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Today, Korea’s urbanization rate has reached 92%. This means that all human activities in Korea – including political, social, economic, and cultural, etc. – mostly take place spatially within the cities; thus, it can be said that the competitiveness of the cities is in fact the competitiveness of the nation. Therefore, in order to promote growth of our nation and to solve the problems that may arise along with such growth, we must think and ponder first in terms of urban interest. Our organization is place where city experts gather to mull over societal issues as well as to seek measures to resolve those issues.

Established in 1959, The Korea Planning Association (KPA) is an academic research organization with approximately 7,000 individuals as well as various public and private institutions (as of January 2016) as its members. The number and composition of our members is a clear indication that we are Korea’s leading research organization in urban planning.

Over the years, our organization has played a leading role in supplying national infrastructures such as highways and industrial complexes. We have also led the efforts to stabilize the housing, through supply and balanced development. Our achievements can clearly be seen from many new towns and innovation cities we have led in developing such as Bun Dang, Il San, and Se Jong. In addition, we have recently begun leading the discussions as well as coming up with new paradigm on planning of new types of cities such as resilience city, world city, U-city, and healthy cities – in order to cope with the changes due to climate change, globalization, IT innovation, declining birthrate, and aging population. Furthermore, we are also focusing on future subject matters such as land development and urban planning in North Korea post-unification of the Korean peninsula, and exportation of urban planning platform to developing countries.

But above all, we are most proud of the magnitude and the quality of our academic activities. The Journal of Korea Planning Association (JKPA), the official journal of KPA, is currently ranked first on Korea Citation Index (KCI) of National Research Foundation of Korea as the publication most cited; and it was also selected by the Ministry of Education, Science and Technology in Korea as one of “Korea’s leading journals.” Our English publication, The International Journal of Urban Sciences (IJUS), is published through a world class publisher Routledge. It is currently listed on SCOPUS as well as ESCI, and is being prepared to be listed on SSCI.

Our monthly publication "Urban Information Service" which provides urban planning issues quickly and accurately to Korean readers is a “must-read” for all city planning related public employees throughout over 240 regional government offices in Korea. We have also compiled numerous teaching materials for those studying in the fields of urban planning, while various special issues on the subject had been published for the benefit of general public.

Our organization has been discovering and sharing new knowledge through numerous academic seminars such as our regular biannual conferences in spring and autumn. Moreover, we play a pivotal role – through seminars and debates on issues at hand – in establishing national policies and structuring systems on the land and the cities. Since 2000, we have – together with Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, and Transport – organized Korea City Awards aimed to evaluate and honor those regional government administrations that have excelled in managing its cities. We also organize “City Day” celebrations to remind all those involved in urban planning of their social duties.

All the activities and contributions of our organization cannot be fully described by just these words. Much more can be learned about us from our website. Please take time to view our site in detail. KPA is dedicated to being the leader and pledge that we will continue to play a significant role, both academic and social, in the field of urban planning. Once again, thank you for your kind support and interest in KPA.
## History

### 1958 ~
- **1958**
  - 5.30 / 6.07: 1st and 2nd Preparatory Meetings for Establishment of KPA Held
- **1959**
  - 7.11: 3rd ~ 8th Preparatory Meetings for Establishment of KPA Held
  - 7.25: Inaugural General Meeting Held

### 1963
- **7.21**: Seminar (with International Experts) on Development of Water Resources

### 1966
- **4.1**: Publication of the Inaugural Issue of the Academic Journal
- **9.3**: The 4th Seoul Conference on South-East Asia Planning and Housing Authority

### 1974
- **8.18**: Technical Terminology in National Land Planning Established

### 1982
- **4.1**: Publication of the 1st Issue of the Monthly Publication "Urban Information"

### 1984
- **2.18**: The 1st Academic Awards Presented

### 1985 ~
- **1985**
  - 11.3 - 11.9: Visit by Japanese Delegation to Korea (1st)
  - 11.30: Korean Delegation Dispatched to Japan (1st)
- **1986**
  - 4.19: Busan-Gyeongnam Chapter Founded
  - 11.7: The 30th Anniversary Celebration

### 1989
- **7.24**: Visit by City Planning Delegates of Japan and Taiwan

### 1990
- **8.25**: Extraordinary General Meeting Held (Korea Planning Association Adopted as its New Name)

### 1991
- **3.15**: The 1st Park Byung Joo Scholarship Awarded
  - **7.30**: Published Textbooks Titled "Urban Planning" and "Urban Planning and Management 2"

### 1993 ~
- **1993**
  - **8.5**: International Forum on "Long-term Development Plan for Yanji" Convened
  - **8.24**: Gwangju-Chonnam Chapter Established
- **1996**
  - **4.30**: Published Textbooks Titled "Development of Industrial Complex" and "Land Use Planning"
  - **6.28**: Chungcheong Chapter Established; Academic Symposium Held

### 1997
- **2.27**: Daegu-Kyungbuk Chapter Established and Academic Seminar Held in Celebration

### 1999
- **7.23**: Academic Seminar Held in Celebration of 40th Anniversary

### 2002
- **12.27**: "Sustainable City" Awards Ceremony Held

### 2004
- **12.9**: Jeonbuk Chapter Established and Celebratory Seminar Held

### 2005 ~
- **2005**
  - **2.25**: The 100th Regular Conference Held
  - **4.20**: MOU Made with Asan City for Mutual Improvement of Academic and Professional Fields
  - **6.1**: The 1st Industrial-Academic Cooperative Symposium Held
- **2008**
  - **10.10**: Enactment and Proclamation of "The City Charter"
  - **11.7**: MOU Made with Vietnam Urban Planning and Development Association
  - **11.25**: Agreement to Promote Certification in Korea Planning and Design Education Made

### 2009
- **5.29**: Annual Spring Industrial-Academic Cooperative Academic Conference (Anyang Univ.)
- **10.7 - 10.8**: The 50th Anniversary Celebration
  - **10.9**: The 3rd City Day Celebration (Seoul)
  - **11.6 - 11.7**: Fall Regular Conference (Seoul Nat’l Univ.)
2010

2. 26
The 21st Panel of Executive Directors Elected (Chairperson: Prof. Heo, Jae-wan of CAU)

6. 5
Annual Spring Conference (Hongik Univ.)

