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

Division of Humanities and Social Sciences
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Admission Policy of Graduate School of Education, Humanities and Social Sciences

The Master's Course of the Graduate School of Education, Humanities and Social Sciences 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, a high level of knowledge and research skills in the humanities, social sciences, educational sciences and other related fields, and who eventually aims to contribute to creating a "peace science that can lead to sustainable development" from diversified perspectives

② 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 the humanities, social sciences, educational sciences and other related fields, and who has a willingness to address challenges currently, or potentially in the future, confronting human society in order to contribute to building a global society of diversity, freedom and peace

In order to admit such individuals, the Graduate School of Education, Humanities and Social Sciences 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 Division of Humanities and Social Sciences

The Division of Humanities and Social Sciences 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, a high level of knowledge and research skills in the humanities, social sciences and other related fields, and who eventually aims to contribute to creating a "peace science that can lead to sustainable development" from diversified perspectives

② 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 the humanities, social sciences and other related fields, and who has a willingness to address challenges currently, or potentially in the future, confronting human society in order to contribute to building a global society of diversity, freedom and peace

In order to admit such individuals, the Division of Humanities and Social Sciences 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 Division of Educational Sciences

The Division of Educational Sciences 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, 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

② 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 has a willingness to address challenges currently, or potentially in the future, confronting human society in order to contribute to building a global society of diversity, freedom and peace

In order to admit such individuals, the Division of Educational Sciences 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 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 Policy Science Program

The Policy Science 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.

①A person who follows a range of interests and is motivated to tackle various global issues confronting various countries

②A person who has the desire to pursue social science research that contributes to healthy socioeconomic 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 Policy Science 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.

①A 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”, “Policy Science”, “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	Selection Categories	Number of Students	Inquiries, Submission
Humanities and Social Sciences	International Peace and Co-existence	General selection Special Selection for Senior Citizens	Several	Support Office for the fields of International Development and Cooperation 1-5-1 Kagamiyama, Higashi-Hiroshima 739-8529, Japan Tel: +81-(0)82-424-7117 E-mail:koku-gaku@office.hiroshima-u.ac.jp
	Policy Science	General selection Special Selection for Senior Citizens		
Educational Sciences	International Education Development	General selection Special Selection for Working Citizens Special Selection for Senior Citizens		

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, 2027.

◇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, Article104, 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 a post-secondary course in a specialized training college (limited to those which meet the standards prescribed by the Minister of MEXT, including those which

have a course term or 4 years or more), designated separately by the Minister of MEXT, on and after the day prescribed 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, 2027. 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 a post-secondary course in a specialized training college (limited to those which meet the standards prescribed by the Minister of MEXT, including those which have a course term or 4 years or more), designated separately by the Minister of MEXT, on and after the day prescribed 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 March 31, 2027.

◇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 a post-secondary course in a specialized training college (limited to those which meet the standards prescribed by the Minister of MEXT, including those which have a course term or 4 years or more), designated separately by the Minister of MEXT, on and after the day prescribed 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 Education, 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 November 30 and December 4, 2026 by 5:00 p.m.

(2) Documents to be submitted

◇Each certificate must be an original. However, if a new certificate is not issued, a certified copy of original certified by the official organization, preferably the issuing organization will be accepted.

◇Any forgery or falsification of the documents and/ or academic fraud would result in cancellation of acceptance even after passing the examination and 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 registerd 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 10, 2026.

III. Application Procedure

1. Application method

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

(1) Enter 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 entering 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 **1. Application method** during the application period.

January 5 to January 13, 2027 by 5:00 p.m.

3. Online application

◆Inquiry regarding the system

Online application system and UCARO website

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

【From April 11 to August 31】

10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., 2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. (closed on Saturdays, Sundays, and national holidays)

【From September 1 to March 31】

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

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

Complete the following 8 steps during the application period.

Step 1: Access the Online Application System

Access the online application system from the Hiroshima University Admissions Information web page: https://www.hiroshima-u.ac.jp/en/nyugaku

Step 2: Select 'New Membership Registration' on the UCARO log in screen

Account registration for UCARO is required for all applicants (free of charge) and it enables applicants to use the above online application system and complete the enrollment procedures. Refer to the following URL for UCARO: https://www.ucaro.net/

Step 3: Enter the 'account' you received from the office (If the following conditions apply, if not, skip Step 3)

A MEXT Scholarship student and who applies to the category for which the application fee is exempted must ask the alphanumeric code (consisting of 8 or more characters) to the contact list written at I. Programs and Number of Students to be Admitted and enter it.

