

Orientation for the Newly Enrolled Students in October 2025
Hiroshima University Graduate Schools

Global Career Design Center





About Us: Global Career Design Center (GCDC)

GCDC helps all students develop their careers and find job opportunities

Undergraduates (B)

【Location / Open Hours】

- 2nd Floor, Student Plaza,
Higashi-Hiroshima (Saijo) Campus
- 8:30 am to 5:15 pm,
Mondays to Fridays
(Closed on weekends and holidays)



Graduates (M)

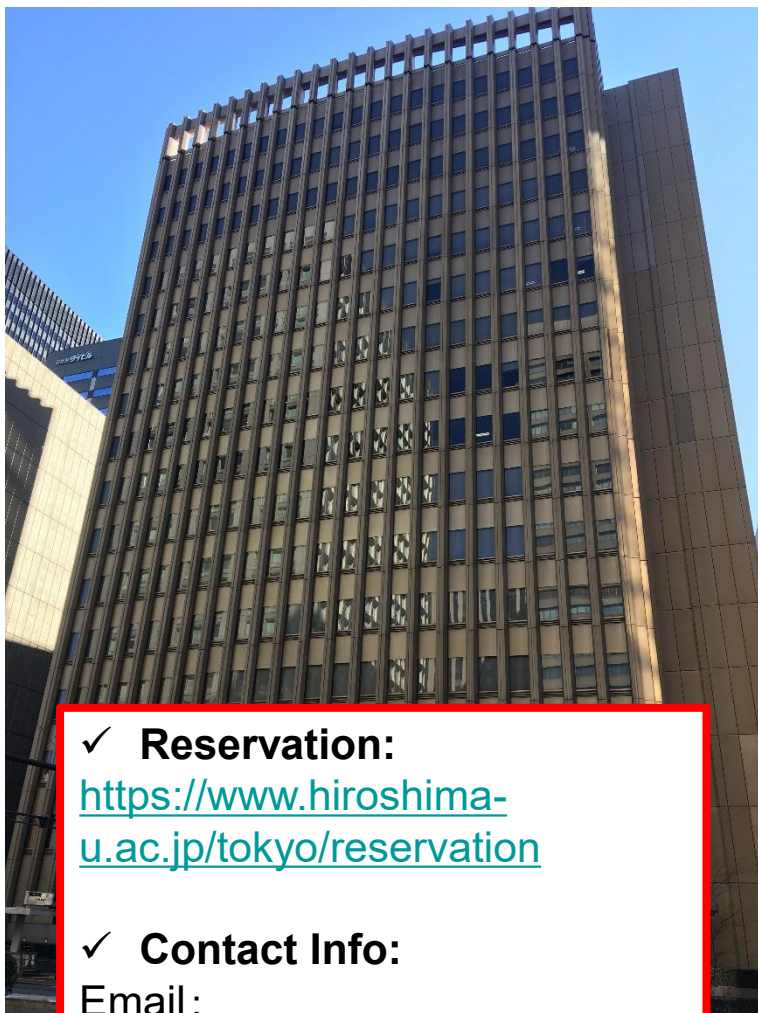
【Support Overview】

- Career & skills development
- Career consultation
- Planning & organizing career events
- Collect & providing career-related materials
- Providing career-related info, etc.



HU Tokyo Office: How to use the facility for your career

Job-Hunting Support in Tokyo



Tokyo Office Address (Google Map):
[2F, Saiwai building, 1-3-1, Uchisaiwai-cho, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo, 100-0011, Japan](#)

* Close to the Shinbashi Station on JR Yamanote Line

✓ Reservation:

<https://www.hiroshima-u.ac.jp/tokyo/reservation>

✓ Contact Info:

Email:

tokyo@office.hiroshima-u.ac.jp

Phone: 03-6206-7390

What you can do there:

- Document creation (computers / printers available)
- Renting a space for online/in-person interview/meeting
- Changing clothes / Checking luggage
- Shower service (Towels available)
- University certificate issuance (enrollment certificate, etc.)