6. 28 - 7. 2
The 1st Overseas Urban Development Training Program (Singapore) for KPA

8. 27
MOU Signed with Korea Institute of Registered Architects

9. 10 - 9. 12
The 2nd Overseas Urban Development Training Program (Shanghai, China)

10. 7 - 10. 8
The 4th City Day Festival Celebration (Gumi City, Gyeongbuk)

11. 6
Annual Fall Academic Conference (Chonbuk Nat’l Univ.)

11.
"Communication between the City, the People, and the Space” Selected as “Outstanding Literature in Liberal Arts” by the Ministry of Culture, Sports and Tourism

12. 9
Seoul International City Advisory Council Held (Coex)

2011

1. 20
The 1st Construction of City Discussion, “Correlation between Sustainable Green City and Architecture” Held

4. 30
e-Book version of Urban Information Issued

5. 10
“The Journal of KPA” Named as the Journal Most Cited by KCI

6. 22 - 6. 25
The 3rd Overseas Training Program on Urban Construction (Macaw, Hong Kong)

8. 4
Agreement Made with KRIHS pledging cooperation and exchange of “Global knowledge in land and urban development.

8. 21
MOU for “Cooperation Program” Made with Urban Development Society of Chinese Province (Beijing, China)

8. 25 - 8. 27
International Symposium on Urban Planning Held (Gyeongju University)

9. 21
Keynote Address by Chairman Jae-wan Heo at the Academic Conference Organized by Urban Planning Society of China

10. 10
The 5th City Day Celebration (Gunsan City, Jeonbuk Province)

10. 28
Visit and Guest Lecture by Mr. Wang Kai, the Vice-Chairman of Urban Planning Society of China (Yonsei University)

2012

10. 29
Annual Fall Academic Conference (Geongwon University)

11. 1 - 11. 5
Overseas Visit Program for Case Studies in Urban Regeneration Utilizing Industrial-Cultural Heritage (Japan)

10. 24
The 22nd Panel of Executive Directors Elected (Chairperson: Prof. Woo-jong Yi of Gacheon University)

4. 10
Nat’l Land & Urban Education Institute’s “The 3rd Architecture and Urban Discussion” Held

4. 28
Annual Spring Industrial-Academic Cooperative Conference (Gangnam University)

6. 4 - 6. 7
Overseas Tour of Inspection Program on Urban Planning – Kazakhstan’s New Administrative Capital “Astana”

6. 20 - 6. 24
Nat’l Land & Urban Education Institute Overseas Urban Architecture Training Program (Malaysia)

8. 10
Visit by China’s Harbin City Hall Delegation; Discussion Session Held

2013

8. 23 - 8. 25
VUPDA, Joined ISCP as a Co-host Organization; Participation in 2012 International Symposium on City Planning (ISCP, formerly known as Korea Taiwan Japan International Symposium) (Taiwan)

9. 14
MOU Made with Jeju Development Institute

10. 8
2012 Korea Land-Urban Design Competition Awards Ceremony and Forum Held

10. 9 - 10. 10
The 6th City Day Celebration (Buscheon City)

10. 15
MOU Made with Daejeon Development Institute

10. 17 - 10. 19
Keynote Address by Chairman Woo-jong Yi at the Academic Conference Organized by Urban Planning Society of China

10. 26
Annual Fall Academic Conference (Kyung Sung University)

11. 7 - 11. 10
Overseas Tour of Inspection Program – Improvement of Urban Environment in Tokyo Region through Resident Participation

2013

1. 16
“The Journal of Korea Planning Association” Selected as “the Representative Academic Journal that Best Represents Korea”

4. 12
The 4th Architecture and Urban Discussion Session (Yonsei University)
2014

4. 27
Annual Fall Industrial-Academic Cooperative Conference (KwangWoon University)

6. 11 - 6. 15
Overseas Urban Regeneration Benchmarking Program (Japan)

6. 28 - 6. 30
Overseas Urban Architecture Training Program (Japan)

7. 10
“MOU on Knowledge Assistance for Establishment of Urban Regeneration Practical Strategy” Made with Busan

8. 22 - 8. 24
Participation in 2013 International Symposium on Urban Planning (ISCP, formerly known as Korea Taiwan Japan International Symposium) (Sendai, Japan)

8. 29
MOU for Urban Regeneration Made with Cheongju City

9. 26
International Symposium “City is Media” Held

10. 7
2013 Korea Land-Urban Design Competition Awards Ceremony and Forum

10. 10
The 7th City Day Celebration (Suncheon City)

10. 26
Annual Fall Academic Conference (Koryo University)

11. 3 - 11. 6
Research Agreement Signed with “Research Group for the Institutions and the Law of Development, Urban Planning and Housing (GRIDAUH)” of Université de Paris I in France

2015

10. 8
The 8th City Day Celebration (Suwon City)

10. 24 - 10. 25
2014 Fall Academic Conference (Chungbuk National University)

11. 6 - 11. 8
2014 ISCP (Vietnam)

2016

2. 15 - 2. 19
The 3rd Urban Regeneration Benchmarking Trip

2. 25
The 24th Panel of Executive Directors Elected (Chairman: Prof. Hong-bae Kim of Hanyang University)

3. 15
Agreement Made for Cooperation in Urban Planning Academy of Citizens of Busan

4. 30
2016 Spring Industrial-Academic Cooperative Conference (University of Seoul)

6. 15
Cooperation Method in Urban Planning and Development of Columbia Seminar

7. 25 - 7. 27
Participation in UN Habitat III PrepCom3

8. 25 - 8. 27
Participation in International Conference of Asia-Pacific Planning Societies

10. 7
The 10th City Day Celebration (Suncheon City)

10. 28 - 10. 29
2016 Fall Academic Conference (Suncheon City)

10. 31
MOU between KPA and Korea Transport Institute Signed

12. 24 - 12. 28
Nat’l Land & Urban Education Institute Courses Opened and Operated

2014

12. 3
MOU on Urban Regeneration Made with Changwon City

12. 7
The 5th Architecture and Urban Discussion Session

2015

3. 25
Hongseong-gun Urban Regeneration Project Agreement Ceremony and Seminar (KOFST)

5. 1
Seongnam City International Seminar on Urban Regeneration (Seongnam City Hall)

