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※ The meaning of the signs :
△ Master’s Course
○ Doctor’s Course
□ Professional Graduate School
▲ United Graduate School
● Independent Graduate School
■ Basic Organization other than Graduate School
Hokkaido University

President: Kenji Homma
Term of Office: 2007.8 ~ 2013.9
Speciality: Philosophy, Ethics

Education and Research Aim
Hokkaido University upholds "The Frontier Spirit," "Global Perspectives," "All-round Education" and "Practical Learning" - concepts that have been developed over its history of more than 130 years as the basic philosophies of education and research. Based on these concepts, we make concerted efforts to foster outstanding human resources as well as to promote research activities in various fields and to develop new academic fields.

Faculties and Graduate Schools

Education and Research Aim
- To educate students to be teachers with mental richness, wide range of knowledge, sound intelligence, and excellent professional skills, so that they are able to address the various current issues that they encounter in school and also to develop the teaching practice in consideration of the local characteristics of Hokkaido.
- To promote modern interdisciplinary studies on the dignity of human beings and local communities and to educate students to be local human resources who are able to meet the various needs of contemporary local communities, by enhancing their skills and knowledge in arts and sports and encouraging cultural activities.
- To assimilate and deepen theoretical and practical researches in every field, including educational sciences.

Faculties and Graduate Schools

Faculties and Graduate Schools

Hokkaido University

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Hokkaido University of Education

Address: 5-3-1 Ainosato, Kita-ku, Sapporo-shi, 002-8501
TEL: +81-11-778-0206
E-mail: s-somu@hokkyodai.ac.jp

Muroran Institute of Technology

Address: 27-1 Mizumoto-cho, Muroran-shi, 050-8585
TEL: +81-143-46-5000
E-mail: koh@mmm.muroran-it.ac.jp

Education and Research Aim
We are dedicated to fostering the talents and capabilities of each and every student, so that they are equipped with the extensive knowledge, practical creativity and global awareness necessary to become leading engineers in science and technology. Through our innovative research, we shall constantly endeavor to contribute to the ongoing development of scientific and technical knowledge in a spirit of harmony with both human society and the natural environment.

Faculties and Graduate Schools

Multi-disciplinary and diversified scientific and technical education. Education and Research Aim
- To educate students to be teachers with mental richness, wide range of knowledge, sound intelligence, and excellent professional skills, so that they are able to address the various current issues that they encounter in school and also to develop the teaching practice in consideration of the local characteristics of Hokkaido.
- To promote modern interdisciplinary studies on the dignity of human beings and local communities and to educate students to be local human resources who are able to meet the various needs of contemporary local communities, by enhancing their skills and knowledge in arts and sports and encouraging cultural activities.
- To assimilate and deepen theoretical and practical researches in every field, including educational sciences.

Faculties and Graduate Schools

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Faculties and Graduate Schools

Engineering
Otaru University of Commerce

Address: 3-5-21 Midori, Otaru-shi, 047-8501
TEL: +81-134-27-5207  E-mail: kouhou@office.otaru-uc.ac.jp

Education and Research Aim
Our goal is to contribute to international economic and social development and to the regional development of Hokkaido by applying our traditional focus on practical learning and the unique character of our single faculty commerce-oriented university. We will therefore continue our mission to conduct research and develop human resources that will have a positive impact on human culture. We will realize this goal by continuing to provide well-supervised education, maintaining a small faculty-student ratio and promoting academic research that has universal applications.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
【Enrollment Capacity 】(Faculties: 2,060  Graduate Schools: 99)
- Commerce

Address: 3-5-21 Midori, Otaru-shi, 047-8501
TEL: +81-134-27-5207  E-mail: kouhou@office.otaru-uc.ac.jp
http://www.otaru-uc.ac.jp/kokusai/english/english.html

Obihiro University of Agriculture and Veterinary Medicine

Address: Inada-cho, Obihiro-shi, 080-8555
TEL: +81-155-49-5216  E-mail: kouhou@obihiro.ac.jp

Education and Research Aim
This highly recognized leading veterinary and agricultural school has the advantage of being centrally located in the important food production base of the vast Tokachi plain, and can contribute both to the surrounding region and internationally through the provision of an international class educational program that trains future researchers and experts in the vital related field of food security, veterinary medicine, agriculture and animal science leading to the promotion and development of practical business enterprises and ensuring a safer food environment for the future.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
【Enrollment Capacity 】(Faculties: 1,100  Graduate Schools: 133)
- Animal Husbandry,
- Animal and Food Hygiene,
- Veterinary Science (Participation),
- Agricultural Sciences (Participation)

Address: Inada-cho, Obihiro-shi, 080-8555
TEL: +81-155-49-5216  E-mail: kouhou@obihiro.ac.jp
http://www.obihiro.ac.jp/english/index.html

Asahikawa Medical University

Address: 2-1-1 Midorigaokahigashi, Asahikawa-shi, 078-8510
TEL: +81-166-65-2111  E-mail: sho-shomu@jimu.asahikawa-med.ac.jp

Education and Research Aim
To nurture medical care professionals who have a true sense of compassion, international communication skills and highly practical medical expertise, and to contribute to society by implementing community-based research and by producing original research.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
【Enrollment Capacity 】(Faculties: 906  Graduate Schools: 92)
- Medicine

Address: 2-1-1-1 Midorigaokahigashi, Asahikawa-shi, 078-8510
TEL: +81-166-65-2111  E-mail: sho-shomu@jimu.asahikawa-med.ac.jp
http://www.asahikawa-med.ac.jp/english/index.html
Kitami Institute of Technology

Education and Research Aim
Basic Principle:
To nurture people, develop technology, contribute to the community and work toward a better future.

Goals:
1) To provide education that motivates students, stimulates creativity and inspires future ambitions
2) To pursue unique research that is related to the regional characteristics of this area, and which leads to intellectual advancement
3) To meet the needs of the community, and to provide leadership and contribute to the development of the community
4) To develop an international mentality among students, faculty and staff, and to promote education and research that has a global outlook

Faculties and Graduate Schools
Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 1,660 Graduate Schools: 212)

- Engineering

President: Koichi Ayuta
Term of Office: 2006.4 ~ 2012.3
Specialty: Civil Engineering, Concrete Engineering, Construction Materials

Address: 165 Koen-cho, Kitami-shi, 090-8507
TEL: +81-157-24-1010 E-mail: soumu05@desk.kitami-it.ac.jp

Hirosaki University

Education and Research Aim
Hirosaki University aims to cultivate individuals who are active in seeking out important issues and will contribute as independent-minded citizens to specialized, high-level activities at domestic as well as international levels, and strive to achieve research result that are international in scope yet contribute to the region; timely yet with a view of long-term results; emphasizing basic research yet seeking to achieve a fusion of humanities, social sciences, and the natural sciences.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 5,820 Graduate Schools: 720)

- Humanities and Social Sciences
- Education
- Medicine
- Health Sciences
- Science and Technology
- Agriculture and Life Science
- Regional Studies
- Agricultural Sciences

President: Kei Sato
Term of Office: 2012.2 ~ 2016.1
Specialty: Neurosciences

Address: 1 Bunkyo-cho, Hirosaki-shi, 036-8560
TEL: +81-172-36-2111 E-mail: jm3012@cc.hirosaki-u.ac.jp

Iwate University

Education and Research Aim
Iwate University aims to foster human resources who have breadth of knowledge, overall judgment, and expertise developed by basic academic skills. We also aim to promote research in the areas of humanities, social sciences, and natural sciences with a view to the issues mankind faces, and to pursue new areas of research through the collaboration with the local community.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 4,490 Graduate Schools: 712)

- Humanities and Social Sciences
- Education
- Engineering
- Agriculture
- Agricultural Sciences
- Veterinary Science

President: Katsumi Fujii
Term of Office: 2008.6 ~ 2014.3
Specialty: Soil Physics

Address: 3-18-8 Ueda, Morioka-shi, 020-8550
TEL: +81-19-621-6007 E-mail: hisho@iwate-u.ac.jp
Tohoku University

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TEL +81-22-717-7800  E-mail koho@bureau.tohoku.ac.jp

Education and Research Aim
Undergraduate Education of Tohoku University fosters accomplished human resources who are rich in humanity and have global visions, and "scientific mind" with respect to human and phenomena of society and nature. As a "Research-Oriented University", Tohoku University conducts research in cooperation with Graduate Schools and Research Institutes to distribute the world-class research achievements, by doing so the university contributes to the improvement of society and humanity as well as promoting fundamental science which seeks pursuit of truth and so on.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
Enrollment Capacity
- Faculties: 9,921
- Graduate Schools: 6,634

- Arts and Letters
- Education
- Law
- Economics
- Sciences
- Medicine
- Dentistry
- Engineering
- Pharmacy
- Sciences
- Agriculture
- International Cultural Studies
- Information Sciences
- Life Sciences
- Environmental Studies
- Biomedical Engineering
- Educational Informatics

Campus View

Miyagi University of Education

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TEL +81-22-214-3453  E-mail koho@adm.miyakyo-u.ac.jp

Education and Research Aim
Miyagi University of Education, as the only university of education in the Tohoku District, takes on the responsibility of training future capable and highly qualified teachers of preschool, elementary school, junior high school and special needs schools, using various collected research on education and practical course methodology.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
Enrollment Capacity
- Faculties: 1,380
- Graduate Schools: 114

