

- June 5: MOU signing ceremony with the Korea Employment Promotion Agency for the Disabled
- 9: World Korean Business Forum (Lotte Hotel, Busan)
- 10: Appointment ceremony of history communicator Choi Tae-sung as OKA's goodwill ambassador
- 10: World Korean Business Export Consultation (Lotte Hotel, Busan)
- 17: Opening Ceremony of the 1st Next Generation Korean Home Country Invitation Training

OKA Announcements

2025 Overseas Koreans Literary Awards being held; make submissions to Korean.net by June 30

Overseas Koreans Agency opens the 27th Korean Literature Creative Studio; total prize money of 29.5 million won

The OKA is holding a contest for the 2025 Overseas Koreans Literary Awards for overseas Koreans living around the world.

The literary contest, which will be held for the 27th time this year, will run from June 4 to 30 through Korean.net. The contest will be held in three categories -- Poetry, Short Story and Essay -- under either a free theme or themes of identity, immigration experience and Hangeul school activities.

All overseas compatriots who have obtained citizenship or permanent residency in their countries of residence or have been living abroad for at least seven years are eligible to apply. However, youth (between the ages of 7 and 19) are eligible if they have obtained citizenship or permanent residency, or have been living abroad for more than five years. The 13 winners will receive a total of 29.5 million won (US\$21,700), including the grand prize of 5 million won, the second prize of 2.5 million won and the honorable mention of 1 million won.

For more information on the submission period and method, preliminary briefing sessions, judging and announcements via YouTube (youtube.com/ @OKAKOREA), please refer to the website (https://www.oka.go.kr), Korean Net and the official page (https://m.site.naver.com/11SKG), email (pms01@okocc.or.kr) or call (+82-2-3415-0144).

Since its founding in 1999, the Overseas Koreans Literary Awards have been a leading literary awards that has created a space for the creation of Korean language literature and promoted cultural communication between Koreans and overseas Koreans, and this year, for the first time, all of the winners will be invited to their home country for the awards

제27회 재외동포 문학상
2025. 6. 4. (수) ~ 6.30. (월) 23:59 (한국시간 기준)

상	시	단편소설	수필	수상자별 상금
대상	1명	1명	1명	500만원
우수상	1명	1명	1명	250만원
가작	2명	2명	3명	100만원

상장식 초청 행사
- 지원 내역: 항공료, 숙박비, 식비 등 참가비 일체
* 항공은 왕복, 일반석으로 재외동포청 지원기존 상한액 내에서 지원
* 일정, 장소, 항공료 상한액은 추후 수상자 개별 통보

접수 기간 및 방법
- 기간: 2025. 6. 4.(수) - 6. 30.(월) 23:59(한국시간 기준)
- 방법: 코리아넷(korean.net) 온라인 접수
① 코리아넷(korean.net) 공지사항 접속
② 하단의 '온라인 신청서 작성하기' 버튼 클릭
③ 신청서 작성 → 용모 촬영 첨부
④ 제한 (제출기한 내 수정 가능)
⑤ 마이페이지 → 신청서 확인 → 신청 완료 (최종 제출 후 수정 불가)

공모 부문

부문	출품 권수	1등당 원고 분량	작품 용모 서식
시	3~5편	제한 없음	
단편소설	1~3편	16,000자 내외	15쪽 내외
수필	1~3편	5,000~10,000자 내외	5~10쪽 내외

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사전 설명회
- 일시: 2025. 6. 13.(금) 10:00~11:00 (한국시간 기준)
- 주소: 재외동포청 유튜브 (youtube.com/@OKAKOREA)

발표
- 수상자 발표: 2025년 9월 중
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ceremony and various networking events. The winners will receive all expenses for participation, including round-trip airfare and accommodation.