Step 4: Input your application data into the Online Application System

Follow the instruction on the screen and enter your name, address, telephone number, E-mail address etc.

* Your personal information registered through the online application system might be used for the following purposes; Please enter accurate information.

1. Entrance examinations
2. Notify and send the admission results
3. Sending documents for enrollment to successful applicants
4. Sending information before and after enrollment
5. Admissions statistics
6. New student registration and Student ID-Cards
7. Application fee payment

Step 5: Upload your photo

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 (JPY 30,000)

Select the payment method for the application fee from the following options. For applications from outside Japan, only credit card payments can be accepted.

1. Credit Cards: Available both within and outside Japan
2. Convenience Stores, Banking institution ATM【Pay-easy】and Internet banking

(Note)

・**In addition to the application fee, applicants must cover the processing fee for each application.**
The amount of processing fee will be notified at the time of online application.

・The application fee, once paid, will not be refunded for any reason.
However, in cases (1) and (2) below, the application fee is refundable after deducting the bank transfer fee. In such cases, please clearly write the "reason for demand of refund", "name", "postal code", "address," "transfer destination information" and "contact telephone number" in the prescribed format given from the university and send it to the address mentioned **I. Number of Students to be Admitted** by postal mail by the end of following February.
(1) If the application documents have not been submitted, or if they have not been accepted
(2) If duplicate payments of the application fee have been made in error

Step 7: Initial registration process completed (Your application is NOT completed yet)

Write down the application number of 6 digits that is shown on the screen. You can also check the number in the registration completion mail.

Step 8: Submission of application documents through E-mail and Registered mail

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)

The documents must be sent by registered mail and reach us by the last day of the application period.
Please write the following text clearly in red on the envelop:

"Application for Graduate School of Education, 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 Education, Humanities and Social Sciences ". Please be sure to separate the files for each 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 an original. However, if a new certificate is not issued, a certified copy of original by the official organization, preferably the issuing organization will be accepted.

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

	Document Type	Applicants	Details	How to submit	
				Mail	E-mail
1	Personal History	All	・One (1) A4 page ・Use the prescribed form		✓ Word
2	Notification of subjects	Applicants for "International Education Development Program" (Except those applying for Special Selection for Senior Citizens)	・Use the prescribed form		✓ Word
3	Research Proposal	All	・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)	・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	・A practical record, future prospects and opinions pertaining to international cooperation ・Four(4) A4 pages ・Use the prescribed form.		✓ Word
6	Academic Transcripts	All (Except those applying for Special Selection for Senior Citizens)	・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

	Document Type	Applicants	Details	How to submit	
				Mail	E-mail
7	Certificate of Degree Awarded or Certificate of Expected Graduation	All	・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	・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.	・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	・Japanese Government (Monbukagakusyo: MEXT) Scholars must submit the certificate.	✓	✓ PDF
10	Certificate of Japanese language Test Score	Applicants who choose Japanese language (Applicants for Special Selection for Senior Citizens are exempted)	・ 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. ・ **The tests taken within 2 years before the examination date is preferred.**		✓ PDF

	Document Type	Applicants	Details	How to submit	
				Mail	E-mail
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)	・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), (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.） **・The tests taken within 2 years before the examination date is preferred.**		✓ PDF
12	Copy of your residence card	International Applicants	・All international applicants who are residing in Japan at the time of application must submit (both sides of the card)		✓ PDF
13	Copy of your passport	International Applicants	・All international applicants who are residing in Japan at the time of application must submit (The personal details page with your photo and signature.)		✓ 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 by E-mail.

Graduates	(a) Digital copy of Certificate of Graduation (毕业证书) and Bachelor/Master's Diploma (学士/硕士学位证书) (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 1 month or more 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 Education, Humanities and Social Sciences (Support Office for the fields of International Development and Cooperation) in advance.

(7) “Examination Card” and “Examinee guidelines” will be available for printing on UCARO starting at noon on January 27, 2027 (tentative), after the application process has been completed. Please print “Examination Card” from UCARO and bring it with you on the day of the examination. If you are unable to print it, please contact the office listed under Inquiries, Submission **“I. Programs and Number of Students to be Admitted, Inquiries, Submission”**.

