



東京大学
THE UNIVERSITY OF TOKYO

The University of Tokyo

Outline of University

The University of Tokyo (UTokyo) was established in 1877 as the first national university in Japan. As a leading research university, UTokyo offers courses in essentially all academic disciplines at both undergraduate and graduate levels and conducts research across the full spectrum of academic activity. With around 4,000 faculties and about 28,000 students, evenly divided between undergraduate and graduate students, about 10% of which are international students, UTokyo is known for the excellence of its faculty and students and ever since its foundation.



International Activities

UTokyo's initiative of "Constructing a Global Campus Model" is funded by MEXT as part of its Top Global University Project. This initiative has the following six characteristics:

1. World-class, cutting-edge research taking place in a wide range of academic fields
2. A comprehensively reformed education system suitable for the modern Globalization Era
3. A wide range of degree programs and courses throughout the curriculum available in English
4. A high level of research and teaching carried out in Japanese, and courses in languages other than English taking place systematically
5. A diverse environment where academic and administrative staff and students of the University can teach, research and work together regardless of culture, language, gender, and age while mutually understanding each other
6. An organization put into place that supports the Global Campus, and where staff with high levels of knowledge and competency is placed throughout the University



UTokyo offers a broad spectrum of unique experiences and opportunities, and invites students from all over the world to participate while experiencing Japanese life and culture through the following programs for example:

1. Undergraduate courses offered in English: Global Science Course (GSC), Programs in English at Komaba (PEAK)
2. A variety of short-term programs are available over the summer holidays.
3. Student Exchange Programs with partner universities

Academics 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

Number of Students Undergraduate 14,040 / Graduate 14,292 / International Students 4,135

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Tokyo Medical and Dental University



Tokyo Medical and Dental University (TMDU) is the only comprehensive medical university in Japan that has both undergraduate and graduate programs in medicine and dentistry. The undergraduate programs are offered through the Faculty of Medicine and Faculty of Dentistry, and prepare students to be medical and dental professionals. Our graduate programs in Medical and Dental Sciences and Health Care Sciences produce leaders who go into research, education or a combination of such work. Many professors teach and conduct cutting edge research in their respective Faculty or at one of our specialized research institutes, such as the Medical Research Institute or the Institute of Biomaterials and Bioengineering. Today, 3,225 students pursue medical, dental, and life science degrees at TMDU, with nearly equal numbers of students in undergraduate and graduate programs. Undergraduates begin their career at the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences to ensure a well-rounded education. After moving on to the Faculty of Medicine or Faculty of Dentistry, students concentrate on a curriculum that is increasingly integrated between medical and dental sciences and utilizes an inter-professional educational approach, just as graduate students at TMDU have traditionally enjoyed.



TMDU currently has 367 international students, who are predominantly enrolled in the graduate school. In fact, despite its relatively small size, TMDU has the largest number of international students in the medical and dental fields of any national or public university in Japan.



TMDU's Vision is "Cultivating Professionals with Knowledge and Humanity, thereby Contributing to People's Well-being". We aim to deploy these professionals domestically and globally, and become a world-leading integrated medical university.

Academics Medicine, Dentistry, Health Care Sciences, Oral Health Care Sciences

Number of Students Undergraduate 1,486 / Graduate 1,739 / International Students 367

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Tokyo University of Foreign Studies

Tokyo University of Foreign Studies (TUFS) is the oldest institution in Japan that is devoted to international studies. It began as Bansho Shirabesho (Institution for Research of Foreign Documents), a government translation bureau founded in 1857. It was then established as an independent educational and research institution with the name Tokyo Gaikokugo Gakko (Tokyo School of Foreign Languages) in 1899. In 1999, the University celebrated the 100th anniversary of its “independence”.

The present campus is located in Fuchu City, a suburb in the western part of Tokyo. Students belonging to the schools of Language and Culture Studies (1480 students), International and Area Studies (1500 students), and the Graduate School of Global Studies (148 students enroll in the Master's Course and 40 students in the Doctoral Course every year) study about languages and cultures of the world.

In addition to this, the campus also holds the Research Institute for Languages and Cultures of Asia and Africa and the Japanese Language Center for International Students.

TUFS was selected as the ‘Top Global University’ in 2014 by the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology; MEXT (Type B : Toward Globalization).

[Educational Objectives]

TUFS offers comprehensive research and education in the languages, cultures and societies of various areas in the world including Japan. We aim to develop human resources, who will be able to address global issues. By collaborating with people from various cultural backgrounds, acquiring and utilizing a broad education and a variety of views with a flexible thought process, rich sensibility, and advanced language ability, TUFS students will be armed with both knowledge and adaptability to meet all modern global challenges.



