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Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences (Master's Course)
Application Guidebook

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Admission Policy of Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences

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① A person who is motivated to acquire, in addition to a wide range of general knowledge, a high level of knowledge and research skills in educational sciences and related fields, and who eventually aims to contribute to creating a “peace science that can lead to sustainable development” from diversified perspectives

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Admission Policy of International Peace and Co-existence Program

The International Peace and Co-existence 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 is motivated to acquire, in addition to a wide range of general knowledge, specialized knowledge and research skills in an academic field related to peace studies, International Relations, International Law, Cultural Anthropology, Memory Studies, or Area Studies, or in interdisciplinary fields related to those disciplines; who has an international perspective and the ability to communicate with people from different countries; and who is willing to work with others to tackle issues confronting human society today in order to realize a global society of diversity, freedom and peace

② A person who has a desire to play a more active role not only in his/her home country but also on the global stage; and who seeks to enhance the qualities and abilities required for researchers or highly specialized professionals, based on his/her experience in companies, international organizations, international agencies or non-governmental organizations for international cooperation, or local government offices, tertiary education, and research institutes

In order to admit such individuals, the International Peace and Co-existence Program selects applicants through a multifaceted and comprehensive evaluation process based on its own Diploma Policy and Curriculum Policy, using interviews, academic tests, and external examinations.

Admission Policy of International Economic Development Program

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

In order to admit such individuals, the International Economic Development Program selects applicants through a multifaceted and comprehensive evaluation process based on its own Diploma Policy and Curriculum Policy, using interviews, academic tests, and external examinations.

Admission Policy of International Education Development Program

The International Education 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 is motivated to acquire, in addition to a wide range of general knowledge, specialized knowledge and research skills in disciplines related to educational studies or in interdisciplinary fields related to those disciplines; who has an international perspective and the ability to communicate with people from different countries; and who is willing to work with others to tackle issues confronting human society today in order to realize a global society of diversity, freedom and peace
- ② A person who has a desire to play a more active role not only in his/her home country but also on the global stage; and who seeks to enhance the qualities and abilities required for researchers or highly specialized professionals, based on his/her experience in companies, international organizations, international agencies or non-governmental organizations for international cooperation, or local communities, and through learning and research activities at graduate school

In order to admit such individuals, the International Education Development Program selects applicants through a multifaceted and comprehensive evaluation process based on its own Diploma Policy and Curriculum Policy, using interviews, academic tests, and external examinations.

※Smoking has been prohibited entirely in all HU campuses from January, 2020.

The Kasumi Campus has been smoke-free since April, 2018.

※Hiroshima University has established the university's Rules on Security Export Control in accordance with the Foreign Exchange and Foreign Trade Act, and conducts strict examinations for acceptance of international students, etc. Therefore, please be advised that International applicants may be unable to receive their desired education or conduct their desired research due to the restriction by the above regulations.

I. Programs and Number of Students to be Admitted

This student application guidebook describes the schedule of the entrance examination and the method for selecting students for “International Peace and Co-existence”, “International Economic Development”, “International Education Development” and the number of students to be admitted by this student application guidebook are listed below.

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Division	Program	Number of Students	Inquiries, Submission
Humanities and Social Sciences	International Peace and Co-existence	Several	Support Office for the fields of International Development and Cooperation 1-5-1 Kagamiyama, Higashi-Hiroshima 739-8529, Japan Tel: +81-(0)82-424-5902 E-mail:koku-gaku@office.hiroshima-u.ac.jp
	International Economic Development		
Educational Sciences	International Education Development		

II. Admission Requirements

In order to be considered for admission, applicants must fall under one of the following selection categories.

1. General Selection

- ◇The applicant must meet one of the following stipulations or expected to acquire one of the following stipulations by March 31, 2025.
 - ◇The applicant falls under stipulation (9) or (10) must refer to “Preliminary Evaluation of Admission Requirements” and undergo a preliminary evaluation of admission requirements.
- (1) A person who graduated from a Japanese university stipulated by the 1947 School Education Law (No. 26, Article 83)
 - (2) A person who has received a bachelor’s degree from the National Institution for Academic Degrees and Quality Enhancement of Higher Education, in accordance with the 1947 School Education Law (No. 26, Article 104, Section 7)
 - (3) A person who has completed 16 years of formal schooling in a foreign country
 - (4) A person who has completed 16 years of formal schooling in a foreign country, by earning the credit(s) of correspondence course(s) in the schooling program in Japan
 - (5) A Person who has taken courses from a foreign university in Japan (completing sixteen years of education) thereby completing the required number of years of schooling, of which is recognized by the Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (hereinafter referred to as “MEXT”)
 - (6) A Person who has been conferred a degree equivalent to a bachelor's degree through attending an overseas university or other overseas school (limited to those whose education and research activities have been evaluated by persons who have been certified by the relevant country's government or a related institution, or have been separately designated by the Minister of MEXT as being equivalent to such) and graduated from a program that requires 3 or more years to complete (Includes graduating from a program implemented by the relevant overseas school while living in Japan through distance learning, as well as graduating from a program implemented by an educational facility established with the relevant overseas country's school education system and has received the designation mentioned above)
 - (7) A person who has completed the specialized curriculum of a higher vocational school, of four years or more, and has been specially selected by the Minister of MEXT
 - (8) A person who has been specially selected by the Minister of MEXT
 - (9) A person who has entered a graduate school, in accordance with the 1947 School Education Law (No. 26, Article 102, Section 2) and recognized by Graduate School as having a suitable academic ability to engage in graduate level studies

- (10) A person who is 22 years old or more, recognized by Graduate School as having academic ability equivalent to that of a university graduate

2. Special Selection for Working Citizens

- ◇The applicant must meet one of the following stipulations or expect to acquire one of the following stipulations by March 31, 2025. Moreover, they must have at least two years of full-time work experience as an employee, official, or teacher in a private company, international organization, governmental organization, local government, or educational organization by the time of enrollment. Also, they must have more than one year's experience in a field related to international cooperation.
 - ◇The applicant must refer to “Preliminary Evaluation of Admission Requirements” and undergo a preliminary evaluation of admission requirements.
- (1) A person who graduated from a Japanese university stipulated by the 1947 School Education Law (No. 26, Article 83)
 - (2) A person who has received a bachelor's degree from the National Institution for Academic Degrees and Quality Enhancement of Higher Education, in accordance with the 1947 School Education Law (No. 26, Article 104, Section 7)
 - (3) A person who has completed 16 years of formal schooling in a foreign country
 - (4) A person who has completed 16 years of formal schooling in a foreign country, by earning the credit(s) of correspondence course(s) in the schooling program in Japan
 - (5) A Person who has taken courses from a foreign university in Japan (completing sixteen years of education) thereby completing the required number of years of schooling, of which is recognized by the Minister of MEXT
 - (6) A Person who has been conferred a degree equivalent to a bachelor's degree through attending an overseas university or other overseas school (limited to those whose education and research activities have been evaluated by persons who have been certified by the relevant country's government or a related institution, or have been separately designated by the Minister of MEXT as being equivalent to such) and graduated from a program that requires 3 or more years to complete (Includes graduating from a program implemented by the relevant overseas school while living in Japan through distance learning, as well as graduating from a program implemented by an educational facility established with the relevant overseas country's school education system and has received the designation mentioned above)
 - (7) A person who has completed the specialized curriculum of a higher vocational school, of four years or more, and has been specially selected by the Minister of MEXT
 - (8) A person who has been specially selected by the Minister of MEXT
 - (9) A person who is 22 years old or more, recognized by Graduate School as having academic ability equivalent to that of a university graduate

