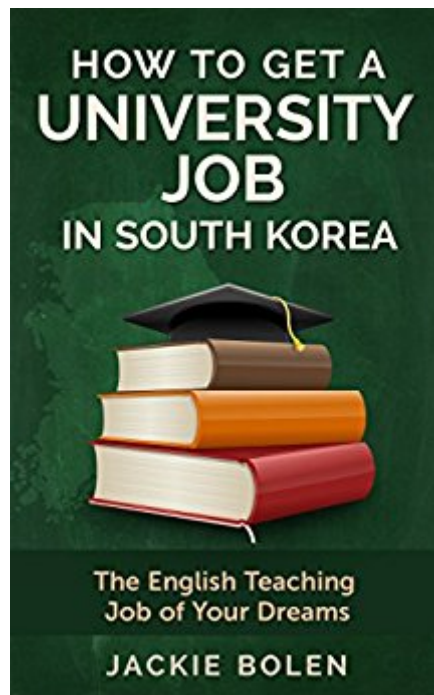


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How To Get A University Job In South Korea: The English Teaching Job Of Your Dreams



Synopsis

Find the job of your dreams and keep it! Ten years ago, university jobs in South Korea were pretty easy to come by. Nowadays, even a Master's degree and a few years of experience are no guarantee you'll get the gig. Jackie Bolen has worked at Korean universities for nearly a decade. She's here to help. In *How to Get a University Job in Korea*, you'll learn: -The people universities are looking for as their prime candidates-What to do if you don't fit the bill-Job search and networking strategies-Mistakes to avoid during interviews and demo lessons-Application package tips, frequently asked questions, and much, much more!-The book also includes a sample resume template and cover letter advice that'll help you make the best first impression. Jackie's book is chock full of useful information and resources so that you can follow the same path she did. If you want to get a university job in Korea, then this book is a must-read! Buy the book today to search for, land, and keep that prime university job!

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Customer Reviews

After reading this, I know what steps I need to take from here. Thanks for all the great info! The last

few pages with all the resources is also much appreciated.

Good advice. Not really a "book" but good.

Very informative.

It's not that the book is bad, but it is unneeded. First of all, the job market for English teachers (both university and non-university) has changed dramatically in the last year. The market for university jobs is flooded. A Master's degree is no longer enough. It must be a Master's in Education. The number of incoming freshman will plummet in 2017 (and continue for years) due to a dip in the birth rate in 1999. Second of all, all of the information is available for free with a Google search.

I recently read this book and it offered a lot of good tips. In fact, some of the tips for things like improving your resume and building professional networks are good not only for teaching in Korea but also for applying for jobs in general. The book offers numerous excellent resources and websites. It is well-written and well-edited. Having said that, I think that the book makes it seem easier than it actually is to be able to get a university job. I have a master's degree, a couple of years of teaching/training experience, and am currently in Korea. According to the book, I should have a decent shot at acquiring a university job. So after editing my application documents and having a current Korean university professor (and HR professional) look over my resume, I applied to over twenty-five different positions university and unigwon positions. The result: not a single interview. It wasn't just sending out resumes either- it was networking, attending KOTESOL meetings and other tips that the book recommended. So while the book offers good tips and while I would certainly recommend it, I think that the book views the Korean university position job market with rose-colored glasses. In reality, there are so many people in Korea looking for work (and so many people with advanced degrees) that it is next to impossible to get a university job these days. Again I recommend the book, but I think it can falsely get your hopes up when the English teaching market is getting more and more competitive each year in Korea. Without a master's (or higher degree) in ESL and at least two years of university teaching experience, you're going to be hard-pressed to find a university job in my humble opinion.

This book offered a lot of helpful advice on how to get a university job, market yourself favorably and also offers advice on how to network (which is really important in Korea). She gives an insider's

perspective which is good to know. It's very realistic and she gives you the run down on how it works job searching for that perfect university job in South Korea.

great book. I read it,, used some of it's recommendations (mainly resume/cover letter), and am starting a Uni job in the fall. Who knows if it was the book or not... but reading it gave me confidence in what i was doing has worked for others.

This book offered really great advice not only on how to land that job but also some major tips on what Korean universities look for specifically. Really useful.

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