

### 세계통일교 선교본부

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To : Regional Presidents, National Messiahs, National Leaders

From : Unification Church World Mission Headquarters
Date : 10.20 by the Heavenly Calendar (December 3, 2012)
Re. : Recruiting Candidates for the Universal Peace Academy

May God and True Parents' blessings and love be with all regions, mission nations and providential organizations.

The Universal Peace Academy was established according to True Parents' special instructions as an institution with the mission of raising leaders of Cheon II Guk. The Academy is calling for recruits from those who have graduated, or are expected to graduate, from a four-year college (or equivalent). Your active cooperation in referring candidates and promoting this academy in your region or nation will be greatly appreciated.

- 1. Standard for Applicants
- An applicants must be a physically healthy Unificationist with an exemplary life of faith and equipped with a strong sense and clear vision of God's providence
- He or she must have a degree earned from a four-year college education
   (Including those who are expected to graduate in February 2013; and those who are deemed to have a level of education that is equivalent or higher)
- Unificationist born on or after January 1, 1975
- 2. Application Period: 11.05-11.15 by the heavenly calendar in the 3<sup>rd</sup> year of Cheon-gi (December 17-27, 2012)
- 3. Applications and related inquiries should be directed to:

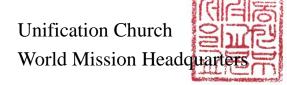
- Tel: +82-31-589-1580

- FAX: +82-31-589-1559

- E-mail: <u>upa1@daum.net</u>

- Address: San 102, Songsan-ri, Seolak-myeon, Gapyeong-gun, Gyeonggi-do, Korea 477-855

4. Please refer to the attached file (Admission Details for the Universal Peace Academy.ppt) for more details.







# 천주평화사관학교

**UPAcademy** (Universal Peace Academy)

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# Universal Peace Academy Admissions Criteria

- High-Quality Education for Elite Recruits
- Cultivation of Talented Leaders with Clear Understanding of the Providence and the Future

Areas of Recruitment	Volume of Recruitment	Qualifications	
1st Class of Cadets	30 Koreans Around 20 Foreigners	Healthy UC Members who are Models of Faith Having a Regular University Bachelor's Degree Born after January 1, 1975 Exemplary Candidates from All Continents	

- Main Recruitment Activities for the 1<sup>st</sup> Class of Cadets
  - 1. Workshops for CARP Graduates
  - 2. A Presentation Session for Graduates and Candidates (December)
- 3. 1 on 1 Consulting and Recruiting for Possible Candidates in Korea and Japan

• 1st Class of Cadets will be picked with the highest of standard after announcing the recruitment process to all Unification Church leaders around the world

Eligibility and Curriculum

#### **Admissions Procedure**

1) Eligibility

**Healthy Member of Unification Church who:** 

lives a model life of faith and has clear understanding of the providence; has graduated (or is about to graduate) from a 4-year university course or has equivalent or higher degree; was born after January 1, 1975.

- 2) Recruiting Period: December 17 ~ December 27, 2012 (10 days)
- 3) Admissions Type
  - Standard: Written Test (Divine Principle/English), Fitness Exam, In-depth Interview
  - Special (Foreigners, Foreign Residents): Application submission and In-depth Interview (Phone/Internet)
- 4) Submit Application: upa1@daum.net (Further Announcements will be made after the official website opens)
- 5) Document Requirements

Application (including a letter of self-introduction and academic plan)

Diploma from a 4-year university or a letter attesting that you are about to graduate

Transcript (If the transcript is from a foreign university, you must include a letter from your country's Korean Embassy certifying that your transcript is from a 4-year university)

A letter of recommendation from your church leader, a medical report, a letter of certification of your family relationships

6) Application Fee: 70,000 (Woori Bank, 1005-301-213155, Cheongshim Graduate School of Theology)

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Eligibility and Curriculum

#### **Entrance Exam and Announcement of Acceptance**

- 1) Written test (Divine Principle/English)
- 2) Fitness Exam
- \* Fitness test: crunches, push-ups, long distance running
- 3) In-depth Interview
- 4) Exam period: January 9 ~ 10, 2013 Selection Camp
- 5) Announcement of Acceptance Announcement date: January 17, 2013
- 6) Announcement Method: Universal Peace Academy Official Website, SMS
- 7) 7-day workshop for the successful applicants (to be announced later)