5. 28 - 7. 16
2015 The 1st Citizen’s City Academy Opened and Operated

6. 12
Daejeon, Sejong, Chungcheong Chapter Spring Academic Conference (Land and Housing Institute, Daejeon)

7. 15
International Symposium on Creative Urban Regeneration (Sejong Hall, Sejong Center for the Performing Arts)

9. 26
The 6th Korea Land-Urban Design Competition

2016

2. 28 - 7. 16
2015 The 1st Citizen’s City Academy Opened and Operated

5. 30
Daejeon, Sejong, Chungcheong Chapter Spring Academic Conference (Land and Housing Institute, Daejeon)

7. 15
International Symposium on Creative Urban Regeneration (Sejong Hall, Sejong Center for the Performing Arts)
Organization

President

Advisors

Vice-Presidents

Election Committee

Academic Award Committee

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- Publication Compilation Committee
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- Urban Planning Academy
- Urban and Land Policy Committee
- International Affairs Committee
- Operations Committee
- Planning Committee

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- Urban and Institutional Research Committee
- Land Use Research Committee
- Green Transportation Research Committee
- Urban Real Estate Economic Research Committee
- Regional Economic Planning Research Committee
- Urban and Real Estate Development Research Committee
- Urban Development and Regeneration Research Committee
- Land and Housing Research Committee
- Urban Design and Landscape Research Committee
- Park and Open Space Research Committee
- Environment and Energy Research Committee
- Urban Culture Research Committee
- Urban Regeneration Research Committee
- Town Development Research Committee
- Disaster Prevention and Safety Research Committee
- Smart City Research Committee
- Real Estate Policy Committee
- Unification Land Research Committee
- Eco-City Urban Planning Research Committee
- Young Scholar Society
- Place Marketing Research Committee
- Rural Planning Research Committee

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- Local Government Policy Advisory Council
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- Preparatory Committee for “Land City Design Competition”
- KPA Hall Construction Committee
- Historic Documentation Committee
- Public Relations Committee
- Woman Planners Committee
- 60th Anniversary Preparatory Committee

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Regional Chapters

1  Busan, Ulsan, Gyeongnam Regional Chapter

Busan, Ulsan, Gyeongnam Chapter was KPA’s first regional branch office to have been established in July 1971. Beginning with Prof. Geun-bae Hahn as the inaugural president, Eui-taik Suh, Chang-hwan Choi, Tae-min Sohn, Suk-ji Oh, Kyung-hwan Kim, Sung-ho Yi, Chul-hyun Yun, Young Kim, Hong-gwan Kim, Jong-sik Yi, Suk-hwan Yi, and Yeol Choi, have served as presidents over the years. Currently, Mr. Se-kyung Oh is serving as our 14th president. Through numerous academic activities and seminars, we have contributed greatly to raising professionalism in urban planning throughout Busan, Ulsan, and Gyeongnam Province. Also, as experts in urban planning, we strive to improve the quality of life for the local residents as well as the environmental quality of our cities.

2  Daegu, Gyeongbuk Regional Chapter

Daegu, Gyeongbuk Chapter began its activities after being approved by KPA at the general meeting held in February 1997. Our branch is placed where urban planning research scholars as well as on-site workers of Daegu and Gyeongbuk region come together and actively become involved in academic activities dealing with urban and regional issues, not to mention national policies. In particular, we have presented our research results every year – through seminars and regular spring/fall conferences – in our efforts to contribute to attaining successful future of our region and our nation.

3  Gwangju, Jeonnam Regional Chapter

Established in August 1993, Gwangju, Jeonnam regional branch has had 12 presidents in the past and currently the 13th branch president is serving his term. We were the 2nd regional chapter to have been formed by KPA. The organizational structure of our branch comprises of 1 president, 3 vice-presidents, 10 executive board members, and as many as 40 board members. In addition, there are about 80 members that are currently actively involved. With professors in related fields from various universities in the region as key members, many others including those from research centers involved in urban planning, traffic planning, and city design, participate in our cause. Our main activities include workshops and debate sessions held every year in association with Gwangju City and Jeonnam Province. Various discussions, advisory counseling, and researches are currently being taken place to come up with solutions to regional issues such as long-term unexecuted city planning, urban revitalization, and eco-friendly urban planning strategies.

4  Daejeon, Sejong, Chungcheong Regional Chapter

Daejeon, Sejong, Chungcheong Chapter was founded on June 28, 1996 with Mr. Sang-jun Kwon as the inaugural president. Currently, Mr. Jung-woo Choi is serving as our 10th president. We hold regional academic conferences and participate in seminars as well as other academic activities on various topics.
5  Jeonbuk Regional Chapter

Jeonbuk Chapter’s main function is to propose alternative policies for the advancement of local regions by gathering various different viewpoints from academic institutions, research centers, local governments, and civic organizations – focusing on current issues and developmental subjects in Jeonbuk area. Especially, based on Jeonbuk’s own traditional cultural heritage along with its clean ecological natural environment, we strive to realize “Korea within Korea” by capturing the ways and values that are considered most “Korean”. In addition, we play a pivotal role in proposing alternatives and developing policies on currently pending regional issues such as “Samrak”(Three Happiness) policy for rural farms, establishment of total tourism system, vitalization of carbon industry, urban revitalization, improvement of regional under-developedness, and coexistence of regions connected to innovation cities, etc.

6  Gangwon Regional Chapter

Gangwon Chapter is comprised of many scholars of urban planning and real estate studies in Gangwon Province, as well as many people who actually work in these areas. Despite our small population and being less industrialized compared to other regions, we have the potential to become the center of future cities that value ecology and environment, not to mention post-unification of Korea. Our goal is to play a key role in alleviating and improving the urban problems in our region.

7  Jeju Regional Chapter

Of all regional chapters, Jeju was the latest chapter to have been established in 2013. Although we and Jeju Island are the smallest in scale, we had been asked to play many big roles in land development and urban planning. Our efforts are ongoing to promote practical and cooperative researches in Jeju Island. Our plan is to broaden our scope of research by working with other academic institutions involved in traffic, construction, and environmental issues in Jeju. We also intend to strengthen our cooperative relationship with KPA as well as other regional chapters.

