

## **Diploma Policy**

### **International Economic Development Program**

#### **(Master's Course)**

The International Economic Development Program will award one of the following degrees to a student who has acquired the capabilities described below, earned the required credits, and passed the master's thesis examination and final examination, or passed the qualifying examination for research in the doctoral course, according to the research theme and the specialized area: Master of International Cooperation Studies, Master of Economics, Master of Business Administration, and Master of Philosophy.

- (1) Advanced knowledge and an analytical capacity in order to overlook long-term global economic development and to discuss the importance of economic development to various problems of developing countries and in solving these problems.
- (2) Advanced analytical capacity and determination capability in order to engage in discussion and to make decisions based on evidence and data.
- (3) Wide and profound education as well as a broad point of view that is not limited to within a narrow, specialized area.
- (4) The ability to apply sophisticated logical thinking even when encountering unfamiliar situations or concepts, and the ability to identify problems backed by multiple points of view.
- (5) The ability to engage in communication and to make a presentation as a practitioner with a global mind, and the ability to get things done in order to exhibit the leadership required for practice.
- (6) Awareness of one's mission as a master's degree holder and high ethical standards.

#### **(Doctoral Course)**

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- (1) Distinguished knowledge and an analytical capacity in order to overlook long-term global economic development and to discuss the importance of economic development to various problems of developing countries and in solving these problems.
- (2) Distinguished analytical capacity and determination capability in order to engage in discussion and to make decisions based on evidence and data.
- (3) Wide and profound education as well as an interdisciplinary and international point of view that is not limited to within a narrow, specialized area.
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or concepts, and the outstanding ability to identify problems backed by flexible and multiple points of view.

- (5) The ability to engage in communication and to make a presentation as a practitioner with a global mind, and the ability to get things done in order to exhibit the leadership required for practice.
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## **Curriculum Policy**

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- (1) To provide each program's specialized subjects that systematically provide specialized subjects related to economics and business administration and to their related cross-disciplinary fields and integrated fields in order to encourage students to acquire the expertise and abilities required for each field.
- (2) To provide common subjects for all graduate schools in order to cultivate wide and profound education and to foster the ambition to create "Science for Sustainable Development," to provide common subjects for this Graduate School in order to cultivate shared points of view and abilities that provide a common basis for whole studies of human science and social science, and to provide common subjects for the major courses in order to cultivate shared points of view and abilities that provide a common basis for each field.
- (3) To require students to take a class subject outside the area of their main major subjects, which they take as the program's specialized subjects, so that they can experience basic knowledge in a field other than their own specialized fields and obtain a broad point of view and the ability to think from multiple points of view.
- (4) To provide a Special Research Program in which the main supervisor and two or more subadvisors, whose specialist areas are other than that of the main supervisor, give research guidance in order to develop the student's capability to identify and solve problems from a wide point of view.

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- (3) To provide a Special Research Program in order to develop a broad point of view that is not limited to within a narrow, specialized area and the ability to think from multiple points of view.
- (4) To provide a Special Research Program in which the main supervisor and two or more subadvisors, whose specialist areas are other than that of the main supervisor, give guidance in order to develop the student's capability to identify and solve problems from a wide point of view.
- (5) To provide a Special Research Program so that students can become conscious of social problems and acquire a viewpoint of how they should exercise their specialties for solving social problems.

## **Admission Policy**

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The International Economic Development Program is seeking students who have a strong motivation and passion to pursue the following objectives and who have the fundamental academic abilities required to achieve them.

- ① A person who follows a range of interests and is motivated to tackle various global issues confronting developing countries
- ② A person who has the desire to pursue social science research that contributes to healthy economic development
- ③ A person who has the international perspective required to play an active role on the global stage and is willing to work with a diversity of people

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