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| 지원금(Amount of Grant) | US$15,000 |
| 지출액(Expenses) | US$15,000 |
| 잔액(Balance) | US$0 |

※ 아래 사항을 분량에 상관없이 구체적으로 기입하시오. (Please describe the following in detail, use as many pages as needed.)

1. 학술회의 주최기관 및 개최기간(Conference Host & Conference dates)
   - **Conference host**: Korean Studies Association of Australasia (KSAA)
   - **Conference title and dates**: 9th Korean Studies Association of Australasia Biennial Conference held at University of South Australia, November 25-27, 2015, Adelaide, Australia

2. 학술회의 경과 보고(Appraisal): 계획대비 결과 비교, 향후 계획 등 (Outline of Activities, Activities completed, Comparison between Plan and Outcome, Future Plans, etc.)

*Background of Conference*

The field of Korean Studies in Australia and New Zealand has been growing steadily. Since its establishment in 1994, the Korean Studies Association of Australasia (KSAA) has been the key academic organization in Oceania dedicated to the promotion of research and teaching about the language, history, politics, society, and culture of Korea. KSAA’s biennial meeting serves as a
key platform for presenting cutting-edge research studies, nurturing the next generation of graduate students and developing an academic network among scholars and students of Korea in Australia and New Zealand. In fact the KSAA biennial conferences have reached outside of Oceania, attracting a good number of participants from South Korea, Southeast and Central Asia and North America to become a point of global contact connecting scholars and students globally.

**Evaluation of Project**

Following the great success of the 8th Biannual Meeting held at ANU from 27 to 28 June 2013, the KSAA with the generous financial support from the Academy of Korean Studies was able to hold its 9th Biennial Meeting at University of South Australia, Adelaide between November 25 and 27, 2015. We have 12 panel proposals, comprising over 50 individual papers from across Australasia, Southeast Asia (Cambodia, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand and Vietnam), Central Asia (India and Sri Lanka), Korea, Europe and North America and 4 roundtables including Korean Language Education in Australia.

The Conference was opened by Vice-Chancellor and President of the University of South Australia, Prof. David Lloyd and His Excellency Mr Bong-Hyun Kim, Korean Ambassador to Australia. Over 80 participants were joined in the Conference.

The KSAA was privileged and honoured to have two internationally renowned scholars for keynote lectures during the Conference: Professor and President of Korean Association of International Studies, Dr Tae-Hyun Kim from Chung-Ang University, Korea and Professor and President of European Association of Korean Language Education, Dr Jae-Hoon Yeon from SOAS, University of London, United Kingdom.

The 2015 KSAA Biennial Conference has also successfully established a wider network of Korean studies scholars and associations beyond Australasia. Given the Korean studies has started being recognized in other parts of Asia (i.e., Southeast Asia, Northeast Asia) in recent years and there is no unified Korean Studies Association in Asia yet to emerge, this conference was aimed at re-establishing a Korean studies scholars in Asia (i.e., Australasia, Southeast and Northeast Asia). During the Conference period, particularly on 26 November 2015, we had a special session on political economic relations between Korea and Southeast Asia. There were 4 papers presented from Cambodia, Philippines, Thailand and Vietnam respectively. Those 4 participants are from the Korean Studies Association of Southeast Asia.

During the Conference, the KSAA has also paid tribute to the life and work of late Professor Chung-Sok Suh (University of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia) for his contribution and legacy to Korean Studies across Australasia and beyond over the past 3 decades.

