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To whom it may concern:

Warm greetings from Korea University in Seoul, Korea.

Korea University, founded in 1905, is widely acknowledged as one of the country's oldest, largest and top-ranked universities. The university's academic breadth is extensive with 102 departments in 23 colleges and schools, 24 graduate programs, 130 research institutes, 33 auxiliary facilities, and medical facilities which include a teaching hospital. It has more than 1,680 full-time faculty members and 27,285 undergraduate and 10,208 graduate students.

KU was ranked 104th by QS World University Rankings in 2015. It has been recognized as one of the top 100 universities worldwide in art and humanities and social science and management. KU is now considered a world class research-oriented university. KU stands among the top 100 universities in 20 out of 36 subject areas evaluated.

Chemical Engineering were ranked 48th, Modern Languages 27th and Business & Management Studies 45th by the 2015 QS World University subject rankings. KU was ranked 26th in the *Times Higher Education* Alma Mater Index: Global Executives 2013.

The colleges of Engineering and of Life Sciences and Biotechnology at KU are continuously expanding academic exchanges with notable Chinese universities as part of projects 211 and 985 (Chinese government funded programs). KU Business School is the first in Korea to be accredited by both *AACSB* and *EQUIS*, two prominent business school accreditation organizations.

Korea University offers advanced master's and doctoral degrees spanning the humanities, social sciences, natural sciences and engineering. These programs share a number of distinctive and desirable features: a high level of engagement between distinguished faculty members, outstanding students and a rich campus environment. Complementing and enriching these degree-granting programs are a wide range of interdisciplinary units that promote intellectual activities and research across departmental and divisional boundaries.

KU is constantly seeking to create an environment for advanced cutting-edge research and state-of-the-art education to become a global leader and academic pioneer. We aim to attract outstanding students from diverse cultural and ethnic backgrounds with the qualities of character and potential to help build an intellectually stimulating environment for student learning.

We would kindly ask you to disseminate the enclosed poster and make this known to your students. If you have any students who are interested in Korea University's graduate school programs, please feel free to contact us. We look forward to hearing from you and thank you for your cooperation in advance.

Sincerely yours,

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