Total Number of Regional Chapters
General Committees

Academic Affairs Committee

The Academic Affairs Committee prepares and organizes academic conferences, held biannually in spring and in fall, allowing our members and graduate students to present their academic achievements. The spring conference is an industrial-academic cooperative symposium jointly held in association with The Korean Professional Urban Planners’ Association, Korea Developer Association, and Construction & Residence Study Group. The conference is divided into different sessions – one aimed for professionals and the other for graduate students. In addition to being a place for seminars on policies dealing with the latest issues in urban planning, our conferences also provide place for our members to present and share their academic achievements.

Journal Editorial Board

The Journal Editorial Board is responsible for editing as well as all other matters relating to publication of our “Journal of Korea Planning Association”. The board enforces the rules prescribed by editorial regulations and decides on issues regarding the journal. In addition, the board has the authority over the works submitted for publication, including decision to reject or to publish the work and the order in which they will be published. The journal is issued at least 7 times in one year.

Urban Information Editorial Board

The Urban Information Editorial Board is responsible for editing KPA’s periodical “Urban Information Services”. The board comprises of 25~30 experts in related fields. The board strives to accurately relay the professional views on new directions we need to take in development and management of land and urban space, in line with paradigm shifts due to globalization, internationalization, informatization, and localization. After the first issue was published in March 1982, the periodical had been issued every single month ever since. “Urban Information Services” is an informational publication that not only deals with paradigm shifts in land and city, but it also efficiently provides trend shifts in government policies and developments, both domestic and foreign. As an informational medium, “Urban Information Services” has a wide range of readers, from students to industry leaders and to government employees.

Publication Compilation Committee

The Publication Compilation Committee is responsible for publication of technical textbooks as well as compilation of books for the general public. Such responsibility is demanded of KPA in order to effectively correspond to societal changes in the field of national land and city, and to dynamically react to the advancement in these studies. Some other responsibilities include making revisions to existing publications as well as reorganizing textbooks to drastically improve the education system. The latest major project was new publication of series of pocketbooks in order to promote KPA more widely to general public and new students in urban planning.
International Journal Editorial Board

The English Journal Editorial Board co-publishes International Journal of Urban Sciences (IJUS) with University of Seoul. IJUS was first issued by University of Seoul in 1997, and in 2010, it was selected as one of international journal projects to be funded by KPA. Joint publication of the journal began in April 2011, coinciding with the signing of publication agreement with Routledge Journal of Taylor & Francis Group. IJUS had been listed by SCOPUS in 2012 and by ESCI in 2016. Approximately 35 people make up the committee, including 2 chief editors and 5 assistant chief editors. The committee is planning to publish 30 theses through 4 issues, 3 regular and 1 special, of the journal to be published in 2017.

Urban Planning Academy

The Urban Planning Academy develops and operates educational curriculum on the latest theories and technical advancements in land, region, and urban planning, as well as field trip programs to exemplary places — both domestic and abroad. These programs target excellent human resources of our association along with other members, students, and professionals for the advancement in research and technology of land, region, and urban planning — ultimately contributing to fulfilling our inherent goal of attaining sustainable system of managing our territory.

Urban and Land Policy Committee

The Urban and Land Policy Committee’s goal is to obtain consensus among experts from various fields on debatable land and urban issues through discussions. Dealing with various topics such as deregulation, housing market, conflict management, urban safety, and public participation, the committee hopes to fulfill its societal duty of establishing public agreement through proposals and debates between various organizations such as national and regional policy research centers, central and local governments, private companies and developers, residents and civic organizations, and media, etc.

International Affairs Committee

The International Committee oversees overall international interactions and cooperation in pursuit of academic advancement as well as increase in hands-on participations from other nations. In particular, the committee organizes and participates in international academic conferences to promote international exchange among scholars and experts’ networks; provides support for the members in international exchange and cooperation; and supervises international exchange activities aimed at rearing the next generation of professionals in urban planning.
Operations Committee

The Operations Committee reviews general matters related to the operation of the association. The committee prepares and provides to the board of executives the materials necessary in their decision making. Moreover, the committee explores possibilities of cooperating with other organizations while seeking new business opportunities. The association’s vision is to be able to adapt to changes in socio-economic environment while faithfully carrying out its fundamental responsibilities. In order to achieve this, the committee plans to continue to search for ways to expand and maintain interaction with diverse individuals or organizations.

Planning Committee

The Planning Committee is responsible not only to prepare for the future tasks, but also for taking care of urgent matters. The scope of its duties include variety of tasks, from amending the association’s policy to improving informatization through reorganization of the website. One of the latest major project was making and distributing the new brochure in order to increase public’s interest in KPA.
Special Mission Committees

Urban Planning Professionals Expansion Committee

As the society transforms from that of industrial to informational in the 21st century, the scope of work for urban planners has to also expand from simply supplying basic infrastructures to satisfying all complex demands from the society. The Urban Planning Professional Expansion Committee, through careful analysis of problems – the process of searching for questions and answers on alternatives, the city, the economy, the society, vitalization of culture, and the future – that the cities face today, is actively working to identify and expand the roles and functions of urban planning professionals.

Local Government Policy Advisory Council

The Local Government Policy Advisory Council, through research and assistance, provides in-depth advices and consultations to local governments on their local policies and is dedicated to ensuring that those policies are carried out scientifically. The scope of research and assistance of the council includes overall urban/regional policies such as, development and management of cities that the policies are based on or of cities that are subject of latest interest due to their policies, creative cities or regions, sustainable advancement, regional zoning, and innovation cities, etc.

Anniversary Committee for “City Day”

The main responsibility of Anniversary Committee for “City Day” can be separated into two major areas. First, the Committee is responsible for evaluating “the sustainability of the city and quality of its living infrastructures” of local governments according to Article 3.2 of National Land Planning and Utilization Act, and making nominations for the “Sustainable City Award” based on those evaluation results. The awards have been presented to cities every year since 2000 in order to encourage sustainability as well as uniqueness of cities, to promote sound urban policies for the public, and to increase public’s interest and participation in urban administration. The second responsibility is organizing and operating the “City Day Celebration” with the Ministry of Land, Infrastructure and Transport, and in association with various institutions, research centers, and civic groups. The City Day had been celebrated every year since 2007 and it was set up for the purpose of “reminding the public the social, cultural, and locational importance that the cities possess; raising public awareness in establishing urban space, bringing people together for harmony and solidarity; and creating positive atmosphere for development of cities that people want to live in.”

