# **POSTECH**

# School of Convergence Science and Technology

Management in the Steel Industry

(MSI Program, Online Master Degree Program)

Spring 2023

# **Admissions Timeline**

	Application Period	Result Announcement	Semester Begins
2022 special admission	December 30, 2022~ January 6, 2023(24:00)	January 27, 2023(14:00)	Spring 2023

<sup>\*</sup>The timeline is based on Korean Standard Time.

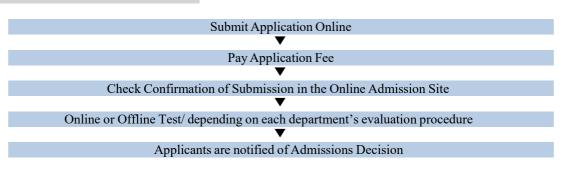
# **Programs and Degrees Offered**

Program	MS-Ph.D. Integrated*	MS	Ph.D.	Course Description
Management in the Steel Industry	X	0	X	<ul> <li>Financial Management with Case Studies on the Steel Industry</li> <li>Operation Management of the Steel Industry I</li> <li>Business Statistics: Basics &amp; Applications to the Steel Industry</li> <li>Understanding Steel Production &amp; Products</li> <li>Data Analytics &amp; AI: Applications to the Steel Industry</li> <li>Operation Management of the Steel Industry II</li> <li>Understanding of the Steel Industry: Trends and Prospects</li> <li>Economic Analysis with Case Studies on the Steel Industry</li> <li>Introduction to Marketing</li> <li>Strategy and Innovation of the Steel Industry</li> <li>Human Resources and Organization Behavior</li> <li>Capstone project</li> </ul>

# Eligibility

Criteria	Eligibility					
MS Applicant	- Must have completed a bachelor's degree; or, - Prospective graduate of undergraduate study. (Bachelor's degree must be awarded before enrollment)					
Nationality	- Applicants must meet the one of the following requirements.  1) Applicants and their parents must hold foreign citizenship. (Korean citizens who hold another citizenship are not eligible for International Admissions.); or,  2) Applicants with Korean nationality residing abroad must have received their entire education course from 1st grade of elementary school to undergraduate graduation outside of Korea. In this case, the applicants must submit documents to prove their educational background.					
	- Every applicant whose native language is not English must demonstrate their English language proficiency.  1) Applicants must meet one of the minimum requirements for the following English Proficiency Tests; or,  TOEFL TOEFL TOEIC Secretives IELTS TEPS					
English Proficiency	(PBT) 550	(iBT) 79	750	Speaking Intermediate Mid 3	6.0	600 New327

## **Procedures at a Glance**



## **Admission Procedure**

Applicants must complete their online application, then submit the required documents by Graduate Admissions Website.

#### Step 1. Submit Application and Required Documents Online

- 1) Application form (online application)
- 2) Personal Statement and Research Plan (provided form)
  - Download format from the website, https://adm-g.postech.ac.kr/ENG/admission/gist/?show=A
- 3) Curriculum Vitae (free-form personal resume)
- 4) Applicant's and parents' proof of citizenship
  - Passport copies; or,
  - A certificate of family registration issued by the government of the applicant's country.
- 5) Two Recommendation Letters(provided form)
  - From two recommenders by academic faculty or supervisors.
  - Must be <u>e-mailed</u> to grad-admission@postech.ac.kr **directly** by each recommender.
- 6) List of Honors and Awards (optional)
  - Applicants who have received any honors, awards, or fellowships during their undergraduate or graduate studies may list them in the order of importance.
  - \* Note: Applicants must submit the online application before the deadline.

#### 7) Official Transcript(s)

- From all undergraduate and graduate institutions the applicant attended.
- Must be issued by the institution attended, bearing the institution's official seal and signed by the head of the institution.

#### 8) Degree Certificate(s)

- From all undergraduate and graduate institutions which the applicant received degrees.
- Applicants who are prospective graduates can submit an expected graduation certificate.
- The degree certificate for your final degree has to be original copy. The students from below 21 countries have to submit one of A), B) or C) as the degree proof:
- · 21 countries: Ghana, Nigeria, Nepal, Myanmar, Bangladesh, Vietnam, Mongolia, Sri Lanka, Uzbekistan, Ukraine, Iran, Egypt, India, Indonesia, China, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Thailand, Pakistan, Peru, Philippines
- A) An apostilled copy of diploma
- B) A copy of diploma verified by a Korean consulate in the country of the university that issued diploma, or a copy of diploma verified by your country's diplomatic mission in Korea
- C) For individuals who received a degree in China, in addition to the degree certificate, an authorized document such as a degree report issued by China Academic Degrees & Graduate Education Development Center (CDGDC) is required.
- \* CDGDC Website: http://www.cdgdc.edu.cn/

#### 9) English Proficiency

- Score Report of English Proficiency Test; or
  - Must be valid at the time of applying.
- The official TOEFL/IELTS Score Report issued by ETS/British Council can be sent to POSTECH Admissions office directly by requesting it at the ETS/ British Council website. Applicants must enter POSTECH's institution code (0329) in order for ETS to send the official score report to our office. Individual department code numbers are not necessary.
  - TOEFL ITP organized only by POSTECH is accepted.
- Proof of Instruction Language
  - Official letter bearing the institution's seal that verifies the instruction language (English) of the applicant's institution where one achieved a degree.

#### 10) Degree Thesis (optional)

\* Note: The "Required Documents by Post" must arrive at the Office of Admissions by the admissions deadline. Any documents submitted after the deadline will not be reviewed.

