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Opportunities for Researchers from Overseas to Conduct Research in Japan (Fellowships and Limited-term employments)

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Invitation programs of universities and/or research institutions in which officials of these organizations only can invite overseas researchers to their own organizations were excluded.

Researchers in these data are researchers from graduate students in doctoral course, postdoctoral fellows, to eminent scientists.

By way of parenthesis in this connection, JASSO (Japan Student Service Organization) publishes excellent pamphlets of “Scholarships for international students in Japan” for students in graduate schools, undergraduate schools, and high schools.

The financial support of these data includes not only fellowships but also limited-term employment.

JREC-IN (Japan Research Career Information Network) aims at providing informational support to expand the researchers' career path by collecting and providing information on job openings and job-seeking members. Researchers including postdoctoral researchers can find their employments and/or fellowships in Japanese universities and research institutions.

The data on attendance international conferences are excluded but short stay for researches are included.

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Research fields:

All research fields: incl. fellowships or employments excluding some particular research fields.

Humanities and social sciences: philosophy, art, literature, linguistics, history, human geography, cultural anthropology, law, politics, economics, business administration, sociology, psychology, pedagogics.

Natural sciences and engineering: mathematics, physics, chemistry, engineering.

Biological sciences: biology, bioscience, anthropology, agriculture, medical science, odontology, pharmacology.

Types of systems:

Individual support type: a candidate can apply directly.

Institutional support type: the affiliation of a candidate is limited somewhat or the application must be made through the Japanese host researcher or the affiliating/host institution.

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Opportunities for overseas researchers (from graduate students in doctoral course, postdocs to eminent scientists) to perform researches in Japan

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*1: 'Individual' is a individual support type and means that a candidate can apply directly, and 'Institutional' is a institution support type and means that the affiliation of a candidate is limited somewhat or the application must be made through the Japanese host researcher or the affiliating/host institution.

*2: Concerning the date of the application deadline, the date shown is in the recent recruitment. Please confirm the actual deadline.