Preparatory Committee for “Land City Design Competition”

Preparatory Committee for “Land City Design Competition” is a special committee in charge of handling all stages of “Korea Land & City Design Competition” including PR, judging, organizing international forum, and study abroad program for winners. The annual competition, presented by the Ministry of Land, Infrastructure and Transport, is recognized for promoting creativeness in landscape designing within city spaces and is considered as the most prestigious open design competition in Korea. Since 2009, KPA had been independently organizing the “Land City Design Competition”, but beginning in 2016, it merged with “Landscape Award” and became what is now, the “Korea Land City Design Competition”. KPA is currently serving as the executive chair of the competition.
KPA Hall Construction Committee

The KPA Hall Construction Committee facilitates the members to efficiently perform their activities by providing and operating office and meeting spaces. By saving a part of profit every year and with the donations from the members along with construction fund accumulated through researches, the ultimate goal is to construct the association’s own independent permanent hall.

Historic Documentation Committee

It is no exaggeration to say that the history of modern land urban development in Korea began with the founding of our association. The “Urban Planning Act”, the predecessor to the current “National Land Planning and Utilization Act” was enacted in 1962, three years after the founding of KPA, whereas “Act on Comprehensive Plans for Construction in the National Territory”, the predecessor to the current “Framework Act on National Territory” was enacted in 1963. The contributions made by our land-urban planning division over the years had been immense. KPA, from Comprehensive Plans for National Territory to Basic Urban Planning to Urban Management Plan to Regional Planning, had been committed to improving the quality of life, by designating planned and systematic order of utilizing land and urban spaces. While creating new types of cities such as new city, happy city, innovation city, and industrial city, KPA strove to improve sustainability through urban redevelopment and urban revitalization projects. The Historic Documentation Committee was formed in May 2016 in anticipation of the KPA’s 60th Anniversary in 2019, to look back at the past accomplishments throughout its history and document those achievements as well as theories in urban planning, so that they can be passed along to future generations.

Public Relations Committee

The Public Relations Committee is responsible for promoting KPA, both internally and externally. The committee’s main duty is to readily inform KPA’s activities to students, researchers, professionals, government employees, and media.

Woman Planners Committee

The Woman Planners Committee is carrying out the project with the aim of activating the participation of women’s membership by expanding opportunities for interchange among members, and researching and supporting social activities for women experts.

60th Anniversary Preparatory Committee

The 60th Anniversary Preparatory Committee is organized to prepare the commemorative project for the 60th anniversary in 2019. We will organize various events such as commemorative conferences, publication of memorial books, and related parties, media specials and tour lectures.
## Research Performance

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Publications

Journal of Korea Planning Association

First published in 1966, The “Journal of Korean Planning Association” (JKPA) has become the top journal in the field of urban planning, being listed with the National Research Foundation of Korea (NRF) as a level-A publication. Seven issues with over 35,000 copies are published every year. JKPA was selected as the best academic journal by the Ministry of Education, Science and Technology in 2013, and again in 2015 by the NRF. It continues to be ranked very high and has become the journal most cited in related studies.

The Journal Editorial Board handles all matters relating to assessment of works submitted (such as selecting the judging panel, evaluating panel’s decisions, making final decision to publish, and evaluating compliance with research ethics), editing, and distribution of JKPA.

In 2016, in order to improve expertise in each fields of studies, the heads of 13 basic research committees (Planning Theory and History, Planning Law, Land Use Planning, Transportation Planning, Urban Real Estate Economics, Regional Economic Planning, Urban and Real Estate Development, Urban Regeneration, Land and Housing, Urban Design and Landscape, Park and Open Space, Environment and Energy, and Urban Culture) were also appointed as editors. Moreover, in order to maintain balance between quantitative analysis and qualitative approach, the system with 2 co-editors in chief was instigated.
Urban Information Service

First printed in 1982, Urban Information Service is a monthly informational periodical that deals with urban planning issues. Among various issues relating to cities in Korea and around the world, problems of importance are selected and dealt with. Urban Information Service is a valuable source of expert knowledge and information in the field of urban planning, easily accessible not only for urban planning professionals, but also for regional government employees as well as for the general public.

International Journal of Urban Sciences

The International Journal of Urban Sciences (IJUS) is an international journal that is listed at SCOPUS in 2012. Beginning in April 2011, KPS has jointly published IJUS with University of Seoul. Initially, the journal was first published in 1997 by University of Seoul, with emphasis on Asian values, experiences, and diverse approaches. In December 2012, with the signing of publishing agreement with Routledge Journal, a subsidiary to Taylor & Francis Group, IJUS took its first step on its way to internationalization. By maximizing the synergy effect from working with University of Seoul, KPA aims to have IJUS listed by SCI/SSCI within the near future.
Conferences

Spring / Fall Academic Conferences

Since 1993, the Korean Planning Association has organized Annual Fall Academic Conference, the biggest academic event in the second half of the year where academic research theses are presented. The Spring Industrial-Academic Cooperative Conference is where people in the industry and those from educational academies gather to discuss current issues and together seek new ways for advancement. The spring conference is jointly presented with The Korean Professional Urban Planners’ Association, Korea Developer Association, and Construction & Residence Study Group.

Spring Industrial-Academic Cooperative Conferences

2010

Date : June 5, 2010
Venue : Garam Hall, Hongik University
60 Theses Presented

2011

Date : April 30, 2011
Venue : Main Engineering Hall, Yonsei University
66 Theses Presented

2012

Date : April 28, 2012
Venue : Kangnam University
121 Theses Presented

2013

Date : April 27, 2013
Venue : Kwang Woon University
106 Theses Presented

2014

Urban Planning Marketplace – “Even One Design is Enough!”