3. Special Selection for Senior Citizens

- ◇A person, approximately 60 years old or more, who aims to obtain a degree and meets one of the following stipulations or expected to acquire one of the following stipulations by or March 31, 2025.
 - ◇The applicant must refer to “Preliminary Evaluation of Admission Requirements” and undergo a preliminary evaluation of admission requirements.
- (1) A person who graduated from a Japanese university stipulated by the 1947 School Education Law (No. 26, Article 83)
 - (2) A person who has received a bachelor’s degree from the National Institution for Academic Degrees and Quality Enhancement of Higher Education, in accordance with the 1947 School Education Law (No. 26, Article 104, Section 7)
 - (3) A person who has completed 16 years of formal schooling in a foreign country
 - (4) A person who has completed 16 years of formal schooling in a foreign country, by earning the credit(s) of correspondence course(s) in the schooling program in Japan.
 - (5) A person who has taken courses from a foreign university in Japan (completing sixteen years of education) thereby completing the required number of years of schooling, of which is recognized by the Minister of MEXT
 - (6) A Person who has been conferred a degree equivalent to a bachelor's degree through attending an overseas university or other overseas school (limited to those whose education and research activities have been evaluated by persons who have been certified by the relevant country's government or a related institution, or have been separately designated by the Minister of MEXT as being equivalent to such) and graduated from a program that requires 3 or more years to complete (Includes graduating from a program implemented by the relevant overseas school while living in Japan through distance learning, as well as graduating from a program implemented by an educational facility established with the relevant overseas country's school education system and has received the designation mentioned above)
 - (7) A person who has completed the specialized curriculum of a higher vocational school, of four years or more, and has been specially selected by the Minister of MEXT
 - (8) A person who has been specially selected by the Minister of MEXT
 - (9) A person who is recognized by screening at Graduate School as having academic ability equivalent to that of a university graduate

Preliminary Evaluation of Admission Requirements

Applicants who fall under the categories General Selection (Stipulation (9) or (10)) as well as Special Selection for Working Citizens, or Special Selection for Senior Citizens are required to undergo a preliminary evaluation of admission requirements. The procedures are outlined below.

For those who need to undergo a preliminary evaluation, please obtain the necessary application forms from Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences (Support Office for the fields of International Development and Cooperation).

(1) Submission Period for Preliminary Evaluation of Admission Requirements

All materials must arrive between December 2 and December 6, 2024 by 5:00 p.m.

(2) Documents to be submitted

- ◇Each certificate must be the original. However, if a new certificate is not issued, a certified copy of the original (certified by the official organization (preferably the issuing organization) as being the same as the original) will be accepted.
- ◇Any forgery or falsification of the documents and/ or academic fraud would result in cancellation of acceptance even after passing examination and/ or completing enrollment procedure.

Categories, Stipulation		Document Type	How to submit
General Selection	Stipulation (9)	1. Preliminary evaluation application form (use the prescribed form) 2. Personal History (use the prescribed form) 3. Undergraduate and Graduate Academic transcripts 4. Certificate of Enrollment or Graduation from a graduate school	1, 2: Send Word file via E-mail 3, 4: Send PDF file via E-mail, then submit original form via mail.
	Stipulation (10) (※)	1. Preliminary evaluation application form (use the prescribed form) 2. Personal History (use the prescribed form) 3. Statement by applicant demonstrating that he/she has an academic ability equivalent to that of a university graduate (use the prescribed form) 4. Academic Transcript 5. Certificate of Graduation (a certificate showing the last degree obtained) 6. Certificate of Research History by the immediate supervisor (a person who has research history)	1, 2, 3: Send Word file via E-mail 4, 5, 6: Send PDF file via E-mail, then submit original form via mail.
Special Selection for Working Citizens	Stipulation (9)	1. Preliminary evaluation application form (use the prescribed form) 2. Personal History (use the prescribed form) 3. Statement by applicant demonstrating that he/she has academic ability equivalent to that of a university graduate (use the prescribed form) 4. Academic Transcript 5. Certificate of Graduation (a certificate showing the last degree obtained) 6. Certificate from immediate supervisor (use the prescribed form)	1, 2, 3: Send Word file via E-mail 4, 5, 6: Send PDF file via E-mail, then submit original form via mail.
	Excluding stipulation (9)	1. Preliminary evaluation application form (use the prescribed form) 2. Personal History (use the prescribed form) 3. Certificate from immediate supervisor (use the prescribed form)	1, 2: Send Word file via E-mail 3: Send PDF file via E-mail, then submit original form via mail.
Special Selection for Senior Citizens	Stipulation (9)	1. Preliminary evaluation application form (use the prescribed form) 2. Curriculum Vitae and Motivation for Application/Activities Report (use the prescribed form) 3. Statement by applicant demonstrating that he/she has academic ability equivalent to that of a university graduate (use the prescribed form) 4. Certificate of Graduation (a certificate showing the last degree obtained)	1, 2, 3: Send Word file via E-mail 4: Send PDF file via E-mail, then submit original form via mail.
	Excluding stipulation (9)	1. Preliminary evaluation application form (use the prescribed form) 2. Curriculum Vitae and Motivation for Application/Activities Report (use the prescribed form)	1, 2: Send Word file via E-mail

※Note for General Selection (Stipulation 10): If the applicant is a graduate or a current student of any university in China (excluding Taiwan, Hong Kong and Macau), please see the Notes (1) of **4. Application Documents** in **III. Application Procedure**.

(3) Address for submission

Refer to **I. Programs and Number of Students to be Admitted**

◇Documents to be submitted by mail (original or certified copy)

The documents must be sent in a registered mail and reach us before the deadline
Please write the following text clearly in red on the envelop:
“Application documents for Preliminary Evaluation of Admission Requirements”

◇ Documents to be submitted by E-mail

Please send Word or PDF files by E-mail with the subject line "Submission of Application documents for Preliminary Evaluation of Admission Requirements". Please be sure to separate the files for each submitted document and name the files correctly.

Example of file name: "1. Preliminary evaluation application form" etc.

(4) Notification of preliminary evaluation results

The applicant shall be notified of the results of the preliminary evaluation on December 12, 2024.

III. Application Procedure

1. Application method

Apply through the online application system and submit the application documents.

(1) Input the information regarding the application on the website.

(2) Pay the application fee of 30,000 yen.

