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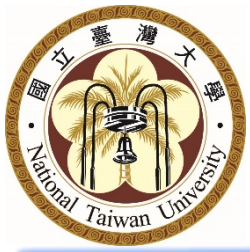
Double/Joint Degree Programs between Japan and Taiwan:

Facts, Issues, Practices, and Prospects

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Double / Joint Degree Programs (DJDP)

Educational System

Same Degree Level

- 2 + 2 Bachelor's
- 1 + 1 Master's
- 2 + 1.5 + 0.5 Bachelor's

Cross Degree Level

- 3 Bachelor's + 2 Master's
- 4 Bachelor's + 1 Masters
- Master's + Doctoral

Program Type

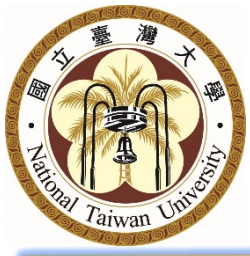
Double Degree

Separate degree certificate

Joint Degree

Single degree certificate issued and signed by all participating universities





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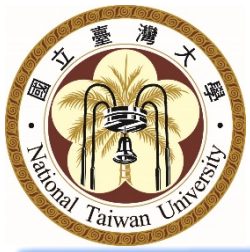
Benefits to Students

- Global Competencies
- Diverse Academic Trainings
- Cost Effectiveness

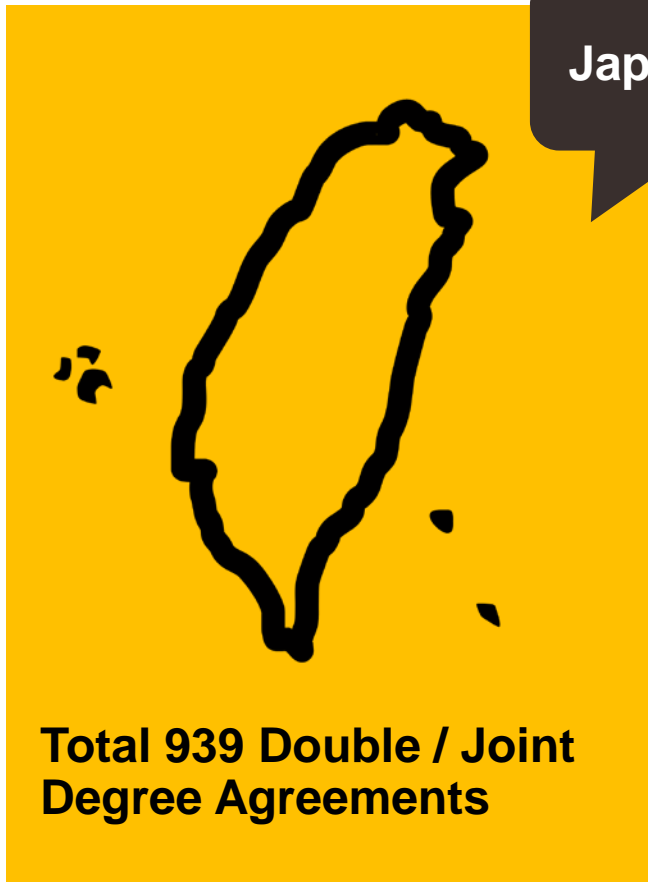


Challenges to Institutions

- Institutional Differences
- Intensive Administrative Work
- Inactiveness of Program
- “One-way street”



Double / Joint Degree Agreement in Taiwan

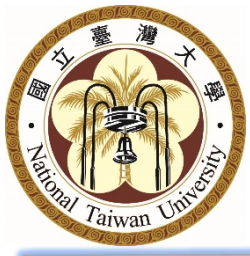


Japan 61 /939

1. **Waseda** University
2. **Nagasaki** University of Foreign Studies
3. **Toyota** Technological Institute
4. **Hiroshima** University

Country	# of Agreement
① USA	299
② China	111
③ Malaysia	86
④ Australia	70
⑤ Japan	61
⑥ UK	55
⑦ South Korea	44
⑧ France	28
⑨ Thailand	13
⑩ Germany	13

Data from MoE Taiwan (2016)



Double / Joint Degree Agreement in Taiwan

1998

Designed mainly for
overseas Chinese

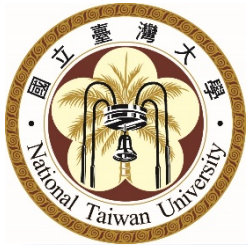
DJDP agreements required
MoE's pre-approval

2004

Amended regulations to provide legal basis for DJDP

2005

The set-up of DJDP are at the discretion of the universities



Double / Joint Degree Agreement in NTU



NTU's **first** double degree program:
NTU & Joseph Fourier University (Grenoble I)
PhD in Engineering



2004

NTU enacted its **first** DJDP guidelines



NTU's DJDP Guidelines

Same Degree Level

One-third of required graduation credits from each institution

Duration of study:

