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Fall 2027 Undergraduate Admission Guidelines for International Applicants



UNIST Undergraduate Admissions Team

1. Admission Timeline

Categories	Schedule	Remarks
Online application	Dec. 2, 2026 (Wed) 9:00 - Jan. 22, 2027 (Fri) 16:00 (KST)	https://studyinkorea.go.kr/
Submission of documents	Dec. 2, 2026 (Wed) 9:00 - Jan. 22, 2027 (Fri) 16:00 (KST)	Online Submission
Evaluation	Mar. 8, 2027 (Mon) - Apr. 9, 2027 (Fri) <i>* Interview may be scheduled between Mar. 29, 2027 (Mon) - Apr. 9, 2027 (Fri).</i> <i>* Interview dates cannot be changed due to personal circumstances.</i>	
Announcement	May 7, 2027 (Fri) Expected	https://admu-intl.unist.ac.kr/ Announcement
Registration	May 7, 2027 (Fri) - May 18, 2027 (Tue)	Deposit Payment
Expected admission Date	Fall 2027	

* All times in KST (Korea Standard Time)

* The schedule above is subject to change without prior notice.

2. Admission Eligibility

- Applicants who have graduated from high school or have attained an equivalent level of education by the beginning of the Fall 2027 semester must meet one of the following criteria:
 - ▶ **For applicants with Foreign Citizenship:** Neither of the applicant's parents is a Korean citizen.
 - ▶ **For applicants with Foreign or Korean Citizenship:** The applicant must have completed his or her entire elementary, middle, and high school education outside of Korea at a level equivalent to that provided in Korea.

3. Admission Quota

- Approximately 50 students
- * Beyond the stated quota, additional students may be admitted through the non-scholarship track.

4. Academic Programs

School		Department
Engineering	College of Engineering	Department of Mechanical Engineering
		Department of Materials Science and Engineering
		School of Energy and Chemical Engineering
		Department of Nuclear Engineering
		Department of Civil, Urban, Earth, and Environmental Engineering
	College of Information and Biotechnology	Department of Design
		Department of Biomedical Engineering
		Department of Industrial Engineering
		Department of Biological Sciences
		Department of Electrical Engineering
		Department of Computer Science and Engineering
	College of Natural Sciences	Department of Physics
		Department of Mathematical Sciences
		Department of Chemistry
Business	School of Business Administration	

- Applicants must select their academic field (Engineering or Business) upon application.
- Students will declare their major during their course of study.
- Academic structures and department names are subject to change.

5. List of Required Documents

- Required Documents

- ▶ The 'Personal Statement and Study Plan' must be completed directly through the online application system. (<https://studyinkorea.go.kr/>)

Categories		Foreign Student	Overseas Korean Student	Remarks
1	Application form	●	●	Download https://studyinkorea.go.kr/ https://admu-intl.unist.ac.kr/
2	High school transcript (Recent 3 years) * If the applicant's home country has a 2-year high school system, transcripts for the most recent 2 years may be submitted.	●	●	Original or certified copy
3	High school diploma or Certificate of expected graduation with Principal's official seal	●	●	Original or certified copy
4	English test report :TOEFL(Code:8807), IELTS, TEPS, TOEIC <i>An official English test report must be included in the required PDF</i>	●	●	Original or certified copy
5	Copy of the applicant's passport or national ID card (Indicating their nationality)	●	●	Original or certified copy
6	Copy of both parents' passports or official documents indicating their nationalities	●	●	Original or certified copy
7	Official document specifying parent-child relationship	●	●	Original or certified copy
8	Certificate of Facts on Entry and Exit		●	Original or certified copy
9	Certificate of Enrollment (elementary, middle, high school)		●	Original or certified copy
10	Academic Transcript (elementary, middle school)		●	Original or certified copy

- Supplementary Documents

Categories		Remark
1	Awards obtained during high school (Up to 5 certificates)	Original or certified copy
2	High School Graduation Examination or College Entrance Examination Certificate	Original or certified copy
3	Standardized official test score report (IB, GCE A-Level, SAT, ACT etc) and other academic certifications	Original or certified copy
4	Standardized official test score report for Korean Language Ability (TOPIK etc)	Original or certified copy
5	High school introduction/profile(s)	

- Important Notes

- ▶ All documents must be submitted in English. Any document in another language must be accompanied by a notarized English translation.
- ▶ Only English proficiency test scores obtained within two years of the online application deadline will be accepted.
- ▶ Applicants from the following native English-speaking countries are exempt from submitting English test scores: the U.S., Canada, the U.K., Australia, New Zealand, and Ireland.
- ▶ Academic credentials earned through GED, homeschooling, or online/distance learning programs are not recognized.