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

November 30 to December 4, 2026

Early application is advised since in some cases it will be necessary to consider how the Graduate School of Education, 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. Admission Selection Method

1. Academic Examination

In order to evaluate the applicants motivation for research, knowledge and applied skills in the applicant's field of specialization, English language skills, problem-solving ability, and aptitude, the Academic Examination will be conducted by a combination of the Document Review, the Written Examination, and the Oral Examination, as follows, depending on the program and the category of admission.

(1) International Peace and Co-existence Program

[General Selection]

The Document Review (Academic Transcripts, Research Proposal, and other application documents) and the Oral Examination will be conducted..

[Special Selection for Senior Citizens]

The Document Review (Curriculum Vitae and Motivation for Application/Activities Report and other application documents) and the Oral Examination will be conducted.

(2) Policy Science Program

[General Selection]

The Written Examination (the submitted research proposal will be evaluated in lieu of the Written Examination) and the Oral Examination (including evaluation of application documents) will be conducted.

[Special Selection for Senior Citizens]

The Oral Examination (including evaluation of application documents) will be conducted.

(3) International Education Development Program

[General Selection / Special Selection for Working Citizens]

The Written Examination and the Oral Examination (including evaluation of application documents) will be conducted.

[Special Selection for Senior Citizens]

The Oral Examination (including evaluation of application documents) will be conducted.

2. Pass/fail Evaluation Method and Evaluation Criteria

(1) Pass/fail Evaluation Method

Applicants will be judged comprehensively based on the results of Academic Examination (the Document Review, the Written Examination, and the Oral Examination) in accordance with (2) Evaluation Criteria.

(2) Evaluation Criteria

1) Written Examination

As a general rule, the pass/fail borderline score is 60% of the total score and applicants must score 60% or higher on the Written Examination to pass. The score distribution is as follows.

Categories / Subjects	General Selection	Special Selection for Working Citizens
Specialized Subject	Total score: 200 points	Total score: 100 points

* Policy Science Program

The submitted research proposal will be evaluated in lieu of the Written Examination (Total score: 100 points)(General Selection)

2) Document Review and Oral Examination

The Document Review and the Oral Examination will be graded on a three-level scale, with Grade C considered a fail.

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

3) Comprehensive Judgement

The Comprehensive Judgement will be pass or fail, and those who pass the Document Review or the Written Examination (except for the Special Selection for Senior Citizens) and the Oral Examination will be deemed successful.

Subjects for the Written Examination (International Education Development Program)

	General Selection Special Selection for Working Citizens		
	Program	Subjects	Academic Advisor
Specialized Subject	International Education Development	· Sport Education and Development	SAITO Kazuhiko
		· Ethnolinguistics	SATO Nobuharu
		· Curriculum Development of Science Education	SHIMIZU Kinya
		· Curriculum Development of Mathematics Education	(Under Consideration)
		· Curriculum Development for Special Needs Education and Inclusive Education	KAWAI Norimune
		· Higher Education Systems	OBA Jun
		· Planning for Educational Development	TANIGUCHI Kyoko
		· Curriculum Development of Citizenship Education	NAKAYA Ayami
		· Psychology of Human Knowledge Construction	FUJIKI Daisuke
		· Teacher Education	MAKI Takayoshi
		· Comparative Higher Education	KIM Yangson
		· International Development Cooperation in Education	KUSAKABE Tatsuya, SAKATA Nozomi
		· Diversity and Inclusion Research in Education	SAKURAI Riho
		· Study of Intercultural Understanding/Communicatio n, English Education	TAKITA Fuyuko
		· Language and Education	CHANG Chih hao
		· Digital Pedagogy	WANG Tingjia
		· Use of ICT in in subject-based learning instruction and evaluation	YATA Chikahiko
		· Cultural Sociology, Religious Diversity, and Education	DELAKORDA KAWASHIMA Tinka
		· Culturally Responsive Curriculum and Instruction	KUWAYAMA Hisashi

*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 may be answered in either Japanese or English; however, the Subject "Comparative Higher Education", "Language and Education" and "Digital Pedagogy" must be answered in English.