Date : April 26, 2013
Venue : Han Yang University
131 Theses Presented

2015

Date : April 25, 2015
Venue : Seo Kyeong University
111 Theses Presented

2016

70 Years of Seoul – Communication and Consideration

Date : April 30, 2016
Venue : University of Seoul
137 Theses Presented
Fall Academic Conferences

2010
Date: November 5, 2010 ~ November 6, 2010
Venue: Engineering Halls 8 & 9, Chonbuk National University
152 Theses Presented

2011
Date: October 29, 2011
Venue: Vision Tower, Gachon University (Kyungwon Campus)
110 Theses Presented

2012
Date: October 26, 2012 ~ October 27, 2012
Venue: Hall 27, Kyung Sung University
116 Theses Presented

2013
Date: October 26, 2013
Venue: Korea University
147 Theses Presented

2014
Date: October 24, 2014 ~ October 25, 2014
Venue: Chungbuk National University
135 Theses Presented

2015
Date: October 30, 2015 ~ October 31, 2015
Venue: Ulsan National Institute of Science and Technology
123 Theses Presented

2016
Date: October 28, 2016 ~ October 29, 2016
Venue: Sunchon National University
115 Theses Presented

International Conference of Asia-Pacific Planning Societies

KPA began its interactive relationship with The City Planning Institute of Japan in 1979 and in 1988, The Urban Planning Association of Taiwan joined the affiliation. The First International Symposium on Urban Planning (ISUP) was held in September 1990, in Taipei, Taiwan. Such exchange between the academic societies has recently expanded to Asian-Pacific countries, and has since been named as “International Conference of Asia-Pacific Planning Societies”. The event was held at Sejong City in 2015, and at Chinese Cultural University, Taipei, Taiwan in 2016. The 2017 academic conference event is to take place in Nagoya, Japan, in August.

Major ICAPPS events hosted by KPA since 2000

2001
Date: August 16, 2001 ~ August 19, 2001
Venue: Yousung Hotel, Daejeon City

2005
Date: October 7, 2005 ~ October 10, 2005
Venue: Hanhwa Resort, Jeju Island
50 Theses Presented

2008
Date: August 21, 2008 ~ August 24, 2008
Venue: Chonbuk National University
77 Theses Presented

2011
Date: August 25, 2011 ~ August 27, 2011
Venue: Gyeongju University
84 Theses Presented

2015
Date: August 20, 2015 ~ August 22, 2015
Venue: Sejong Convention Center
78 Theses Presented
Through development and operation of educational and training programs, KPA fulfills its share of societal duty of advancing and promoting continuing education in urban planning. Various educational programs had been created: re-education programs for those already working in our industry; special lectures for students; field trip training programs to exemplary places for on-site experience; etc.

### Education Programs

**School for Urban and Real Estate Development**

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<td>January 5, 2015 ~ January 9, 2015</td>
<td>Glocal Hall, Graduate School of Environmental Studies, Seoul National University</td>
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<td>June 30, 2015 ~ July 6, 2015</td>
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<td>January 6, 2016 ~ January 8, 2016</td>
<td>Korea Land and Housing Corp., O-ri Building</td>
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<td>2016</td>
<td>Urban and Real Estate Development Winter School</td>
<td>February 1, 2016 ~ February 5, 2016</td>
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**National Land & Urban Education Institute**

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<td>Korea Land &amp; Housing Corp., Gyeonggi Headquarters #701</td>
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**Urban Mixed Use Development and Real Estate Course for Professionals**

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**Operation of Urban Mixed Use Development and Real Estate Course for Professionals**

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**Urban Planning and Real Estate Education**

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<td>December 14, 2016 ~ December 28, 2016 (Every Wednesday)</td>
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Field Trips Abroad

Singapore City Overseas, Construction Training Program: Mixed Use Development on Singapore City
Date: June 28, 2010 ~ July 2, 2010
Venue: Singapore

City and Construction Overseas Training Program: Trip to Shanghai Expo and Construction Sites
Date: September 10, 2010 ~ September 12, 2010
Venue: Shanghai, China

City and Construction Overseas Training Program: Urban Construction Field Trip to Macau, Hong Kong
Date: June 22, 2011 ~ June 25, 2011
Venue: Macau, Hong Kong

City and Construction Overseas Training Program: Urban Construction Field Trip to Malaysia
Date: June 20, 2012 ~ June 24, 2012
Venue: Putrajaya, Malaysia

Urban Regeneration: International Benchmarking Program (Japan)
Date: June 11, 2013 ~ June 15, 2013
Venue: Japan

City and Construction Overseas Training Program: Urban Construction Field Trip to Japan (mainly to Naoshima, the mecca of modern Japanese art)
Date: June 28, 2013 ~ June 30, 2013
Venue: Naoshima & Osaka, Japan
### City & Construction Overseas Training Program: City Regeneration and Creating Village

**Date:** October 11, 2014 ~ October 19, 2014  
**Venue:**  
- France (Strasbourg, Colmar)  
- Swiss (Luzern, Lugano)  
- Italy (Como, Milano, Cinque Terre, Venice)  
- Germany (Frankfurt, Darmstadt, Freiburg, Munich, Bamberg)  
- Austria (Innsbruck)

### Trip to “Water, Soil, and Earth Triennale” in Niigata, Japan

**Date:** August 28, 2015 ~ August 31, 2015  
**Venue:** Niigata Prefecture, Japan

### The 3rd Urban Regeneration Benchmarking Program to Japan

**Date:** February 15, 2016 ~ February 19, 2016  
**Venue:** Iwase District Culture & Art Village, Japan et al.

### Mixed Use Development and Urban Regeneration Field Trip to Singapore and Malaysia

**Date:** January 14, 2017 ~ January 18, 2017  
**Venue:** Singapore, Malaysia
The City Day is celebrated on October 10th of every year. It is a day for city residents to renew their awareness about the city they live in, to think once again about the place of their livelihood, and create the city they want to live in. Various events are organized for the celebration.

Seminars and Events

Celebrations for “City Day”

The 1st City Day Celebration
Date : October 10, 2007
Venue : Gyeongi Small and Medium Business Support Center International Conference Hall

The 2nd City Day Celebration
Date : October 9, 2008 ~ October 11, 2008
Venue : Jeonbuk Art Center, Jeonju Traditional Culture Center, Jeonju Gaeksa, Jeonju Hanok Village, Etc.