Academics Language and Culture Studies, International and Area Studies, Global Studies

Number of Students Undergraduate 3,865 / Graduate 555 / International Students 753

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Tokyo Gakugei University



History

Tokyo Gakugei University was formally chartered as a university in 1949 when four teacher training institutions in Tokyo from the pre-war era were merged.

In 1966 the Faculty of Liberal Arts was changed to Faculty of Education, and a Graduate School of Education (master's program) was established to provide education and research in a wide range of fields from humanities and social sciences to natural science, physical education, and the arts.

In 2015, the Teacher Training Division was reorganized as the School Education Division, and the Liberal Arts Division was reorganized as the Educational Specialist Division.



Core Objectives

Tokyo Gakugei University plays a leading role in the transformation of society through education. Our mission is to respond to the characteristics of contemporary society, including the growth of a knowledge-based society, increasing globalization, the diversification of educational challenges, and the exhaustion of local communities, by cultivating human resources who contribute to education for the children of the next generation to give them four key strengths: the strength to work together to solve challenges, the strength that comes from valuing diversity, the strength to reflect on and express themselves, and the strength to create a new society. We have been a full curriculum education university that has helped to train valuable educators in a wide variety of education practic-

es and subject curricula in primary and secondary education.

Now, recognizing MEXT's Third Medium-term Objective Period as a major turning point for Japanese society and education, we aim to act as a nationwide center to lead Japanese education and to be an international hub that will bring the results of Japanese education to a wider audience around the world.

Academics Education

Number of Students Undergraduate 4,615 / Graduate 927 / International Students 243

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Tokyo University of Agriculture and Technology

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Tokyo University of Agriculture and Technology (TUAT) was founded in 1874 when the Agricultural Training Institute and Silkworm Diseases Experiment Section were established under the Industrial Encouragement Department of Ministry of Home Affairs. The two institutions respectively evolved into the Faculty of Agriculture and the Faculty of Engineering of TUAT in 1949. Likewise, TUAT has a long history and tradition of over 140 years.



TUAT strives to tackle the challenges towards “the realization of sustainable development of society”, the needs which became prominent in the 20th century. Through education and research based on flexible ideas in agriculture, engineering and the combined fields, TUAT promotes its philosophy to contribute to the progress of science and technology in harmony with the world peace, society, and nature, as well as to develop human resources with capability to challenge problems and to creation of knowledge.

[Strengths and plans]

In the Third Medium-term Plan of TUAT, starting from the 2016 fiscal year, the President’s vision calls for achievement of “globally-recognized research university”. We aim to play a vital role as a university that can strengthen Japanese presence in the world. By actively promoting following functions, TUAT strives to become competitive with international universities which maintain outstanding achievements, and to promote education research and social implementation with excellence.

1. Globally-competitive research ability.
2. Education and research with interactive capacity in the international community.
3. Leadership role in the Japanese industries to strengthen presence in the international community.
4. Training of advanced level of innovation leaders.



Academics Agriculture, Engineering

Number of Students Undergraduate 3,867 / Graduate 2,124 / International Students 349

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Tokyo University of the Arts



Tokyo University of the Arts (Tokyo Geidai) was formed by the merger of the Tokyo Fine Arts School and the Tokyo Music School, both founded in 1887 as pioneers of modern art and music education in Japan. Today, the university consists of the Faculties of Fine Arts and Music and the Graduate School of Film and New Media, as well as the Graduate School of Global Arts, thus offering a wide range of courses in the field of the arts.



To fully demonstrate its capability and attraction as a globally unparalleled comprehensive arts university and rigorously promote the cultivation of outstanding artists who can play an active role in the world, we strive to enhance, to a greater extent, our education and research environments as well as support for our students under the "Tokyo Geidai NEXT 10 Vision."



Specifically, we will focus on the following:

- (1) Promote initiatives to attract prominent artists from overseas, as well as diverse specialists and practitioners
- (2) Expand opportunities to acquire international experience through means such as sending students to overseas universities, art festivals, and music festivals
- (3) Enhance practical education and research programs in art organizations, businesses, etc.
- (4) Enhance the university's education and research environment to ensure thorough, individualized instruction and small-group learning

- (5) Expand specialist staff who support hands-on guidance and practical training in workshops, studios, etc.
- (6) Provide world-class large workshop facilities, musical instruments, and filming and editing equipment

As the only national arts university in Japan, Tokyo Geidai will continue efforts to nurture the next generation of outstanding artists in order to promote the power of Japanese art and culture and to contribute towards the global development of art through a close collaboration with relevant organizations including the Japanese Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology and the Agency for Cultural Affairs.