B: 32 months

M: 12 months

D: 24 months

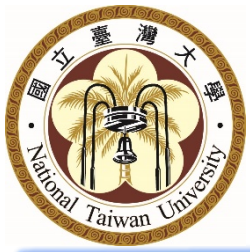
Cross Degree Level

Duration of study at host institution:

B: 32 months

M: 8 months

D: 16 months



DJDP between Japan and NTU

2006

NTU's **first** double degree program with Japan:

NTU & Waseda

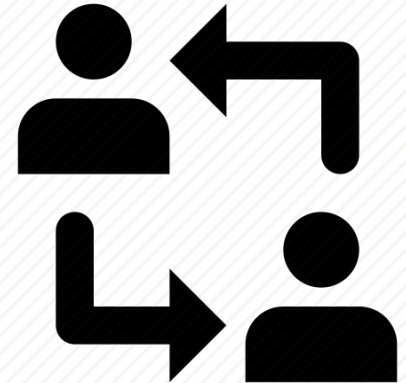
B+B in Political Science



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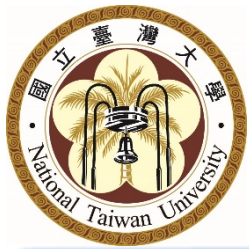
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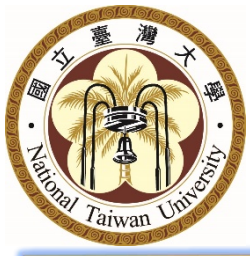
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(last 3 years)



DJDP between Japan and NTU

Start Date	End Date	Partner Institution	Partnering Unit (College/Dept.)	Level	NTU Unit (College/Dept.)	System
2009.04.22	2021.12.12	Waseda University	Computer Science and Engineering, Department of	Dept.	Networking and Multimedia, Graduate Institute of	M+M
2009.04.22	2021.12.12	Waseda University	Computer Science and Engineering, Department of	Dept.	Computer Science and Information Engineering, Dept. of	M+M
2008.02.11	2023.02.11	Waseda University	Creative Science and Engineering, Graduate School of	Dept.	Building and Planning, Graduate Institute of	M+M
2009.02.16	2022.08.31	Waseda University	Commerce, School of	College	Management, College of	B+B
2016.02.17	2022.08.31	Waseda University	International Liberal Studies, School of	College	Management, College of	B+B
2014.12.19	2021.12.12	Waseda University	Political Science and Economics, School of	Dept.	Economics, Dept. of	B+B
2006.12.28	2022.10.26	Waseda University	Political Science and Economics, School of	Dept.	Political Science, Dept. of	B+B
2006.12.28		Waseda University	International Liberal Studies, School of	Dept.	Political Science, Dept. of	B+B
2011.08.01	2019.03.31	Tohoku University	Law, Graduate School of	College	Law, College of	D+D
2016.03.21	2021.03.21	Tohoku University	Law, Graduate School of	College	Law, College of	M+M
2017.03.27		Tohoku University	Law, Graduate School of	Dept.	Political Science, Dept. of	D+D
2018.03.09	2023.03.09	Tohoku University	Arts and Letters, Faculty of	College	Liberal Arts, College of	M+M; D+D
2014.09.01	2020.03.27	Kyoto University	Management, Graduate School of	College	Management, College of	M+M
2017.05.19	2022.05.19	Kyoto University	Public Health, School of	College	Public Health, College of	M+M
2018.03.28	2023.03.27	Kyoto University	Agriculture, Graduate School of	College	Bio-resources and Agriculture, College of	M+M
2015.07.29	2020.07.29	University of Tsukuba	Life and Environmental Sciences, Graduate School of	College	Bio-resources and Agriculture, College of	M+M
2015.09.29	2022.01.08	University of Tsukuba	Life and Environmental Sciences, Graduate School of	College	Bio-resources and Agriculture, College of	D+D
2017.07.06	2021.09.30	University of Tsukuba; University of Bordeaux		Univ.		GIP-TRIAD
2016.02.22	2021.02.22	Kyushu University	Law, Graduate School of	College	Law, College of	M+M
2016.10.20	2020.12.03	Hokkaido University	Chemical Sciences and Engineering, Graduate School of	College	Engineering, College of	D+D
2017.07.03	2022.07.03	Hitotsubashi University	Law, Graduate School of	College	Law, College of	M+M



DJDP between Japan and Taiwan

Strengths

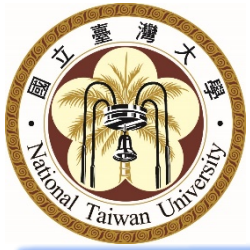
- Cultural familiarity
- Academic connections
- Geographical advantages

Challenges

- Academic calendar
- Institutional differences (regulations and accreditation requirements)

Strategies

- Undergraduate level: Cultivating global competence
- Graduate level: Enhancing academic training



Undergraduate Level: Cultivating Global Competence

5 Undergraduate Programs



	Waseda	NTU
1	Commerce, School of	Management, College of
2	International Liberal Studies, School of	Economics, Dept. of
3	Political Science and Economics, School of	Political Science, Dept. of
4	Political Science and Economics, School of	
5	International Liberal Studies, School of	