NOTE: The following applicants may be exempt from paying the application fee. Please contact the office in advance.

a. MEXT Scholarship student

b. The applicant who applies to the category for a special exemption for the disaster victims under the Disaster Relief Act

(3) Submit the application documents.

(Note)

Your application will not be completed when only the input of the information on the online application system and the payment of the application fee are done. It is required to send the application documents by E-mail and bring or send the original certificates by registered mail to be received before the deadline.

2. Application period

The applicant must complete all the processes (1), (2) and (3) described under the above item 1. during the application period.

January 7 to January 14, 2025 by 5:00 p.m.

3. Online application

◆ Inquiry regarding the system

Inquiries concerning online application system and UCARO website

TEL +81-3-6634-6494 (Japanese Speaking Only)

Inquiries accepted from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

(Except from December 30 to January 3)

◆ About unclear points regarding the entrance examination, ask the inquiry contact indicated under the section **I.**

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Opened: 8:30 - 17:00 (closed on Saturdays, Sundays, and national holidays)

* Please note that it is required to include the area code to dial if you call from the following areas, even when you call from an area of the same area code as that of the inquiry contact.

(Areas in Hiroshima City, Fuchu Town, Kaita Town, and Saka Town)

Complete the following 8 steps during the application period.

Step 1: Access the Internet Application System.

Access the following web page:

Hiroshima University's Admission Information
<https://www.hiroshima-u.ac.jp/en/nyugaku>

Step 2: Select the item "Registration for UCARO" on the login screen of UCARO.

Account registration for UCARO (free for charge) is required for application.

Refer to the following URL for UCARO:

<https://www.ucaro.net/>

Step 3: Enter the Account (applicable to the admission examination category for which the application fee is exempted.

Enter the alphanumeric code (consisting of 8 or more characters) which you received from the Graduate School

concerned.

* Some examination type require the Account which Graduate School gives applicant

Step 4: Input the information regarding the application in the Internet Application System.

Follow the instruction on the screen and enter your name, address, telephone number, email address etc.

* Your personal information registered through the online application system will be used for the following purposes.
Therefore, please enter accurate information.

1. Carry out entrance examinations and screening.
2. Notify and send the screening results.
3. Send documents for enrollment procedures to successful applicants.
4. Send information before and after admission.
5. Create statistical data on entrance examinations.
6. Create student registration data and Student ID-Cards.
7. Receive application fees.
8. Check the access status to the Service.

Step 5: Upload your photograph.

Follow the instruction shown on the screen to upload the digital data of your photograph (File format: JPEG).

* The uploaded photo, which will be used for identification at the examination, will be also used for your student ID card after enrollment and will be maintained in the university's educational system until graduation. Therefore, please upload an appropriate photo for use after enrollment as well. Once uploaded, your photo will not be allowed to be replaced. A fee of JPY 1,000 will be charged for changing the content of your student ID card (photo and your name) after enrollment.

Step 6: Pay the application fee of 30,000 yen.

Select either of the following payment method on the "Input Payment Information" screen:

1. Credit card: VISA, MasterCard, JCB, AMERICAN EXPRESS, Diners Club
2. Convenience store: 7-ELEVEN, Lawson, MINISTOP, Family Mart, Daily Yamazaki, and Seicomart
3. ATM of a financial institution [Pay-easy]
4. Net banking

(Caution)

- The applicant have to pay the charge for use of the Internet Application System in addition to the application fee. (The amount of Processing Fee will be notified at the time of online application).
- The application fee once paid will not be returned for any reason after the application is accepted.
In either case of the following items (1) and (2), the application fee once paid will be returned after deducting the transfer fee.
We will mail the form of the "Refund Claim" for refund of the application fee. Fill in the required information such as the "application number," "name in kana letters," "name," "phone number," "address," "payee account information," and "reason of refund claim," imprint your seal on the form, and mail the form to the "Inquiries, Submission" desk indicated in the section "I. Programs and Number of Students to be Admitted" before February 28, 2025.

The charge for use of the Internet Application System will not be repaid for any case.

- (1) The applicant does not submit the application documents or the application documents are not received.
- (2) The payment of the application fee is duplicated.

Step 7: Complete the registration of the application information.

Write down the application number of 6 digits that is shown on the screen.

Step 8: Submit the application documents.

For the submission address, refer to the inquiry contact described in the section **I. Programs and Number of Students to be Admitted.**

◇ Documents to be submitted by mail (original or certified copy)

Without exception, it is required to mail (by registered mail) the documents to be received before the deadline.

Please write the following text clearly in red on the envelop:

“Application for Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences”

Documents can be hand-delivered to the Support Office between 8:30 AM and 5PM of the application period, except Saturday, Sunday and national holidays.

◇ Documents to be submitted by E-mail

Please send Word or PDF files by E-mail with the subject line "Submission of documents for Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences ". Please be sure to separate the files for each submitted document and name the files along the list written at **4. Application Document**.

Example of file name: "(3) Research Proposal" etc.

4. Application documents

◇ Download the prescribed forms from the website.

<https://www.hiroshima-u.ac.jp/en/gshs/m-kokusainyuushi>

◇ After completing online application, submit all the documents listed below at once during the application period to the "Inquiries, Submission" desk indicated in the section "I. Programs and Number of Students to be Admitted". **Documents that have already been submitted in the "Preliminary Evaluation of Admission Requirements" do not need to be resubmitted.**

◇ Each certificate (except "Language Test Score Certificate") must be the original. However, if a new certificate is not issued, a certified copy of the original (certified by the official organization (preferably the issuing organization) as being the same as the original) will be accepted.

◇ Any forgery or falsification of the documents and/ or academic fraud would result in cancellation of acceptance even after passing examination and/ or completing enrollment procedure.

	Document Type	Applicants	Details	How to submit	
				Mail	E-mail
1	Personal History	All	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One (1) A4 page • Use the prescribed form 		✓ Word
2	Notification of subjects	Applicants for "International Peace and Co-existence Program" and "International Education Development Program" (Except those applying for Special Selection for Senior Citizens)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use the prescribed form 		✓ Word
3	Research Proposal	All	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A detailed research proposal written in either Japanese or English • Two(2) A4 pages • Use the prescribed form. 		✓ Word
4	Reason for Application	All (Except those applying for Special Selection for Senior Citizens)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One(1) A4 page • Use the prescribed form. 		✓ Word
5	International Cooperation Statement	Applicants for Special Selection for Working Citizens Applicants for Special Selection for Senior Citizens	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A practical record, future prospects and opinions pertaining to international cooperation • Four(4) A4 pages • Use the prescribed form. 		✓ Word

