

1. KAIST- Future Strategy: Educational Goal

Graduate Program of Future Strategy is an immersive learning experience – one that empowers to reflect and reemerge as visionary leaders in future strategy. Our programs offer the rare opportunity to step forward to science and engineering, and reset your direction toward future strategy.

● To contribute to the advance and happiness of humanity via research and teaching on futures studies, strategies and policies

● Future strategy + science and technologies = experts of future strategy

Futures studies – global/Asian issues, qualitative/quantitative forecasting, science/technology research methods

Strategy – science and technologies, international relations, economy and industries, social welfare, business, entrepreneurship and innovation

Policy – science and technologies, international relations, economy and industries, social welfare, media, culture technologies

◎ Future strategy and policy planning support for public and private sector experts including civil servants

- To Provide education on future strategy to those who are interested in futures studies and future strategy

- To exchange various academic trends and find out policies through future strategy forums, symposiums, seminars

2. KAIST-Future Strategy: Foundational Background and Operational Direction

● Foundational Background

01. As the G-20 and G-2 systems have been launched since the financial crisis in the 21st century, and the European fiscal crisis has worsened, the need for a leading role in Asia, including China, Korea, and Japan, is growing.

02. Mankind and the earth need global measures to fundamentally solve the problems of aging and economic inequality, chronic unemployment, depletion of fossil energy and environmental pollution, climate change, resource and water shortage.

03. Therefore, it is necessary to cultivate advanced manpower to plan future strategies on international relations, economy and industries, social welfare, science and technologies in consideration of the geopolitical situation and economic structure of Korea in the changing international situation and global environment.

● Operational direction

◎ To aid in future strategy and policy planning for public and private sector experts including Sejong City public servants

- To take a key role in strategy development at the Society of National Future Strategy
- To network with Future Strategy Forum, symposiums and seminars to share ideas about research and policies

◎ Broader information exchange and in-depth research through linkage with domestic and overseas policy research institutes and experts

- To establish ‘Center for Future Strategy Research’ and link it with the programs at the Graduate School of Future Strategy
- To suggest a road map of future strategy research and long-term vision for national development