

## Application Procedures and Selection Process

To apply, applicants must be a person who has completed 16 years of formal schooling or a person who is expected to complete 16 years of formal education by **September 30, 2012**. He/She must also meet 'Eligibility for JJ/WBGSP' for applicants for the World Bank(WB)'s 'JJ/WBGSP'.

### Step 1

#### < Application for Pre-selection of Admission to IDEC >

An applicant must fill out Application for Admission to Graduate Study (JJ/WBGSP)\*<sup>1</sup> and submit it with the certificate of English language proficiency, such as TOEFL, TOEIC, IELTS or other equivalent English language test score to the IDEC office at the address below by post mail **before February 24, 2012**. We will not accept incomplete applications nor applications sent by e-mail or fax. Applicants will be notified of the receipt of the application with his/her reference number.

*Note<sup>\*1</sup> : The Application form is available on the IDEC-Enrollment site.*

#### < Application to the World Bank for JJ/WBGSP >

To apply for JJ/WBGSP, an applicant must complete his/her scholarship application by following the instruction on the World Bank website at [www.worldbank.org/scholarships](http://www.worldbank.org/scholarships) **before March 31, 2012**.

### Step 2

#### < Result of the IDEC Pre-selection for Admission >

The applicants' reference numbers of those who have passed the IDEC pre-selection will be announced on the IDEC website in **Mid March, 2012**. Only the pre-selected candidates will be notified individually by the IDEC Office for further admission procedures.

#### < Submission of Additional documents to IDEC >

After the pre-selection, the IDEC Office will notify the pre-selected candidates to inform them of further procedures to take. The pre-selected candidates are requested to follow the instruction given to them and submit all necessary additional documents plus to pay the entrance examination fee, ¥30,000 before the deadline, **April 19, 2012** to the IDEC Office.

#### < Result of the IDEC Selection for Admission >

The IDEC Office will announce the final result of IDEC selection for admission to the selected candidates in May, 2012. The result of IDEC Selection for Admission does not mean that the applicant will be awarded JJ/WBGSP scholarship.

### Step 3

#### < Recommendation to WB for JJ/WBGSP from IDEC >

IDEC will recommend the selected candidates to WB for final selection before the end of April, 2012.

#### < Result of the WB Selection for JJ/WBGSP >

The final selection of scholarship recipients will be announced by WB **before the end of July, 2012**.

### Step 4

#### < Procedures before entering IDEC >

The selected candidates will be given the information on necessary procedures to come to study at IDEC, such as visa application and accommodation in August, 2012.

Those who have been selected for admission to IDEC but not awarded JJ/WBGSP scholarship are still eligible to enter IDEC, Hiroshima University if they are able to financially manage their study in Japan on their expense.

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