Scholarship Program: Tuition, Dormitory, Cadet Uniform, All costs related to education program (subject to making the oath to undergo 2-year master's degree course and 3-year public course)

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Introduction to Entrance Exam (Guidelines for candidates)

### 1) Divine Principle Exam

Logical and systematic discussion of the main themes of Divine Principle

2) English Proficiency Exam

**Interpretation of excerpts from the 17 Peace Messages (sold at the church bookstore in Seoul)** 

#### 3) Fitness Exam

	Crunches	Push-ups	<b>Long-distance Running</b>
Male	60 under 2 mins.	30 under 2 mins.	1.5 km under 8 mins.
Female	30 under 2 mins.	20 under 2 mins.	1.2 km under 8 mins.
Method		Women will do 'knee push-ups'	

### 4) In-depth Interview

\*Exam time and location will be announced after applications are accepted

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Details of Admissions Procedures for Foreigners

#### **Admissions Procedures for Foreigners**

1) Eligibility

**Healthy Member of Unification Church who:** 

lives a model life of faith and has clear understanding of the providence; has graduated (or is about to graduate) from a 4-year university course or has equivalent or higher degree; was born after January 1, 1975.

- 2) Recruiting Period: December 17 ~ December 27, 2012 (10 days)
- 3) Admissions Type
- Special (Foreigners, Foreign Residents): Application submission and In-depth Interview (Phone/Internet)
- Foreigners residing in Korea will have their in-depth interviews on January 10
- 4) Submit Application: <a href="mailto:upa1@daum.net">upa1@daum.net</a> 82-31-589-1580
- 5) Document Requirements (some can be downloaded from the website)

Application (including a letter of self-introduction and an academic plan)

Diploma from a 4-year university or a letter attesting that you are about to graduate

Transcript (if the transcript is from a foreign university, you must include a letter from your country's Korean Embassy certifying that your transcript is from a 4-year university)

A letter of recommendation from the continental leader (regional president)

1 full length portrait photo (smart dress please), 1 copy of ID photo sent as JPG file

Self -checked medical report

A letter or certificate of Korean proficiency

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Details of Admissions Procedures for Foreigners

#### **Schedule**

- 1) Online interview: January 11 ~ 12, different nations at different times (according to time-difference)
- 2) Verification of Korean proficiency: Obtain Level 3 or higher in TOPIK
- 3) Announcement of acceptance: January 17, 2013
- 4) Announcement Method: Universal Peace Academy Official Website, SMS
- 5) 7-day workshop for the successful applicants (to be announced later)

Scholarship Program: Tuition, Dormitory, Cadet Uniform, All costs related to the education program (subject to making the oath to undergo a 2-year master's course and 3-year public course)

\* Students with less than Level 3 proficiency in TOPIK will be able to enroll after 1 year in True Parents' Language Institute.

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A note to candidates

- 1) Only the original copies of documents may be submitted. Documents in any language other than Korean or English must be submitted with notarized Korean or English translations.
- 2) No submitted documents will be returned.
- 3) If the documents lack the required information or if some documents are missing, such applicants will be excluded from consideration for acceptance, or may have their acceptance revoked if that lack is discovered later on.
- 4) An applicant who will graduate soon must submit a letter attesting that he/she is about to graduate, in place of a transcript
- 5) Foreigners must answer their self-check medical report honestly, and if found that his/her health condition is found unsuitable for the life in the school, such students will be revoked of their status and be returned to their own country(the students will pay for the tickets).
- 6) Request/Acquisition of Visa: Students must enter Korea after receiving the D2 visa from the Korean embassy.
- 7) Universal Peace Academy does not allow leave of absence or change of major. Any student who fails to fulfill the oath regarding the public course will be expelled.
- 8) The foreign students who enroll in the Language Institution for a year may enter the Academy after scoring Level 3 or higher in the TOPIK
- 9) Accepted students will be able to enter the Academy after making the final oath and completing the 7-day workshop.