#### Step 2. Pay Application Fee: 80 USD or 80,000 KRW

- A. The application fee is not refundable.
- B. Applicants must make the payment for the application fee in order to complete their online application. After the payment is made, the online application is no longer revisable.

#### C. Payment can be made through either of the following ways:

- 1) Credit Card;
  - An application number will be given to applicants immediately after making the payments.
  - Practicable within Internet Explorer (Firefox, Chrome may not be supportive of this act).

#### 2) Transfer

- Applicants who are not able to make the payments online via credit card can transfer the amount to the university bank account.
- Applicants who transferred the application fee are required to report the act of transfer to the Office of Graduate Admissions and Student Affairs via e-mail (grad-admission@postech.ac.kr). The e-mail should include the name of the depositor, name of the applicant, and transfer receipt. An application number will be given to applicants after confirmation.
- Transfer Information:

- Bank name: Woori Bank

- Account no: 1005-501-138745

- Application fee: 80 USD or 80,000 KRW

- Account holder: 포항공과대학교 Pohang University of Science and Technology

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- Swift Code: HVBKKRSEXXX

- Address of the account holder: 77 Cheonam-ro, Nam-gu, Pohang, Gyeongbuk, Korea, 37673 (The bank branch is located within our university)

- \* Payment is automatically waived for applicants from POSTECH's partner universities in the payment process.
- To check whether your university is one of POSTECH's partner universities, please follow the link: http://international2.postech.ac.kr/introduction/partner-institutions/

#### Step 3. Online or offline Test

- Applicants may go through online or offline Test depending on each department's evaluation procedure. Those who pass the document screening process will be noted of the Test schedule by each department.

#### Note

- POSTECH reserves the right to revoke an offer of admission or terminate a student's registration, should it be discovered later that:
  - a false statement has been made; or,
  - a false document has been provided; or,
  - documentation has been altered; or,
  - if there has been an omission of significant information.
- All documents must be the original versions issued by the institution, bearing the institution's official seal and signed by the head of the institution. All official academic records must be issued in the original language, accompanied by English.
- All newly admitted students should submit Notarization or Apostille certificates for diploma(s)
   & transcript(s) during the orientation period.

## **Costs and Financial Aid**

#### 1. Estimated Costs

(1 USD is approximately 1,180 KRW as of December

Tuition fee per year	22,602,000 KRW	19,154 USD
Graduate Student Association fee (optional) per year	30,000 KRW	25 USD
Matriculation fee (only once when enrolling)	898,000 KRW	761 USD

<sup>\*</sup> Payment should be made through KRW. The USD exchange rate is stated only for reference.

## Appendix 1: Frequently Asked Questions

#### Application

# Q1: I am in my last semester of bachelor's/master's degree. Am I eligible to apply for the master's degree for the following semester?

Applicants who are in their last semester of bachelor's or master's degree are eligible of applying for the enrollment of the following semester under the condition that their bachelor's/master's degree will be awarded before they enroll at POSTECH.

#### Q2: How do I pay the application fee online?

Applicants must pay the application fee via credit card. However, if applicants have problems with making their payment online via credit card, follow the following instructions:

- 1) Install payment system program (Active X).
- 2) POSTECH's payment system (LG U+) adopts 3D-Secure authentication via VISA or MASTER. If you have a card that does not obtain 3D-Secure authentication, payment is not possible. Therefore, applicants should apply the 3D-Secure authentication to their card firm in order to be able to make the payments.

#### Q3: What if I want to revise my online application?

Applicants are able to save and revise their online application until the application deadline, even if they finalized the application and payed the application fee. After the deadline is over, it is no longer possible for applicants to edit their application.

#### Q4: I am currently a prospective graduate. When do I have to submit my degree certificate?

Applicants who are not able to submit their degree certificate/certificate of graduation at the stage of their online application because they are prospective graduates are required to submit the provisional letter/certificate of graduation including the institute's official seal to Admissions Office first, and afterwards submit the original copy of the degree certificate before the date of admission.

#### **○** Language Proficiency

### Q1: What if I do not meet the required score for English proficiency?

Since POSTECH's language of instruction is mainly English, prospective students must reach an average level of English proficiency. Therefore, all applicants are required to prove their English proficiency through an official test or either a document that proves the instruction language of applicants' institution. Refer to the contents of "Eligibility" previously.

# Q2: Can other English Proficiency Tests (e.g. GRE) substitute the English Proficiency Tests listed previously?

No other English Proficiency Tests can substitute the English Proficiency Tests listed previously. You have to acquire the minimum score of at least one of the previously indicated tests. However, if you do possess other English Proficiency Score or certificates, you can submit them along with the compulsory requirements.

#### Q3: How can I get a document for "Proof of Instruction Language"?

Applicants whose institution performs all of the lectures in English are qualified to substitute the English Proficiency Test with a document that verifies the institution's instruction language. If the applicant's institution does not have such an official document, he/she can submit other documents (e.g. transcript, enrollment certificate, etc.) with the institution's original seal and the following phrase: "It is hereby verified that the instruction language of (institution's name) is English."

<sup>\*\*</sup> All costs are subject to change without prior notice.

# **Appendix 2: Contact Information**

**OPOSTECH Official Website:** http://www.postech.ac.kr/

## **O** Administration Office

Office	E-mail	Homepage		
Graduate Admission &	grad-	https://adm-		
Student Affairs	admission@postech.ac.kr	g.postech.ac.kr/ENG/		
International Relations				
(International Student and	iao@postech.ac.kr	http://international.postech.ac.kr/		
Scholar Services)				

## **○** School Office

Office	Homepage
School of Convergence Science and Technology	http://scst.postech.ac.kr/web/

# Appendix 3: Campus Map