	Document Type	Applicants	Details	How to submit	
				Mail	E-mail
6	Academic Transcripts	All (Except those applying for Special Selection for Senior Citizens)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Official documents issued by university or faculty *If the applicant enrolls in or has completed a graduate school, documents of the graduate program as well as the undergraduate program must be submitted. *If there is no explanation about grading system on the transcript, separate official document explaining the grading system must be attached. 	✓	✓ PDF
7	Certificate of Degree Awarded or Certificate of Expected Graduation	All	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Official documents issued by university or faculty *If the applicant enrolls in or has completed a graduate school, documents of the graduate program as well as the undergraduate program must be submitted. *If the applicant graduated from a university abroad, please make sure that the certificate includes the degree information. *If the applicant is a graduate or a current student of any university in China (excluding Taiwan, Hong Kong and Macau), please see the Notes (1) . 	✓	✓ PDF
8	Letter of Approval for Taking the Entrance Examination	Graduate students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Official documents provided by university or graduate school *If the applicant currently enrolls in a graduate school, letter of approval for taking the entrance examination must be submitted. 	/	✓ PDF
		Applicants who work in private company, international organization, government organization, local government or educational organization.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Official documents provided by the organization *If the applicant currently works in private company, international organization, government organization, local government or educational organization and wishes to enroll in our graduate school while working, letter of approval for taking the entrance examination must be submitted. 		✓ PDF
9	Certificate of Japanese Government Scholar	Japanese Government (Monbukagakusyo: MEXT) Scholar	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Japanese Government (Monbukagakusyo: MEXT) Scholars must submit the certificate. 	✓	✓ PDF

	Document Type	Applicants	Details	How to submit	
				Mail	E-mail
10	Certificate of Japanese language Test Score	Applicants who choose Japanese language (Applicants for Special Selection for Senior Citizens are exempted)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The score of one of the following Japanese language tests (1)Japanese Language Proficiency Test, (2)Japanese Examination of Japanese University Admission for International Student (EJU), (3) Final Examination of Preparatory Education for the Foreign Government-sponsored Students granted by the Japanese government in China and Malaysia, or (4)J.Test. <u>The tests taken within 2 years before the examination date is preferred.</u> 		✓ PDF
11	Certificate of English Language Test Score	Applicants who choose English language (Japanese students must choose English) (Applicants for Special Selection for Senior Citizens are exempted)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The score of one of the following English language tests : (1)Test of English for International Communication (TOEIC(L&R)), (2)Test of English as a Foreign Language (either TOEFL-iBT, TOEFL-PBT or TOEFL-CBT), (3) International English Language Testing System (IELTS). Or (4) STEP Eiken etc. (Applicants whose first language is English are not required to submit this certificate.) <u>The tests taken within 2 years before the examination date is preferred.</u> 		✓ PDF
12	Residence Card (copy)	International Applicants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All international applicants who are residing in Japan at the time of application must submit (both sides) 		✓ PDF

Notes:

- (1) If the applicant is a graduate or a current student of any university in China (excluding Taiwan, Hong Kong and Macau), please submit all the following documents.

Graduates	(a) Certificate of Graduation (毕业证书) and Bachelor/Master's Diploma (学位证书) (b) Online Verification Report of Higher Education Qualification Certificate (教育部学历证书电子注册备案表)
Expected Graduates	(a) Certificate of Expected Graduation (b) Online Verification Report of Student Record (教育部学籍在线验证报告)

The document (b) above must be obtained through“中国高等教育学生信息网(CHSI)”

(<https://www.chsi.com.cn/xlcx/bgys.jsp>). Please note that applicants must pay the issuing fee for the Online Verification Report by themselves. Also be sure that there are 15 or more days left until the expiration date of the online verification at the time of its submission.

- (2) If an applicant is unable to submit “Language Test Score Certificate”, an official document made by the university which certifies that the medium of instruction in the institution which the applicant has attended/is attending is English will be accepted.
- (3) Documents written in languages other than Japanese or English must be translated into Japanese or English. Submit both the original and translated documents.
- (4) Submit a GRE General Test Official Score, if available. (The submission of the GRE score is optional.) The Official Score Report must be sent by ETS directly to Hiroshima University (Institution Code: 2358) no later than the submission period. (The Examinee Score Report sent to applicants from ETS is acceptable as well.)

5. Others

- (1) Documents may neither be altered nor amended after submission.

- (2) In principle, application materials will not be returned.
- (3) Application fee is non-refundable for any reason after the application forms have been accepted.
- (4) Personal information (name, date of birth, gender, etc) recorded on application forms will be used in the selection of entrants, notification of passing of entrance examinations, and also entrance procedures. Once successful applicants have entered the university, the university will manage the data for use in matters relating to student support (scholarship applications, tuition fee exemption applications etc). This data will not be used for any other purpose or be seen by anyone except staff of this university.
However, after an agreement has been made regarding the appropriate use of personal information, there may be cases whereby related business is entrusted to companies outside the university for purposes of computer management.
- (5) It is preferred that applicants consult with a professor in their desired field prior to application. If you are unable to receive a reply from a professor, please contact "Inquiries, Submission" desk indicated in the section "I. Programs and Number of Students to be Admitted".
- (6) If you have any questions about the subjects, you can consult with the Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences (Support Office for the fields of International Development and Cooperation) in advance.
- (7) "Examination Card" will be provided after the application period is over. In case you have not received it by January 31, 2025 please consult with the Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences (Support Office for the fields of International Development and Cooperation).

IV. Application for persons who require special arrangements

It is the responsibility of any applicant with a disability or for any other reason who requires special arrangements to submit an application form (no prescribed form) as follows:

1. Application period

December 2 to December 6, 2024 (5:00 p.m.)

Early application is advised since in some cases it will be necessary to consider how Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences (Support Office for the fields of International Development and Cooperation) can meet your needs.

2. Contents of the application form

- (1) Applicant's name, address, and telephone number
- (2) Name of the university that applicant graduated from, Program for which the applicant will apply
- (3) Description of the disability and/or symptoms (if under treatment, attach a medical certificate)
- (4) Special Arrangements the applicant desires in the entrance examination
- (5) Special Arrangements the applicant desires for school life
- (6) Special Arrangements that was provided at the university the applicant graduated from
- (7) Conditions of everyday life

V. Selection Procedure

The selection of successful applicants is based on the comprehensive results of an entrance examination (Written and Oral Examinations) etc. However, applicants falling under the Special Selection for Senior Citizens category are exempted from the Written Examination.

1. Entrance Examination

(1) Written Examination (Specialized Subject)

Division of Humanities and Social Sciences

	General Selection Special Selection for Working Citizens			Special Selection for Senior Citizens
Specialized Subject	Program	Subjects	Academic Advisor	Exempt (to be selected by Curriculum Vitae and Motivation for Application / Activities Report and other application documents which is submitted beforehand)
	International Peace and Co-existence	• Peacebuilding	KATAYANAGI Mari	
		• Peace Studies	KAWANO Noriyuki	
		• Anthropology of Development	SEKI Koki	
		• Anthropology of Migration	NAGASAKA Itaru	
		• International Politics	YOSHIDA Osamu	
		• Conflict Resolution	KAKEE Tomoko	
		• International Relations	SIMANGAN Dahlia Collado	
		• Peace and Memory Studies	VAN DER DOES Luli	
		• Peace and Conflict Research	YAMANE Tatsuo	
		• Disarmament and Nonproliferation	TOSAKI Hirofumi	
	International Economic Development	The research proposal, as a part of the application form, submitted to the admission office will be evaluated as a substitute for the Written Examination.		

