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Japanese Government Scholarship 2023 for Self-supporting International Students (Top Global University Project)

Qualifications and criteria:

(1) Self-supporting international students, who are enrolled in the master's or doctoral course at the Graduate School of Agricultural and Life Sciences or the Faculty of Agriculture as of April 1, 2023. *(Those who have not yet passed the entrance examination are not eligible to apply.)*

(2) With excellent academic records (GPA of last year should be 2.50 or above and expected to maintain the level of the GPA during the scholarship tenure period).

*Grade points should be calculated according to a formula specified by MEXT.

(3) Born on or after April 2, 1988 (graduate level)

(4) In good mental and physical health and can carry out academic responsibilities in the university without trouble.

(5) Scholarship will not be awarded to the following. If the following cases arise after receiving the scholarship, recipients will be ordered to decline the scholarship:

① Who will receive other scholarships (excluding grants for research).

② Who was unable to complete the course within the standard course term.

※Those who is currently receiving this scholarship can also apply when he/she can fulfill the above qualifications.

Number to be nominated: A few

Contents:

(1) Scholarship amount per month:

144,000 Yen for master's students

145,000 Yen for doctoral students

(2) Tuition fee: tuition of the scholarship tenure period will be covered by the university

(3) Grant period: April 2023 ~ March 2024

**The recipient student will NOT be able to apply for extension of the scholarship.*

Documents to be submitted:

(1) Application form (1 double-sided print original copy and an electric file uploaded to the designated link**)

- (2) Research plan (1 original copy and an electric file uploaded to the designated link**)
- (3) List of achievements and evidence(s) (1 original copy and an electric file of list of achievements uploaded to the designated link**)
- (4) Copy of academic record certificates (to calculate GPA for the most recent 1 year)
- (5) Certificate(s) regarding language proficiency; TOEFL Score Report, IELTS Report, JLPT etc.
- (6) Enrollment Certificates (that proves the period of enrolled course and status as of April 1, 2023)
- (7) Copy of residence card (Must obtain a valid “Student” visa if you are in Japan)
- (8) Copy of passport

Application files can be downloaded from [here](#):

- 01 Application form (Excel)
- 02 Research plan (Word)
- 03 List of Achievements (Word)

Important notice:

(1) The scholarship will be cancelled in the following categories. Also, if students receive the scholarship despite falling under the following conditions, they may be ordered to return the amount of the scholarship money received during the period concerned.

- ① Details submitted are found to be incorrect.
- ② Recipients violate the covenant clause of the MEXT.
- ③ Recipients receive disciplinary punishment such as exclusion from the university
- ④ Recipients are unable to finish their study within the regular study period due to poor academic results or the school suspension.
- ⑤ Recipients leave the university.
- ⑥ A recipient’s residence status is changed from “Student” to other status.
- ⑦ Recipients receive any other scholarships (excluding grants for research)

(2) The scholarship will not be provided during the period when students do not attend classes for a long time.

(3) Top Global University project will end on March 31, 2024.

Alumni from UTokyo's Strategic Partnership Universities * will be given preference in the selection process.

*The Australian National University, ETH Zurich, Peking University, Princeton University, Seoul National University, Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm University, Karolinska Institutet, Tsinghua University, University of California, Berkeley, University of Cambridge

Also, alumni from the universities which have the possibility to be UTokyo's Strategic Partnership Universities** will be given preference in the selection process.

**National Taiwan University, Technical University of Munich, University of Chicago, Pontifical Catholic University of Chile, Vietnam National University, Hanoi, Yangon Technological University, École des Ponts ParisTech, École Normale Supérieure, École Polytechnique, French National Center for Scientific Research

Deadline for application: **17:00, December 19, 2022 (Mon)**

Submissions after the deadline will NOT be accepted.

Submit to: International Student Section

Application files should be uploaded to the following link**;

<https://webfs.adm.u-tokyo.ac.jp/public/pNsUQAYI64xAOo8Btb1btzplhxOP4Ih3WD7ucJ92S2dX>

Also notify us about your application upload via: ryugaku.a@gs.mail.u-tokyo.ac.jp

International Student Section Graduate School of Agricultural and Life Sciences,
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Note:

All students are expected to check the information displayed on the OICE homepage and notice boards.