Academics Fine Arts, Music, Film and New Media, Global Arts

Number of Students Undergraduate 2,108 / Graduate 1,449 / International Students 329

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Tokyo Institute of Technology

Tokyo Tech is the top national university for science and technology in Japan with a history spanning almost 140 years. Of the approximately 10,000 students at the Ookayama, Suzukakedai, and Tamachi Campuses, half are in their bachelor's degree program while the other half are in master's and doctoral degree programs. International students number 1,700. There are 1,100 faculty and 600 administrative and technical staff members.

Tokyo Tech has launched a new education system in April 2016 and undergraduate and graduate schools are now joined for the first time in Japan. Through this new system, Tokyo Tech seeks to develop talented people in the fields of science and technology with the expertise and skills to lead.

While leading the world in several research fields already, Tokyo Tech is carrying out plans to further strengthen its research.

Today the world faces many issues on a global level and needs the outcomes of scientific and technological research to solve them.

The Institute will become a research and educational hub which will attract outstanding international researchers and students to work on these problems.

Tokyo Tech is the best sci-tech university in Japan, and embraces the challenges of becoming one of the world's top 10 research universities with spirit, enthusiasm and confidence. The Tokyo Tech community continues to strive for the betterment of society.



Academics Science, Engineering, Materials and Chemical Technology, Computing, Life Science and Technology, Environment and Society

Number of Students Undergraduate 4,828 / Graduate 5,384 / International Students 1,693

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Tokyo University of Marine Science and Technology



Tokyo University of Marine Science and Technology (TUMSAT) was founded in 2003 through the merger of Tokyo University of Mercantile Marine and Tokyo University of Fisheries. These two former universities were founded in 1875 and 1888, respectively, and TUMSAT prides itself on history and tradition of 140 years.

TUMSAT has inherited from its predecessors its personality, characteristics and traditions, and plays a key role as Japan's only marine university through its education and research

activities based on the motto "Voices from the Ocean," supporting the development of Japan as a maritime nation.

In April 2017, we created the School of Marine Resources and Environment, to help address the pressing issues that we face, nurture talent that can lead the way in the creation of new marine industry, make efficient use of marine resources, and remain internationally competitive. Based on an understanding of marine science from the atmosphere to the seafloor, the school fosters professionals



who can work globally in the exploration of oceanic energy and seafloor resources, and the preservation and restoration of the marine environment. By developing such experts, we hope to contribute to the creation of marine industries.



To respond to the demands of globalization, we are devising an English education program, with lectures in English and abroad study programs, aiming to nurture marine specialists who can be active worldwide. Moreover, we are implementing the OQEAUS program, selected as the Re-inventing Japan Project in 2016, which is a student exchange program including a double degree program by the credit transfer system. Based on agreements with 101 universities and institutes across 31 countries and regions, we are developing international exchanges (as of March 2019). Having international students accounting for almost 30 percent of the graduate student body, we are one of the most internationally active universities in Japan.

Academics Marine Life Science, Marine Technology, Marine Resources and Environment

Number of Students Undergraduate 1,990 / Graduate 720 / International Students 255

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Ochanomizu University

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Mission

“Ochanomizu University will support all women, regardless of age or nationality, in protecting their individual dignity and rights, freely developing their unique qualities and capabilities, and pursuing personal learning so as to satisfy their intellectual appetites.”

As a pioneer of women’s education in Japan, Ochanomizu University offers programs that will develop women capable of being opinion leaders in politics, economics, academia, culture, and other fields on the international stage. These programs – that of the “21st century Ochanomizu University model” – focus on three areas:

1. Development of higher education for women into the future
2. Centralization of research and 21st century liberal arts education
3. Social contribution and international exchange

Cutting-edge research and development based on new ways of thinking is a unique feature of research at Ochanomizu University.



Admission and Support Information for International Students

·Admission: There are special entrance examinations. Check the website; <http://www.ao.ocha.ac.jp/index.html>

·Support Information:

1. Scholarship
2. Exemption and Extension for tuition fee
3. Tutor System
4. Peer Sport System, Mentor System

Message from University

Approximately 240 international students from over 30 countries are currently enrolled in Ochanomizu University for study research in various fields. In order for international students to get accustomed to the Japanese culture as well as to encourage their friendship with Japanese and other international students, we hold various events as follows:

International Festival / Japanese traditional flower arrangement class / Kimono class/Japanese traditional calligraphy class / Summer Program (taught in Japanese/English).

