## Kyushu University Student Exchange Programs Information (as of June 1st, 2017)

Note: These are basic information. For more details, please contact us before each application.

|  | Japanese Language and<br>Culture Course<br>(JLCC)   | Japan in Today's World<br>(JTW)  | Schools and Graduate Schools   |  |
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| Website<br>*Please visit our website before application.   | <u>http://www.isc.kyushu-</u><br>u.ac.jp/jlcc/Japanese/index.html   | http://www.isc.kyushu-u.ac.jp/jtw/   | <u>http://www.isc.kyushu-</u><br>u.ac.jp/intlweb/en/admission/exchangetop  |  |
| Access & Campus Map  | Ito Campus  | Ito Campus   |  |  |
|  | http://www.kyushu-u.ac.jp/en/campus   |  |  |  |
| Language in use  | Japanese  | English  | Japanese<br>*English speakers may be acceptable in some graduate schools.<br>Please contact us in advance.   |  |
|  | We offer Japanese Language Courses for international students for free. For details, please visit International Student Center's website. Please be noted that JTCs and JCs are non-credit courses. |  |  |  |
| Japanese Language Classes  | JACs  | JACs   | JACs or JTCs at Ito, JTCs at Hakozaki, JCs at Ohashi &<br>Chikushi   |  |
|  | <u>http://jlc.jimu.kyushu-</u><br>u.ac.jp/JACs/placement/default.<br>aspx?campus_id=01  | http://jlc.jimu.kyushu-<br>u.ac.jp/JACs/placement/default.aspx<br>?campus_id=01                                      | http://www.isc.kyushu-u.ac.jp/center/f/japanese.html   |  |
| Number of Exchange Students<br>*These numbers are not finalized ones.<br>Please contact us for each individual case<br>before application. | 1 or 2  | 1 or 2   | 1 for each school  |  |
| Exchange Study Period  | October - September<br>*JLCC is designed only for 1 year<br>stay students and participation for 1<br>semester is not allowed.   | <ol> <li>1 year: October - July</li> <li>Fall only: October - February</li> <li>Spring only: April - July</li> </ol> | <ol> <li>1 year: April - March / October - September</li> <li>2) 1 semester only: April - September / October - March</li> <li>Study Period for Business School (QBS): October - March</li> </ol>  |  |
|  | http://www.isc.kyushu-u.ac.jp/supportcenter/en/visa-application/coe#01  |  |  |  |
| VISA / Certificate of Eligibility for<br>Status of Residence (CoE)   |   | lates that international students with '   | student" visa have to spend at least ten hours in class every  |  |
| Participants   | Undergraduate who majors in<br>Japanese studies at his/her<br>home institution<br>*Post grads can apply, although the<br>program is designed for<br>undergrads.                                     | Undergraduate<br>*Post grads can apply, although the<br>program is designed for undergrads.                          | Both   |  |
| Eligibility (minimum study<br>at home university)  | 1 year  | 1 year   | 1 year   |  |
| GPA  | 3.2/4.0   | 3.2/4.0  | 3.2/4.0  |  |
| Language Requirements  | JLPT N1 or Level 1<br>*N2 or Level 2 would be acceptable.   | CBT 213/ PBT 550/ iBT 79 IELTS 6.0 for non-native English speakers   | JLPT N1 or Level 1 who wish to study using Japanese<br>CBT 213/ PBT 550/ iBT 79 IELTS 6.0 who wish to study<br>using English   |  |
| Courses which are NOT open to<br>exchange students   |   | ty course(s) except for the above-   | Practical courses like Medicine, Pharmacy, Dental Sciences<br>are not open to exchange students.<br>Courses offered by Kyushu University Business School<br>(QBS) are open only to exchange students who are enrolled<br>in QBS. Exchange students at QBS should take more than 4<br>QBS courses.<br>Courses taught in English offered by Law Faculty (LLM &<br>LLD, except CSPA) are open only to exchange students who<br>are enrolled in the School/Graduate School of Law. |  |
| Syllabus   | http://www.kyushu-u.ac.jp/en/education/class/learning/syllabus/department<br>http://www.isc.kyushu-u.ac.jp/intlweb/en/admission/e-class   |  |  |  |
| Credit   | Two credits are usually awarded for each course of 30 hours (2 hour session x 15), while one credit is awarded for each language course of 30 hours.  |  |  |  |
| Grading Standards (GPA)  | http://www.kyushu-u.ac.jp/en/education/class/learning/gpa/  |  |  |  |
| Student Support  | Exchange student has a priority<br>International House during his/h<br>A tutor for each student.  | 5  | Exchange student has a priority to live in Kyushu University<br>International House during his/her exchange study.   |  |
|  | http://www.kyushu-u.ac.jp/en/education/schedule/  |  |  |  |