- Education

Campus Lifestyle

Akita University

Address 1-1 Tegata Gakuen-machi Akita-shi, 010-8502
TEL +81-18-889-2856  E-mail gakucho@jimu.akita-u.ac.jp

Education and Research Aim
Akita University (AU), consisted of 3 faculties, has aimed at a student-centered education system closely committed to the community. Each faculty possesses its own professionalism and expertise, and interacts with various field of institutions. By doing so, AU has nurtured high-qualified professionals those who have ability to contribute and take responsibilities for the regional society and perform in active worldwide. To realize these objectives, AU keeps sending out the messages of its unique facility as well as locality, both to inland and abroad, in order for the world to acquire that AU is one of the most excellent universities. AU aggressively has been strive to accept ambitious adolescent from all over the world.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
Enrollment Capacity
- Faculties: 4,163
- Graduate Schools: 575

- Education and Human Studies
- Medicine
- Engineering Resource Science
Yamagata University

President: Akio Yuki
Term of Office: 2007.9 〜 2014.3
Speciality: Science and Technology Policy

Education and Research Aim
Yamagata University aims to produce individuals equipped with the human capacity, broad knowledge and well-rounded personality necessary for contributing to society, by offering well-structured undergraduate curriculum with general education as a foundation as well as by implementing quality enhancement in graduate study. Placing students as its main actors, YU will deliver a comprehensive student service during their entire enrollment and beyond by identifying their needs and responding to them promptly. We will pursue the creation and further development of knowledge so as to solve issues of the human kind, and promote advanced research that meets the needs of fundamental research and society.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
【Enrollment Capacity】(Faculties: 7,030, Graduate Schools: 1,134)
△ Literature & Social Sciences, □ Education, Art & Science,
○ Science, △ Medicine, △ Engineering, △ Agriculture,
▲ Agricultural Sciences

Fukushima University

President: Osamu Nittono
Term of Office: 2010.4 〜 2014.3
Speciality: Materials Science, Applied Crystallography, Crystal Technology

Education and Research Aim
Education at Fukushima University aims to satisfy demands from society by fostering skilled professionals who will contribute significantly to the health of the region, adopting a global perspective yet ensuring progress within regional communities. We continue to initiate advances in research and learning that contribute to the community education, culture, industry, administration, emphasizing research activities that address community-based issues.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
【Enrollment Capacity】(Faculties: 3,840, Graduate Schools: 296)
△ Human and Social Sciences, Science and Technology,
△ Human Development and Culture, △ Public Policy and Regional Administration,
△ Economics, △ Symbiotic Systems Science and Technology

The University of Tokyo

President: Junichi Hamada
Term of Office: 2009.4 〜 2015.3
Speciality: Information Law, Information Policy

Education and Research Aim
We aim to produce talented individuals with leadership ability and with the insight and specialized knowledge and skills to carve out a rich future. Making full use of our unique characteristics as a university, we pursue cutting edge research in an autonomous yet reciprocal fashion and carry out academic activities across a wide range of fields while providing education and research to the highest international standards.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
【Enrollment Capacity】(Faculties: 12,556, Graduate Schools: 11,994)
○ Law, ○ Medicine, ○ Engineering, ○ Letters, ○ Science, ○ Agriculture, ○ Economics, ○ Arts and Sciences, ○ Education, ○ Pharmaceutical Sciences, ○ Mathematical Sciences, ○ Frontier Sciences, ○ Information Science and Technology, □ Interdisciplinary Information Studies, □ Public Policy
Tokyo Medical and Dental University

Address 1-5-45 Yushima, Bunkyo-ku, 113-8510
TEL +81-3-3813-6111  E-mail kouhou.adm@tmd.ac.jp

◆ Education and Research Aim
1) To provide students with a broad education and a rich sensibility.
2) To educate creative people capable of diagnosing and solving problems independently.
3) To train medical professionals with a rich international quality.

◆ Faculties and Graduate Schools
[Enrollment Capacity (Faculties : 1,368  Graduate Schools : 1,216 )]
Medicine, Dentistry,  ● Medical and Dental Sciences,  ● Health Care Sciences,  ● Biomedical Science PhD Program

President: Takashi Ohyama
Term of Office: 2006.4 ~ 2014.3
Specialty:
Oral Health Science
Masticatory Function
Rehabilitation
Removable
Prosthodontics

Tokyo University of Foreign Studies

Address 3-11-1 Asahi-cho, Fuchu-shi, 183-8534
TEL +81-42-330-5111  E-mail president@tufs.ac.jp

◆ Education and Research Aim
TUFS' future ideal is to become a symbol for global knowledge. By working in cooperation with people, having diverse cultural backgrounds, from various regions around the world, TUFS will raise citizens of the world who will contribute, in true meaning, towards the world's coexistence in peace. Regarding research, TUFS will act towards the further promotion of trans-disciplinary, leading research, in the fields of languages, cultures, histories, and societies of various regions around the world. Through these actions, TUFS will contribute towards solving modern day issues, such as cultural conflicts, disputes, and environmental concerns.

◆ Faculties and Graduate Schools
[Enrollment Capacity (Faculties : 3,040  Graduate Schools : 416 )]
○ Foreign Studies

President: Ikuo Kameyama
Term of Office: 2007.9 ~ 2013.3
Specialty:
Russian Literature

Tokyo Gakugei University

Address 4-1-1 Nukuikita-machi, Koganei-shi, 184-8501
TEL +81-42-329-7108  E-mail kouhouty@u-gakugei.ac.jp

◆ Education and Research Aim
As a leading Japan’s teacher training university, Tokyo Gakugei University committed to the principles of human rights and equal opportunity. In order to contribute to the realization of world peace and the construction of a society in which all people live harmoniously, Tokyo Gakugei University aims to bring up competent educators who are rich in creativity and practical experience, and who are intellectually equipped with knowledge and cultural understanding. Our various educational research activities are based on the rich resource of humanity and science.

◆ Faculties and Graduate Schools
[Enrollment Capacity (Faculties : 4,260  Graduate Schools : 652 )]
△ □ Education, ▲ Education

President: Yasuko Muramatsu
Term of Office: 2010.4 ~ 2014.3
Specialty:
Sociology, Mediated Communication, Gender
Tokyo University of Agriculture and Technology

Education and Research Aim
Education: Developing personnel rich in human qualities, with high intelligence, a broad international perspective and high ethics, through emphasis on the development to skills - pioneering skills for knowledge, exploring skills for issues and problem-solving skills - and not limiting the impartation of knowledge to a one-way source.

Research: Promoting the creation of knowledge from fundamental research aimed at the search for truth to "mission-oriented" knowledge directly connected to technological advances in order to fulfill a responsibility toward society as a center for the transmission of scientific and technological information.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 3,494 Graduate Schools: 1,487)
△ Agriculture, ○□ Engineering, ● Bio-Applications and Systems Engineering, ▲ Agricultural Science, ▲ Veterinary Sciences (Participation), ■ Institute of Agriculture, ■ Institute of Engineering

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TEL +81-42-367-5506 E-mail gakucho@cc.tuat.ac.jp

Tokyo University of the Arts

Education and Research Aim
Tokyo University of the Arts has played a major role in Japanese art education and has produced many excellent artists, educators, and researchers, for more than 120 years. We continuously reinforce our position within the global art scene, nurturing the originality of Japanese culture with a broad worldwide vision, while harmonizing tradition and freedom.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
[Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 1,908 Graduate Schools: 953)]
○ Fine Arts, ○ Music, ● Film and New Media

Address 12-8 Ueno Park, Taito-ku, 110-8714
TEL +81-50-5525-2013 E-mail toiawase@ml.geidai.ac.jp

Tokyo Institute of Technology

Education and Research Aim
Tokyo Institute of Technology (Tokodai) is a university covering studies in almost all areas of science and technology. Since its establishment in 1881, it has emphasized the need for fundamental education and monotsukuri (creativity and productivity) and in 2011 will celebrate its 130th anniversary. With the motto, "a better future through science and technology," it aims to foster "knowledgeable, skilled, ambitious, peace-minded and harmony-seeking scientific creators of the times. It will further improve the quality of undergraduate education, such as by promoting open courseware (OCW) and facilitating the credit transfer system in the four-university alliance. In graduate schools, practical education will be more focused with regard to integrating education with cutting-edge research. We produce individuals with profound skills and understanding and conduct research emphasizing "discovery and understanding of principles," "monotsukuri or creativity," and "social responsibility." We also pledge to contribute to the world by conducting "solutions research" and interdepartmental studies for important social issues such as environment energy, ICT, and life engineering.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
[Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 4,332 Graduate Schools: 4,570)]
○ Science, ○ Engineering, ○ Bioscience and Biotechnology, ● Interdisciplinary Graduate School of Science and Engineering, ● Information Science and Engineering, ● Decision Science and Technology, ● Innovation Management

President: Kenichi Iga
Term of Office: 2007.10 ~ 2012.9
Speciality: Electronics, Optoelectronics

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TEL +81-3-5734-2975 E-mail kouhou@jim.titech.ac.jp

Tokyo University of Agriculture and Technology

President: Tadashi Matsunaga
Term of Office: 2011.4 ~ 2015.3
Speciality: Biotechnology, Biosensor