3. Date of Entrance Examination

[General Selection]

February 15, 2027 Written Examination (Specialized Subject)	International Education Development Program 9:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m.
February 16, 2027 Oral Examination	International Peace and Co-existence Program, Policy Science Program, International Education Development Program 9:30 a.m.-

[Special Selection for Working Citizens]

February 15, 2027 Written Examination (Specialized Subject)	International Education Development Program 9:30 a.m.-10:30 a.m.
February 16, 2027 Oral Examination	International Education Development Program 9:30 a.m.-

[Special Selection for Senior Citizens]

February 16, 2027 Oral Examination	International Peace and Co-existence Program, Policy Science Program, International Education Development Program 9:30 a.m.-

*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) Any form of misconduct, including cheating (e.g., placing or viewing notes or copies related to the examination subject, viewing textbooks, reference books, dictionaries, or other materials, looking at another examinee's answers, or receiving answers from another person) or using prohibited items during the examination, will result in removal from the examination room and disqualification from any subsequent examinations. In addition, the results of all examination subjects taken at Hiroshima University during the relevant examination period will be invalidated.

(3) Examinees must be seated in the examination room 15 minutes prior to the start of the examination and follow the instruction of the proctor.

*Detailed schedule of Oral Examination will be sent by E-mail.

*Depending on the circumstances, cases of misconduct may be reported to the police. Furthermore, if misconduct is discovered after admission or enrollment, admission and/or enrollment will be revoked. In such cases, the entrance application fee, enrollment fee, tuition fees, and any other fees already paid will not be refunded.

4. Announcement of Admission:

At noon, on February 26, 2027(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

Early March. Detailed will be provided by 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 2026. 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.

4. Notes and Consent Concerning the Child Sexual Violence Prevention Act

Pursuant to the “Act on Measures for the Prevention of Sexual Violence, etc. against Children by School Founders, etc. and Private Education and Childcare Business Operators (学校設置者等及び民間教育保育等事業者による児童対象性暴力等の防止等のための措置に関する法律)” (hereinafter referred to as the “Act”, also commonly referred to as the “Child Sexual Violence Prevention Act”) , students who participate in teaching practicums, caregiving experience programs, internships, volunteer activities, or other activities required for the acquisition of a teaching license may be subject to confirmation of any prior convictions for sexual offenses. Having regard to the purpose of the Act, the University requires, as part of the admission procedures, that applicants provide their prior consent with respect to the relevant matters. For further details concerning the foregoing notes and consent matters, please refer to the following website.

URL: https://momiji.hiroshima-u.ac.jp/momiji-top/en/learning/koseibouhou.html

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 Education, Humanities and Social Sciences (Support Office for the fields of International Development and Cooperation) without fail before their tuition fee payment.

Disclosure of Entrance Examination Information on the Results of the Hiroshima University Entrance Examination in2026

Entrance Examination Information on the results of the entrance examination (herein after referred to as "Entrance Examination Information") will be disclosed **only to applicants for** Graduate School of Education, Humanities and Social Sciences **(General Selection, Special Selection for Working Citizens)** in 2026.

Item	Information to be Disclosed (It varies depending on the program and selection.)
Examination Result	Score of each subject of Written Examination(s) Document Review and Evaluation of Oral Examination (Letter Grade)

Procedure to request for disclosure of Entrance Examination Information

(1) Obtain the "Application Form for Disclosure of Entrance Examination Information of the Entrance Examination for Graduate School of Education, Humanities and Social Sciences, Hiroshima University" by one of the following ways:
 ①Make an inquiry by email for electronic data of the application form.
 (koku-gaku@office.hiroshima-u.ac.jp)
 ②Write "Request for Application Form for Disclosure of Personal Information" on the envelope, enclose a self-addressed stamp envelope (standard size: 120mm × 235mm, with postage for regular mail up to 50 grams) and send it to the 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 Education, Humanities and Social Sciences (Support Office for the fields of International Development and Cooperation).
 ①Completed Application Form for Disclosure of Entrance Examination Information of the Entrance Examination for Graduate School of Education, Humanities and Social Sciences, Hiroshima University.
 ②Examination Card for Graduate School of Education, Humanities and Social Sciences (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.)
 ③A self-addressed stamped envelope (standard size: 120 mm × 235 mm, with postage for simplified registered mail up to 50 grams).
 Please note that applicant may be asked for corrections if any of these are incomplete.