We are looking forward to welcoming you at Ochanomizu University.

Academics Letters, Education, Science, Human Life and Environmental Sciences, Humanities and Sciences

Number of Students Undergraduate 2,046 / Graduate 851 / International Students 240

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The mission of the University of Electro-Communications (UEC) is to cultivate academic excellences that bring about bright future of the earth and humanity, as well as create leading knowledge and skills. In order to achieve these goals, UEC has established three fundamental principles: “Pursuing education and research at the cutting-edge of science and technology for the benefit of the all humankind”; “Cultivating talented researchers and engineers who will be successful internationally to take the initiative in various fields”; and “Creating engagement and cooperation with society through practical applications of the achievements of pioneering research activities in science and technology”.



As an action guideline for the realization of these principles, UEC declared the new UEC Vision in April, 2019. The essence of the Vision is “Providing an environment where global and unique students and researchers can gather to pursue their activities in a borderless manner”, “Training human resources capable of leading the advancement of science and technology, with interdisciplinary and pluralistic thinking power, while keeping their own expertise, within the dynamism of comprehensive communication sciences”, and “Creation of fusion-border based academic disciplines that are not bound by established concepts”.



On December 8, 2018, UEC celebrated the centennial anniversary of its foundation under the slogan “ひらけ (hirake), INNOVATION!”. The first word of the slogan is

a Japanese Hiragana, “ひらけ”, which has many meaning such as open, start, create, lead, develop, expand, and so on.

In the next 100 years, we will continue to create new value to contribute to the development of a sustainable society, and cultivate innovation leaders with global perspectives under the slogan “ひらけ, INNOVATION!”.

Academics Informatics and Engineering

Number of Students Undergraduate 3,455 / Graduate 1,383 / International Students 312

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Hitotsubashi University

Throughout the 140 years of its history, Hitotsubashi University has steadily developed into one of Japan's leading research universities in the field of social sciences. The university's particular strengths lie in academic research with practical applications. Such studies include research directed toward providing solutions and redesigning systems related to society, the economy and the law in Japan and worldwide, research to help improve business management, and much more.

Hitotsubashi University offers a wide range of educational opportunities. Students can specialize in almost any field of the social sciences, including management, economics, finance, law, sociology and history. Through its unique zemi (seminar-style) teaching system that focuses on small groups of about 7 or 8 students, Hitotsubashi University provides an academic environment that values and nurtures each and every student. In addition to their respective specialized disciplines, students are encouraged to take courses from other departments to broaden their knowledge. The university also hosts international students from all over the world. Over 850 students from 53 countries are now enrolled at Hitotsubashi, creating a university community with a distinctly cosmopolitan flavor.

In an increasingly globalized world, Hitotsubashi University vows to build upon its long-standing tradition and commitment to progress, and to continue to fulfill its role at the center of cutting-edge research and education.



Academics Management, Business, MBA, Economics, Law, Politics, Sociology, Linguistics

Number of Students Undergraduate 4,402 / Graduate 2,002 / International Students 904

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National Graduate Institute for Policy Studies



Located in the heart of the fascinating city of Tokyo, The National Graduate Institute for Policy Studies (GRIPS) is an international premier policy school with the aim of contributing to the betterment of democratic governance around the world. We excel at providing interdisciplinary education for future leaders in the public sector and conduct research on contemporary policy issues to generate innovative solutions.



Founded in 1997 as a stand-alone graduate institute, GRIPS is comprised of world-class academics and distinguished practitioners with expertise in public sector policy formulation and management. Around 20% of the faculty and over 60% of students are recruited from outside Japan. Our vibrant, diverse student body consists of almost 400 members hailing from 65 countries and regions – all with the ambition to advance good governance across the globe or contribute to policy related research.



We offer a diverse array of Master's and Doctoral Programs, from which students cultivate the ability to analyze issues and suggest solutions, develop interdisciplinary knowledge and skills that span related fields, and gain practical expertise. In addition to our degree programs, we also offer executive level short term training programs across a wide range of themes.

Since our inception, our achievements in promoting good governance are considerable and far-reaching. Today, our impressive Alumni network of over 4,200 strong are actively shaping policy in more than 110 countries around the world.

Academics Policy Studies

Number of Students Undergraduate 0 / Graduate 380 / International Students 264

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