Faculties and Graduate Schools
【Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 3,494 Graduate Schools: 1,487)】
△ Agriculture, ○□ Engineering, ● Bio-Applications and Systems Engineering, ▲ Agricultural Science, ▲ Veterinary Sciences (Participation), ■ Institute of Agriculture, ■ Institute of Engineering

Address 3-8-1 Harumi-cho, Fuchu-shi, 183-8538
TEL +81-42-367-5506 E-mail gakucho@cc.tuat.ac.jp

Tokyo University of the Arts

President: Ryohei Miyata
Term of Office: 2005.12 ~ 2016.3
Speciality: Crafts (Metal Smithing)

Faculties and Graduate Schools
【Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 1,908 Graduate Schools: 953)】
○ Fine Arts, ○ Music, ● Film and New Media

Address 12-8 Ueno Park, Taito-ku, 110-8714
TEL +81-50-5525-2013 E-mail toiawase@ml.geidai.ac.jp

Tokyo Institute of Technology

President: Kenichi Iga
Term of Office: 2007.10 ~ 2012.9
Speciality: Electronics, Optoelectronics

Faculties and Graduate Schools
【Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 4,332 Graduate Schools: 4,570)】
○ Science, ○ Engineering, ○ Bioscience and Biotechnology, ● Interdisciplinary Graduate School of Science and Engineering, ● Information Science and Engineering, ● Decision Science and Technology, ● Innovation Management

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**Tokyo University of Marine Science and Technology**

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TEL: +81-3-5463-0400  
E-mail: so-koho@o.kaiyodai.ac.jp

**Education and Research Aim**
Tokyo University of Marine Science and Technology is the only university in Japan specifically dedicated to research and education about the ocean. As a center of marine academics in Japan, where the nation pursues prosperity of the world through exploration of the ocean, the mission of the university is to support the pursuit by understanding, conserving and sustainably using marine environment and its resources. The mission should be accomplished through the university's multidisciplinary research and education, which would open up academic and other highly professional careers for students in the marine domain.

**Faculties and Graduate Schools**
- Enrolment Capacity: Faculties 1,800, Graduate Schools: 518
- Marine Science, Marine Technology

**Address**: 4-5-7 Konan, Minato-ku, 108-8477  
**TEL**: +81-3-5463-0400  
**E-mail**: so-koho@o.kaiyodai.ac.jp

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**Ochanomizu University**

Address: 2-1-1 Ohtsuka, Bunkyo-ku, 112-8610  
TEL: +81-3-5978-5106  
E-mail: info@cc.ocha.ac.jp

**Education and Research Aim**
Ochanomizu University is a highly selective, scholarly, and cultured women’s university that enrolls approximately 3,400 students. The university nurtures and develops students to gain not only academic knowledge, but also deep insight into international society and strong leadership ability. Over the past 130 years, our alumnae have expanded the boundaries of knowledge and have become leaders worldwide. Indeed, every day disciplined and motivated women make their dreams come true at the university.

**Faculties and Graduate Schools**
- Enrolment Capacity: Faculties 1,808, Graduate Schools: 625
- Letters and Education, Science, Human Life and Environmental Sciences, Humanities and Sciences

**Address**: 2-1-1 Ohtsuka, Bunkyo-ku, 112-8610  
**TEL**: +81-3-5978-5106  
**E-mail**: info@cc.ocha.ac.jp

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**The University of Electro-Communications**

Address: 1-5-1 Chofugaoka, Chofu-shi, 182-8585  
TEL: +81-42-443-5015  
E-mail: gakucho@office.uec.ac.jp

**Education and Research Aim**
Toward our 100th anniversary in 2018, we have announced our mission goals under the title of "UEC vision 2018." We define "Advanced communication society" as new kind of society that is secure and peaceful where communications between individuals, individuals and nature, individuals and society, and individuals and artificial objects serve as the society's solid foundations. Thus we aim to establish our university as "Unique and Exciting Campus (UEC)" that creates the field of "Comprehensive communications science" that would be an essential field of science and technology for supporting such society.

**Faculties and Graduate Schools**
- Enrolment Capacity: Faculties 3,400, Graduate Schools: 1,101
- Informatics and Engineering, Information Systems

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**Hitotsubashi University**

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E-mail: wwwadm@dm.hit-u.ac.jp

◆ Education and Research Aim  
As an academic institution focusing comprehensively on the social sciences, Hitotsubashi University aims to produce creative-thinking specialists, innovators who can act with reason and rationality, and policymakers and businesspeople with leadership skills who are cultured and civil-minded. The University contributes intellectually and practically to Japan and the world through active partnerships in business and policymaking, society and culture. With its ample research infrastructure the University develops, accumulates and widely disseminates to society original intellectual and cultural resources, based on its quest to create new frontiers in the social sciences.

◆ Faculties and Graduate Schools  
[Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 3,820  Graduate Schools: 1,826)]  
○ Commerce and Management,  
○ Economics,  
○ Law,  
○ Social Sciences,  
● Language and Society,  
□● International Corporate Strategy,  
□ International and Public Policy

**National Graduate Institute for Policy Studies (GRIPS)**

Address: 7-22-1 Roppongi, Minato-ku, 106-8677  
TEL: +81-3-6439-6000  
E-mail: kouhou@grips.ac.jp

◆ Education and Research Aim  
The National Graduate Institute for Policy Studies (GRIPS) aims to train leaders who spearhead democratic governance. To this end, GRIPS pursues three core goals, as stated in its mission statement.

◆ Faculties and Graduate Schools  
[Enrollment Capacity (Graduate Schools: 346)]  
● Policy Studies

**Ibaraki University**

Address: 2-1-1 Bunkyo, Mito-shi, 310-8512  
TEL: +81-29-228-8111  
E-mail: koho-g@mx.ibaraki.ac.jp

◆ Education and Research Aim  
Our university is bringing up young students to promising active people with their own volition and expert knowledge. In addition, we are aiming at contribution to culture, arts and sciences, and industry in the world and regional societies.

◆ Faculties and Graduate Schools  
[Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 6,410  Graduate Schools: 956)]  
△ Humanities,  
△ Education,  
○ Science,  
□ Engineering,  
▲ Agriculture,  
▲ Agricultural Science
University of Tsukuba

Kanto-Koshin'etsu Branch (14 universities)

**Address** 1-1-1 Tennodai, Tsukuba-shi, 305-8577
**TEL** +81-29-853-2111  **E-mail** kohositu@un.tsukuba.ac.jp

**Education and Research Aim**
Through education backed by advanced research, the University of Tsukuba aims to bring out each students’ individuality and ability, nurture human resource with rich human qualities and creative intelligence that can excel in the international arena. 
This is achieved by maintaining a balance between fundamental research with academic and international value and applied and interdisciplinary research in response to social needs.

**Faculties and Graduate Schools**
【Enrollment Capacity 】Faculties : 8,627  Graduate Schools : 5,528 ]
Humanities and Culture, Social and International Studies, Human Science, Life and Environmental Sciences, Science and Engineering, Informatics, Medicine and Medical Sciences, Health and Physical Education, Art and Design
△ Education, ○ Humanities and Social Sciences, □ Business Sciences, ○ Pure and Applied Sciences, ○ Systems and Information Engineering, ○ Life and Environmental Sciences, ○ Comprehensive Human Sciences, ○ Library, Information and Media Studies

Tsukuba University of Technology

Address 4-3-15 Amakubo, Tsukuba-shi, 305-8520
**TEL** +81-29-852-2931  **E-mail** shomu@ad.tsukuba-tech.ac.jp

**Education and Research Aim**
- Training professionals with expert knowledge and sophistication, hence promoting social independence of both hearing and visually impaired people;
- Making social contribution to lift the overall standard of general education for the disabled people, by developing educational methods and techniques specialized accordingly to each different types and characteristics of disabilities, utilizing the most up-to-date scientific technology;

**Faculties and Graduate Schools**
【Enrollment Capacity 】Faculties : 360  Graduate Schools : 14 ]
Industrial Technology, Health Sciences, △ Technology and Science

Utsunomiya University

Address 350 Mine-machi, Utsunomiya-shi, 321-8505
**TEL** +81-28-649-8649  **E-mail** plan@miya.jm.utsunomiya-u.ac.jp

**Education and Research Aim**
Cultivate members of society ready to shape the future who are equipped with a broad general education and practical expertise. Foster first-rate, unique research with a focus on sustainability. Develop and learn from both the local and larger global communities.