The 3rd City Day Celebration
Date : October 8, 2009 ~ October 9, 2009
Venue : The Korea Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Seoul

The 4th City Day Celebration
Date : October 7, 2010 ~ October 8, 2010
Venue : Gumi Digital Electronics Industry Exhibition Center, Gumi City, Gyeongbuk Province

The 5th City Day Celebration
Date : October 10, 2011
Venue : Gunsan City Hall, Jeonbuk Province

The 6th City Day Celebration
Date : October 10, 2012
Venue : Bucheon City Hall, Gyeongi Province

The 7th City Day Celebration
Date : October 10, 2013
Venue : Suncheon City Cultural Health Center, Suncheon, Jeonnam Province

The 8th City Day Celebration
Date : October 8, 2014
Venue : Suwon Youth Foundation

The 9th City Day Celebration
Date : October 14, 2015
Venue : Kangnung City Hall

The 10th City Day Celebration
Date : October 7, 2016
Venue : Suncheon Bay National Garden Tideland Performance Venue
Seminars & Policy Forum

Policy Forum

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Research Committee Seminar

As of January 2016, there are 23 research committees within the KPA. Each committee has actively lead discussions and organized seminars on policies and problems that are relevant to their respective areas of study. Last year alone, 12 seminars were held.

- **Research Committees**

Planning Theory & History Research Committee, Urban and Land Institutional Research Committee, Land Use Research Committee, Green Transportation Research Committee, Urban Real Estate Economic Research Committee, Regional Economic Planning Research Committee, Urban and Real Estate Development Research Committee, Urban Development and Regeneration Research Committee, Land and Housing Research Committee, Urban Design and Landscape Research Committee, Park and Open Space Research Committee, Environment and Energy Research Committee, Urban Culture Research Committee, Urban Regeneration Research Committee, Town Development Research Committee, Disaster Prevention and Safety Research Committee, Rural Planning Research Committee, Smart City Research Committee, Real Estate Policy Committee, Unification Land Research Committee, Eco-City Urban Planning Research Committee, Young Scholar Society, Place Marketing Research Committee

The 1st Policy Forum: Urban Revitalization through Public and Private Funding

Date: June 30, 2016 (Thu) 14:00  
Venue: The Korea Science and Technology Center, Conference Room #3

The 2nd Policy Forum: Government’s New Role in Line with Changes in Development Environment in Real Estate

Date: October 25, 2016 (Tue) 14:00  
Venue: The Construction Guarantee Union, Construction Building 3rd Fl. Main Conference Room

The 3rd Policy Forum: National Land, Urban Policies and Real Estate

Date: November 3, 2016 (Thu) 14:30  
Venue: The Korea Science and Technology Center, Conference Room #4

The 4th Policy Forum: Fourth Industrial Revolution and Smart National Land & City

Date: December 12, 2016 (Mon) 14:00  
Venue: The Korea Science and Technology Center, Conference Room #2
## 2016 Research Committee Seminars

### U-City Research Committee Seminar: “U-City Realization Strategy”
- **Date**: February 11, 2016 (Thu) 14:00
- **Venue**: Hanbat National University, Building S8 Room #510-1

### Eco-City Urban Planning Research Committee Seminar: “The Age of Energy Conversion has Begun”
- **Date**: March 19, 2016 (Sat) 16:00
- **Venue**: Buddhist Women’s Development Institute, Jihye Room

### Town Development Research Committee Seminar: “City Full of Life – Guest Seminar”
- **Date**: July 7, 2016 (Thu) 14:00
- **Venue**: Gyeongi Human Resources Development Center Room #413

### Young Scholar Society Seminar: “Academic Trend in America and Presentation of Theses from Abroad”
- **Date**: August 11, 2016 (Thu)
- **Venue**: Hanyang University, Science & Technology Bldg. 2 Fl. Room C

### Unification Research Committee Seminar: “Search of New Economic Cooperation post-Interruption of Gaesung Industrial Zone”
- **Date**: September 2, 2016 (Fri) 15:30
- **Venue**: KPA Main Conference Room

### Eco-City Urban Planning Research Committee Seminar: “Policy Discussion Forum on Urban Planning and Effect on Groundwater Due to Mixed Use Development of Yeongdong-daero”
- **Date**: October 6, 2016 (Thu) 14:00
- **Venue**: Seoul Metropolitan Council, 2Fl. Main Conference Room #1

### Planning Theory & History Research Committee Seminar: “Gentrification – the Urban Planning Approach”
- **Date**: October 10, 2016 (Mon) 18:00
- **Venue**: Jeonju Yeonghwa Hotel. 3Fl. Seminar Room

### Urban Regeneration Research Committee Seminar: “Understanding Village and the Residents in Urban Regeneration”
- **Date**: October 13, 2016 (Thu) 10:00
- **Venue**: KPA, Main Conference Room

### Urban Regeneration Research Committee Seminar: “A Look into Integration of Urban Regeneration Community and Social Economy”
- **Date**: November 10, 2016 (Thu) 10:00
- **Venue**: KPA, Main Conference Room

### Urban Regeneration Research Committee Seminar: “The Direction of Seoul’s Urban Regeneration Projects”
- **Date**: December 15, 2016 (Thu) 10:00
- **Venue**: KPA, Main Conference Room

### Unification Research Committee Seminar: “Cooperation for Development of Korean Peninsula in Pursuit of Eurasia’ Discussion”
- **Date**: December 21, 2016 (Wed) 14:00
- **Venue**: National Assembly Member’s Hall 2Fl. Conference Room #1

### Young Scholar Society Seminar: “A Study of Walkability Impacts on Foreclosure”
- **Date**: December 29, 2016 (Thu) 14:00
- **Venue**: Hanyang Univ., Science & Technology Bldg. 2Fl. Lecture Hall C
# Sustainable City Awards

