

GKS Scholarship Interview Preparation Guide

100+ Common Interview Questions

About Yourself

1. Why do you deserve GKS?
2. What are you most proud of?
3. Describe a failure.
4. Tell us about your family.
5. Tell us about work experience.
6. What motivates you?
7. Tell us about research experience.
8. How do you handle stress?
9. What skills will help you succeed?
10. What is your biggest achievement?
11. Where do you see yourself in 10 years?
12. What are your strengths?
13. What are your hobbies?
14. What is your biggest weakness?
15. Describe your leadership experience.
16. How do friends describe you?
17. What values are important to you?
18. Why should we choose you?
19. Introduce yourself.
20. Describe a challenge you overcame.
21. Additional question: Why do you deserve GKS?

Academic Background

22. Future research topic?
23. Favorite subject?
24. Academic achievement?
25. Any publications?
26. How do you manage deadlines?
27. Why continue your studies?
28. Least favorite subject?
29. Why did you choose your major?
30. Why this study field?
31. Explain your final year project.
32. How will you contribute to your field?

- 33. Describe teamwork experience.
- 34. How do you learn new skills?
- 35. Describe problem-solving experience.
- 36. What research interests you?
- 37. Biggest academic challenge?
- 38. How will this degree help your career?
- 39. Additional question: Future research topic?
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About Korea

- 43. Can you speak Korean?
- 44. Negative things?
- 45. Positive things about Korea?
- 46. How will you adapt?
- 47. How will you make Korean friends?
- 48. How will you respect Korean culture?
- 49. What Korean values do you admire?
- 50. Why South Korea?
- 51. Why not another country?
- 52. What places would you like to visit?
- 53. What do you know about Korean education?
- 54. What do you know about Korean culture?
- 55. Why are you learning Korean?
- 56. What if you feel homesick?
- 57. Biggest challenge in Korea?
- 58. How will you overcome language barriers?
- 59. Favorite Korean innovation?
- 60. Additional question: Can you speak Korean?
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- 62. Additional question: Can you speak Korean?
- 63. Additional question: Can you speak Korean?

GKS & University

- 64. How will you contribute after returning home?
- 65. How will GKS change your future?
- 66. Why GKS?
- 67. What makes your application unique?

68. What if you are not selected?
69. Why this professor?
70. How will you represent your country?
71. How will you contribute to Korea?
72. Why this university?
73. Why this department?
74. Why this program?
75. Will you return home?
76. How did you find GKS?
77. Why should we trust you?
78. Why should taxpayers fund you?
79. What are your career goals?
80. Additional question: How will you contribute after returning home?
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84. Additional question: How will you contribute after returning home?

Research & Future

85. How will you share knowledge?
86. How do you define success?
87. What global issue interests you?
88. Final message to the panel?
89. What if your research fails?
90. What innovation inspires you?
91. What industries interest you?
92. How do you handle criticism?
93. Expected research outcome?
94. How will your country benefit?
95. Plan after graduation?
96. What impact do you want to make?
97. How will you use AI responsibly?
98. Would you pursue a PhD?
99. Describe your dream job?
100. Explain your research proposal.
101. Ethics in research?
102. Why is your research important?
103. How will you collaborate internationally?
104. What problem do you want to solve?

105. Additional question: How will you share knowledge?