**Faculties and Graduate Schools**
【Enrollment Capacity 】Faculties : 3,760  Graduate Schools : 835 ]
○ International Studies, △ Education, ○ Engineering, △ Agriculture, ▲ Agricultural Science
Gunma University

Address: 4-2 Aramaki-machi, Maebashi-shi, 371-8510
TEL: +81-27-220-7111  E-mail: s-public@jimu.gunma-u.ac.jp

Education and Research Aim
The major goals of our education are to nurture highly motivated and creative individuals who are willing to embrace new and difficult challenges from broad international perspectives, and who are able to contribute to society in accordance with universal principles of dignity and respect for humankind. The major goals of our research activities are to fully utilize knowledge and wisdom garnered from all comers of the world through collaboration with educational research institutes both inside and outside of Japan, to carry out highly advanced and creative academic research, and to contribute the fruitful achievements of our research to society at large.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
Enrollment Capacity: (Faculties: 4,730  Graduate Schools: 1,257)
Education, Social and Information Studies, Medicine, Engineering

Saitama University

Address: 255 Shimo-Okubo, Sakura-ku, Saitama-shi, 338-8570
TEL: +81-48-858-3005  E-mail: koho@gr.saitama-u.ac.jp

Education and Research Aim
Along with its cardinal mission to accede to and further develop the knowledge of humankind, Saitama University pursues the goal of making its presence as a center of academic research, and providing quality education for fostering human resources sought after in the 21st century. Furthermore, Saitama University focuses not only on strengthening the ties of University-Corporate relations and University-Community Collaboration through applied researches and problem-solving researches, but also on contributing to the international community by addressing global issues.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
Enrollment Capacity: (Faculties: 6,570  Graduate Schools: 1,044)
Liberal Arts, Education, Economics, Science, Engineering

Chiba University

Address: 1-33 Yayoi-cho, Inage-ku, Chiba-shi, 263-8522
TEL: +81-43-251-1111  E-mail: bgp2002@office.chiba-u.jp

Education and Research Aim
Based on the Chiba University Charter, “always aim higher”, we will foster students with the knowledge of liberal arts and specialized subjects, the professional skills and technique and the ability of solving problems. We will provide them with the best curriculums and environment to enable them to find “joy of learning” and cultivate their intellect and human virtues. Through these activities, we will contribute to the development of society, culture and science.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
Enrollment Capacity: (Faculties: 9,795  Graduate Schools: 2,880)
Yokohama National University

Address  79-1 Tokiwadai, Hodogaya-ku, Yokohama-shi, 240-8501
TEL  +81-45-339-3014  E-mail  somu.somu@ynu.ac.jp

◆ Education and Research Aim
YNU aims to become “the world’s leading center of practical knowledge”. In education, it recognizes the raison d’etre of a national university to be fostering students who tackle and solve actual real-world problems that our society faces and helping them develop sophistication, sociality and creativity to that end. In research, it will play the role of intellectual foundation and contribute to the harmonious development of our society by its basic and practical research.

◆ Faculties and Graduate Schools
【Enrollment Capacity (Faculties : 6,678  Graduate Schools : 2,093) 】
△ Education and Human Sciences, Economics, Business Administration, ● Engineering Science, ■ International Social Sciences, ■ Environment and Information Sciences, ■ Urban Innovation, ▲ Education (Participation)

President : Kunio Suzuki
Term of Office : 2009.4 〜 2013.3
Speciality : Ecology,
Environmental Management

Niigata University

Address  8050 Ikarashi 2-no-cho, Nishi-ku, Niigata-shi, 950-2181
TEL  +81-25-262-7000 (Office of Public Relations)  E-mail  info-nu@adm.niigata-u.ac.jp

◆ Education and Research Aim
The Graduate University for Advanced Studies (Sokendai) is a graduate university which was established with the goal of training first-rate researchers by taking full advantage of the superior human and material environments available at the Inter-University Research Institutes. One of its most distinctive features is its implementation of direct graduate school education on-site at these parent Inter-University Research Institutes, while offering the researchers the benefits of “high expertise” and “international competitiveness.” Moreover, this graduate university offers great scholarly diversity through its 21 constituent academic disciplines. By making the most of this diversity, we aim to foster talented professionals who have acquired a “broad perspective.”

◆ Faculties and Graduate Schools
【Enrollment Capacity (Graduate Schools : 380) 】
○ Cultural and Social Studies, △ Physical Sciences, △ High Energy Accelerator Science, ○ Multidisciplinary Sciences, ○ Life Science, ○ Advanced Science

President : Naoyuki Takahata
Term of Office : 2008.4 〜 2014.3
Speciality : Theoretical Population Genetics

The Graduate University for Advanced Studies

http://www.soken.ac.jp/en/
Joetsu University of Education

Education and Research Aim
Joetsu University of Education aims to retrain teachers from nationwide schools through advanced course work and research in graduate programs as well as to produce elementary and secondary school teachers with excellent instructional skills through the undergraduate programs. The university provides a comprehensive range of education, fostering development of education philosophy and methods and understanding of children’s growth and development. In pursuit of the best possible integration of theoretical and practical studies, the university promotes advanced and interdisciplinary research in all fields of study related to school education.

Faculties and Graduate Schools

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President:
Yaichi Wakai
Term of Office:
2009.4 ~ 2013.3
Speciality:
Educational Administration and law

http://www.juen.ac.jp/contents-e/index.html

University of Yamanashi

Education and Research Aim
Taking as our catchphrase ‘global professionals at the heart of communities,’ we at the University of Yamanashi aim to develop talented personnel equipped to respond to local demands as core members of their communities, as well as to operate on a global stage. Thus our three faculties; the Faculty of Education and Human Sciences, the Faculty of Medicine, and the Faculty of Engineering, draw on leading-edge research results in educating undergraduate and graduate students.

Faculties and Graduate Schools

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President:
Shuichiro Maeda
Term of Office:
2009.4 ~ 2013.3
Speciality:
Biochemistry

http://www.yamanashi.ac.jp/english/index.html

Nagaoka University of Technology

Education and Research Aim
The university’s guiding concept for both learning and research is to encourage originality hand in hand with practical skills, knowledge, and experience. At the undergraduate level, the university requires that students engage in approximately five months of on-the-job experience (internship) at the domestic or overseas companies and research institutes as an integral part of the curriculum. Another basic policy of the university is the promotion of high-level research which is carried out jointly with industry.

Faculties and Graduate Schools

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President:
Koichi Niihara
Term of Office:
2009.9 ~ 2013.9
Speciality:
Nanotech Materials

http://voice.nagaokaut.ac.jp/index.php

http://www.yuen.ac.jp/contents-e/index.html

http://www.yamanashi.ac.jp/english/index.html
**University of Toyama**

Address: 3-1-1 Asahi, Matsumoto-shi, 390-8621
TEL: +81-263-35-4600  E-mail: shinp@shinshu-u.ac.jp

**President:** Kiyohito Yamasawa
Term of Office: 2009.10 ~ 2013.9
Speciality: Electric Machinery, Magnetic Engineering

**Education and Research Aim**
We are committed to training each individual to become an eco-conscious person with excellent communication skills, as well as the flexibility to interact with diverse human cultures and ideologies. We also encourage students to take the initiative in identifying concrete problems and to enthusiastically seek solutions by applying their advanced expertise and abilities.

**Faculties and Graduate Schools**
[Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 8,419  Graduate Schools: 1,729)]
△ Arts, △ Education, △ Economics, ○ Science, ○ Medicine, ○ Engineering, ○ Agriculture, ○ Textile Science and Technology, □ Law, ● Interdisciplinary Science and Technology

**Address:** 3-1-1 Asahi, Matsumoto-shi, 390-8621
**TEL:** +81-263-35-4600  **E-mail:** shinp@shinshu-u.ac.jp

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**Kanazawa University**

Address: 3190 Gofuku, Toyama-shi, 930-8555
TEL: +81-76-445-6011  E-mail: info@u-toyama.ac.jp

**President:** Shunro Endo
Term of Office: 2011.4 ~ 2015.3
Speciality: Neurosurgery

**Education and Research Aim**
The University of Toyama will uphold a global standard of education and research integrated with life sciences, natural sciences and arts, and social sciences open to the regional community and to the world. The university will nurture our students with a strong sense of mission and creativity based on the respect for human dignity. We will make contributions to the local, regional and international community, and will promote the harmonious development of science, art and culture, society and the natural environment.

**Faculties and Graduate Schools**
[Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 7,557  Graduate Schools: 959)]
△ Humanities, △ Human Development, △ Economics, ○ Science, ○ Medicine, ○ Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences, ○ Engineering, △ Art and Design, ■ Innovative Life Science

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**Shinshu University**

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TEL: +81-263-35-4600  E-mail: shinp@shinshu-u.ac.jp

**President:** Kiyohito Yamasawa
Term of Office: 2009.10 ~ 2013.9
Speciality: Electric Machinery, Magnetic Engineering

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**Faculties and Graduate Schools**
[Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 8,419  Graduate Schools: 1,729)]
△ Arts, △ Education, △ Economics, ○ Science, ○ Medicine, ○ Engineering, ○ Agriculture, ○ Textile Science and Technology, □ Law, ● Interdisciplinary Science and Technology

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**Faculties and Graduate Schools**
[Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 7,557  Graduate Schools: 959)]
△ Humanities, △ Human Development, △ Economics, ○ Science, ○ Medicine, ○ Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences, ○ Engineering, △ Art and Design, ■ Innovative Life Science
**University of Fukui**

**Address** 3-9-1 Bunkyo, Fukui-shi, 910-8507  
**TEL** +81-776-23-0500  
**E-mail** p-koho@ad.u-fukui.ac.jp

**Education and Research Aim**
The University of Fukui educates outstanding individuals who can thrive as highly-skilled professionals in the global society of the 21st century. The University also values creative research of each faculty member and disseminates its distinctive world-class research achievements while further developing into a hub for research activities grounded in the regional features.

