

## HELLO FROM SOUTH KOREA! SPRING 2022

**Meet De'Ajha, a Psychology Major,  
Grace Scholar & Gilman Scholarship  
Awardee**

**Program Provider: Korea Uni through  
TEAN**

*"I had the same doubts many students have. I always wanted to study abroad, but thought I couldn't. I started working & made sure I was managing my money. It took a lot of self-discipline."*



 Benjamin A. Gilman  
International Scholarship

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### **Why did you choose Seoul?**

-I've always been interested in South Korea — ever since I was a freshman in high school. I fell in love with the culture and music. I grew up mainly around African American and Hispanic people, so being around a different culture that I was not familiar with opened my eyes a little bit more as a person.

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### **Housing:**

-We stayed in an International house — I loved it! The dorm was amazing. We had heated floors! We had a beautiful view, up the mountain. It was close to the bus stops, and Bus 20 took us everywhere that we needed to go. We had a convenience store near campus that was open 24 hours.

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### **How were you transformed:**

-I grew more as a person. Because I went to a completely different country, it was just me and my friend. I had to figure things out, mainly on my own.

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### **Benefit of Study Abroad:**

-Meeting new people. The #1 thing they tell colleges students is to network, but it's easier said than done when you have work, homework, and other things to do on campus. By studying abroad, I had a break from all those responsibilities I had at home, and I had a chance to have more time to meet new people, make more friends, and see things through a different lens by talking with people from different places.

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