< International Peace and Co-existence Program >

*Choose one specialized subject which is designated by your academic adviser. Each specialized subject contains two questions. The examinee of General Selection must answer two questions. The examinee of Special Selection for Working Citizens must answer one designated question.

*In principle, the written examination for the International Peace and Co-existence Program may be answered in either Japanese or English; however, the Subject “International Relations” must be answered in English.

Division of Educational Sciences

	General Selection Special Selection for Working Citizens			Special Selection for Senior Citizens
Specialized Subject	Program	Subjects	Academic Advisor	Exempt (to be selected by Curriculum Vitae and Motivation for Application / Activities Report and other application documents which is submitted beforehand)
	International Education Development	· Sport Education and Development	SAITO Kazuhiko	
		· Ethnolinguistics	SATO Nobuharu	
		· Curriculum Development of Science Education	SHIMIZU Kinuya	
		· Curriculum Development of Mathematics Education	BABA Takuya	
		· Higher Education Systems	OBA Jun	
		· Planning for Educational Development	TANIGUCHI Kyoko	
		· Curriculum Development of Citizenship Education	NAKAYA Ayami	
		· Learning Science	FUJIKI Daisuke	
		· Teacher Education	MAKI Takayoshi	
		· Early Childhood Care and Education and Educational Development	MIWA Chiaki	
		· Comparative Higher Education	KIM Yangson	
		· International Development Cooperation in Education	YOSHIDA Kazuhiro, KUSAKABE Tatsuya, SAKATA Nozomi	
		· Diversity and Inclusion Research in Education	SAKURAI Riho	
		· Study of Intercultural Understanding/Communication, English Education	TAKITA Fuyuko	

< International Education Development Program >

*Choose one specialized subject which is designated by your academic adviser. Each specialized subject contains multiple questions. The examinee of General Selection must answer two questions. The examinee of Special Selection for Working Citizens must answer one question.

*In principle, the written examination for the International Education Development Program may be answered in either Japanese or English; however, the Subject “Comparative Higher Education” must be answered in English.

(2) Oral Examination

Detailed schedule will be posted after the Written Examination.

2. Date of Entrance Examination

[General Selection]

February 12, 2025 Written Examination (Specialized Subject)	(International Peace and Co-existence Program, International Education Development Program) 9:30am-11:30am
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February 13, 2025 Oral Examination	(International Peace and Co-existence Program, International Economic Development Program, International Education Development Program) 9:30am-
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[Special Selection for Working Citizens]

February 12, 2025 Written Examination (Specialized Subject)	(International Peace and Co-existence Program, International Education Development Program) 9:30am-10:30am.
February 13, 2025 Oral Examination	(International Peace and Co-existence Program, International Economic Development Program, International Education Development Program) 9:30am-

[Special Selection for Senior Citizens]

February 13, 2025 Oral Examination	(International Peace and Co-existence Program, International Economic Development Program, International Education Development Program) 9:30am-
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Notes on Written Examination

- (1) Writing materials (pencil, mechanical pencil, pen, and eraser) and watch with timing function can be used during Written Examination. Any electronic devices such as cell phone and alarm watch must be turned off and put away (in the bag) before entering the examination room. If examinees have any other belongings on the desk or electronic devices are not put away, it can be regarded as cheating.
- (2) Examinees must be seated in the examination room 15 minutes prior to the start of the examination and follow the instruction of the proctor.

3. Applicant Assessment

(1) Evaluating Examinations

- Applicants falling under the General Selection and Special Selection for Working Citizens will be assessed comprehensively based on the results of an entrance examination (Written and Oral examinations) by (2) Evaluation Criteria.
- Applicants falling under the Special Selection for Senior Citizens category will be evaluated by the results of an Oral Examination.

(2) Evaluation Criteria

i) Written Examination (Specialized Subject)

As a general rule, the pass/fail borderline score is 60% of the total score. Mark allocation for each subject is as follows:

International Peace and Co-existence Program, International Education Development Program		
Categories Subjects	General Selection	Special Selection for Working Citizens
Specialized Subject	200	100
Total	200	100

* International Economic Development Program

The research proposal, as a part of the application form, submitted to the admission office will be evaluated as a substitute for the Written Examination.

Mark allocation: 100 (General Selection, Special Selection for Working Citizens)

ii) Oral Examination

Oral examinees are graded according to the following table and the grade of C is considered “fail”. The Oral Examination includes the evaluation of the application documents.

A	Excellent (Most Appropriate for Enrollment)
B	Good (Appropriate for Enrollment)
C	Poor (Inappropriate for Enrollment)

iii) General Judgement

Those who have passed both the Written Examination (Except those applying for Special Selection for Senior Citizens) and Oral Examination will be successful applicants.

4. Announcement of Admission:

At noon, on February 28, 2025 (tentative schedule)

The acceptance certificate and the admission guide will be sent to the successful applicants by mail.

An announcement will also be made on the website of the Graduate School (<https://www.hiroshima-u.ac.jp/en/gshs>).

Please note, however, that the announcement on the website is made as part of information provision and does not grant admission officially in any way. Only mailing of the acceptance certificate should be regarded as an official announcement of admission. Please also note that we will not announce the results through posting on the bulletin board on campus.

(Telephone/E-mail inquiries will not be answered)

VI. Enrollment Procedure

1. Period

The period will be in the beginning of March. More details will be informed in the end of February.

2. Fees

Enrollment Fee: ¥282,000

Tuition Fee: ¥535,800 (for one year)

- (1) The above amount is as of April 2024. In case of the revision of the amount at the time of enrollment or during the period of enrollment, the most recent tuition fees will always apply.
- (2) Enrollment fee must be paid at the time of enrollment and tuition fee must be paid after the enrollment. Exact amount, detailed payment methods, and information on enrollment/tuition fee exemption or deferment application will be announced later.
- (3) Enrollment fee, once paid, will not be reimbursed under any circumstances.

3. Notes

- (1) Any forgery or falsification of the documents and/ or academic fraud would result in cancellation of acceptance even after passing examination and/ or completing enrollment procedure.
- (2) For applicants accepted on the condition of graduation from currently enrolled university, admission will be cancelled if s/he cannot graduate by the time of enrollment.

VII. An explanation of the “special exception” educational path presented in Article 14 of the Graduate School Establishment Criteria

The purpose of Article 14 of the Graduate School Establishment Criteria is to supply more convenient study plans for incoming Working Student. Measures for the special exception prescribed by Article 14 are as follows:

Courses will be held on weekday evenings (from 6:40-8:10 p.m.), as well as in the middle of long vacation periods, such as the summer recess, on a short-term basis (intensive courses).

VIII. Extended Study Program

Students who have a job or meet the criteria of the program or adult recurrent students who enter the University under the “Phoenix System” can benefit from this program. It enables them to complete their curriculum in a period exceeding the standard duration of studies, in accordance with the prearranged schedule.

Tuition fees for students in this program must be paid in installments by dividing the total tuition fee amount for the standard period of their curriculum by the approved number of years of study. The maximum period is 4 years for Master’s Course and 6 years for Doctoral Course.