**Faculties and Graduate Schools**
- **Enrollment Capacity** (Faculties: 5,254  Graduate Schools: 1,380)
  - △△ Education and Regional Studies, ○ Medical Sciences, ○ Engineering
  - ▲▲ Applied Biological Sciences, ▲▲ Agricultural Science, ▲▲ Veterinary Sciences, ▲▲ Drug Discovery and Medical Information Sciences

**President**:
- Masaru Fukuda

**Term of Office**:
- 2007.4 〜 2013.3

**Speciality**:
- Tumor Pathology

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**Gifu University**

**Address** 1-1 Yanagido, Gifu-shi, 501-1193  
**TEL** +81-58-230-1111  
**E-mail** kohositu@gifu-u.ac.jp

**Education and Research Aim**
Train independent and internationally minded professionals ready to contribute to society. Become a hub for advanced, original research in fields such as life science and environmental science, and return the products of such research to society. Draw on our diverse academic and research capacities to tackle local issues, internationalize the university, and stimulate local society.

**Faculties and Graduate Schools**
- **Enrollment Capacity** (Graduate Schools : 991)
  - ● Knowledge Science, ● Information Science, ● Materials Science

**President**:
- Hideki Mori

**Term of Office**:
- 2008.4 〜 2014.3

**Speciality**:
- Tumor Pathology

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**Japan Advanced Institute of Science and Technology (JAIST)**

**Address** 1-1 Asahidai, Nomi-shi, 923-1292  
**TEL** +81-761-51-1111  
**E-mail** daihyo@jaist.ac.jp

**Education and Research Aim**
Japan Advanced Institute of Science and Technology (JAIST), was founded in 1990 as the first national institute to offer master’s and doctoral programs in advanced areas of science and technology, based on world level research activities in these areas. JAIST expects to produce excellent scientists and engineers to solve new and uncharted problems occurring in our rapidly changing world, and to contribute to realizing a culturally and economically mature society.

**Faculties and Graduate Schools**
- **Enrollment Capacity** (Graduate Schools : 991)
  - ● Knowledge Science, ● Information Science, ● Materials Science

**President**:
- Takuya Katayama

**Term of Office**:
- 2008.4 〜 2014.3

**Speciality**:
- Software Engineering

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**Tokai-Hokuriku Branch (12 universities)**
Tokai-Hokuriku Branch (12 universities)

**Shizuoka University**

**Address** 836 Ohya, Suruga-ku, Shizuoka-shi, 422-8529  
**TEL** +81-54-237-1111  
**E-mail** koho@adb.shizuoka.ac.jp

◆ **Education and Research Aim**  
Shizuoka University will provide students with in-depth knowledge that meets world-class standards so that they can become responsible citizens of tomorrow who are prepared to meet complex international challenges with an indefatigable spirit and concern for all humanity. Shizuoka University strives to contribute to worldwide peace and human happiness through the pursuit of excellence in humanities and biological and physical sciences. Shizuoka University recognizes the importance of a strong bond to the local community and will explore innovative methods of becoming an indispensable resource in reinventing community life.

◆ **Faculties and Graduate Schools**  
[Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 7,960  Graduate Schools: 1,354)]  
△ Humanities and Social Sciences, △ Education, △ Informatics, △ Science, △ Engineering, △ Agriculture, △ Agricultural Science (Participation), ○ Science and Technology, Research Division, □ Law

**President**:  
Yukihiro Ito  
**Term of Office**: 2010.4 ~ 2013.3  
**Speciality**:  
Computer Science

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**Hamamatsu University School of Medicine**

**Address** 1-20-1 Handayama, Higashi-ku, Hamamatsu-shi, 431-3192  
**TEL** +81-53-435-2111  
**E-mail** sss@hama-med.ac.jp

◆ **Education and Research Aim**  
The main task of Hamamatsu University School of Medicine is to actively promote the mankind’s health, happiness and prosperity through its educational and academic activities. The school, which serves as an educational and research institution for medicine and nursing, aims at teaching and researches on the newest theories and practical applications of them.

◆ **Faculties and Graduate Schools**  
[Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 905  Graduate Schools: 152)]  
○ Medicine

**President**:  
Satoshi Nakamura  
**Term of Office**: 2010.4 ~ 2014.3  
**Speciality**:  
Surgery

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**Nagoya University**

**Address** Furo-cho, Chikusa-ku, Nagoya-shi, 464-8601  
**TEL** +81-52-789-5111  
**E-mail** nuinfo@post.jimu.nagoya-u.ac.jp

◆ **Education and Research Aim**  
Maintaining a free and vibrant academic culture, Nagoya University aspires to foster the harmonious development of human nature and science. Nagoya University, through creative research activity and an education that values initiative, shall produce results of scholastic distinction on the international stage and cultivate courageous intellectuals endowed with powers of rational thought and creativity.

◆ **Faculties and Graduate Schools**  
[Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 8,780  Graduate Schools: 5,587)]  
○ Letters, ○ Education, ○ Law, ○ Economics, ■ Informatics and Sciences, ○ Science, ○ Medicine, ○ Engineering, ○ Agricultural Sciences, ● International Development, ● Mathematics, ● Languages and Cultures, ● Environmental Studies, ● Information Science

**President**:  
Michinari Hamaguchi  
**Term of Office**: 2009.4 ~ 2015.3  
**Speciality**:  
Cancer Biology
Tokai-Hokuriku Branch (12 universities)
Shiga University promotes unique projects on environmental conservation and creation, and East Asian studies of society, economics, education and culture, as well as risk management in the global era.

Through these academic activities, we nurture specialists who not only have a high level of expertise in their field but who also have a “glocal” vision in a practical basis, benefited from rich personal growth in a humane atmosphere.

Faculties and Graduate Schools

Enrollment Capacity: (Faculties: 3,200  Graduate Schools: 252)
- Humanities, Law and Economics
- Education
- Medicine
- Engineering
- Bioresources
- Regional Innovation

Mie University's fundamental mission is "to send a message to the world from Mie: achieve an international and original outcome of teaching and research based on local collaboration – with a harmony between human being and nature. We cultivate human resources of talent with promotion of technological innovations that benefit Mie and the nation. Teaching, Research and public service are carried with intimate communication with a local society, but international centers of excellence of education and research in the special domain were formed with an outstanding interdisciplinary achievement.

Faculties and Graduate Schools

Enrollment Capacity: (Faculties: 5,585  Graduate Schools: 1,000)
- Humanities, Law and Economics
- Education
- Medicine
- Engineering
- Bioresources
- Regional Innovation

Shiga University of Medical Science strives to equip students with general knowledge and promote highly advanced expert knowledge and professional skills among all medical personnel; and we encourage a faithful sense of medical ethics and the spirit of scientific inquiry. Shiga University of Medical Science promotes advanced research projects in basic and clinical medical science as well as advanced medical care, contributing to the medicine and welfare in the world.

Faculties and Graduate Schools

Enrollment Capacity: (Faculties: 887  Graduate Schools: 152)
- Education
- Economics
Kyoto University

Education and Research Aim
Kyoto University aims to foster outstanding and humane researchers and specialists by promoting independent and interactive learning within its broad and varied educational structure. The university strives for diverse development in pure and applied research in the humanities, sciences and technology, while seeking to integrate those various perspectives. As a university that comprehends many graduate schools, faculties, research institutes and centers, Kyoto University endeavors to generate world-class knowledge to address global issues.

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Yoshida-Honnachi, Sakyu-ku, Kyoto-shi, 606-8501
TEL +81-75-753-7531 E-mail kohho52@mail.adm.kyoto-u.ac.jp

Kyoto University of Education

Education and Research Aim
1) We strive towards a teachers’ education and training based on high ethical views and a sense of human rights, and aim to empower graduates with qualities and abilities that combine high-level specialization with cultural breadth.

2) We endeavor to develop and promote comprehensive educational research that brings together theory and practice. Through fundamental research in the arts, sciences, technology and sport, we aim to develop knowledge that can be put to practical use into the field of teacher training.

3) We contribute to local as well as global society, as a university that supports human development through the application and creation of knowledge.

Faculties and Graduate Schools

Address
1 Fukakusa-Fujinomori-cho, Fushimi-ku, Kyoto-shi, 612-8522
TEL +81-75-644-8100 E-mail kouhou@kyokyo-u.ac.jp

Kyoto Institute of Technology

Education and Research Aim
KIT seeks to create a harmonious interface between mankind and nature, to blend knowledge with beauty and to develop humane technologies of a highly ethical standard. To this purpose, KIT fosters international graduates with a global perspective who are versed in environmentally-friendly science and technology.