6. Admission Procedure

1. Online Application Website	▶ https://studyinkorea.go.kr/ ▶ Application fee: 50,000 KRW * The application fee covers document screening only; no additional fee is charged for the interview. (The fee is non-refundable and cannot be waived.)
2. Log-in	▶ Create an account at (https://studyinkorea.go.kr/) and log in.
3. Online Application	▶ Plan your study → Online application → Select "UNIST" ▶ Please complete all required fields including the 'Personal Statement and Study Plan' section.
4. Attachment	▶ All documents must be uploaded by the application deadline. (Jan. 22, 2027 (Fri) 16:00 KST) ▶ All documents should be in English. Any document in another language must be accompanied by a notarized English translation. ▶ Arrange all documents in the order specified in the Checklist (Reference). ▶ Required documents and supplementary documents must be uploaded as two separate PDF files: one PDF for required documents and one PDF for supplementary documents. * Required documents (Items 1 – 7 for international applicants, or Items 1 – 10 for Korean applicants) must be combined into a single PDF file. (A4-sized PDF, up to 10 MB recommended) * Supplementary documents 1-5 should be combined into one PDF file. (A4-sized PDF, up to 10 MB recommended)
5. Submission	▶ You may click "Temporary Save" to save your progress. However, you must click "Submit" to finalize and complete your application.
6. Application Fee	▶ My page (Click your name) – Online Study Abroad Application Information - Proceed with payment via "Payment" button. - The final submission will be completed only after the application fee payment is made. - Payment confirmation may take approximately one day. - Payment must be completed before the online application deadline.

7. Check My page	▶ You can check your application status under “My page” - “Online Study Abroad Application Information ” - “Payment Success”(Please make sure that your application form has been submitted and the application fee has been paid successfully.) ▶ You can check your application number and examination (admission) number on My Page. ▶ If an applicant submits multiple applications, only the most recently submitted one will be considered; all previous submissions will be deleted. The applicant takes full responsibility for duplicate applications. ▶ After submission, applicants can no longer modify their application. ▶ To make changes before the application deadline, request permission to edit the application by clicking the “Edit” button on “My Page.” After making the changes, please do not forget to click the “Submit” button to resubmit the application.
8. Submission	▶ Please review all entries on your application and ensure the required and supplementary PDF files are correctly attached. ▶ After verification, click "Submit" to complete the process.

7. Admission Criteria

● Document Screening

- ▶ The document screening evaluation involves a comprehensive assessment of the applicant's academic abilities, study plans, potential for growth, and personal qualities based on all submitted documents.
- ▶ Each applicant will be evaluated individually by two or more evaluators, and the results will be comprehensively reviewed.
- ▶ After the document screening, applicants are classified as either ‘Document Screening Accepted’ or ‘Rejected’, and the interview evaluation will be conducted only for those who pass the document screening (Accepted).

**** If necessary, the interview evaluation may be omitted. In this case, the final decision of ‘Accepted’, ‘Candidate’, or ‘Rejected’ will be based on the document review results.***

● Interview

- ▶ The interview is a qualitative assessment designed to evaluate the applicant's academic potential and personal attributes through questions based on their submitted documents.
- ▶ Only applicants who pass the document screening (Accepted) are eligible for the interview.
- ▶ Interviews will be conducted online. If necessary, in-person interviews may also be conducted on-site.

● Final Admission Decision

- ▶ The final decision of ‘Accepted’, ‘Candidate’, or ‘Rejected’ will be determined in descending order of total scores (50% document and 50% interview) through the deliberation of the Admissions

Committee.

*** *The admission criteria are subject to change according to UNIST admissions regulations.***

- Registration
 - ▶ All successful candidates have to pay the enrollment deposit by the deadline.
 - ▶ If an admitted applicant does not pay the enrollment deposit by the deadline, the applicant will be considered to have declined the offer of admission.
 - ▶ Additional admission offers may be extended to candidates depending on the registration status of admitted applicants.
 - ▶ Offers of admission through the non-scholarship track may be made to selected candidates.

8. Important notice for all applicants

- If any of the submitted materials contains falsified information, the offer of admission may be revoked.
- All admitted applicants must submit an apostilled (or legalized) high school diploma, transcript, and any other required documents by the deadline after registration. Failure to submit these documents by the deadline will result in cancellation of enrollment.
- Submitted documents will not be returned to applicants.
- If an admitted student declines the offer of admission or withdraws their enrollment at UNIST, the deposit will not be refunded.
- Applicants must take full responsibility for any mistakes or omissions on the application.
- If an applicant submits multiple applications, only the most recently submitted application will be reviewed; all prior submissions will be deleted. Applicants bear full responsibility for any duplicate submissions.
- All the documents must be submitted in English. Any document issued in another language must be accompanied by a notarized English translation.
- UNIST may request successful applicants to submit the original documents to verify any copies or scans previously uploaded.
- UNIST may request additional documentation or conduct direct verification with the applicant's school if further information, including academic background, is required during the admissions process.

Reference: Application Submission Checklist

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