Students wishing to enter this program are required to contact Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences (Support Office for the fields of International Development and Cooperation) without fail before their tuition fee payment.

Disclosure of Personal Information on the Results of the Hiroshima University Entrance Examination in 2024

Personal information on the results of the entrance examination (herein after referred to as “personal information”) will be disclosed **only to applicants for Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences (General Selection, Special Selection for Working Citizens)** in 2024.

Item	Information to be Disclosed
Examination Result	Score of each subject of Written Examination(s) Evaluation of Oral Examination (Letter Grade)

Procedure to request for disclosure of personal information

- (1) Obtain the “Application Form for Disclosure of Personal Information of the Entrance Examination for Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences, Hiroshima University” by one of the following ways:
 - ① Make an inquiry by email for electronic data of the application form.
(koku-gaku@office.hiroshima-u.ac.jp)
 - ② Make an inquiry by mail. Write “Request for Application Form for Disclosure of Personal Information” on the envelope, enclose a return-envelope (standard size, 120mm×235mm) with the applicant’s name, address, and 110 yen stamp affixed, and send it to Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences (Support Office for the fields of International Development and Cooperation).
- (2) Bring or send the following documents to Preparatory Office for the Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences (Support Office for the fields of International Development and Cooperation).
 - ① Completed Application Form for Disclosure of Personal Information of the Entrance Examination for Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences, Hiroshima University.
 - ② Examination Card for Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences (Copy of the card is not accepted. It will be returned to the applicant when the Notice of Determination is sent. If the examination card cannot be submitted for some reason, please send a copy of another identification document such as driver’s license.)
 - ③ A return-envelope (standard size, 120mm×235mm) with the applicant’s name, address, and 460 yen stamp affixed.
Please note that applicant may be asked for corrections if any of these are incomplete.
- (3) Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences, Hiroshima University sends the “Notice of Determination for Disclosure of Personal Information of the Entrance Examination for Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences, Hiroshima University” to the applicant by registered mail within 30 days after the acceptance of the application.

Period for request of disclosure of personal information

Between April 1, 2025 to May 31, 2025 for the February 2025 examination applicants

Applications and Inquiries about the Disclosure of (Personal Information on) the Result of Entrance Examination	
Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences (Support Office for the fields of International Development and Cooperation) Hiroshima University	739-8529 1-5-1 Kagamiyama, Higashi-Hiroshima Tel: 082-424-5902 E-mail: koku-gaku@office.hiroshima-u.ac.jp

Inquiries about Disclosure Requests based on the Law for Protection of Personal Information

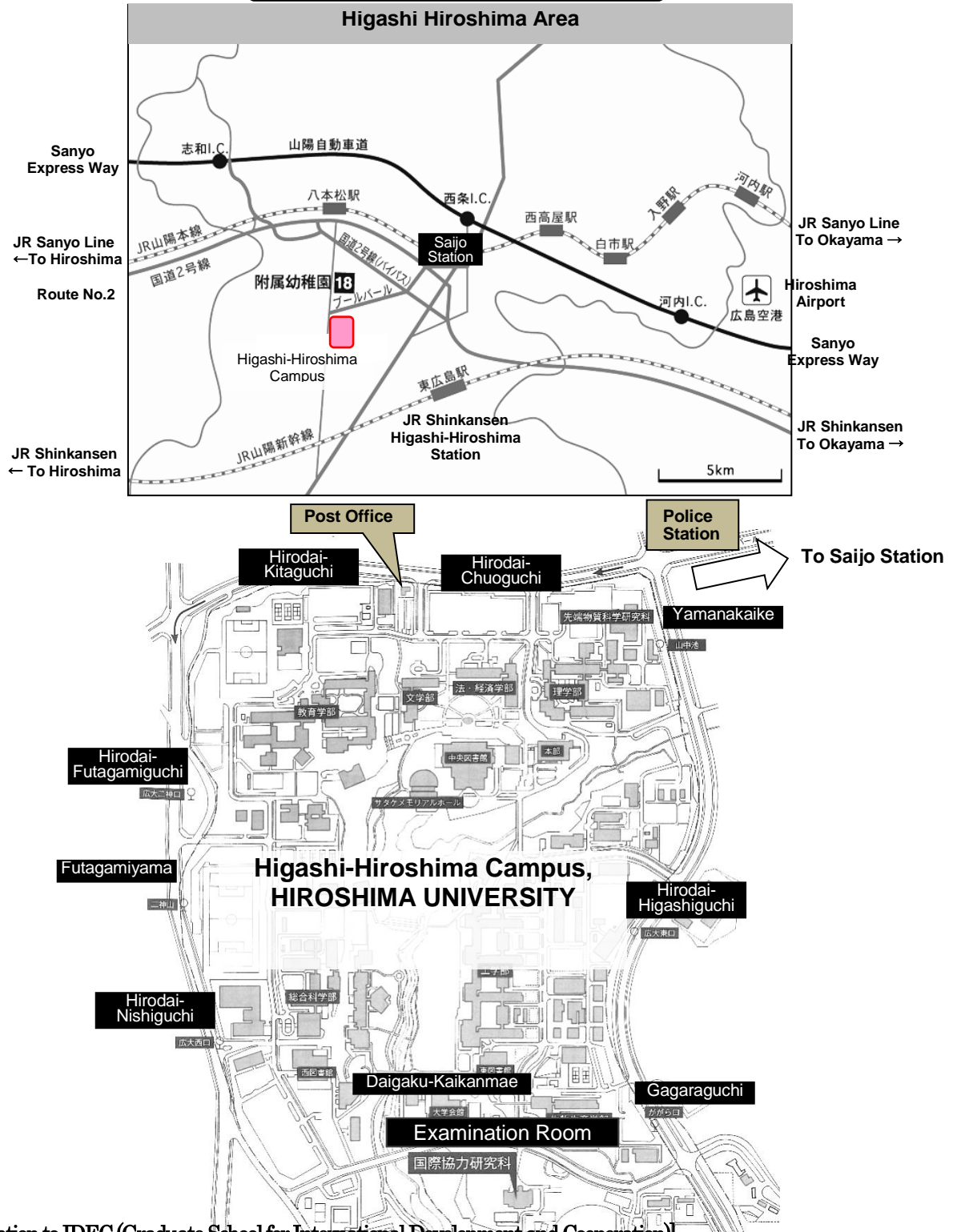
Aside from the above procedure for disclosure of personal information on the result of entrance examination, there is also a “Disclosure Request System” based on the law for protection of personal information.

