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Asian Association of Open Universities Staff Exchange Fellowship Program by Korea National Open University

Korea National Open University (KNOU) is offering a short-term Staff Exchange Fellowship Program to the member universities and institutes of Asian Association of Open Universities in 2012.

The conditions are as follows:

- 1. Period of the Program: June 4th ~ 29th, 2012 (4 weeks)
- 2. Number of fellows: 3 candidates
- 3. Expenses provided by KNOU:
 - Accommodation in a modern hotel room with a kitchenette
 - Food and transportation fee (45,000 KRW per day)
 - Office with internet connection
 - Visitors medical insurance
- 4. Parent universities of the selected fellows should provide the candidate with a round-trip air ticket between their countries and Korea.
- 5. The candidate will submit these documents (all documents must be written in English):
 - Curriculum Vitae
 - A research proposal of the fellowship program: It should be of a comparative analysis between the parent university and KNOU. The research topic should be of the following areas
 - 1) Quality assurance
 - 2) Disability support services
 - 3) Recognition of Prior Learning
 - 4) Open Educational Resources
 - 5) Vocational training
 - 6) University policy and strategies in reducing the dropout rates
 - 7) Others

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- A letter of recommendation from the head of parent institution (President, Rector, Chancellor, Vice-chancellor)
- 6. Deadline of proposal submission: April 30th, 2012
- 7. Notice of acceptance from KNOU: May 14th, 2012
- 8. Activities of the fellows during the program:
 - Presentation of comparing the parent university with KNOU at a staff workshop
 - -Visiting departments and facilities (Digital Media Center, Institute of Distance Education, Library, Center for Lifelong Education, Planning Office, KNOU Press, regional campus
 - Conducting their proposed research
 - Submitting a report of the fellowship program to Korea National Open University at the end of the program.
- 9. All questions and documents could be addressed to (fax, mail or e-mail, either way):

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