

The 14th Job Fair for Foreign-Invested Companies 2019



From June 4 to 5 at COEX in Seoul, Korea, the 14th Job Fair for Foreign-Invested Companies 2019 was co-hosted by the Ministry of Trade, Industry and Energy (MOTIE) and Seoul Metropolitan Government, and co-organized by KOTRA and the Financial Supervisory Service (FSS).

For two days, the job fair offered various programs, with 147 companies operating job counseling booths, 39 companies conducting on-site interviews with job seekers who passed a screening process prior to the event, and 19 companies holding recruitment seminars. Special lectures were also held covering topics related to recruitment as well as providing guidance on career development in foreign-invested companies.

Participation at this year's event was at an all-time high for both recruiting companies as well as job seekers, as 159 foreign companies doing business in Korea met with approximately 15,000 young locals on the search for employment. Of the total number of participating enterprises, 32 were Fortune 500 companies including HP, Unilever and Ikea, and 68 were Forbes Global 2000 companies such as Bayer, 3M and Schneider Electric. By geographical region, there were 61 European, 55 Asian and 47 North American companies from 17 different countries. By industry, 70 companies came from the manufacturing and chemical sector, 37 from sales and distribution, and 26 from services.

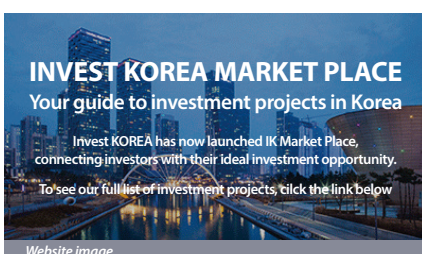
Invest KOREA's Services

One-Stop Service for Foreign Investors

The Inbound Investment Consulting Department not only assists foreign investors and foreign-invested companies in the investment review and implementation stage, but also offers customized services to help foreign investors and their families get comfortably settled in Korea.

Invest Korea Market Place (IKMP)

IKMP is a project aimed at discovering promising Korean SMEs seeking to attract foreign investment and matching them with foreign investors who have compatible needs. Projects looking for investment are posted on our website at www.investkorea.org.



Job Fair for Foreign-Invested Companies

IK organizes annual job fairs to help foreign-invested companies discover qualified local talent, and job seekers find employment through job consultations, on-site interviews, and more.



Exclusive Online Recruitment Platform for Foreign-Invested Companies

IK operates a recruitment platform for foreign-invested companies to support their on-demand as well as regular hiring processes. (<http://kotra.incruit.com>)

Invest Korea Plaza (IKP)

Invest Korea Plaza (IKP) is Korea's first facility dedicated to the incubation and investment of foreign investors. Each year, more than 40 foreign-invested companies rent out offices in the plaza and utilize IK's one-stop service.



Foreign Investment Ombudsman

The Office of Foreign Investment Ombudsman is an organization established in 1999 to provide close aftercare support and grievance resolution services for foreign-invested companies, and is dedicated to resolving any difficulties that foreign-invested companies face while doing business in Korea.