



How to Search Korean Materials in the Library Catalog (WorldCat Local & UW-Only Catalog)

I. Search by **Romanization** of Korean scripts

- ✓ Romanize the Korean search term based on McCune-Reischauer Romanization System (Chart is available at <http://www.lib.washington.edu/East-Asia/korea/search.html>)
- ✓ Divide each work based on the Word Division Rule. Give space after each word, a particle, lexical unit. (<http://www.loc.gov/catdir/cpso/romanization/korean.pdf>)
- ✓ You can omit diacritics used in romanization (breve, alif, ayn)

Search Example:

1. By Title: taehan minguk oegy yonpyo
nanjangi ka ssoa ollin chagun kong
2. By Author: pak, wan-so
hanguk minsokkuk yonguso
tong asia munhwa porom
3. By Keyword: munhwa chongchaek
yosonghak and pop

Results

Most comprehensive and complete search results if romanization and word division are correctly used.

II. Search by **Korean scripts**

- ✓ Type Korean scripts using MS IME.
- ✓ When you type, make sure *not* to give any space between Korean scripts.
- ✓ Unicode is the default setting so you don't have to change the setting any more.

Search Examples:

1. By Title: 대한민국외교연표
난장이가쫓아올린작은공
2. By Author: 박완서
한국민속극연구소
동아시아문화포럼
3. By Keyword: 문화정책
여성학 and 법

Results:

1. Search results are limited to records that are all in Korean scripts only.
2. Words written in Chinese for author, keyword and titles won't be searched.

III. Other Searches

Subject Search

Do not use subject search unless you know specific subject terms established by the Library of Congress. Instead perform a keyword search, look at the terms under LC SUBJECT in the resulting citations, click on the highlighted subject heading to perform a new search. Consult printed editions of the *Library of Congress Subject Headings* in reference areas of the library.

e.g. Korean reunification question (1945-)
Korea – History – Allied occupation, 1945-1948

Call Number Search

Type the Library of Congress Call Number you want. Capitalization is not required. Spacing is required only before the date.

e.g. PL992.9 .M83 C47 1981

Genre Search

Korean feature films search can be easily done by genre search.

e.g. Korea → Korean foreign language films

Not Found in the Catalog

Please inquire further assistance from Korean studies librarian Hyokyoung Yi at hkyi@u.washington.edu, 206-543-6603, Gowen Rm 336 in the East Asia Library.