| Academic Calendar  | Fall: October 1 - February 28<br>Spring: April 1- August 31<br>*Actual dates are to be determined.  | Fall: October 1 - Februay 28<br>(Orientation: late September)<br>Spring: April 1 - July 31 (Orientation:<br>late March) | Spring: April 1 - September 30<br>Fall: October 1 - March 31<br>*Actual dates depend upon each school. |  |
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|  |   | http://www.isc.kyushu-u.ac.jp/intlwe  | b/en/admission/exchangetop   |  |
| Application Form   | All application materials need to be sent to us through international office by priority mail.  |   |  |  |
| Application Deadline   | February 10   | <ol> <li>1) 1 year or Fall only: February 10</li> <li>2) Spring only: November 10</li> </ol>                            | 1) from Spring: November 10<br>2) from Fall: March 10  |  |
| Selection Result<br>(When we will notify Partners)   | middle May  | <ol> <li>1) 1 year or Fall only: middle April</li> <li>2) Spring only: end of December</li> </ol>                       | <ol> <li>from Spring: middle January</li> <li>from Fall: end of June</li> </ol>                        |  |
| Transcript Issuance<br>(When we will send Transcript to Partners)                          | Fall semester: late March<br>Spring semester: late October  | Fall semester: late March<br>Spring semester: mid September   | Spring semester: late October<br>Fall semester: late April   |  |
| <b>Contact Person</b><br>(All staffs belong to International Student<br>Exchange Division) | Junko Koga (Ms.)  | Junko Koga (Ms.)  | Junko Koga (Ms.)   |  |
|  | intlr-isc@jimu.kyushu-u.ac.jp   | intlr-jtw@jimu.kyushu-u.ac.jp   | exchange@jimu.kyushu-u.ac.jp   |  |
|  | General matters to: Junko Koga (Ms.)  |   |  |  |
|  | exchange@jimu.kyushu-u.ac.jp  |   |  |  |
|  | Outgoing to Partners at Asia:   | Mariko Hatae (Ms.)  | ryugaku@jimu.kyushu-u.ac.jp  |  |
|  | Outgoing to Partners at Others:   | Yuriko Kamachi (Ms.)  | ryugaku@jimu.kyushu-u.ac.jp  |  |
|  | [Mailing Address]<br>1st Floor of I2CNER, 744 Motooka, Nishi-ku, Fukuoka 819-0395, Japan (Ito Campus, Kyushu University)  |   |  |  |
| Scholarship  | An exchange student from our partner institution is eligible for a JASSO scholarship. Those who would like to apply for a JASSO scholarship should check "Yes" for "JASSO" in Question 1, "Are you intending to apply for a Japanese scholarship?" at page 4 of an application form. Only applicants who ticked it will be considered for scholarship nomination. Being nominated by Kyushu University, however, does not guarantee he/she will receive the scholarshipthe final decision to award is made by the JASSO. If he/she is selected for nomination, Kyushu University will inform his/her home university and request any necessary supporting documentation, which then should be promptly forwarded. |   |  |  |
| Part-time Work Permit  | An international student has to get permission by the Immigration Bureau for his/her part-time work. He/she works not more than 28 hours a week.  |   |  |  |
| International Student and<br>Researcher Support Center                                     | http://www.isc.kyushu-u.ac.jp/supportcenter/en  |   |  |  |
| Housing  | http://www.isc.kyushu-u.ac.jp/supportcenter/en/housing  |   |  |  |
| Health Insurance   | All international students are required to buy the National Health Insurance (NHI) Plan during the study period. By paying monthly premiums, subscribers are required to cover only 30% of their medical expenses.<br>*We do recommend, however, that an exchange student considers buying travel insurance for emergency-related evacuation and repatriation costs, which NHI does not cover.  |   |  |  |
| Emergency Security Plan (ESP)  | All international students at Kyushu University should buy Emergency Security Plan (ESP) during their stay (1,000yen/year).   |   |  |  |
| Estimated Cost of Living per<br>Month  | Housing and utilities: 15,000 - 50,000 yen<br>Food: 30,000 yen (lunch at the school cafeteria runs about 400 yen, and students typically prepare their own<br>breakfast and dinner at dormitories)<br>Local transportation: 10,000 yen (individual spending habits may vary)<br>Books and supplies: 5,000 yen (instructors typically provide reading materials in class)<br>Health insurance: 2,000 yen<br>Personal expenses: 20,000 yen (individual spending habits may vary)<br>Emergency Security Plan: 1,000 yen/year<br>*Please be noted all international students at Kyushu University should buy Emergency Security Plan (ESP) during<br>their stay.  |   |  |  |
| Links  |   |   |  |  |

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International Student Center

JTW JLCC

http://www.kyushuu.ac.jp/english/index.php http://www.isc.kyushuu.ac.jp/intlweb/en

Gateways

Global

http://www.isc.kyushuu.ac.jp/center/home.htm

http://www.isc.kyushu-u.ac.jp/jtw/

http://www.isc.kyushu-u.ac.jp/jlcc/