

**Change of October Entrance Examination (General Admission) for
Doctoral Program in International and Advanced Japanese Studies,
Degree Programs in Humanities and Social Sciences,
Graduate School of Business Sciences, Humanities and Social Sciences
(Graduate School Entrance Examinations (October) for Academic Year 2021)**

We notify that the entrance examination in October, 'General Admission' of the Doctoral Program in International and Advanced Japanese Studies, Degree Programs in Humanities and Social Sciences, will be conducted online.

Due to this change, Section 6. Screening Criteria of the application guidelines has been revised as follows. The guidelines which are now posted were also revised.

October (General Admission)

Date		Thursday, October 15	
Subject		Specialized Subject (100 points)	Oral Examination (200 points)
Major	Time	10:00-11:00 (JST, UTC+09:00)	13:00-17:00 (JST, UTC+09:00)
International and Advanced Japanese Studies		<p>Select one of following 6 questions: Politics; Economics; Literature/Culture/ Philosophy; Law/Society/Media/Information; Linguistics; Japanese Language Education.</p> <p>Politics; Economics; Literature/Culture/ Philosophy; Law/Society/Media/Information; Linguistics are given in Japanese and English, so applicants must answer in Japanese or English. Japanese Language Education is given in Japanese, so applicants must answer in Japanese.</p> <p><u>The 60-minute examination will be conducted by Google Meet and Sharing Google Document.</u></p>	<p>Interview about research proposal.</p> <p><u>A 30-minute interview will be conducted by Google Meet. For those applicants who have problems with their equipment during the oral examination, it may be held again on Friday the 16th or Saturday the 17th.</u></p>
		【Selection at the time of application】	

(Notes)

- Applicants CANNOT use dictionaries during the examination.

**Change of October Entrance Examination (General Admission) for
Master's Program in International and Advanced Japanese Studies, Degree
Programs in Humanities and Social Sciences,
Graduate School of Business Sciences, Humanities and Social Sciences**

We notify that the entrance examination in October, 'General Admission' of the Master's Program in International and Advanced Japanese Studies, Degree Programs in Humanities and Social Sciences, will be conducted online.

Due to this change, Section 6. Screening Criteria of the application guidelines has been revised as follows.
The guidelines which are now posted were also revised.

International and Advanced Japanese Studies Master's

October (General Admission)

Date		Thursday, October 15		Friday, October 16
Subject		Specialized Subject (100 points)	Foreign Language (100 points)	Oral Examination (100 points)
Major	Time	10:00-11:00 (JST, UTC+09:00)	12:00-13:00 (JST, UTC+09:00)	9:00-16:00 (JST, UTC+09:00)
International and Advanced Japanese Studies		<p>Select one of following 6 Specialized Subjects (questions): Politics; Economics; Literature/ Culture / Philosophy; Law/Society/Media/Information; Linguistics; Japanese Language Education.</p> <p>Politics; Economics; Literature/Culture/Philosophy; Law/Society/Media/Information; Linguistics are given in Japanese and English, so applicants must answer in Japanese or English. Japanese Language Education is given in Japanese, so applicants must answer in Japanese.</p> <p><u>The 60-minute examination will be conducted by Google Meet and Sharing Google Document.</u></p>	<p>In principle, select either Japanese or English (see Notes 1). Regarding other languages, see Note 2.</p> <p><u>The 60-minute examination will be conducted by Google Meet, Google Document and Google Forms.</u></p>	<p>Interview about research content and research plan.</p> <p><u>A 15-minute interview will be conducted by Google Meet. For those applicants who have problems with their equipment during the oral examination, it may be held again on Saturday, 17th.</u></p>
		【Selection at the time of application】	【Selection at the time of application】	

(Notes)

1. You cannot select your mother tongue (first language). Also, dictionary use is not allowed during the examination.
2. In addition to Japanese and English, the following languages are available: Chinese, Korean, German, French, and Russian. If you wish to select one of these languages, you must submit an

additional document (maximum 1,200 characters in Japanese or 400 words in English) explaining the relationship between your research plan and language you wish to select. This document must be submitted to doctoral program office no later than 14 days prior to your application. If you select one of these languages without submitting the required document in advance, your application will not be accepted. For more details, contact the Office of the Master's Program and Doctoral Program in International and Advanced Japanese Studies.

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