2
years
home



1.5
years
abroad



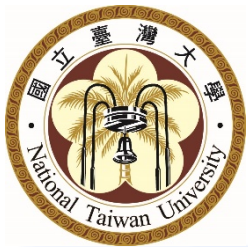
0.5
years
home



NTU BA
+
Waseda
BA

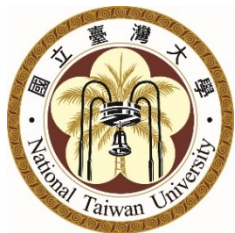


Contributing back
to home institution

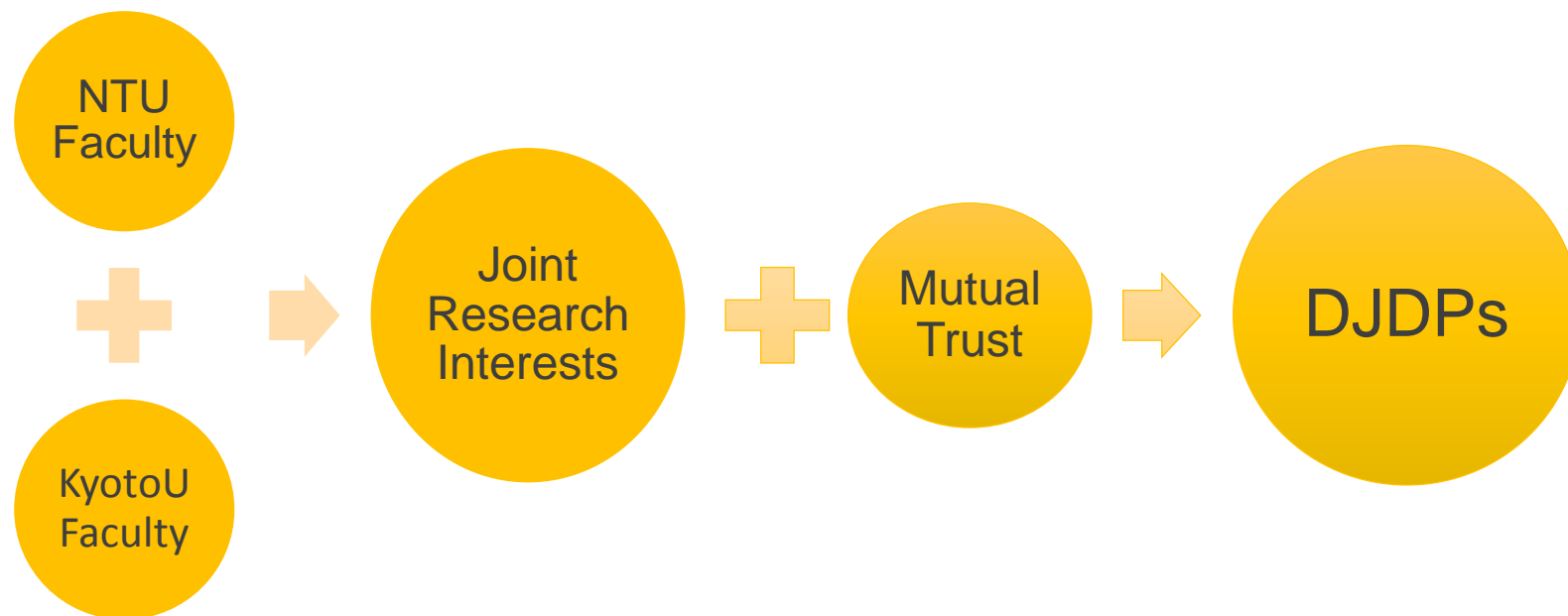


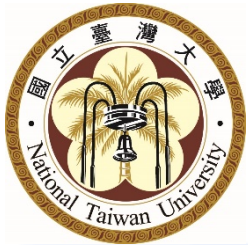
Graduate Level: Enhancing Academic Training

3 Graduate Programs



	Kyoto U	NTU
1	Management, Graduate School of	Management, College of
2	Public Health, School of	Public Health, College of
3	Agriculture, Graduate School of	Bio-resources and Agriculture, College of





Triad Collaboration: Campus in Campus, Campus without Borders



International Joint Degree Master's Program in
Agro-Biomedical Science in Food and Health (GIP-TRIAD)



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Global Innovation Joint-Degree Program



Semester 2 @ NTU
National Taiwan University

National
Taiwan
University

Semester 4 @
UT or UB or NTU

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Semester 3 @ UB
University of Bordeaux

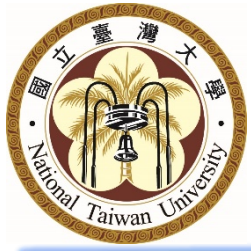


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University of Tsukuba



Enhancing DJDP between Japan and Taiwan

Academic Linkage

- Connections
- International networking platforms
- Institutional matchmaking

Administrative Support


- Regulations & procedures
- Student services

Quality Assurance

- Mentorship
- Regular evaluation



謝謝！Thank you!



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