(3) Graduate School of Education, Humanities and Social Sciences, Hiroshima University sends the "Notice of Determination for Disclosure of Entrance Examination Information of the Entrance Examination for Graduate School of Education, 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 Entrance Examination Information

For the applicants who wish to enroll in October: From October 15 to November of the same year
For the applicants who wish to enroll in April: Form April 15 to May of the year following the entrance examination

Applications and Inquiries about the Disclosure of (Entrance Examination Information on) the Result of Entrance Examination	
Graduate School of Education, 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: 082-424-7117 E-mail: koku-gaku@office.hiroshima-u.ac.jp

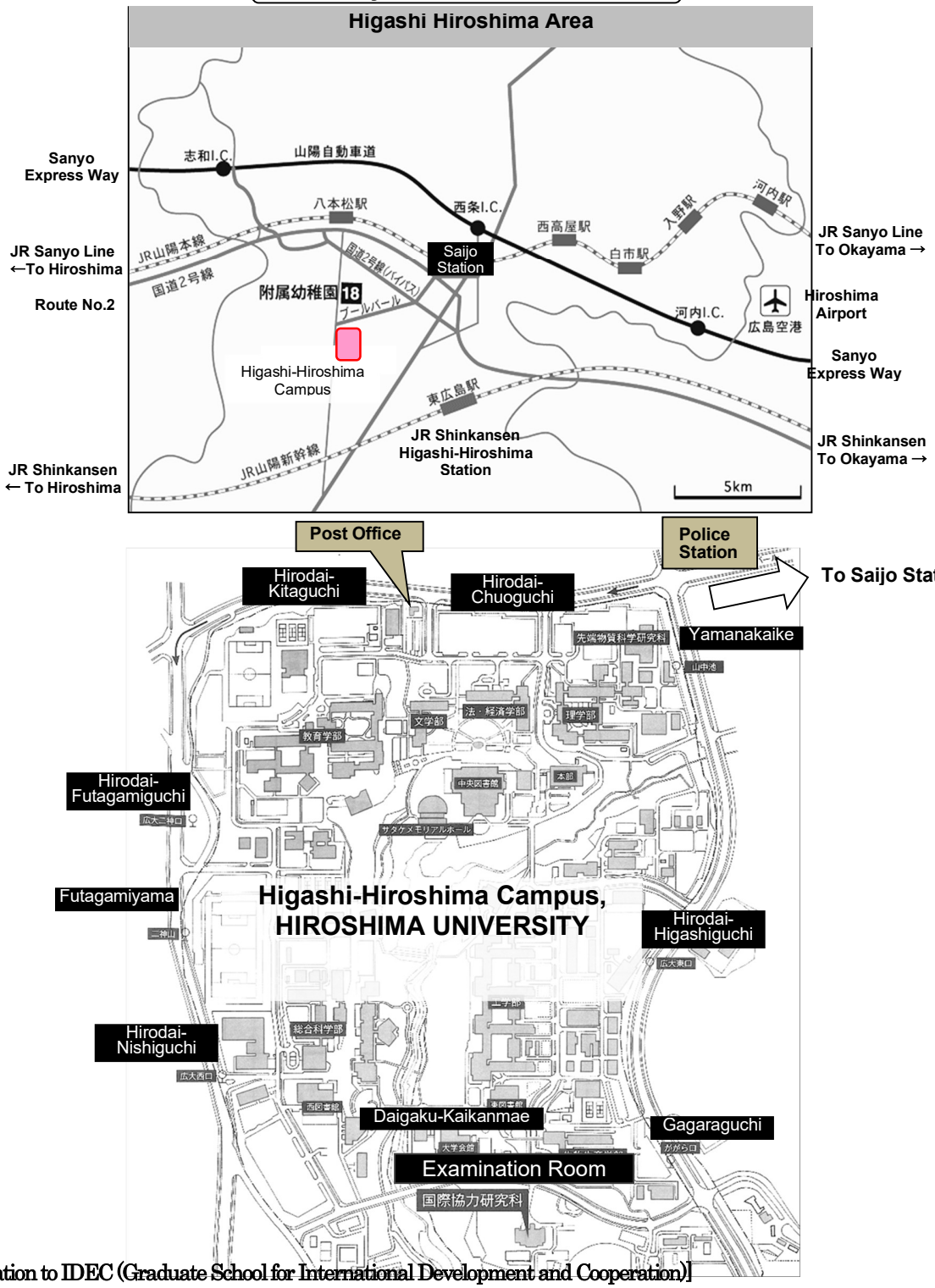
Inquiries about Disclosure Requests based on the Law for Protection of Entrance Examination Information

