

## Who's KARDI?

KARDI, founded in 1993, comprises 16 Metropolitan/Provincial Government-Funded Research Institutes, the Korea Research Institute for Local Administration (KRILA), and the Korea Institute of Local Finance (KILF). The organisation has been an associate member of CityNet since 2006 and focuses on joint research and cooperative projects related to regional development and local government administration.

<https://www.nafi.re.kr/new/consultation03.do>

Research associations under KARDI that CN members can be connected with			
<p><b><a href="#">Seoul Institute</a></b> *CN member since 2006</p> <p>More details may be found here: <a href="https://global.si.re.kr/bbs/list.do?key=2411060001">https://global.si.re.kr/bbs/list.do?key=2411060001</a></p>	<p>Research Areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● AI Big Data Analysis etc.</li> </ul>	<p><b><a href="#">Jeju Research Institute</a></b></p> <p>More details may be found here: <a href="https://www.jri.re.kr/introduction/organization_chart">https://www.jri.re.kr/introduction/organization_chart</a></p>	<p>Research Departments:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Autonomous Culture Research Division</li> <li>● Innovation Economy Research Division</li> <li>● Environmental &amp; Urban Research Division etc.</li> </ul>
<p><b><a href="#">Gyeonggi Research Institute</a></b></p> <p>More details may be found here: <a href="https://www.gri.re.kr/web/contents/groupmap.do#deptPoint">https://www.gri.re.kr/web/contents/groupmap.do#deptPoint</a></p>	<p>Research Departments:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Local Governance</li> <li>● Spatial Planning and Housing</li> <li>● Mobility</li> <li>● Climate and Environment</li> <li>● ESG Policy Research etc.</li> </ul>	<p><b><a href="#">Gyeongbuk Development Institute</a></b></p> <p>More details may be found here: <a href="https://gdi.re.kr/board/b1120000">https://gdi.re.kr/board/b1120000</a></p>	<p>Research Areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Industry &amp; Economy</li> <li>● Urban &amp; Regional Development</li> <li>● Transportation &amp; Logistics etc.</li> </ul>
<p><b><a href="#">The Incheon Institute</a></b></p>	<p>Research Areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Carbon Neutrality</li> <li>● Public Investment Management</li> <li>● Urban Safety etc.</li> </ul>	<p><b><a href="#">Busan Development Institute</a></b></p>	<p>Research Departments:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Future Strategy Office <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Digital Urban Information Center</li> <li>○ Future Innovation Economy Center</li> <li>○ Carbon Neutrality Support Center</li> </ul> </li> <li>● Economy &amp; Industry</li> </ul>

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<p style="text-align: center;"><a href="#">Gangwon Institute</a></p>	<p>Research Departments:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Coal Mining Area Development</li> <li>● Urban Regeneration</li> <li>● Science and Culture Hub</li> <li>● etc.</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: center;"><a href="#">Ulsan Research Institute</a></p> <p>More details may be found here:  <a href="https://www.uri.re.kr/contPage.do?menuNo=5030000">https://www.uri.re.kr/contPage.do?menuNo=5030000</a></p> <p>List of Research Projects for 2024 may be found here:  <a href="https://www.uri.re.kr/cop/bbs/selectArticleDetail.do">https://www.uri.re.kr/cop/bbs/selectArticleDetail.do</a></p>	<p>Research Departments:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Economic and Industrial Research Lab</li> <li>● Urban Space Research Lab</li> <li>● Safety Environment Laboratory</li> <li>● Cultural and Social Research Lab</li> <li>● Ulsan Public Investment Center</li> <li>● Cultural Heritage Research Lab</li> <li>● Lifelong Education Research Lab</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><a href="#">ChungNam Institute</a></p> <p>More details may be found here:  <a href="https://databank.cni.re.kr/main/contents/work.action?q=6eece6a3001b57c44dfd0a10210556753a15cf7af0a70dcc6c63f845bc48de39">https://databank.cni.re.kr/main/contents/work.action?q=6eece6a3001b57c44dfd0a10210556753a15cf7af0a70dcc6c63f845bc48de39</a></p>	<p>Research Areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Industrial Development</li> <li>● Business Support</li> <li>● Facility, Equipment, and Space support etc.</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: center;"><a href="#">Gyeongnam Institute</a></p> <p>More details may be found here:  <a href="https://www.gndi.re.kr/0000030">https://www.gndi.re.kr/0000030</a></p>	<p>Research Departments:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Office of Business Management</li> <li>● Office of Research Planning &amp; Coordination</li> <li>● Department for Urban &amp; Environment Research</li> <li>● Department for Provincial</li> </ul>

			<p>Government Support Research</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Gyeongnam Studies Center</li> <li>● Gyeongnam Public and Private Infrastructure Investment Management Center</li> </ul>
<p><a href="#">Chungbuk Research Institute</a></p> <p>More details may be found here:  <a href="https://www.cri.re.kr/bbs/department_en.php?de_id=02">https://www.cri.re.kr/bbs/department_en.php?de_id=02</a></p>	<p>Research Departments:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Economy and Future Strategy</li> <li>● Regional and Urban Planning</li> <li>● Culture &amp; Industry</li> <li>● Social Policy etc.</li> </ul>	<p><a href="#">Korea Research Institute for Local Administration</a></p>	<p>Research Areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Local Autonomy and Decentralization</li> <li>● Smart Local Administration</li> <li>● Local Economy and Development</li> <li>● Population Decline</li> </ul>
<p><a href="#">Daejeon Sejong Research Institute</a></p> <p>More details may be found here:  <a href="https://www.dsi.re.kr/menu.es?mid=a20200000000">https://www.dsi.re.kr/menu.es?mid=a20200000000</a></p>	<p>Research Departments:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Urban Management</li> <li>● Urban Infrastructure</li> <li>● Future Strategy etc.</li> </ul>	<p><a href="#">Korea Institute of Local Finance</a></p> <p>More details may be found here:  <a href="https://www.kilf.re.kr/frt/ko/research/business/screen.do">https://www.kilf.re.kr/frt/ko/research/business/screen.do</a></p>	<p>Research Areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Local Tax Governance</li> <li>● Local Government Financing</li> </ul>
<p><a href="#">Jeonbuk State Institute</a></p> <p>More details may be found here:  <a href="http://www.jthink.kr/jthink/eng/inner.php?sMenu=G3000">http://www.jthink.kr/jthink/eng/inner.php?sMenu=G3000</a></p>	<p>Research Departments:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Life Economy Policy</li> <li>● Regional Development Innovation</li> <li>● Sustainable Society etc.</li> </ul>	<p><a href="#">Evaluation Institute of Regional Public Corporation</a></p>	<p>Research Departments:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Innovative Administrative Restructuring</li> <li>● Financial Soundness Evaluation</li> <li>● Citizen engagement</li> <li>● Investment &amp; Analysis</li> </ul>
<p><a href="#">Jeonnam Research Institute</a></p> <p>More details may be found here:  <a href="https://www.jni.re.kr/eng/#research">https://www.jni.re.kr/eng/#research</a></p>	<p>Research Departments:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Convergence Industries Department</li> <li>● Regional Communities and Culture Department</li> <li>● Agricultural and Fishing</li> </ul>	<p><a href="#">Daegu Policy Institute</a></p>	<p>Research Departments:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Future Strategy Department</li> <li>● Economic &amp; Industrial Research Department</li> <li>● Social &amp; Cultural Research Department etc.</li> </ul>

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