



## Philosopher's Square

This is an open space in front of the Central Library and is the most famous place on the Suwon Campus. People often call Suwon campus Kyung Hee Land because of this place. On the right and left side, there are two 27 meter obelisks that show the progressive spirit of Kyungheeians as it towers over the land. In the direction of the library there is a larger statue of Rodin's "The Thinker." It is 1.5 times bigger than the original one and it is absorbed in thinking looking to the five oceans and six continents. The name of this place came from this statue. Philosopher's Square is very popular with Kyungheeians and nearby neighbors as a rest area because there are fountains and wisteria benches.

Center for International Exchanges  
Kyung Hee University

1 Seocheon-dong, Giheung-gu, Yongin-si, Gyeonggi-do 446-701, Korea

Tel: 82-31-201-3177-8 / Fax: 82-31-201-3179

E-mail: intlctr@khu.ac.kr / http://www.kyunghee.edu

# Welcome to Kyung Hee University

## Guided Tour of Suwon Campus

## UN Peace Park / Global NGO Complex (GNC)

UN Peace Park symbolizes the UN spirit and is expected to be completed in 2007. It will cover around 82 acres. The GNC will be constructed on the site of the UN Peace Park and will serve as an international convention center where NGOs, international organizations, and business communities definitely can facilitate communication and dialogue for the betterment of the citizens of the world.



## Central Library

The Central Library first opened in the College of Engineering Building in 1980 when the Suwon Campus was established in the Yongin area. The current library building, one of the most monumental pieces of architecture at Kyung Hee University, was constructed in September 1994. It has an area of 22,800 square meters. The main administration offices of Kyung Hee University are located on the main and the third floors of the building. In 2004, the Central Library obtained the United Nations Depository Library Status because of which it receives all the materials published by the UN.



## UN Depository Library

There are nine UN Depository Libraries in Korea, and seven of them are in the libraries of prominent universities. The Central Library at Suwon Campus was designated an official UN Depository Library by the United Nations Publications Board in 2004. The UN Depository Libraries are mandated to place the materials received in the care of qualified library staff. In 2006, the "Workshop on Accessing UN Information and Documentation" was held under the sponsorship of the Dag Hammarskjold Library (DHL), Department of Public Information (DPI) of the United Nation (UN) and Kyung Hee University.

## Hye Jung Museum

Hye Jung Museum is Korea's first museum to specialize entirely in old maps. Hye Jung Museum was opened in May 2004, and has its origins in the Hye Jung Institute for Culture established in March 2002. The 3,300 square meter museum features some old western maps, documents and other historical records related to the Korean Peninsula from the 15th to the 20th century. The collection is composed of 900 items. The political changes taking place over the years on the peninsula are reflected in the maps' geographical boundaries and place names.



## Space Science Education Center / Astronomical Observatory

The Space Science Education Center which is located on the hill between the Graduate School of Pan-Pacific International Studies and the College of Engineering was completed in 1992. You can guess it is the Space Science Education Center when you see it from a distance. Its first floor and the basement are the exhibition halls. On the second and third floor there is the Astronomical Observatory. One can see an exhibit that shows past changes in the universe, and the evolution and the predicted future development of the human race.

## Woojungwon Dormitory

Located on the right side of the main gate and opened in 1998, Woojungwon dormitory is the nation's best facilitated and largest scale dormitory complex. 33,683 square meters in size, it can accommodate 2,000 students. Each room is furnished with a washroom with shower, beds, desks, cabinets, and a phone. Internet access is provided in each room by Korea's world best LAN system. On the first floor and in the basement, there are various facilities such as a pharmacy, book store, convenience store, laundry room, stationery, food court, etc. which make students' lives more convenient and pleasant.