Aside from the above procedure for disclosure of Entrance Examination Information on the result of entrance examination, there is also a "Disclosure Request System" based on the law for protection of Entrance Examination 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
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	戸﨑　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
准教授 Associate Professor	田口　陽子 TAGUCHI, Yoko	文化人類学，ケアと関係性，人格とモラリティ，南アジア研究 Cultural anthropology, Care and relations, Personhood and morality, South Asian studies
助教 Assistant Professor	吉田 真理子 YOSHIDA, Mariko	環境人類学，科学技術社会論，多種の民族誌，水域の政治生態学 Environmental anthropology, Science and Technology Studies, Multispecies Ethnography, Political Ecology of Water
助教 Assistant Professor	カンデラリヤ　ジョン　リー　パンプロナ CANDELARIA, John Lee Pamplona	記憶と遺産の政治,デジタル記憶・メディア,平和プロセス・調停,フィリピン・東南アジア研究 Memory and Heritage Politics, Digital Memory and Media, Peace Processes and Mediation, Philippine and Southeast Asian Studies

【政策科学プログラム Policy Science Program】

職名 Position	氏　名 Name	研究内容 Research Theme
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	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 プラカス 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.
准教授 Associate 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
准教授 Associate Professor	陳 姝凝 CHEN Shuning	持続可能な成長と福祉の評価（包括的富を含む），開発経済学：資源利用と環境政策を統合した分析，環境・資源経済学：持続可能性と政策評価 Assessment of sustainable growth and welfare (with Inclusive Wealth accounting), Development economics: integrating resource use and environmental policy, Environmental and resource economics: sustainability and policy evaluation
准教授 Associate 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
准教授 Associate Professor	ファビアン　コティエ FABIEN, Cottier	比較政治学，国際関係論，紛争研究，移民，気候変動，統計モデリング Comparative politics, international relations, conflict studies, migration, climate change, statistical modeling
准教授 Associate Professor	西條　春信 SAIJO, Harunobu	比較政治，歴史的政治経済，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

職名 Position	氏　　名 Name	研究内容 Research Theme
助　教 Assistant Professor	小山　達也 KOYAMA, Tatsuya	比較政治学、国際関係論、途上国の政治経済、平和と紛争、内戦論、海洋紛争 Comparative Politics, International Relations, Political Economy of Developing World, Peace and Conflict Studies, Civil Wars, Maritime Conflicts

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	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
教授 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
教授 Professor	川合　紀宗 KAWAI, Norimune	特別支援教育，インクルーシブ教育，ソーシャル・インクルージョンの理論，制度及び実践に関する研究 Theories, Systems, and Practices of Special Needs Education, Inclusive Education, and Social Inclusion
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 Theroies 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	比較国際教育学，多文化共生，D&I，技能実習(育成就労)・特定技能，インクルーシブ教育 Comparative and Int'l Education, Intercultural cohesion, D&I, Foreign-technical interns & Specified skilled workers, Inclusive education

職名 Position	氏　　名 Name	研究内容 Research Theme
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
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
准教授 Associate Professor	チャン　チハオ CHANG Chih hao	シャドー･エデュケーション（影の教育），第二言語習得（SLA），バイリンガル教育，プロフェッショナル･ラーニング･コミュニティ（PLC），国際インターンシップ Shadow Education, Second Language Acquisition (SLA) , Bilingual Education, Professional Learning Communities (PLC) , International Internships
准教授 Associate Professor	ワン　ティンジア WANG Tingjia	テクノロジーを活用した教育，気候変動教育，教育学，カリキュラム開発，教師教育 Technology-enhanced education, Climate change education, Pedagogy, Curriculum development, Teacher education
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注）

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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

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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 Education, Humanities and Social Sciences(International Peace and Co-existence Program, Policy Science 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

Students enrolled in the above degree program, regardless of nationality, are welcome to register.
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