Faculties and Graduate Schools

Address
Matsugasaki, Sakyu-ku, Kyoto-shi, 606-8585
TEL +81-75-724-7014 E-mail ab7014a@jim.kit.ac.jp
Osaka University

Address: 1-1 Yamadaoka, Suita-shi, 565-0871
TEL: +81-6-6877-5111  E-mail: ki-kousyagaku-kouhou@office.osaka-u.ac.jp

Education and Research Aim
In order to achieve the educational goals of internationalism, the power to design, and refinement in our students, we must nurture persons, worthy of trust by common citizens and possessing the power to make balanced social judgments. The research objective is, therefore, to create a new academic file by integrating different fields in a concerted balanced competition, in other words, by achieving cooperation among individuals representing the different fields.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
【Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 13,540  Graduate Schools: 6,865)】

President: Toshio Hirano
Term of Office: 2011.8 ~ 2015.8
Speciality: Immunology

Osaka Kyoiku University

Address: 4-698-1 Asahigaoka, Kashiwara-shi, 582-8582
TEL: +81-72-978-3213  E-mail: sousou@bur.osaka-kyoiku.ac.jp

Education and Research Aim
Osaka Kyoiku University promotes training to produce top-notch teachers capable of handling current educational issues. The school also promotes comprehensive educational research in a wide range of academic and artistic fields. We train teachers to be very creative so that they may contribute to advancements in school education and related fields; we also provide a cultured education and highly specialized knowledge that teachers may apply in numerous occupational fields.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
【Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 3,910  Graduate Schools: 442)】
△ Education

President: Akio Nagao
Term of Office: 2008.4 ~ 2012.3
Speciality: Educational Methodology

Hyogo University of Teacher Education

Address: 942-1 Shimokume, Kato-shi, 673-1494
TEL: +81-795-44-2010  E-mail: office-renkei-r@hyogo-u.ac.jp

Education and Research Aim
In order to meet the upgrading ability of teachers and the requirement of the society, we are focusing on the theoretical and practical school education and research development oriented by school education, as we are “A school for teachers”. As “An open school”, we do educational towards both inside and outside of the country. As “A message delivering school”, we work on the improvement and creativity of practical education. In order to counter the educational problems arose with the progression of the century, the support for the teachers is being formed to make good contribution to the further development of education in our country.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
【Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 640  Graduate Schools: 702)】
△□ Education, ▲ School Education
Kobe University

Address: 1-1 Rokkodai-cho, Nada-ku, Kobe-shi, 657-8501
TEL: +81-78-881-1212  E-mail: plan-kouhou@office.kobe-u.ac.jp

Education and Research Aim
Kobe University, working in a spirit of integrity, freedom, and cooperation in keeping with its open and cosmopolitan culture and environs, aims to contribute to the global community through the creation of knowledge founded on universal values and the fostering of rich understanding and strong leadership skills. For this purpose, the University will endeavor to enrich and develop the fields of Humanities, Social Sciences, Natural Sciences and Bio-Medical Sciences, as well as promote the pioneering of a new interdisciplinary field through the collaboration and fusion of these fields.

Faculties and Graduate Schools

Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 10,698  Graduate Schools: 4,088)
- Letters (Humanities)
- Intercultural Studies
- Human Development (Human Development and Environment)
- Law, Economics, Business Administration, Science
- Medicine (Medicine/Health Sciences)
- Engineering
- Agriculture, Maritime Sciences
- International Cooperation Studies, System Informatics

President: Hideki Fukuda
Term of Office: 2009.4 ~ 2013.3
Speciality: Biochemical Engineering

Nara University of Education

Address: Takabatake-cho, Nara-shi, 630-8528
TEL: +81-742-27-9105  E-mail: hisyo-kikaku@nara-edu.ac.jp

Education and Research Aim
Our objective is to nurture educated and knowledgeable human resources equipped with the expertise for forming the next generation as well-rounded human beings. I conduct education and research activities from basic to application and practice in such fields as character-building, various disciplines and interdisciplinary community-based education for Nara.

Faculties and Graduate Schools

Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 1,020  Graduate Schools: 140)
- Education

President: Tsuneto Nagatomo
Term of Office: 2009.10 ~ 2013.9
Speciality: Scientific studies on cultural properties, Physics

Nara Women’s University

Address: Kitauoyahigashi-machi, Nara-shi, 630-8506
TEL: +81-742-20-3204  E-mail: soumu@cc.nara-wu.ac.jp

Education and Research Aim
We are cultivating student’s broad range cultures and intellectual insight through the close cooperation with “Liberal arts education”, “Specialized education” and “Career education”. We aim at enabling students to contribute their skill to the international community with communication skill and ability to investigation. In terms of research, we aim to attempt the progress of the characterized research both of high standard of fundamental research and interdisciplinary research by the cooperation with other institutes.

Faculties and Graduate Schools

Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 1,980  Graduate Schools: 510)
- Letters, Science, Human Life and Environment
- Humanities and Sciences

President: Seishi Noguchi
Term of Office: 2009.4 ~ 2013.3
Speciality: High Energy Physics
Kinki Branch (13 universities) / Chugoku-Shikoku Branch (10 universities)

**Kinki Branch (13 universities)**

1. **Kinki Branch (13 universities)**
   - **Field**: Regional Sciences, Medicine, Engineering, Agriculture
   - **Objectives**:
     1. To train personnel with rich general knowledge to be key people in society.
     2. To carry out cutting-edge research aimed at providing solutions to social, humanitarian and global issues.
     3. To contribute to the industry and culture of the local region.
   - **Development of Human Potential** is emphasized as an educational standard. All curriculums in TOTTORI UNIVERSITY are developed and put into practice following this basis.

**Faculties and Graduate Schools**

- **Enrollment Capacity**
  - **Faculties**: 4,775
  - **Graduate Schools**: 909

**President**

- **Name**: Akira Isogai
- **Term of Office**: 2009.4 ~ 2013.3
- **Speciality**: Bio-organic Chemistry, Plant Science

**Address**

- **4-101 Koyama-Minami, Tottori-shi, 680-8550**
- **TEL**: +81-857-31-5007
- **E-mail**: ge-soumu@adm.tottori-u.ac.jp
- **Website**: http://www.tottori-u.ac.jp/english

**NAIST**

- **Education and Research Aim**
  - NAIST performs in-depth research in the core areas of information, biological and materials sciences, while actively engaging in interdisciplinary studies, in order to deliver world-class research results that will influence the next generation.
  - NAIST cultivates students and staff who are highly motivated to work toward the advancement of science and technology and are prepared to take on leading roles in the development of a global society based on the advancement of science and technology.

**Faculties and Graduate Schools**

- **Enrollment Capacity**
  - **Graduate Schools**: 1,021

**President**

- **Name**: Akira Isogai
- **Term of Office**: 2009.4 ~ 2013.3
- **Speciality**: Bio-organic Chemistry, Plant Science

**Address**

- **8916-5 Takayama-cho, Ikoma-shi, 630-0192**
- **TEL**: +81-743-72-5111
- **E-mail**: s-kikaku@ad.naist.jp
- **Website**: http://www.naist.jp/en/

**Wakayama University**

- **Education and Research Aim**
  - Wakayama University is located in Wakayama Prefecture, which is blessed with a rich natural environment and history symbolized by such World Heritage sites as "Koyasan" and "Kumano Sanzan". It is the only national university corporation in Wakayama Prefecture, and aims to be "an institution which both supports and is supported by the regional community and aims to contribute to the realization of a sustainable society."

**Faculties and Graduate Schools**

- **Enrollment Capacity**
  - **Faculties**: 3,700
  - **Graduate Schools**: 466

**President**

- **Name**: Kenji Yamamoto
- **Term of Office**: 2009.8 ~ 2013.7
- **Speciality**: Social Education, Lifelong Learning

**Address**

- **930 Sakaedani, Wakayama-shi, 640-8510**
- **TEL**: +81-73-457-7007
- **E-mail**: koho@center.wakayama-u.ac.jp
- **Website**: http://www.wakayama-u.ac.jp/ier/en/

**Tottori University**

- **Education and Research Aim**
  - We are dedicated to these three goals in our research and education through each field distinguished for their practical character, such as regional sciences, medicine, engineering and agriculture:
    1. To train personnel with rich general knowledge to be key people in society
    2. To carry our cutting-edge research aimed at providing solutions to social, humanitarian and global issues
    3. To contribute to the industry and culture of the local region.
  - Also we focus on "Development of human potential" as our educational standard. All curriculums in TOTTORI UNIVERSITY are drowned up and put into practice following this basis.

**Faculties and Graduate Schools**

- **Enrollment Capacity**
  - **Faculties**: 4,775
  - **Graduate Schools**: 909

**President**

- **Name**: Takayuki Nose
- **Term of Office**: 2005.4 ~ 2013.3
- **Speciality**: Public Health

**Address**

- **4-101 Koyama-Minami, Tottori-shi, 680-8550**
- **TEL**: +81-857-31-5007
- **E-mail**: ge-soumu@adm.tottori-u.ac.jp
- **Website**: http://www.tottori-u.ac.jp/english

Campus View
Chugoku-Shikoku Branch (10 universities)

Shimane University

Address 1060 Nishikawatsu-cho, Matsue-shi, 690-8504
TEL +81-852-32-6100  E-mail webinfo@jn.shimane-u.ac.jp

Education and Research Aim
We respect the tradition and spirits fostered as a cultural base in the Sanin area, cultivating students to acquire culture, specialty and independence, and promote unique researches based on regional subjects and publish its fruits. We also drive forward making a contribution to society, encouraging the regional culture, industries, and local medical systems, aiming to be a reliable university in cooperation with students and staff members.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
【Enrollment Capacity (Faculties：4,932  Graduate Schools：728）】
△ Law and Literature,  △ Education,  ○ Medicine,  ○ Science and Engineering,  △ Life and Environmental Science,  ▲ Agricultural Sciences,  □ Law

President:
Hiroki Yamamoto
Term of Office:
2009.4 〜 2012.3
Speciality:
Environmental Pesticide Science, Soil Microbiology

Okayama University

Address 1-1-1 Tsushima-Naka, Kita-ku, Okayama-shi, 700-8530
TEL +81-86-252-1111  E-mail www-adm@adm.okayama-u.ac.jp

Education and Research Aim
Okayama University places great importance on education which fosters students’ abilities to create, imagine and investigate on their own, and encourages individuals with both academic ability and enriched minds who will contribute in various capacities, not only to Japan, but also to the wider world.