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<td>Songpa-gu, Seoul (Safety &amp; Health); Buk-gu, Gwangju (Green Space)</td>
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<td>Buchon City, Gyeonggi Province (Cultural City)</td>
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<td>Jeung Pyeong-gun, Chungbuk Province (Green City); Namyangju, Gyeonggi Province</td>
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|      | | Economy, Vitality: Chungju City, Chungbuk Province 
|      | | Green, Safety: Seo-gu, Daejeon |
|      | KPA Chairman’s Award, Korea Central Daily Award | Uiwang City, Gyeonggi Province; and 7 other |
| 2014 | Presidential Award | Gangneung City, Gangwon Province |
|      | Prime Minister’s Award | Gijang-gun, Busan; Changwon City, Gyeongnam Province |
|      | MOLIT Minister’s Award | Jongno-gu, Seoul; and 7 other |
|      | KPA Chairman’s Award, Korea Central Daily Award | Gwangsan-gu, Gwangju Province; Seo-Gu, Daejeon |
| 2015 | Presidential Award | Suncheon City, Jeonnam Province |
|      | Prime Minister’s Award | Gijang-gun, Busan |
|      | MOLIT Minister’s Award | Gangneung City, Gangwon Province; and 5 other |
|      | KPA Chairman’s Award, Korea Central Daily Award | Ansung City, Gyeonggi Province; and 5 other |
| 2016 | Presidential and Prime Minister’s Awards | Pyeongtaek City, Gyeonggi Province |
|      | Presidential Award (Overall) | Jongno-gu, Seoul |
|      | Prime Minister’s Award (Overall) | Gijang-gun Busan; Paju City, Gyeonggi Province |
|      | MOLIT Minister’s Award | Sujeong-gu, Busan |
|      | Overall | Yeongdeungpo-gu, Seoul |
|      | City Society | Nam-gu, Ulsan |
|      | City Economy | Seosan City, Chungnam Province |
|      | Support System | Geoje-gun, Gyeongnam Province |
|      | KPA Chairman’s Award | Muju-gun, Jeonbuk Province |
|      | Overall | Geochang-gun, Gyeongnam Province |
|      | City Society | Eumseong-gu, Chungbuk Province |
|      | City Economy | Dangjin City, Chungnam Province; Yongin City, Gyeonggi Province |
|      | KRIHS** Chairman’s Award | Gwangyang City, Jeonnam Province |
|      | Overall | Gwangyang City, Jeonnam Province |
|      | City Environment | Gwangyang City, Jeonnam Province |

* MOLIT: Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, and Transport  ** KRIHS: Korea Research Institute for Human Settlements
# Land & City Design Competition

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<td>Korea Transport Institute (KOTI) Chairman’s Prize</td>
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<td>Middle-High School Students UCC Open Design Competition Prize</td>
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Every year, in order to promote growth and advancement of talented and competent students in urban studies, students who have excelled in their field of study are selected among all students majoring in 60 urban-related fields of study nationwide and presented with scholarship by the Korea Planning Association.

Korea Planning Association Scholarship

KPA Scholarship began with endowments from the late Prof. Byung-gi Kang, Prof. An-je Kim, Prof. Eui-won Kim, Prof. Eui-taik Seo, the late Prof. Jung-sub Yun, Prof. Myeong-su Jang, the late Prof. Jong-won Ju, Prof. Sang-chul Choi, and Prof. Yong-ju Hwang. Students in urban-related studies with excellent academic performance and commendable conduct are selected and honored with the scholarship.

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Haksan Park Byung Joo Scholarship

In respecting the wishes of the late Professor Byung Joo Park, the 5th President of Korea Planning Association, graduate students who have excelled in urban studies are selected and honored with the scholarship.

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Membership Guideline

Individual Membership

Qualifications

Regular Member
To become a Regular Member, a person(s) must satisfy one of the following requirements AND be recommended by at least 1 current regular member.

- Person(s) having graduated from a regular 4-year college currently engaged in national land planning, urban planning, regional development planning or any other related fields; OR person(s) recognized as having equal qualifications.
- Person(s) with at least 10 years of experience in national land planning, urban planning, or any other related fields.
- Regular members who have paid the lifetime membership dues will be granted the lifetime member status.

Associate Member
Person(s) currently enrolled in colleges, vocational schools, junior colleges, or with similar education, majoring (or have majored) in urban planning, regional planning, city design or any other related studies; AND having been recommended by at least 1 current regular member.

Enrollment Procedure

1. Online Registration
2. Payment of Membership Dues (Electronically Remitted)
3. Membership Authorization
4. Enrollment Complete

Membership Dues
Membership Dues Must be remitted via electronic payment system after registration/logging-in online.

Member Benefits
- Free subscriptions to Urban Information Service (12 issues/year) and Journal of Korea Planning Association (7 issues/year). (Limited to members who subscribe)
- Discounts to academic conferences
- Invitations to seminars, policy forums, and other KPA organized events
- Assistance in organizing policy forums or for researches
- Consultation on urban and national land planning
- Opportunity to submit work for publication in Journal of KPA (associate members may submit work only as a co-author)
- Access to various online material searches
- Notification of seminar and workshop archives (if requested)

Membership Dues

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Group Membership

Qualifications
• Any organization or institution involved in national land planning, urban planning, regional development planning or any other related fields that have paid the membership due amount set by the Board of Directors.
• Group Members are categorized as one of the following types: Local government, Public institution, National/Public Research Center, University & Library, Industrial & Engineering Company, and Other Corporation.

Benefits
• Free subscriptions to Urban Information Service (12 issues/year) and Journal of Korea Planning Association (7 issues/year)
• Invitation to seminars, policy forums, and other KPA organized events
• Access to various online material searches and downloads
• Educational assistance by experts in related fields, upon request

Enrollment Procedure
• Complete the Enrollment Application (downloadable from KPA website)
• Application must be signed by the person in charge of the applicant organization and mailed to: Members Management Department c/o Korea Planning Association
  Postal Code 135-703
  Seoul Gangnam-gu Tehran-ro 7-gil #22 (Yeoksam-dong 635-4)
  KOFST New Building Room #708

Remittance of Membership Dues
• Korea CitiBank Acct. #: 102-53245-254
  Acct. Name: KPA ((사)대한국토·도시계획학회)

Membership Authorization
• Website ID & Password, Group Membership ID Number will be assigned

Schedule of Membership Dues

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- There is no initial registration fee for group members.
- Membership dues should be remitted under the same name as the applying organization.
Special Membership

Qualifications

• Any individual or organization not satisfying conditions prescribed above in individual or group membership qualifications that wishes to participate in KPA’s activities
• AND those individuals or organizations that have made full payment of membership dues determined by the Board of Directors

Membership Type

• Supporting Member: An individual or organization in support of KPA’s business activities, whose membership had been approved by the Board of Directors
• Honorary Member: An individual, nominated by the Board of Directors, with expertise and profound knowledge in science & technology who has dedicated much to the advancement of our Association

Benefits

• Free subscriptions to Urban Information Service (12 issues/year) and Journal of Korea Planning Association (7 issues/year)
• Discounts on participations at academic conferences
• Invitations to seminars, policy forums, and other KPA organized events
• Access to various online material searches
Politic, Society, Economy, and Culture. All human activities spatially take place within the cities. The competitiveness of the cities is the competitiveness of the nation.