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ISUS Newsletter

International School of Urban Sciences, University of Seoul



29th Seoul Case Study Program

Most recently, in May 18 to 25, 2019, the Seoul Metropolitan Government (SMG) and the International School of Urban Sciences (ISUS) co-hosted the 29th Seoul Case Study Program (SCSP), at the International Conference Room, Natural Science Building, University of Seoul (UOS). 43 graduate students and professors from 5 Universities in U.S. and U.K. namely: University of Georgia, Rutgers University at Newark, University of Texas at Dallas, The University of Sheffield and University of Birmingham partaken the said program and visited Seoul for 8-days study to learn Seoul's best policy practice and shared ideas of SMG's related policies.

The program aims to discuss a variety of policy issues with Seoul's public officials, who are in-charge of various policy operations, provide urban and traditional culture of Seoul via numerous field visits, encourage participant to specialize in the field of comparative public administration with their meaningful feedback and to establish a network of analysts interested in the city of Seoul to expose city policies to international community.

This is a wonderful opportunity to learn how Seoul manages its complex yet diverse city from the distinguished lecturers on urban planning, public transportation, North Korea issue, e-government, water management, digital media city and lastly, energy and housing policy.

Moreover, aside from lectures and seminars, related field visits were arranged to augment the participants experience and understanding on the policy practice of SMG's system at the following institutions: Emergency Operation Center (EOC), Dduk-do Arisu Water Purification Center, Cheonggyecheon Museum, Transport Operation & Information Service (TOPIS) and at the Digital Media City (DMC).

In addition, joint seminars with the International Urban Development Program (IUDP) students were organized to share and exchange their knowledge, ideas and expertise on the specified field for governmental implementation.

The MIPD 2nd Application and Registration Schedule



ISUS invites participants to apply for the Master of Infrastructure Planning & Development (MIPD) of the International Urban Development Program starting August 2019.

MIPD has launched last year, sponsored by Global Infrastructure Development Scholarship Program (GIDSP) of the Ministry of Land, Infrastructure and Transport (MOLIT) in Korea and the International Contractors Association of Korea (ICAK) for government officials from designated partner countries. This graduate program is expected to contribute to sustainable development in developing countries by providing development in academic and professional skills.

Program Overview:

Program Name: Global Infrastructure Development Scholarship Program (GIDSP)

Degree: Master of Infrastructure Planning and Development (MIPD)

Duration: August 01, 2019 – December 31, 2020 (17 months)

Procedure	Date
Application Due	May 29, 2019
Review of Document	May 30-June 7, 2019
Phone Interview	June 10-14, 2019
Final Admission Decision	June 18, 2019
Arrival in Korea	August 1, 2019

For more details about the program and application requirements,
please refer to the link below:

http://www.erd.gov.lk/images/Program_Information.pdf

http://isus.uos.ac.kr/files/graduate/isus/iphak/recruit/2018_MIPD_Brochure.pdf

The 3rd Urban Infra Forum for 2019



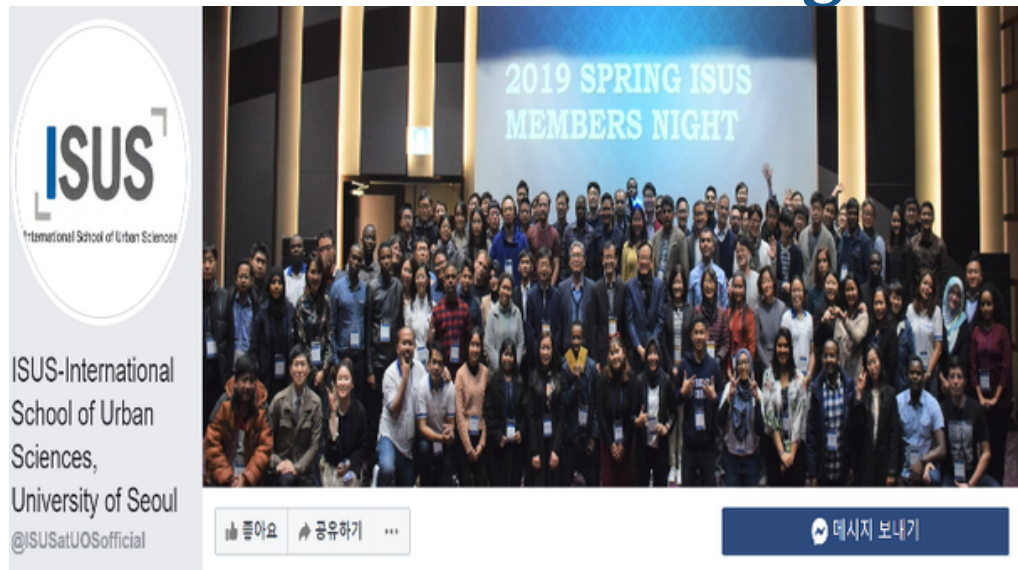
An hour and a half forum at the International Conference Room, Natural Science Building by the invited distinguish guest from Korea Overseas Infrastructure & Urban Development Corporation (KIND) in the person of Mr. Ryan Kwangbok LEE, Head of the Programmed Management Office, with the topic “Recent infrastructure financing trend and KIND's strategy”.

