

Master's Program of the Department of Bioresource Science

1. Type of Students We Seek

In light of the educational goals and objectives specified in its diploma policy and curriculum policy, the Department of Bioresource Science is seeking graduate students who have the following abilities and qualities.

Applicants are expected to meet at least one of the following conditions (1) and (2) and satisfy all of (3) to (5).

- (1) A person who takes a keen interest in developing a systematic understanding of life phenomena related to food production and other utilization of bioresources, ranging from the molecular level to the ecosystem level
- (2) A person aspiring to gain deeper understanding of a wide variety of issues resulting from the production of bioresources – including the roles and trends related to food production from bioresources, application to human activity, and relationship to the environment – from a local to global perspective
- (3) A person who has been recognized as having English language proficiency equal to or higher than that of university graduates
- (4) A person who has been recognized as having academic abilities (knowledge, attitudes and skills) equal to or higher than those of university graduates in the area of specialization he/she intends to pursue
- (5) A person who has sound judgement and a strong sense of ethics as a responsible member of society

2. Basic Policy regarding Admissions Screening

[Recommendation-based Selection]

Selection will be made after comprehensively examining the results of an oral examination and an academic transcript of the school the applicant graduated from, in order to verify that the applicant has acquired undergraduate-level specialized knowledge and language skills and has the ability to adapt to the requirements of the Department's Curriculum Policy.

[General Selection]

Selection will be made after comprehensively examining the results of the written examination of specialized subjects and an oral examination, in order to verify that the applicant has acquired undergraduate-level specialized knowledge and language skills and has the ability to adapt to the

requirements of the Department's Curriculum Policy.

[Special Selection for Students in Employment]

Selection will be made after comprehensively examining the results of an academic transcript of the school the applicant graduated from and an oral examination based on both the Reason for Application and the Research Progress/Findings Report submitted by the applicant, in order to verify that the applicant has acquired undergraduate-level specialized knowledge and language skills and has the ability to adapt to the requirements of the Department's Curriculum Policy.

Doctoral Program of the Department of Bioresource Science

1. Type of Students We Seek

In light of the educational goals and objectives specified in its diploma policy and curriculum policy, the Department of Bioresource Science is seeking graduate students who have the following abilities and qualities.

Applicants are expected to meet at least one of the following conditions (1) and (2) and satisfy all of (3) to (5).

- (1) A person who takes a keen interest in developing a systematic understanding of life phenomena related to food production and other utilization of bioresources, ranging from the molecular level to the ecosystem level
- (2) A person who has acquired a broad specialized knowledge and research skills regarding biosphere-related issues – sustainable bioresource production and effective use of bioresources in both land and water spheres in particular, and who is equipped with the ability to develop a deep understanding of various issues related to bioresource production and address such issues from a local to international perspective
- (3) A person who has been recognized as having English language proficiency equal to or higher than that of Master's degree holders
- (4) A person who has been recognized as having academic abilities (knowledge, attitudes and skills) equal to or higher than those of Master's degree holders in the area of specialization he/she intends to pursue
- (5) A person who has sound judgement as a responsible member of society and a strong sense of professional ethics as a researcher/highly-skilled professional

2. Basic Policy regarding Admissions Screening

[Recommendation-based Selection]

Selection will be made after comprehensively examining the results of an oral examination, the summary of the applicant's Master's thesis, and the Research Progress/Findings Report and the Research Plan submitted by the applicant, in order to verify that the applicant has acquired specialized knowledge and language skills equivalent to or higher than those of a person with a Master's degree and has the ability to adapt to the requirements of the Department's Curriculum Policy.

[Special Selection for Students in Employment]

Selection will be made after comprehensively examining the results of an oral examination, the summary of the applicant's Master's thesis, and the Research Progress/Findings Report and the Research Plan submitted by the applicant, in order to verify that the applicant has acquired specialized knowledge and language skills equivalent to or higher than those of a person with a Master's degree and has the ability to adapt to the requirements of the Department's Curriculum Policy.