As for research, we develop interdisciplinary and pioneering research by promoting project research as well as individual research. Okayama University constantly strives to create research results of the highest global standards.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
【Enrollment Capacity (Faculties：9,345  Graduate Schools：2,651）】
△ Letters, □ Education, Law, Economics, Science, Medical, Dental, Pharmaceutical Sciences, Engineering, Environmental Science and Technology, Agriculture, ● Humanities and Social Sciences, ● Natural Science and Technology, ● Health Sciences, ● Environmental Sciences, ● Medicine, Dentistry and Pharmaceutical Sciences, □ Law, ▲ School Education

President:
Kiyoshi Morita
Term of Office:
2011.4 〜 2014.3
Speciality:
Anesthesiology and Resuscitology

Hiroshima University

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TEL +81-82-422-7111  E-mail koho@office.hiroshima-u.ac.jp

Education and Research Aim
While striving for high quality education and nurturing the humanity of students, Hiroshima University aims to cultivate human resources equipped with a rich sense of humanity and able to think and act independently as individuals. Also, as a comprehensive research university, it is our mission to both pass on and develop culture which is the root of our modern information-based society. As such, we are working toward the maintenance and further development of a wide range of fundamental research, while at the same time bringing advanced research which demonstrates our university’s originality and distinctive characteristics to the forefront for even further development.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
【Enrollment Capacity (Faculties：10,008  Graduate Schools：3,826）】

President:
Toshimasa Asahara
Term of Office:
2007.5 〜 2013.3
Speciality:
Digestive Organ Surgery, Other
Chugoku-Shikoku Branch (10 universities)

Yamaguchi University

President: Takuya Marumoto
Term of Office: 2006.5 ~ 2014.3
Speciality: Soil Science, Soil Biochemistry

Education and Research Aim
With "Discover it. Nourish it. Realize it: A Place of Wisdom" as its motto, Yamaguchi University aims at developing the ideal surroundings in which teachers and students can achieve mutual growth. In other words, we strive to achieve a harmonious blend of research and education.

Our goals are:

a) to encourage the development of human resources who are highly educated and have a good sense of ethics.

b) to encourage the development of human resources who have the ability to seek challenges and can communicate expressively, through the acquisition of basic scholastic ability and specialist knowledge.

c) to be a stronghold of research and education which can make positive contributions both to the regional and worldwide development.

Faculties and Graduate Schools

【Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 7,971 Graduate Schools: 1,466)】

Humanities, Education, Economics, Science, Medicine and Health Sciences, Engineering, Agriculture, Humanities, Education, Economics, Medicine, Science and Engineering, Agriculture, East Asian Studies, Innovation and Technology Management, Veterinary Science, Agricultural Sciences

The University of Tokushima

President: Susumu Kagawa
Term of Office: 2010.4 ~ 2014.3
Speciality: Urology

Education and Research Aim
Respecting diversity in their personalities, we educate our students in order for each individual to acquire rich humanity, and we foster the talent with a spirit of enterprise and superior ability on their specialties. We contribute to the global community and the regional community through our quest for truth and studies concerning the problems of which solutions are needed in today’s society.

Faculties and Graduate Schools

【Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 5,637 Graduate Schools: 1,527)】

Integrated Arts and Sciences, Medicine, Dentistry, Pharmaceutical Sciences, Engineering

Naruto University of Education

President: Yuzo Tanaka
Term of Office: 2010.4 ~ 2014.3
Speciality: Psychiatry

Education and Research Aim
Based upon the belief that education makes the foundation of a nation, and in response to the current social expectation for teacher education institutions, Naruto University of Education considers it our supreme mission to educate prospective teachers with professional expertise in education, solid practical competence in teaching, and profound humane character, and play a leading role in teacher education in our country by promoting up-to-date empirical research on school education.

Faculties and Graduate Schools

【Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 400 Graduate Schools: 600)】

Education, School Education
Kagawa University

Address  1-1 Saiwai-cho, Takamatsu-shi, 760-8521
TEL     +81-87-832-1000  E-mail  hisyo2@jim.ao.kagawa-u.ac.jp

Education and Research Aim
We encourage students to become internationally active with good moral values, a wide range of basic knowledge and the ability to deal with new challenges. We aim to foster distinctive research that harmonizes various fundamental studies in order to develop creativity and innovativeness. We also aim to develop applied research to solve various problems that modern society faces. We aim to contribute to the area as a source of knowledge to meet regional needs and promote the development of culture, industry, medicine, and lifelong study using the accumulated results of research.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 5,249  Graduate Schools: 756)
△ Education, △ Law, △ Economics, ○ Medicine, ○ Engineering,
△ Agriculture, ▲ Law, □ Management, ▲ Agricultural Sciences

President: Seigo Nagao
Term of Office: 2011.10 〜 2015.9
Speciality: Neurosurgery

Ehime University

Address  10-13 Dogo-Himata, Matsuyama-shi, 790-8577
TEL     +81-89-927-9000  E-mail  hisyo@stu.ehime-u.ac.jp

Education and Research Aim
With consideration of the environment, aiming at building a society which values the quality of life and the creation of local culture, we foster human resources which can be dispatched from the local community to the world. We promote diverse, high quality research on a global level in the areas of Community, Environment and Biological Life while actively continuing to expand our activities.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 7,489  Graduate Schools: 1,050)
△ Law and Letters, △ Education, ○ Science, ○ Medicine,
○ Engineering, △ Agriculture, ▲ Agricultural Sciences,
□ ▲ Law

President: Yasunobu Yanagisawa
Term of Office: 2009.4 〜 2012.3
Speciality: Ecology
(Behavioral Ecology)

Kochi University

Address  2-5-1 Akebono-cho, Kochi-shi, 780-8520
TEL     +81-88-844-0111  E-mail  kikakukh@kochi-u.ac.jp

Education and Research Aim
We nurture the “Five Faculties” (faculties of expression, presentation, communication, cross-cultural understanding, and information processing and utilization) and appeal from Kochi to the world with the “Four Cs”: realizing the “Change” that our society demands, grabbing this good opportunity of innovation as a “Chance”, “Challenging” it, and “Creating” a university that is truly demanded in the 21st century.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 4,515  Graduate Schools: 558)
Humansities and Economics, Education, Science, Medicine, Agriculture,
● Integrated Arts and Sciences, ▲ Agricultural Sciences (Participation)

President: Yusuke Sagara
Term of Office: 2004.4 〜 2012.3
Speciality: Obstetrics and Gynecology,
Endocrinology, Gynecology Immunology, Perinatology
Fukuoka University

Education and Research Aim
Our university will train educators with highly technical skills on the basis of abundant intelligence, humanity, and sociability in order to support children’s healthy growth and learning in today’s drastically changing society. Our university will also lead diverse research in various fields dealing with children, schools, and education. Based on the results obtained from such education and research, furthermore, our university will provide local communities with opportunities in lifelong learning, emphasizing support for raising the educational level in entire communities through the schools.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 2,520 Graduate Schools: 200)

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TEL +81-940-35-1201 E-mail hisyocho@fukuoka-edu.ac.jp

Kyushu University

Education and Research Aim
Kyushu University aims to encourage higher education that attracts a wide range of people from all over the world, to develop highly specialized students to play leading global roles in relevant fields, and to contribute to global development. We also aim to develop new prospects based on traditions in education, and to produce world-class and advanced intellectual achievements.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 10,578 Graduate Schools: 6,425)

Address
6-10-1 Hakozaki, Higashi-ku, Fukuoka-shi, 812-8581
TEL +81-92-642-2111 E-mail koho@jimu.kyushu-u.ac.jp

Kyushu Institute of Technology

Education and Research Aim
We have the highest standards in education for engineers in Japan. We continue to carry out world-class research which will help to establish an eco-friendly and sustainable society.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 3,904 Graduate Schools: 1,317)

Address
1-1 Sensui-cho, Tobata-ku, Kitakyushu-shi, 804-8550
TEL +81-93-884-3000 E-mail sou-kouhou@jimu.kyutech.ac.jp

President: Shinichi Terao
Term of Office: 2010.2 ~ 2014.2
Specialty: Methodology of Teaching

President: Setsuo Arikawa
Term of Office: 2008.10 ~ 2014.9
Specialty: Informatics

President: Morio Matsunaga
Term of Office: 2010.4 ~ 2014.3
Specialty: Electrochemistry
Saga University

◆ Education and Research Aim
Saga University aims at being an "Education-Oriented University" which will appeal to a broad range of students. We promote attractive campus life, strong student support, in job hunting as well as in educational fields even after graduation so that our graduates can keep affection for their alma mater.

We also aim to promote world-level research projects, developing concrete strategies to make a fusion of research "Needs" and "Seeds". Through the collaborative research with industry and the local government, we create unique research projects which make us prominent on the world stage.