Website: <https://www.hiroshima-u.ac.jp/Tokyo>

Career Support: **Career Fairs**

■ **On-campus Job Fair**

⇒ **Around May to June**

Companies actively seeking to hire Hiroshima University students will be invited to campus for the job fair. Around 60 companies, ranging from major national corporations to local small and medium-sized enterprises, participate in the event.

Date: Saturday, May 10, 2025

**Location: Higashi-Hiroshima (Saijo)
Campus West Gymnasium**



■ **Job Seminar (Industry)**

⇒ **Around October to November**

Invites companies from different sectors to help students understand diverse Japanese and global industry opportunities.

**Tuesday, October 14, Friday, October 17, Monday,
October 20, 2025 Scheduled to be held**

■ **Public Servant Seminar**

⇒ **2nd semester**

You can learn about public servants' roles, organization, career development, job satisfaction, and differences from the private sector. Some institutions feature Hiroshima University alumni and public servants with private-sector experience alongside recruiters. This year, 10 institutions are expected to participate.

**Friday, October 24, Monday, October 27, 2025
Scheduled to be held**

The Career Networking events support participants' job-hunting by inviting Hiroshima University alumni/alumnae who are active as recruiters or HR managers at companies keen to offer positions to the HU students and younger researchers. These events feature company presentations, open Q&A sessions, and casual group meetings.

HU Coffee Chats invites Hiroshima University alumni/alumnae or current PhD students active in academia/industry in Japan/globally as guest speakers. They share insights from their student days, successful job-hunting experiences, and current career goals, thereby supporting participants' career planning and development.

(↓Click the images below to view the information sites for past events.↓)



For B/M/D

Career Support: How to find the Job Openings / Career Events

**You can check various information
on My Momiji and the GCDC Website!**



*** For job openings, you can search on the career support cloud service named [Career-tasu UC](#).**

Job Seekers' Feedback
You can find the feedback comments from former job seekers at HU.

*** Information on civil service and teacher recruitment exams can be found and viewed online at [Career-tasu UC](#).**

Search for information on your preferred workplace
You can search for basic information on the company, government office or hospital you wish to apply to. You may also find whether any HU alumni have joined your preferred employer.

HU Alumni Search
You can search for the workplaces of HU alumni according to faculty/graduate school.

*** Schedules of the job fairs and other career events can be found online on the GCDC website and at [Career-tasu UC](#).**

How to find the Job Openings / Career Events

Please check the bulletin board of My Momiji to find the Career Event info!



Information on career events like Job Fair and Alumni Seminars will be posted on the bulletin board (掲示) .

- お知らせ掲示 means "Notification".
- 進路・就職掲示 means "Message from the Career Center".

Don't forget to enter your career preferences/employer/workplaces on MY MOMIJI before your graduation.

1. Let's design and enter your career plan in My Momiji.

2. Please enter the info of your workplace where to join after graduation.

3. Please leave your feedback on your job-hunting activity.

Entry Deadline:

October in the year of your graduation

*** Please note:** In case you do not complete entering your career plan, you may not be able to receive the Certificate of Expected Graduation/Completion" from the automatic certificate issuing machine.

Please enter your employment information as soon as you have found a job.

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For B/M/D

Career Support: **Career Consultation**

You can consult with career advisers and other career experts to assist you in your job search and get advice on your CV, job interviews, etc. If you are interested in the academic career, you may request any advice in seeking it.

【Career Advisers】

- Faculty members (researchers) at GCDC
- Experts on the industry career
- Career development advisers
- Qualified staffs on career consultation

【Open Hours】

- **Mon – Fri: 9:00~16:45 (Reservations required)**
- **45minutes per time (9:00~,10:00~,11:00~,13:00~14:00~,15:00~,16:00~)**

(Available during spring, summer, and winter breaks.)