For details of this system, visit Hiroshima University’s homepage, 「トップページ」→「法人情報」→「個人情報保護」→「個人情報の開示請求制度」(Japanese page)

(https://www.hiroshima-u.ac.jp/about/information_disclosure/personal_info)

< Disclosure Request and Inquiries >	
General Affairs Group, Hiroshima University	739-8511 1-3-2 Kagamiyama, Higashi-Hiroshima Tel: 082-424-5014

Where you take the examination



[Transportation to IDEC (Graduate School for International Development and Cooperation)]

1-5-1, Kagamiyama, Higashi-Hiroshima

- From JR Saijo Station: Take the bus bound for "Hiroshima-Daigaku"
- From Shinkansen Higashi-Hiroshima Station: Take the bus bound for "Hiroshima-Daigaku"

Get off at "Daigaku-Kaikanmae" (about 20 minutes)

博士課程前期 Master's Course

教員一覧 List of Members

人文社会科学専攻 Division of Humanities and Social Sciences

【国際平和共生プログラム International Peace and Co-existence Program】

職名 Position	氏 名 Name	研究内容 Research Theme
教授 Professor	片柳 真理 KATAYANAGI, Mari	紛争解決論, 平和構築, 平和維持, 紛争予防, 国際人権法 Conflict resolution, Peacebuilding, Peacekeeping, Conflict prevention, and International human rights law
教授 Professor	川野 徳幸 KAWANO, Noriyuki	平和学, 原爆被爆被害研究, グローバル核被害研究 Peace Studies, Studies on A-Bomb and Global Nuclear Disasters
教授 Professor	関 恒樹 SEKI, Koki	開発・社会政策・平和の文化人類学的研究, フィリピンを中心とした東南アジア地域研究 Cultural Anthropology of Development, Social Policy, and Peace, Area Studies of the Philippines and Southeast Asia
教授 Professor	長坂 格 NAGASAKA, Itaru	社会文化人類学, 移住研究, 東南アジア研究 Social and cultural anthropology, Migration studies, Southeast Asian Studies
教授 Professor	△吉田 修 YOSHIDA, Osamu	先進国が築き上げてきた既存の国際秩序と, 途上国の外交政策との間の相互作用の分析 Analyzing the interaction between the present international order established through the historical dominance of Western Powers on the one hand, and the foreign policies of developing nations to restore their strength in international society on the other.
准教授 Associate Professor	掛江 朋子 KAKEE, Tomoko	紛争解決論, 国際法に関する研究 Studies on Conflict Resolution and International Law
准教授 Associate Professor	シマンガン ダリア コリャード SIMANGAN Dahlia Collado	国際関係論, 平和構築理論, 国連平和構築活動, 平和と持続可能性の連携, 人新世 International Relations Theory, Peacebuilding Theory, United Nations Peacekeeping Operations, Peace-Sustainability Nexus, Anthropocene
准教授 Associate Professor	ファン・デル・ドゥース ルリ VAN DER DOES, Luli	言説と表象の分野横断型実証研究, 記憶学 (紛争と平和), 原爆ひばく体験継承, 応用リスク論 Interdisciplinary Empirical Study of Discourse and Representations, Memory Studies (Conflict and Peace), Heritage of the Atomic-Bomb Experiences, Applied Risk Theory
准教授 Associate Professor	山根 達郎 YAMANE, Tatsuo	平和と安全保障, 武力紛争, 平和構築, グローバル・ガバナンス Peace and Security, Armed Conflict, Peacebuilding, and Global Governance
准教授 Associate Professor	戸崎 洋史 TOSAKI, Hirofumi	軍備管理・軍縮・不拡散, 核戦略・抑止論, 平和・安全保障 Arms control, Disarmament and Non-proliferation, Nuclear strategy and deterrence, Peace and security

【国際経済開発プログラム International Economic Development Program】

職名 Position	氏 名 Name	研究内容 Research Theme
教授 Professor	市橋 勝 ICHIHASHI, Masaru	アジア経済の数量的比較分析, 国際地域経済分析, 産業構造の発展分析, 日本経済論・経済政策論, 経済統計分析論 Quantitative Comparison for Asian Economy, International and Regional Studies of Economy, Analysis for Industrial Development, Japanese Economic System, Economics Statistics Analysis
教授 Professor	金子 慎治 KANEKO, Shinji	途上国の持続可能な発展に関する研究 アジア地域の環境政策に関する研究 Study on Sustainable Development for Developing Countries Environmental Policy Studies in Asia
教授 Professor	後藤 大策 GOTO, Daisaku	開発と環境の政策研究のための応用ミクロ経済学 開発と環境経済学における実験室実験とフィールド実験 Applied Microeconomics for Development and Environmental Policy Studies Lab and Field Experiments in Development and Environmental Economics
教授 Professor	シャリフィ アユーブ SHARIFI Ayyoob	都市計画及び都市政策, 環境計画及び環境管理, 気候政策, 持続的な都市 Urban Planning and Policy Development, Environmental Planning and Management, Climate Policy, Sustainable Cities
教授 Professor	高橋 与志 TAKAHASHI, Yoshi	人的資源開発・管理論, 技術経営論, 中小企業経営論 Human Resource Development / Management, Management of Technology, Management of Small and Medium-sized Enterprises
准教授 Associate Professor	ジョシ ニラズ プラカシュ JOSHI, Niraj Prakash	気候変動, 農業技術, 農業経済, 農村開発に関する研究 Climate change, agricultural technology adoption, agriculture production economics, poverty and rural development in developing country
准教授 Associate Professor	近藤 雅征 KONDO, Masayuki	気候変動対策評価, 温室効果ガス動態解析, 熱帯地域における土地利用変化研究, 地球の気候調整に関する理論研究 モデルシミュレーション, リモートセンシング、さまざまな統計データを駆使し, 上記の研究を国, 亜大陸, 全球などの広域スケールで行っている。 Evaluation of climate change countermeasures, analysis of greenhouse gas dynamics, land use change research in tropical regions, and theoretical research on Earth's climate regulation.
助教 Assistant Professor	カロ バーネット ヨハン CARO-BURNETT Johann	政治経済, 投票行動, 国際協定, 平和と紛争 行動経済学, 実験経済学, 開発経済学 Political economy, voting behavior, international agreements, peace and conflict Behavioral economics, experimental economics, development economics
助教 Assistant Professor	ハーン グラム ダスタギール KHAN Ghulam Dastgir	開発政策の社会・経済的インパクト評価 Social and Economic Impact Assessment of Development Policies
助教 Assistant Professor	西條 春信 SAIJO, Harunobu	比較政治, 歴史的な政治経済, 権威主義の政治学 Comparative Politics, Historical Political Economy, Authoritarian Politics
助教 Assistant Professor	ミッチェル オースティン マイケル MITCHELL Austin Michael	民主主義と独裁, 政府予算と財政, 開発の政治経済学, 平和と紛争 Democracy and dictatorship, government budgets and finance, political economy of development, peace and conflict