In honour of late Professor Suh, KSAA has established two (2) KSAA-funded awards; Professor Chung-Sok Suh Best Paper Award and Professor Chung-Sok Suh Best Graduate Paper Award. They were awarded in the 9th Meeting in Adelaide in November 2015, and will be awarded biennially (when the conference is held). On November 27, 2015, the KSAA held a special tribute to late Professor Suh followed by the award-giving ceremony given by Mrs Suh and family.
Conference outcome

The Conference was designed to ensure the continued growth of Korean studies across Australasia and beyond and to renew the zeal and enthusiasm among young and established scholars of Korean Studies in the region. In particular, the 9th KSAA Biennial Conference achieved the following:

✓ Provide a collegial and constructive platform for scholarly presentations and discussion;
✓ Enhance the academic network among participants and institutions;
✓ Create effective links between postgraduate students/ early career researchers and senior scholars, to encourage, guide and support their future research;
✓ Facilitate dialogue among senior academics for possible institutional collaboration in research, teaching, and outreach activities; and
✓ Hold the KSAA Executive Board meeting and discuss future directions for the KSAA.

The following are some of the comments from the participants after the Conference:

1. Dear Dr Lee

Thank you for a wonderful conference. You and your excellent team went above and beyond working so hard in Adelaide's busiest week of the year to ensure all members were comfortable and enjoying themselves. I am sure all will agree that the KSAA Adelaide Conference was the best conference held in the world in 2015 :)!

I am really looking forward to welcoming you and all KSAA members at the 10th KSAA Biennial Conference 2017 at the University of Technology, Sydney.

Kind regards
Bronwen
Dr Bronwen Dalton |
Director, Cosmopolitan Civil Societies Research Centre
Coordinator, Not-for-Profit and Community Management Program
Management Discipline Group
UTS BUSINESS SCHOOL

2. Dear Prof. Lee,

I’d like to echo what Bronwen said and share my warmest congratulations on your successful conference. In addition to the hard work that you and your team put into organising the conference, I would also like to express our appreciation for the excellent leadership you have provided to the KSAA over the past four years. We hope you will be willing to share your wisdom and insights in advancing the organization.

Thank you!

Best wishes,
Hyaeweol
Hyaeweol Choi (최혜월)
Director, Korea Institute
ANU-Korea Foundation Professor of Korean Studies
3. Dear You-Il,

Thanks to you and all of the organizing team for planning and running such a productive and smooth-running conference, where the atmosphere was truly welcoming and inspiring.

I thoroughly enjoyed the professional growth, increased networking and development of lasting friendships with colleagues in the field of Korean studies.

Andrea Blakely
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4. Dear Professor Lee,

I would like to express my thanks to the Conference Organising Committee and especially to you as the President for the hard work for many months.

Undoubtedly, many delegates must have appreciated your humour and professionalism as I have. I hope your December will be relaxing and pleasant.

Best regards,
Gil

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Communications & Media Studies
School of Media, Film and Journalism
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Monash University, Wellington Road, Clayton, VIC 3800, AUSTRALIA

5. Dear You-il,

Thanks so much for your hosting of the KSAA Conference. I felt the Conference was a success and had many strong points including good discussions and, of course, the tribute to Chung-sok. Thanks so much for your many, many efforts on behalf of the Korean Studies community!!

Best wishes,
Bruce
Professor J. Bruce Jacobs
Emeritus Professor of Asian Languages and Studies School of Languages, Literatures, Cultures and Linguistics Monash University Melbourne, Victoria 3800 Australia
3. 결산 (Financial Statement): 지출내역, 지원금, 잔액 등
   (Item, Detailed Expenses, AKS Funds, Balance, etc.)

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※ You should fill out a expense report and submit all your receipts.

Please note that we will provide relevant receipts/documents on expenses used for the Conference in early February 2016 as the Finance officers from the University of South Australia and the KSAA are currently on leave and will be back to office late January 2016.

4. 증빙서류 (Documentation): 결과물, 영수증 원본 및 기타 관련 자료
   (Proceedings or publications, All original receipts, and Related Materials on the Conference)

We have attached a copy of full Conference proceedings to this final report.

I on behalf of the KSAA thank once again the Academy of Korean Studies for its continuous and generous support for the Korean Studies Association of Australasia.

5. 서명 (Signature)

Project Director  

January 7, 2016