How to book a
Career Consultation

*** In-person or online consultations (via Microsoft Teams) are available.**



Career Consultation (in-person)
Left: Career Advisor, Right: Student

Note: PhD students and young researchers can request a consultation meeting via **HIRAKU-PF**. For more details, please visit the website below.

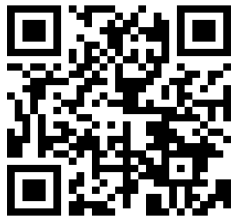
URL : https://www.hiroshima-u.ac.jp/gcdc_yr/consultation/en

B・M・D対象

Acaric Lounge **Acaric Lounge**

- It is a “community lounge” established in collaboration between Hiroshima University and Acaric Co., Ltd.
- Offers comprehensive career support, including job counseling, internship and job introductions, and industry seminars.
- Register on Acaric, a scout-based job site, to enjoy free coffee, tea, snacks, and more.

Even without a specific purpose, you can use it as a lounge with coffee, Wi-Fi, and power outlets.



URL : https://www.hiroshima-u.ac.jp/gcdc_yr/acariclounge



Job Searching Handbook

The job-seeking students at HU can get the "Job Searching Handbook" for free.



You will find this book at the GCDC, on the 2nd floor of the Student Plaza.
You may also get this at your Student Support Office of your faculty or Graduate School.

Young Researchers' Portfolio

HIRAKU-PF

Let's establish and realize diversified career paths!

HOW TO USE

**Promote Yourself
& Your Research**

Skill Development

Job Search

M・D・PD
OG・OB

**For Young
Researchers!!
It's Yours!!**

New Rendezvous
and Awareness!!

Young
Research
ers

Member
Corporations
& Research
Institutes

USER REGISTRATION

[HIRAKU WEBPAGE]

<https://hiraku.hiroshima-u.ac.jp>

HIRAKU

Search

< How to First Access to HIRAKU-PF >

- 1 Click "Young Researchers" tab on top of website. And "HIRAKU-PF" link in the above tab.
- 2 Click "HIRAKU-PF" icon on the right column.
- 3 Click "Create a new account" on
- 4 In "New Account Registration", e-mail address is required. Please use the e-mail address you used for registration.
- 5 Access to registration URL in registration e-mail.

Login with "e-mail address"

*Member Organizations : <https://www.hiraku-pf.org/>

< Contact >

HIRAKU-PF System S
(Global Career Design Center, Hiroshima

New Ph.D. students at Hiroshima University will be automatically registered to the system. The log-in information will be followed by the tentative password information. Please check the e-mail notifications sent from info@hiraku-pf.org.

What's HIRAKU-PF?

- PhD students and postdocs can enter their academic info to self-promote to the other users (young researchers and industry officers).
- Internship/job/career event info will be delivered to the users.
- Career consultation request/booking
- Communication with other users
- Skill assessment (Vitae RDF)

PhD students receive the login info via their HU email at the time of enrolment at the graduate schools.

Please check your HU email box before you try to reset your login info!

* HIRAKU-PF is also open to master's students / alums.

[How to Use]

https://hiraku.hiroshima-u.ac.jp/en/younger_platform/

Common Graduate Courses (GCDC provides)

■ For Master's Students

- Advanced Career Management
- Stress Management

■ For Doctoral program Students

- Innovation Practice
- Long-term Internship
- Career Management Seminar

For more information, including the syllabus,
Check the details on the following page.



URL: https://www.hiroshima-u.ac.jp/gcdc_yr/practical_program

■ キャリア開発・データリテラシー科目(博士課程後期対象) / Career Development and Data Literacy for doctorates

【ドメイン(A)】

- [イノベーション演習\(3T\)](#) 
[Innovation Practice\(3T\)](#) 
- [データサイエンティスト養成\(前期集中\)](#) 
[Pathway to becoming a Data Scientist\(1st/Int\)](#) 