◆ Faculties and Graduate Schools
【Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 5,546 Graduate Schools: 820)】
△ Culture and Education, △ Economics, □ Medicine, □ Science and Engineering, △ Agriculture, ▲ Agricultural Sciences

Nagasaki University

◆ Education and Research Aim
In line with its basic objectives, "Nagasaki University continues its role as a 'center for the transmission of intellectual information,' which is indispensable for the world, while moving forward together with local communities," in research, Nagasaki University aims to lead the world as a research center for contributing to "health and security of the earth and its human inhabitants" as well as to create influential research outputs and to produce the world’s leading scientists. Meanwhile, in its education, the University fosters Nagasaki-University-brand professionals through the provision of extensive ability at the bachelor’s degree level by the coordinated arrangement of a professional education, a liberal arts education, and through the realization of a graduate school education. Moreover, the University also supports international contributions and cooperation by developing specialists who are ready to devote themselves to the advancement of Africa and other advancing countries.

◆ Faculties and Graduate Schools
【Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 7,078 Graduate Schools: 1,285)】
△□ Education, ○ Economics, ○ Medicine, Dentistry, Pharmaceutical Sciences, ○ Engineering, Environmental Studies, Fisheries, ● Fisheries Science and Environmental Studies, ● Biomedical Sciences, ● International Health Development, ▲ Science and Technology

Kumamoto University

◆ Education and Research Aim
Kumamoto University aims to contribute to the community and global society by cultivating people who are intelligent, moral, and who have applicable skills, working for the creation, inheritance, and development of knowledge, while following the spirit of the Fundamental Law of Education and the School Education Law.

◆ Faculties and Graduate Schools
【Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 7,340 Graduate Schools: 1,928)】
△ Letters, △ Education, Law, Science, ○ Medicine, ○ Pharmacy, Engineering, ● Sciences and Technology, ● Social and Cultural Sciences, □ Law
Oita University

Education and Research Aim
Oita University is committed to developing people who are equipped with creativity, humanity and social awareness. Through education and research in humanities, social sciences and natural sciences, the university enables students to acquire both basic academic skills and highly specialized knowledge. At the same time, the university is committed to carrying out creative research in the pursuit of truth, and aims to create new interdisciplinary fields of study formed from the fusion of different subjects for a broad range of research.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 4,580 Graduate Schools: 639)
△ Education and Welfare Science, ○ Economics, ○ Medicine, ◇ Engineering, ● Social Service Administration

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700 Dannoharu Oita-shi, 870-1192
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President: Seigo Kitano
Term of Office: 2011.10 ~ 2015.9
Speciality:
Gastroenterological Surgery, Endoscopic Surgery, Gastroenterological Endoscopy

University of Miyazaki

Education and Research Aim
Under our slogan, “Look at the World, Start with the Community,” University of Miyazaki will cultivate youth who are able to respond to ever-changing times and societal needs. To that end, we will strive across all departments to instill in students a cultural awareness rich in humanity, sociality, and internationality. It is our mission at UOM to send these professionals into society with such values. Conducting international level research, UOM will reflect the research result to university education and help developing not only the local society but also the whole society. UOM will create interdisciplinary programs in the life sciences that contribute to the welfare and prosperity of all humanity, as well as developing sciences to preserve the global environment that is the origin of all life.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 4,425 Graduate Schools: 624)
△ Education and Culture, △ Medicine, △ Engineering, △ Agriculture, ○ Medicine and Veterinary Medicine, ● Agriculture and Engineering

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TEL +81-985-58-7104 E-mail kokusai@of.miyazaki-u.ac.jp

President: Tatsuo Suganuma
Term of Office: 2009.10 ~ 2013.9
Speciality:
Anatomy

Kagoshima University

Education and Research Aim
To be a center of society contribution and international collaboration in Asia and the Pacific, providing systematic and quality education in undergraduate programs to foster an ethical and spiritual mind; to promote advanced multidisciplinary education and research programs reflecting the natural and social contexts of Kagoshima such as ‘Islands’, ‘Natural Environment’ and ‘Food and Health’; and to cultivate individuals with ‘spirit of enterprise’ who work actively in the global society.

Faculties and Graduate Schools
Enrollment Capacity (Faculties: 8,275 Graduate Schools: 1,545)
△ ○ Law, Economics and Humanities, △ Education, Science, Medicine, Dental, Engineering, △ Agriculture, △ Fisheries, △ ○ Health Science, ● Science and Engineering, ● Medical and Dental Sciences, ▲ Agricultural Sciences, □ Legal School, □ Clinical Psychology, ▲ Veterinary Sciences (Cooperation)

Address
1-21-24 Korimoto, Kagoshima-shi, 890-8580
TEL +81-99-285-7111 E-mail sbunsho@kuas.kagoshima-u.ac.jp

President: Hiroki Yoshida
Term of Office: 2007.1 ~ 2013.3
Speciality:
Pathology
National Institute of Fitness and Sports in Kanoya

Address 1 Shiromizu-cho, Kanoya-shi, 891-2393
TEL +81-994-46-4111  E-mail soumu@nifs-k.ac.jp

◆ Education and Research Aim
Sporting activities are mainly performed with the aim of improving health and physical fitness (health sports), increasing competitive skill (competitive sports) and physical education (educational sports). It is our goal to perform research and provide education in order to achieve these aims. Our Institute serves to train healthy and culturally 'active Japanese people' by fulfilling these educational and research goals and by educating specialists in health, competitive and educational sports.

◆ Faculties and Graduate Schools
【Enrollment Capacity (Faculties : 720  Graduate Schools : 60)】
○ Physical Education

President : Tetsuo Fukunaga
Term of Office : 2008.8 〜 2012.7
Speciality : Sportbiomechanics

University of the Ryukyus

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TEL +81-98-895-8012  E-mail sosoumu@to.jim.u-ryukyu.ac.jp

◆ Education and Research Aim
The University of the Ryukyus conducts unique education and research in areas such as natural environment, history, and culture of Okinawa as a university with local and global features. Following our guiding principles of “Freedom and Equality, Tolerance and Peace”, we aim to cultivate individuals who can take an active role both nationally and globally, and to conduct high-quality education and research as a global knowledge hub.

◆ Faculties and Graduate Schools
【Enrollment Capacity (Faculties : 6,636  Graduate Schools : 859)】
○ Law and Letters, △ Tourism Sciences and Industrial Management, △ Education, ○ Science, ○ Medicine, ○ Health Science, ○ Engineering, △ Agriculture, □ Law, ▲ Agricultural Sciences

President : Teruo Iwamasa
Term of Office : 2007.6 〜 2013.3
Speciality : Pathology
Special Member (4 organizations)

National Institutes for the Humanities (NIHU)

Address: 2F Kamiya-cho Central Place Bldg. 4-3-13 Toranomon, Minato-ku, 105-0001
TEL: +81-3-6402-9200  E-mail: info@nihu.jp

◆ Education and Research Aim
National Institutes for the Humanities consists of six inter-university research institutes, and promotes basic research in each institute on cultural activities by human beings and on relationships between humans and society, and humans and nature. It also develops comprehensive and diversified research on human culture through cooperation between each institute, and aims to contribute to the progress of academic culture.

◆ Research Institutes, Other

President: Akihiro Kinda
Term of Office: 2008.4 〜 2012.3
Speciality: Human Geography, Historical geography

National Institutes of Natural Sciences (NINS)

Address: 2F Kamiya-cho Central Place Bldg. 4-3-13 Toranomon, Minato-ku, 105-0001
TEL: +81-3-5425-1300  E-mail: nins-sohmu@nins.jp

◆ Education and Research Aim
NINS is a core research institution in the natural science fields, including astronomy, energy, material science, and biological science. While fulfilling its responsibilities as an inter-university research institute undertaking academic research and education in leading-edge interdisciplinary areas, NINS is the center of academic excellence for globally disseminating research results. NINS also aims to nurture young research talent and promotes distinctive education programs for graduate students.

◆ Research Institutes, Other
National Astronomical Observatory of Japan (NAOJ), National Institute for Fusion Science (NIFS), National Institute for Basic Biology (NIBB), National Institute for Physiological Sciences (NIPS), Institute for Molecular Science (IMS)

President: Katsuhiko Sato
Term of Office: 2010.4 〜 2014.3
Speciality: Cosmology and Astrophysics

High Energy Accelerator Research Organization (KEK)

Address: 1-1 Oho, Tsukuba-shi, 305-0801
TEL: +81-29-879-6047  E-mail: proffice@kek.jp

◆ Education and Research Aim
The High Energy Accelerator Research Organization (KEK) is for wide range of advanced fields in science, utilizing high energy particle beams and synchrotron light sources. Established in 1971, KEK serves as a center of excellence for domestic and foreign researchers, providing various kinds of research opportunities. In addition to the activities on Tsukuba Campus, KEK started the operation of a high intensity proton accelerator facility (J-PARC) in Tokai village, jointly working with Japan Atomic Energy Agency.

◆ Research Institutes, Other
Institute of Particle and Nuclear Studies, Institute of Materials Structure Science, Accelerator Laboratory, Applied Research Laboratory

President: Atsuto Suzuki
Term of Office: 2006.4 〜 2012.3
Speciality: Particle Physics

President: Katsuhiko Sato
Term of Office: 2010.4 〜 2014.3
Speciality: Cosmology and Astrophysics
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**Research Organization of Information and Systems (ROIS)**

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**TEL** +81-3-6402-6200  **E-mail** ssoumu@rois.ac.jp

| **President :** |
| Genshiro Kitagawa |

| **Term of Office :** |
| 2011.4 〜 2015.3 |

| **Speciality :** |
| Time Series Analysis, AIC Statistics, Computational Statistics, Discovery Science |

**Education and Research Aim**
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