counterparts to provide knowledge and skills in various subject areas as well as introducing American culture to Korean students.

An English speaking Korean classroom teacher will mentor and support each of the NEIU participants.

Who is Eligible?

Teacher Education Majors and Linguistics/TESL majors at NEIU who have achieved senior status, have been admitted to teacher candidacy, are eligible for student teaching (passed all exams) and have a 3.0 GPA are eligible to participate.

Graduate Education, English or Linguistics majors with a 3.0 GPA are also eligible.

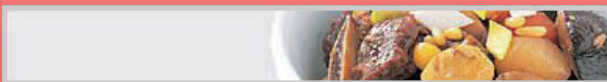
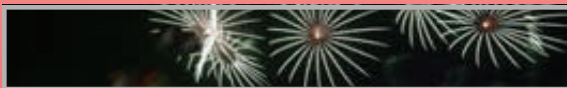
Each applicant is required to write an essay describing why he/she would be a good candidate.

What will be the Program Costs?

The Chungnam Office of Education will provide round trip airfare, room and board, visa application fees, health insurance, and a monthly stipend of \$500.

Participants will be responsible for any applicable NEIU tuition and course fees, securing a passport and providing evidence of current immunizations and medical, hospitalization, and accident insurance from the date of departure to the date of return.

Participation will also be required in one of the orientation sessions at NEIU and in Chungnam province in South Korea.



How Do I Participate?

Complete the application form for the STaKE program located in this brochure, and return it to Dr. Park by December 22, 2008.

Students should contact their department advisor to determine which classes will be needed to meet their degree program requirements. For the Linguistics/TESL students, enrollment in Clinical Experience (undergraduate) or a Linguistic Seminar (Graduate) is required. Additional credits may be taken as needed.

College of Education Students can receive up to 10 credits depending on the courses taken.

For Additional Information, please check the following websites:

The Graduate School:
<http://www.neiu.edu/~gradcoll>

The College of Education:
<http://www.neiu.edu/~edudept>

The Linguistics/TESL:
<http://www.neiu.edu/~linguist>