# Purpose, Educational Objectives, Curriculum

## **Purpose**

- Bringing True Mother's guidelines on raising new generation of leaders to fulfillment
- Raising leaders who can contribute to the settlement of the substantial Cheon II Guk

## **Educational Objectives (Vision for Graduates)**

- Cheon II Guk leader armed both with the holy spirit (spirituality) and the truth (intellect)
- A leader who can present a proper model of faith and vision that can touch the hearts of members and inspire them
- A leader who can contribute to the development of providence in Korea and the world

### Curriculum

- Masters Course (2 years of education + 3 years of public ministry = 5 years later ordainment by True Mother)
- \* 3-year public ministry (internship) at Korean HQ, World Mission HQ, providential organizations, or Foundation.

Ongoing education at the Academy 1-2 times a week during this internship period



# **Concept of Education**

**God, True Parents** (TP of HEH)

- ◆Hoondokhae
- Chapel
- **CIG** habits

# **Holy Spirit**

(developing one's spirituality)

- **◆DMN** guidance
- **◆CP workshop**
- **◆End-of-month vigil**
- Heart Workshop

**True Love** 

The Word

## **CIG Leader**

(holy spirit, truth)

- curriculum, dissertation
- \*colloquium
- research projects
- \*academic presentations
- ◆Research of DP/lecture practice
- Working on the providential field
- **\***culture, language, martial arts
- ◆special programs (experiential, practical training)
- **◆Community life** (dormitory)

### **Truth**

(developing one's intellect)



# Details of Education (2-year course)

### **Educational Courses**

#### Life of Faith (Life of Jeongseong)

: Hoondokhae (everyday), Chapel (every week), CIG habit check-up (every month), training the heart (every semester)

#### Holy Spirit (Life of Spirituality)

: DMN sermons (every month), 2-day Cheongpyeong workshop (every month), Gyeongbae at Jeongshimwon, prayer at Cheonseungdae (every semester), 40-day Cheongpyeong workshop (before graduation)

#### Truth (capacity to understand the Word, diplomacy)

- : 3 main fields, 8 subjects (6 required, 2 optional), Research of the DP I,II,III,IV (4 semesters), DP lecture training I,II,III,IV (4 semesters), Prerequisite course
- \* 6 required subjects, ex: True Parents Life Course, Research on the True Parents, Research on Cheon II Guk, Research on the formation of Cheon II Guk, Research on the Cheon II Guk leadership \* Courses will be seminar-style presentation and debate
- \* Prerequisite courses, ex: Worship and Sermon, Counseling and Coaching, Ecumenical Rituals, Church Growth and Missionary Work \* Practical training and presentation of research

#### Research of the Providential Field (Hands-on capacity)

: Research of the Providential Field I,II,III,IV (Inheriting the Church Tradition, Church Operational Policies, Issues of the Church Field, Understanding Other Religion: 4 semesters, special lectures, experiential learning, identifying issues, presentation of research results)

#### Cultural Studies (Dignity of a Leader)

: Cultural Studies I,II,III,IV (Invite experts from 6-7 fields, hold debates. 4 semesters, to invite 5-6 speakers each semester. Select required reading, hold debates and presentations)

#### Language and Training for the Mind and Body (Qualifications)

: Korean (1-year preparatory course at language institution, 4 hours a week, 4 semesters), English (4 hours a week, 4 semesters), Japanese (2 hours a week, 4 semesters), Martial Arts (2 hours a week, 4 semesters)

#### Dissertation



# Method of Education and Special Program

### **Method of Education**

- Integrated approach combining the Holy Spirit and the Truth centering on heart (shimjeong)
- Balance between faith, character and professionalism
- Harmonizing theory and practice (experiential learning, research presentation, debate)
- Maintaining organic relationship between the school and church field
- Developing and applying continuous teaching method (self-initiated learning, issue-resolving classes, seminars,

projects, fraternity groups)

# **Special Program**

- To be held during the vacation period
- Focus: spiritual training, witnessing and service, holy ground pilgrimage, global experience, enhancing economic capability
- \* Developing and applying witnessing program model
- \* Economic capacity: Developing and applying various fundraising methods

- Details
- 1<sup>st</sup> semester summer: 40-day in Korea (witnessing and service, holy land/homeland pilgrimage, fundraising)
- 2<sup>nd</sup> semester winter: 40-day in Japan (witnessing and service, holy land/homeland pilgrimage, fundraising)
- 3rd semester summer: 40-day in English-speaking nation (witnessing and service, holy land/homeland pilgrimage, fundraising),
- 4th semester winter: 40-day Cheongpyeong Workshop