【ドメイン(B)】

- [キャリアマネジメントセミナー「オンデマンド」\(2T集中\)](#) 
[Career Management seminar\[On-demand\]\(2T/Int\)](#) 
- [キャリアマネジメントセミナー「オンデマンド」\(4T集中\)](#) 
[Career Management seminar\[On-demand\]\(4T/Int\)](#) 
- [長期インターンシップ\(前期集中\)](#) 
[Long-term internship\(1st/Int\)](#) 
- [長期インターンシップ\(後期集中\)](#) 
[Long-term internship\(2nd/Int\)](#) 

【ドメイン(D)】

- [Skills and Arts of Leadership\[On-demand\]\(2nd/Int\)](#) 
- ※未来博士3分間コンペティション (参照: [昨年度大会](#)) 

■ キャリア開発・データリテラシー科目(博士課程前期対象) / Career Development and Data Literacy for master students

【ドメイン(B)】

- [キャリアマネジメント特論\(前期集中\)](#) 
[Advanced Career Management\(1st/Int\)](#) 
- [キャリアマネジメント特論「オンデマンド」\(1T集中\)](#) 
[Advanced Career Management\[On-demand\]\(1st/Int\)](#) 
- [キャリアマネジメント特論「オンデマンド」\(4T集中\)](#) 
[Advanced Career Management \[On-demand\]_\(4T/Int\)](#) 
- [ストレスマネジメント\(前期集中\)](#) 
[Stress Management\(1st/Int\)](#) 
- [ストレスマネジメント\(4T\)](#) 
[Stress Management\(4T\)](#) 

Common Graduate Course for the Doctoral program students

【Purpose of the Course】

This course encourages students to participate in internships to improve their practical skills and aim to solve problems and create innovations that companies and society face.

【Duration】 One month or longer

【Eligibility】 Doctoral program students

【Detail】 Please see the course syllabus of CHOI SEON KYUNG's "Long-Term Internship".

【Briefing and Consultation Schedule】 --- Online (TBD)

(Date) TBD * We will announce the details on My Momiji and HIRAKU-PF once the schedule has been decided.

HIRAKU Long Term Internship



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Career & Skill Development

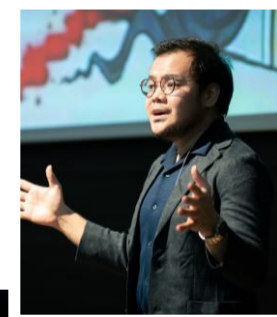
HIRAKU 3MT (Three-Minute-Thesis) Competition

- ◆ Exciting opportunity for doctorate students to effectively deliver their research and future vision in three minutes in a language appropriate to any audience.
- ◆ Date : Nov.22 (Sat), 2025 (provisional) / Venue : Hiroshima Convention Hall

[Official Site](#)



Please visit the website! ↑



Winner
(English Division)

Head of Jury



Winner
(Japanese Division)

The 2024 Convention



For M
(considering to
enter Doctoral
Courses)

Program for students entering the doctoral program



広島大学

: Hiroshima University Postgraduate Advancement Project

	<u>Program for Developing and Supporting the Next-Generation of Innovative Researchers at Hiroshima University</u>	<u>Project for Developing and Supporting the Next-Generation AI Researchers at Hiroshima University</u>
Outline	Support and develop for the students who have the intention to be directly involved in the creation of science, technology and innovation in Japan after obtaining their doctoral degrees at Hiroshima University	Support and foster human resources who can contribute to realization of Society5.0 with innovation to solve social problems through development of AI and original proposals to utilize AI as a technology which is foundation of Society5.0.
Support Target	Doctoral Courses or 4-Year PhD students (Any field of study)	Doctoral Courses or 4-Year PhD students (Research areas where AI is expected to be developed and utilized)
Website	https://www.hiroshima-u.ac.jp/en/fellowship/nextgeneration 	https://www.hiroshima-u.ac.jp/en/fellowship/nextgeneration-ai 

※Application will be accepted before entering the doctoral course.

※The detailed application period, support content and number of applicants will be posted on our website.