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SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES FOR VINCENTIANS- KOREA INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION AGENCY (KOICA)

SAINT VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES, January 20, 2025 — The Korea International Cooperation Agency (KOICA) scholarships for postgraduate programmes are now open for 2025. Applications are now invited from eligible Vincentian nationals.

Nominated applicants, under the age of 40, who are government officials, researchers at institutions and universities, and in good health are eligible for the KOICA scholarship programme. Applicants must obtain at least a Bachelor's Degree by February 28, 2025 to be eligible for the KOICA scholarship programme.

The programmes available are:

- Trade and Industrial Policy for Innovative Growth and Resilience,
- Sustainable Regional Development,
- Agricultural Economics,
- Agricultural Engineering,
- Agricultural Production,
- Energy Policy, Urban Development,
- Global Agricultural Production,
- Energy Policy,
- Urban Development,
- Global Health Security,
- Water Resources Management,
- Policy Competency Based on ICT Convergence,
- Tax and Fiscal Policy,
- Public Management and Administrative reform,
- Gender Equality, Global Education Leadership, and
- Smart-City Management and Technology.

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Programmes in the listed areas are 17 months in duration and there is coverage of return airfare costs, settlement allowance, monthly allowance, tuition fee, extracurricular expenses, accommodation, scholarship completion grants, National Health Insurance and Private Medical Insurance.

Applicants must submit reference letters and applications before January 31, 2025. For more information, interested persons are encouraged to visit KOICA's CIAT website at http://www.koica.go.kr/sites/ciat/index.do for guidance on the application process, application forms, and any other additional information.

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