教育科学専攻 Division of Educational Sciences

【国際教育開発プログラム International Education Development Program】

職名 Position	氏 名 Name	研究内容 Research Theme
教授 Professor	齊藤 一彦 SAITO, Kazuhiko	体育・スポーツを通じた国際開発, 国際比較スポーツ教育 International Development through Sport Education, International Comparison of Sport Education
教授 Professor	佐藤 暢治 SATO, Nobuharu	中国甘粛・青海省のモンゴル系諸言語における民族言語学的研究 Ethno- linguistic studies on the Mongolian languages of Gansu and Qinghai Provinces, China
教授 Professor	清水 欽也 SHIMIZU, Kinya	途上国における理科教育国際協力・科学教育に関する教育研究及びその他教科の授業開発・分析 Science education, principles of science curriculum, and development and analysis of lessons in other subjects
教授 Professor	馬場 卓也 BABA, Takuya	数学教育開発論の国際的展開に関する研究及びその他教科の授業開発・分析 Research on mathematics education development in international perspective, and development and analysis of lessons in other subjects
教授 Professor	吉田 和浩 YOSHIDA, Kazuhiro	国際教育協力に関する実践的・開発的研究 Practical researches on Promoting International Cooperation in Educational Development
教授 Professor	中矢 礼美 NAKAYA, Ayami	グローバルシティズンシップ教育、平和教育、地域カリキュラム開発、比較国際教育学 Global Citizenship Education, Peace Education, Local Curriculum Development, Comparative and International Education
教授 Professor	日下部 達哉 KUSAKABE, Tatsuya	発展途上国の社会・経済構造と教育との関係を比較の視点からアプローチする研究 Comparative study of relationship between social, economic structure fluctuation and education in developing countries
准教授 Associate Professor	大場 淳 OBA, Jun	高等教育の制度や政策に関する理論や実践並びに国際比較 日本の高等教育の概論 Theories and practices of higher education structure and policy as well as international comparison Introduction to Japanese Higher Education
准教授 Associate Professor	櫻井 里穂 SAKURAI, Riho	ダイバーシティ・インクルージョン研究、インクルーシブ教育、比較国際教育 Diversity and Inclusion Studies, Inclusive Education, Comparative and International Education
准教授 Associate Professor	谷口 京子 TANIGUCHI, Kyoko	低・中所得国(アフリカやアジア地域)における教育開発計画や教育政策に関する研究 Studies on Educational Planning and Education Policy in Low- and Middle-income Countries (Africa and Asia)
准教授 Associate Professor	藤木 大介 FUJIKI, Daisuke	学習科学, 認知心理学, 知識構成, 言語心理学 Learning science, cognitive psychology, knowledge construction, psychology of language

職名 Position	氏 名 Name	研究内容 Research Theme
准教授 Associate Professor	牧 貴愛 MAKI, Takayoshi	アジア諸国における教育人材開発(教師教育), 比較教育学 Studies on Human Resource Development for Education (teacher education) in Asian countries, Comparative Education
准教授 Associate Professor	三輪 千明 MIWA, Chiaki	途上国における幼児教育の効果に関する研究, 保育分野の国際協力 Studies on the effects of early childhood education in developing countries, International cooperation in early childhood care and education
准教授 Associate Professor	キム ヤンソン KIM, Yangson	比較教育, 国際教育, および開発教育の観点から高等教育を分析する Studies of higher education from the perspectives of comparative, international, and development education
准教授 Associate Professor	田北 冬子 TAKITA, Fuyuko	異文化コミュニケーション論, 異文化理解, 異文化交渉学, 英語教育研究 Intercultural Communication Theory, Intercultural Understanding, Cross-Cultural Negotiation, English Education
准教授 Associate Professor	坂田 のぞみ SAKATA, Nozomi	比較教育学, 国際開発学, 教授法研究, 教育政策分析, サブ・サハラ・アフリカ, 低中所得国 Comparative and International Education, Pedagogy and Learning, Education Policy Analysis, Sub-Saharan Africa, Low- and Middle-Income Countries

注)△印は2025年4月入学者の標準修業年限内に退職等が予定される教員であるので, この教員を指導教員として志願する者は, 出願時に人間社会科学研究科(国際協力学系支援室)に問い合わせること。

△ mark indicates a professor who is scheduled to retire within the standard completion period for those who are enrolled in April. Those who wish to study under the supervision of the professor should contact Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences (Support Office for the fields of International Development and Cooperation) beforehand.

注)募集する指導教員が異動等により変更になることがある。その場合には, 人間社会科学研究科ホームページに掲載するので, 相談前にあらかじめホームページを確認すること。

Note that “List of Members” is subject to change due to personnel changes. In this case, you will be informed via the HP of Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences. Therefore, please confirm the HP before consulting with a professor.

Special Education Program for Young Professionals Preparing for Careers in International Organizations (YPPCIO Program)

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https://www.hiroshima-u.ac.jp/en/smart_society/civil

The Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences (International Peace and Co-existence Program, International Economic Development Program, International Education Development Program), the Graduate School of Advanced Science and Engineering (Transdisciplinary Science and Engineering Program) and the Graduate School of Innovation and Practice for Smart Society of Hiroshima University (hereinafter "HU") offer the YPPCIO Program to support and nurture students who will pursue their future careers in international organizations. The YPPCIO program is aimed at developing leaders who can, with their practical experiences as well as technical knowledge, play a major role in the field of international development and cooperation. In pursuit of these goals, the curriculum of this program provides innovative knowledge and skills for various international issues.

ADVANTAGES

- ✓ The curriculum provides the practical knowledge and skills required for international civil servant in the field of international development and cooperation.
- ✓ Students have various opportunities to participate in seminars by invited lecturers who are active in the field of international development and cooperation.
- ✓ Certificate of completion is conferred upon satisfying the requirements of the program.

HOW TO REGISTER THE PROGRAM

Any "HU" master students are welcome to apply. Students who wish to participate in the YPPCIO program are required to submit the registration form by the designated deadline in April and October. Detailed information will be provided on the "MOMIJ" notice board at the beginning of each semester.

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Global Environmental Leaders Special Education Program

BACKGROUND

In recent years, broader knowledge and analytical skills to cope with global environmental issues such as climate change, biodiversity losses, desertification, pollution in developing countries, and so on that threaten the existence of humans have become necessary fundamental expertise for any areas related to global sustainability and international cooperation. In order to offer an additional educational opportunity for having such expertise, The Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences(International Peace and Co-existence Program, International Economic Development Program, International Education Development Program) ,the Graduate School of Advanced Science and Engineering(Transdisciplinary Science and Engineering Program) and the Graduate School of Innovation and Practice for Smart Society of Hiroshima University (hereinafter "HU") have been implementing the Global Environmental Leaders Special Education Program (GELs Program).

OBJECTIVES

The GELs Program is to nurture global environmental leaders who are capable of identifying problems and formulating strategic solutions at the national and local level through interdisciplinary and international perspectives.

ADVANTAGES

- ✓ GELs students can obtain necessary knowledge and skills to create a sustainable society based on students' individual specializations as well as interdisciplinary knowledge from experts in various fields.
- ✓ GELs students can acquire communication skills by studying with peers with diverse backgrounds and areas of experience.
- ✓ Certificate of completion is conferred upon satisfying the requirements of the program.

HOW TO REGISTER THE PROGRAM

Any HU students, regardless of nationality, are welcome to register. Students who wish to participate in GELs program are required to submit the registration form by the designated deadline in April and October.

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