

Diana and Sungyong Kang Chair Scholarships

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Diana and Sungyong Kang have been long-time supporters of KASF from their days in Washington D.C.

Our relationship with KASF began in 1983 when Dr. Ung Soo Kim, then president of KASF asked Diana to help develop a new logo for KASF. In 1984, Sungyong Kang received a KASF working scholarship as a student at Georgetown University Law School.

From 1986 to 1996, Diana and Sungyong Kang served as board members of KASF Western Region and, also set up a Chair Scholarship in 1999 in honor of his father, Young Hoon Kang who served as the Prime Minister of the Republic of Korea from 1988 to 1990. In 2014, they made an additional donation to increase the annual scholarship amount of the Young Hoon Kang Chair Scholarship to the current amount.

Sungyong Kang is an attorney specializing in mergers and acquisitions and has worked as the Representative Attorney (대표) of O'Melveny and Myers Seoul office before his retirement in 2018. Diana Kang (Smith College, B.A.; Johns Hopkins University, M.A.) has worked as the CEO of a fashion import and distribution company and currently works as a content creator related to food and culture. She has her own YouTube channel @dianastable and has also published a book titled, *Diana's Easy Table*.

Mr. and Mrs. Kang are both very happy to set up this chair scholarships under their names to support those students of diverse cultural and ethnic heritage. In particular, they would like to support adoptees (both adoptees born in Korea as well as non-Koreans adopted by the family of Korean descendant), students of bi-racial background and of single mothers of Korean descendant.