

UNDERWOOD INTERNATIONAL COLLEGE



Welcome to Underwood International College (UIC), which combines the intimate, elite learning environment of an American-style liberal arts college with the robust faculty and resources of Korea's top private research university.

At UIC, all freshmen will be enrolled in the Common Curriculum and take classes in Critical Reasoning, Eastern and Western Civilization, Literature, Philosophy, History, and Writing. The Common Curriculum is the foundation of the UIC education, and successful completion of the program will assure that all UIC students, regardless of their chosen field of study, will graduate with the ability to reason critically, communicate effectively, and navigate the complex intellectual landscape of the modern world.



WIC & CC ON:LINE ACADEMIC PROGRAM

01 PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The WIC (Writing Intensive Clinic) & CC (Common Curriculum) On:Line is a rigorous **two-week online program** designed to prepare incoming freshmen for the intellectual demands of UIC. Combining **intensive academic writing instruction with a preview of CC lectures**, WIC & CC On:Line aims to familiarize students with the essential components of a UIC liberal arts education. Through lectures, discussions, workshops, and individual consultations, students will get a **head start on experiencing** college life and **refining** the academic skills necessary for success at UIC.

02 PROGRAM SCHEDULE

	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
10:00-12:00	CC Lectures				
12:00-13:00	Lunch				
13:00-16:00	Writing Intensive Clinic				
16:00-17:00	Individual Paper Consultations				

Writing Intensive Clinic

Students will **develop** critical reading and academic writing skills by examining challenging texts across multiple disciplines—with the understanding that good writing comes from good reading. Through active seminar-style discussions, thought-provoking prompts, and collaborative workshops, students will **learn** to ask critical questions, engage in close-analysis, think comparatively, and synthesize ideas to develop and structure logical, coherent, and persuasive arguments. Students will also **explore** basic stylistic and technical elements to expand the repertoire of language structures from which to draw in composing their own academic writing.

Instruction will include:

Technical Elements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Close reading · Critical engagement · Analysis & support aka "evidence" · Patterns & relations · Thesis statements · Topic sentences · Introduction · Conclusion · Title
The Writing Process	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Asking critical questions · Brainstorming & outlining · Developing & structuring an argument · Summarizing, paraphrasing, contextualizing · Drafting, peer-reviewing, editing · Revising & proofreading · Citing & formatting
Substantive Elements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Citation · Grammar · Punctuation · Vocabulary · Plagiarism

WIC lessons will wind down with **individual consultations** between students and the professors and Teaching Assistants (TA) to figure out strategies for improvement. Knowing that every piece of writing is the result of a writer's myriad decisions—this idea, word, quote or that, here or there, now or later—WIC offers a **personal** and **hands-on** approach that goes beyond giving short written comments and feedback.

CC Lectures

CC Lectures in Literature, History, Philosophy, Critical Reasoning, RDQM (Research Design and Quantitative Methods), Science Literacy, Eastern Civilization, and Western Civilization will allow students to sample actual UIC lectures taught by regular, full-time UIC faculty members and offered in our Spring and Fall semesters. Faculty members include Robert Beachy, Mandel Cabrera, Edward Choi, Seunghei C. Hong, Michael Hope, Howard Kahm, and Michael Michael. Students will also enjoy an unparalleled opportunity to **meet** and **get to know** these outstanding professors as well as **hear** from UIC student-sonbaes about navigating academic life at UIC.

REGISTRATION

01 SCHEDULE

Application Period	January 2 (10AM) – 7(5PM), 2025
Full Tuition Due	January 7, 2025
WIC & CC Program	January 13 – 24, 2025

02 ELIGIBILITY

- 1 WIC & CC online program is open to all students accepted to UIC for the March 2025 semester, and space will be assigned on a **first-come, first-served** basis (maximum 30 students).
- 2 Space-permitting, current UIC students (including students on leave of absence) may also register for WIC.

03 APPLICATION MATERIAL

- 1 Online Application
- 2.1 Prospective Students (Class of 2025):
Original copy of admission acceptance letter
- 2.2 Current Students: Certificate of Enrollment
- 3 Application Fee

04 APPLICATION & REGISTRATION PROCEDURE

- 1 Fill out and submit the online application form at <http://wic.yonsei.ac.kr>
- 2 Submit application fee
- 3 Receive a notice of admission by email
- 4 Submit tuition fee

FEES

01 SCHEDULE

Fees	Amount (KRW)	Deadline
Application	50,000	January 7, 2025
Tuition	1,100,000* *550,000 w/ deduction	January 7, 2025

* Prospective and current UIC students (including students on leave of absence) will receive a 50% tuition scholarship/deduction.

02 REFUND POLICY

For all refunds, students must send a written notice of cancellation to the Yonsei UIC Office (uicwriting@yonsei.ac.kr). Please note that additional bank and postage charges will be deducted from the refund.

Fees	Policy	
Application	Non-refundable	
Tuition	Refund (Full Tuition)	Until January 10, 2025
	Refund (2/3 Tuition)	Until January 15, 2025
	Refund (1/2 Tuition)	Until January 20, 2025
	Non-refundable	From January 21, 2025



2025 UIC WIC & CC

learn essential components of academic writing and preview CC lectures by full-time UIC faculty members to get a head start on your academic career at UIC

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