

Ghent University Global Campus Programs & Admissions Overview

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I. Introduction

Founded in 1817 in Ghent, Belgium, Ghent University is a public research university with more than 200 years of history equipped with a highest level of research capacity and record, Nobel Prize Laureate, and other various achievements. Its excellence is evidently showed through world rankings such as 61st in the 2018 Academic Ranking of World Universities and 5th in Plant and Animal Science in the world by 2018 US News.

The past 200 years, Ghent University employed many eminent scientists such as Jacques Rogge, former President of the International Olympic Committee, Marc Van Montagu, winner of the World Food Prize in 2013 which is figuratively cited as the Nobel Prize for Food, Corneille Heymans, Nobel Prize Laureate in Physiology or Medicine in 1938. In Ghent University, there are 11 faculties consist of 117 faculty departments, offering high-quality, research-based programs in virtually all academic fields of study to more than 41,000 students.

Taking select competitive departments of the prestigious of the university, Ghent University Global Campus opened in September, 2014 in Incheon as an extended campus of Ghent University with three departments of Molecular Biotechnology, Environmental Technology and Food Technology.

Students in the first and second years take common curriculum and they can select one major in the third year. The first semester of the fourth year students is taken in the home campus in Belgium. All the courses are taught in 100% English and the curriculum composed of 50% of research and lab based are taught by world-class professors from the home campus.

II. Degree Programs

Molecular Biotechnology

The **Molecular Biotechnology** programme gives students the scientific background skills concerning living organisms, and a command of engineering techniques combined with aspects of economics and business management. Students will be able to contribute to the elucidation of disease mechanisms and to translate knowledge into engineering approaches in which living cells or organisms are used for the production of fine chemicals, pharmaceuticals or biofuels. They will also be able to develop new biomolecular products and production processes, and to control and manage their quality. The programme also offers excellent preparation for students to proceed to an MSc in this research field at Ghent University.

Environmental Technology

The **Environmental Technology** programme studies the processes in water, air and soil, and the influence of human activities on these processes. Students acquire technical knowledge to recognize and prevent environmental risks and to find solutions to environment-specific problems. After completing this programme, a broad range of career options will be open: research and development in research institutions and (international) companies, policy-making positions in local, regional, and national governments, technological and management positions in small and medium sized businesses and international companies, conducting studies at consultancies, and many other leadership positions in the environment sector.

Food Technology

The **Food Technology** programme teaches students everything about the chemical and physicochemical, microbiological, nutritional, and technological aspects of foods. Studies will be on the processes that occur in raw materials and during the production process, the preservation and the preparation of foods. Students learn how the quality of foods can influence consumer health and how to control the safety and quality of foods. Upon successful completion of the programme, students will be able to solve problems anywhere in the food chain, and work in the food industry.

II. Admission

1. Admissions Requirement

High school diploma (or equivalent)

2. Admission Schedule for 2019-2020

	Schedule	Result announcement
March admission	2018.09.01~2019.02.11	Within 4 weeks of application submission date
September admission	2019.03.01~2019.07.19	

3. Type of Admission

- **General admission:** High school students or graduates or any students with an equal or greater educational background can apply
- **Headmaster's Recommendation Programme:** Only high school students or graduates can apply

4. Required Document

※ **All required documents must be prepared in English and, if not, it must be translated into English and be notarized with the original transcripts**

- General Admission

- ① High school diploma or graduation candidate certificate or academic recognition document (ex. GED)
- ② High school transcript or GED transcript
- ③ Online aptitude test result
 - ✓ 20 multiple questions in English (10 questions of chemistry and 10 questions of mathematics)
 - ✓ The test could be taken after the creation of online application account on the Ghent University Global Campus website (www.ugent.be/globalcampus)
 - ✓ USD 50\$ per trial and no limit on number of trial
 - ✓ The test result has to be over 14 out of 20
- ④ English proficiency score (one of following)
 - ✓ TOEFL IBT score of 72
 - ✓ IELTS overall score of 6.0
 - ✓ International Baccalaureate Standard Level (SL) score of 5 in English (as Language A or B)
 - ✓ SAT Evidence –Based Reading and Writing score of 500
 - ✓ ACT English score of 21
 - ✓ Su-Neung test (Korean College Scholastic Ability Test-CSAT) English component rank 1 or 2
 - ✓ Average English score of three years in Korean high school rank 1 or 2

※ Exemptions of the language requirements for English: If the students have already passed an English-language study programme, either in secondary education or at another institution for higher education (i.e. the student needs to have obtained 60 credits whether it be in one academic year or several)

- **Headmaster's Recommendation Programme**

- ① High school diploma or graduation candidate certificate
- ② Headmaster's recommendation letter signed and stamped by a Principal of the high school
 - ※ Accepts only Ghent University Global Campus form
- ③ High school transcript
 - ※ Acceptance criteria: Mathematics, Science, and English in the high school transcript

5. Admission Process

- Online application at Ghent University Global Campus website (www.ugent.be/globalcampus)
 - ✓ Create online application account and complete the application
 - ✓ Attach all required documents depending on the admission type
 - ✓ Submit the online application, and check the confirmation email

6. Annual Tuition and Fees

(1-year base)

Enrolment Fee	KRW 2,000,000 (non-refundable)
Tuition	KRW 18,000,000
Dormitory (single room)	KRW 3,000,000
Dormitory (double room)	KRW 1,900,000
Expected Annual Expense	KRW 21,900,000 ~ KRW 23,000,000

- ※ The annual expense is subject to change without prior notice
- ※ Ghent University Global Campus accept payment only in Korean Won

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