

2026 KGGTF Youth Interns

	Chaeyeon Ahn is a Master's student in International Commerce at Seoul National University, with a background in economics and data analytics from her undergraduate studies in International Studies. She previously interned at the UN World Food Programme Seoul Office and is interested in applying data-driven economic strategy to sustainability initiatives.
	Hangyeol Kim recently earned an M.S. in Sustainability Management from Columbia University, completing a capstone project with the UNFCCC on climate action analysis. She specializes in climate finance structuring and partnership development, with professional experience in impact investing and accelerating sustainability-linked startups.
	Juwon Keum is a master's student in International Agricultural Development Cooperation at Seoul National University, with interests in agricultural and rural development in developing countries, agricultural ODA, and sustainable development cooperation.
	Jisu Kim is a graduate student in Development Cooperation at Ewha Womans University, with a minor in International Relations. Her research focuses on the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and partnerships, including South-South cooperation, and she has professional experience in ODA project management, monitoring and evaluation (M&E), and international partnership coordination across Asia, Africa, and Latin America.
	Jooyeon Han is a master's student at Seoul National University Graduate School of International Studies, majoring in International Development. Aligning with the experience in UNESCO APCEIU for conducting GCED projects, her interest lies in international education development cooperation and ODA project management.
	Junsu Park is a Master's student at SNU's GSES. His research focuses on how climate events resulting from climate change, such as drought, and the climate policies implemented to address these events affect the real economy. He uses econometrics as his research methodology.

	<p>Kayoung Kim holds a Bachelor's degree in Economics and is currently pursuing a Master's degree in Economics. Her experience includes internships in consulting and financial services, along with recent research-oriented work on digital agriculture. She is broadly interested in the intersection of environmental and economic issues.</p>
	<p>Onsol Cho is a Master's student in International Development at Seoul National University Graduate School of International Studies. With professional experience at UNDP Thailand, her research interests focus on sustainable development and climate finance.</p>
	<p>Seungil Yoo is a Master's student in the Graduate School of International Agriculture Technology, with a deep interest in agricultural development and smart farm.</p>
	<p>Seungwoo Yoo is a Master's student in Economics at Korea University. His research focuses on how digital frameworks pave the way for sustainable growth and development, with particular attention to trade, digital economics, official development assistance (ODA), and foreign direct investment (FDI).</p>
	<p>Jihye Kang is a Master's student in Marine Science at Seoul National University, with professional experience at UNESCO IOC and the National Institute of Green Technology (NIGT). Her research focuses on integrating marine infrastructure and maritime logistics into sustainable climate policy. Drawing from her contribution to the UNFCCC COP30 Earth Information Day, she is particularly interested in leveraging ocean observation data for climate finance and global disaster risk management.</p>
	<p>Sungbin Na is a Master's student in International Studies at Seoul National University, working at the intersection of sustainable development and evidence-informed development policy. Her experience with the United Nations World Food Programme and the UN Human Rights Council Advisory Committee has shaped her interest in inclusive, sustainable, and accountable development approaches.</p>

	<p>Tongkyu Kim is an environmental researcher focused on the human dimensions (behavior, perception, decision-making) of climate change. With experience across government, private sectors, international organizations, and academic research, he aims to advance cross-sector advocacy for broader sustainability efforts. He holds an M.A. in Environmental Policy and a B.A. in International Studies from Hanyang University.</p>
	<p>Woojeong Yang holds a Master's degree in Agricultural Science, with research experience in rice molecular genetics and transcriptomics. His interests include international development cooperation and climate-resilient agriculture. He also served as the Korea Lead of the FAO World Food Forum (WFF) National Chapter.</p>
	<p>Yujin An is a master's student in Urban Planning at Hongik University. Her research interests focus on urban development and regional economics, including GIS-based spatial analysis, tracking regional economic growth using satellite remote sensing data, and regression-based causal analysis.</p>