Name (Country): The Korea Foundation (Korea)

Established: January, 1992

Head Office: Seoul, Korea

Mandate: "The Foundation is dedicated to advancing international exchanges in all manner of creative or intellectual endeavours and is aimed at promoting mutual understanding and friendship between the peoples of Korea and the rest of the world, thereby contributing to the enhancement of world culture and the welfare of all mankind." (The Korean Foundation Program Outline, 1992)

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Programs/Activities: The Foundation's activities can be summed up as follows:

- 1. to organize, sponsor and participate in diverse international cultural exchange programs;
- 2. to invite foreigners to Korea and to dispatch Koreans abroad for international conferences, seminars and research activities;
- 3. to support Korean studies overseas and to distribute Korean studies reference materials;
- 4. to conduct other programs and activities designed to help broaden understanding of Korea in the international community; and
- 5. to promote cooperation with major foreign cultural and academic organizations.