The lecture elaborates on project financing with limited resources. It caters KIND's experiences and shows the recent global trend in infrastructure financing. Concluding the lecture, the IUDP students had some acquire facts and ideas from the presented suggestions for cooperation between the respective government of the students and KIND.

To know more about his lecture materials you can check it on the website below and follow the steps:

http://isus.uos.ac.kr/freeTC/list.do?list_id=50018C7
ISUS homepage > community > Urban Infra Forum

ISUS Official SNS Page



To exhibit the ISUS latest news and events, the ISUS has recently opened its official SNS page on Facebook. Make sure to hit on the 'LIKE' button and please follow the page in the link below:
<https://www.facebook.com/ISUSatUOSofficial/>

The SNS page posts a variety of news, promotions and notices as well as congratulatory advancement from the office and alumni's.

The ISUS are open to welcome related news to be posted on the said page. Please feel free to give us any good news and do not hesitate to share it to us by sending to the email below:

isus@office.uos.ac.kr

FORMAT OF NEWS REPORT:

- TITLE: (e.g. promotion/cooperative project launch with Korea etc.)
- 5W1H (Who When Why Where What and How)

MUAP Geographic Information System Class Field Trip



The MUAP 11th batch had a class fieldtrip to the National Geographic Information Institute (NGII) headed by Professor Chulmin Jun, last May 14th 2019.

The NGII is a central government institute located in Suwon-si. The MUAP students had the chance to learn the objectives of the institute and an opportunity to visualize the the whole history of Korean mapping technologies and geographic information by viewing the Museum map.

Moreover, MUAP will also conduct an official visit for the month of May to the following institutions

May 24th: Sejong-si, KRIHS, LH Sejong promotion center

May 29th: KINTEX

May Field Visit for MIPD Program



<Anyang Smart City Control Center>



<Sejong Development Presentation>



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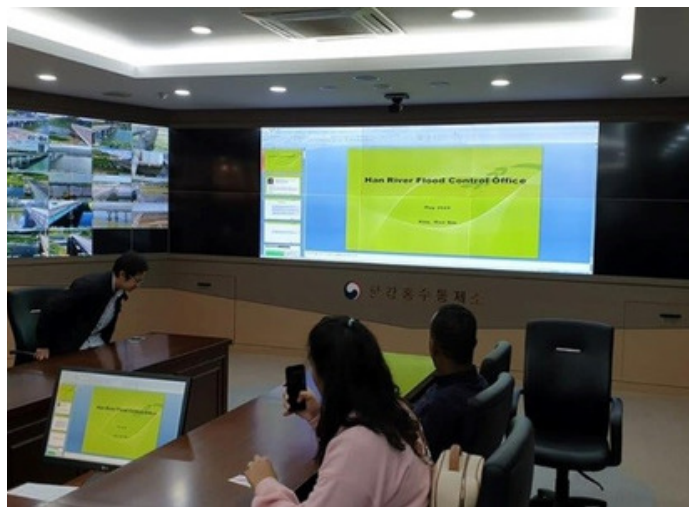


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May Field Visit for MIPD Program



<Han River Flood Control Office>



<Experience the Korea's Royal azalea Festival>

The Master of Infrastructure Planning & Development (MIPD) program visited a series of fieldtrip for the month of May:

A.) Anyang Smart City Control Center

Anyang was the first city in South Korea to develop a customized application designed to connect to individual smartphone users with the local government and has mark as the “ubiquitous integrated center. Having Anyang’s successful smart city implementation case, the MIPD program conducted their field visit last April 30, 2019; this will benchmark most of the important success factor of smart city project in the sense of duty as a government official in their respective countries.

B.) Sejong City Development

Located in the middle of Korea, Sejong City is the South Korea’s Government Complex. To understand the development of Korea’s Administrative Center, the MIPD program conducted a field trip last May 7, 2019. In order to visualize the developmental plan of the city, the group had a chance to see an overlooking scenery of Sejong City and visited the Milmaru Observatory. And to cater the social aspect in the city, the group also had a warm stopover to Sejong lake park, the central park for the people in Sejong’s special self-governing city

C.) Seoul Han River Flood Control Office

The Seoul Han River Flood Control Office under the Ministry of Environment (MOE) forecast and control flood by managing and observing the Korea’s hydrological information. The opportunity of the MIPD program to visit the said facilities last May 20, 2019 had attained which aims to protect lives and properties from flood disasters.

D.) Gunpo Royal Azalea Festival

Lastly, the fieldtrip continuous in experiencing the Korea’s Royal Azalea Festival just before the spring ends.

2019 Sexual Violence Prevention Program for IUDP students



Part of its awareness campaign, the IUDP students undergone a special lecture on Sexual Violence Prevention last May 17, 2019 in two different sessions at #5-227, Humanities Building conducted by Ms. Mira Sung from the University of Seoul, Human Rights Center.

Preventing sexual violence requires addressing factors at all levels in the social ecology; the individual, relational, community and societal levels. These are among the activities that was actively participated by the IUDP students who shared their insights and opinions about sexual violence. The lecture had opened an opportunity of understanding sexual violence among each other's thoughts, considering the diverse culture of the students.

June, half of the year is coming!



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