

August 29, 2014

Your Excellency Vladislave Fintor  
Commercial Attaché of the Slovak Republic

Dear Mr. Fintor:

I am writing to you on behalf of the Daegu Gyeongbuk Institute of Science and Technology (DGIST) to bring your attention to various study and research opportunities in our Graduate School for talented students of your nation.

DGIST, a research-oriented university founded by the Korean government in 2004, has rapidly grown into one of Korea's leading institutes in the field of science and technology since the introduction of graduate and undergraduate programs in 2011 and 2014, respectively. Furthermore, DGIST has established its ground in the competitive educational sphere by building many high-technology facilities throughout the new campus in April. The graduate school currently offers Master and Ph.D. degree programs in six majors: Emerging Materials Science, Information & Communication Engineering, Robotics Engineering, Energy Systems Engineering, Brain Science, and New Biology. With our vision to become a world-leading convergence-research university, all lectures are delivered in English nurturing future global leaders and professionals in science and technology fields.

Various benefits and the best environment for the students' research and study are being offered at DGIST: Full scholarship, stipend (USD 7,000~/year for Master students, USD 12,000~/year for Ph.D. students), convenient dormitory facilities, and free Korean classes. Among 251 talented graduate students, 11 international students from all over the world (USA, China, India, Thailand, Pakistan and Egypt) are studying and researching of their specialized fields at DGIST.

In this regard, it would be highly appreciated if you could kindly convey this information to talented people of your country who would like to take an opportunity to study abroad, especially in Korea which has achieved one of the leading positions in the fields of science and technology internationally. DGIST will make every effort to help them develop full potentials and also to support their dreams by providing its differentiated education and competitive research experiences.

Wishing you happiness, health, and prosperity.

Yours Sincerely,



Cheil Moon, Dean of Admission  
Daegu Gyeongbuk Institute of Science and Technology (DGIST)

Attachment: Information on DGIST Graduate Program and Application Process