

Changes to the AY2027 Entrance Examination for the **Doctoral Program** in Humanities,
Degree Programs in Humanities and Social Sciences,
Graduate School of Business Sciences, Humanities and Social Sciences

The Doctoral Program in Humanities, Degree Programs in Humanities and Social Sciences, Graduate School of Business Sciences, Humanities and Social Sciences will implement the following change to its entrance examination for the 2027 academic year.

1: In addition to the existing January to February Selection Process (General Selection Process), **the July Selection Process (General Selection Process) will also be conducted.**

[Before the change]

The selection process was conducted once: the January to February Selection Process.

Number of Students to be Admitted for the January to February Selection Process (General selection process): 42

[After the change]

The selection processes will be conducted twice: the January to February Selection Process and the July Selection Process.

Number of Students to be Admitted for the July Selection Process (General selection process) : A few students when appropriate

Number of Students to be Admitted for the January to February Selection Process (General selection process): 42

For further details, the above change will be announced in **the Application Guidelines to be issued in May 2026**. Please be sure to check the guidelines **carefully**.