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Order	Organization	Name of support (fellowship and limited-term employment)		Uniform Resource Locator		Field of research	Individual/Institutional*1	Eligibility for candidate (fellow) researcher	Application methods			Duration of stay in Japan	Japanese host research institutions	Financial terms of award Round-trip air ticket, Maintenance allowance, Overseas travel accident and sickness insurance, Settling allowance, Domestic research travel	Number of awardees (per year)	Frequency of recruitment	Application deadline*2
		Main-name	Sub-name	After http://					By the candidate	By the Japanese host researcher	By the host/guest organization						
				Japanese	English												
1	Japan Science and Technology Agency	JREC-IN (Japan Research Career Information Network) *3	-----	jrecin.jst.go.jp/seek/SeekTop	jrecin.jst.go.jp/seek/SeekTop?in=1	All research fields	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Any nationality * Various levels of qualification * JREC-IN database providing researchers (including postdocs) with information on employment and/or fellowships in Japanese universities and research institutions. 	○	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	
2	Japan Society for the Promotion of Science	JSPS postdoctoral fellowship for foreign researchers	Application by Japanese host researchers	www.jsp.go.jp/j-fellow/main.htm	http://www.jsp.go.jp/english/e-fellow/postdoctoral.html#long	All research fields	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Citizen of a country that has diplomatic relations with Japan (Including Taiwanese and Palestinian) * Hold a doctorate degree (received within the last 6 years) 	○ (Candidates should ask Japanese host researchers)	①Through a Japanese host researchers employed full-time or classified as being employed full-time at a university or research institution that is eligible to apply to MEXT for funding under the Grants-in-Aid for Scientific-Research Program (Kakenhi) and approved by JSPS as an appropriate institution for	②Through foreign nominating authorities listed in List of JSPS's Nominating Authorities	12~24 M	a university or research institution that is eligible to apply to MEXT for funding under the Grants-in-Aid of scientific-research program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *A round-trip air ticket *Maintenance allowance:¥362,000 /M *Overseas travel accident and sickness insurance coverage *Settling allowance:¥200,000 	Appr. 130 (first recruitment) and 140 (second recruitment)	Twice a year	1. Aug. 29 ~Sept. 2 2. May 7~11
3	Japan Society for the Promotion of Science	JSPS invitation fellowships for research in Japan	Short-term	www.jsp.go.jp/j-inv/main.htm	http://www.jsp.go.jp/english/e-inv/main.htm	All research fields	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Citizen of a country that has diplomatic relations with Japan (researchers of Japanese nationality must have lived abroad and been actively engaged in research for over 10 years) * Aimed at senior scientists, university professors, and other persons with substantial professional experience employed full time at overseas research institutions and who have an excellent record of research achievements 	○ (Candidates should ask Japanese host researchers)	Host researchers must be employed full-time at one of the research institutions of the types listed in Table 1	Applications must be submitted to JSPS by the inviting researchers in Japan through the head of his/her institution.	14~60 D	Applications must be submitted to JSPS by a host researcher in Japan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Round-trip air ticket *Maintenance allowance: ¥18,000/D *Overseas travel accident and sickness insurance coverage *Domestic research travel:¥ 150,000 	about 110 for 1st and about 100 for 2nd recruitment	Twice a year	1.Sept. 2 2.May 11
4	Japan Society for the Promotion of Science	JSPS invitation fellowships for research in Japan	Long-term	www.jsp.go.jp/j-inv/main.htm	http://www.jsp.go.jp/english/e-inv/main.htm	All research fields	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Citizen of a country that has diplomatic relations with Japan (researchers of Japanese nationality must have lived abroad and been actively engaged in research for over 10 years) * Aimed at researchers with a research background equivalent to that of a professor, assistant professor or research associate in a Japanese university, who are employed full-time in an overseas research institution * Other researchers may be eligible if they have held a doctorate degree for a period of more than 6 years. 	○ (Candidates should ask Japanese host researchers)	Host researchers must be employed full-time at one of the research institutions of the types listed in Table 1	Applications must be submitted to JSPS by the inviting researchers in Japan through the head of his/her institution.	2(61D) ~ 10 M	Applications must be submitted to JSPS by a host researcher in Japan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Round-trip air ticket *Maintenance allowance: ¥369,000/M *Overseas travel accident and sickness insurance coverage * Domestic research travel:¥ 100,000 	about 70	Once a year	Sept. 2
5	Japan United State Educational Commission	Fulbright Grants for Americans	2.Lecturing/Research Program	www.fulbright.jp/grant/index.html	www.fulbright.jp/eng/grant/index.html	All research fields	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * U.S. nationality * For lecturing in undergraduate and graduate courses and conducting research in any field. 	○	Scholars and professionals should contact CIES (Council for International Exchange of Scholars) and graduate students and recent BA's should contact the campus Fulbright advisor for information or contact US Student Program IIE (Institute of International Education)	-----	10 M	Unavailable	Approx. 2	Unavailable	Unavailable	
6	Japan United State Educational Commission	Fulbright Grants for Americans	3.Research Program	www.fulbright.jp/grant/index.html	www.fulbright.jp/eng/grant/index.html	All research fields	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * U.S. nationality * For research in any field. 	○	Scholars and professionals should contact CIES (Council for International Exchange of Scholars) and graduate students and recent BA's should contact the campus Fulbright advisor for information or contact US Student Program IIE (Institute of International Education)	-----	3-9 M	Unavailable	Approx. 10	Unavailable	Unavailable	
7	Japan United State Educational Commission	Fulbright Grants for Americans	5.Fulbright Fellows Program	www.fulbright.jp/grant/index.html	www.fulbright.jp/eng/grant/index.html	All research fields	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * U.S. nationality * For recent graduates with a bachelor degree to be introduced to different regions of Japan while they pursue language study and research at local universities and institutions outside of Tokyo area. 	○	Scholars and professionals should contact CIES (Council for International Exchange of Scholars) and graduate students and recent BA's should contact the campus Fulbright advisor for information or contact US Student Program IIE (Institute of International Education)	-----	12 M	Unavailable	Approx. 10	Unavailable	Unavailable	

8	Japan United State Educational Commission	Fulbright Grants for Americans	6.International Education Administrators Program	www.fulbright.jp/grant/index.html	www.fulbright.jp/eng/grant/index.html	All research fields	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * U.S. nationality * For international education administrators with higher education, to become familiar with the society and culture of Japan 	*Scholars and professionals should contact CIES (Council for International Exchange of Scholars) and graduate students and recent BA's should contact the campus Fulbright advisor for information or contact US Student Program IIE (Institute of International Education)	3 W	-----	Unavailable	Approx. 5	Unavailable	Unavailable		
9	World Bank	Scholarships and Fellowships	Robert S. McNamara Fellowships Program	web.worldbank.org/	web.worldbank.org/ (中文: http://www.worldbank.org.cn/Chinese/)	Research relating to development (e.g. health, economics, education, agriculture, environment etc.)	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * National and resident of a World Bank member country. * Should have at least a Master's degree and completed all coursework and exams required for a doctoral program, and be employed full time as a lecturer/researcher in an academic/ research institution in home country * Under 45 years old 	○	-----	-----	5-10 M	-----	Up to \$25,000	Unavailable	Once a year	Mar. 31
10	Consortium of Doctoral Colleges of Japan and France	Joint program of doctoral course between Japan and France	-----	www.cdfj.jp/	http://www.cdfj.jp/index_french.htm (in French)	All research fields	Institutional	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * French nationality. * University exchange between students from participating institutions (34 Universities in Japan and 54 Universities in France) 	-----	-----	Through French universities	6-12 M	-----	Maintenance allowance: 1.000 €/M	Unavailable	Unavailable	Unavailable
11	Daiko Foundation	International Academic Exchange	-----	www.3starcat.ne.jp/~daiko/f/page013.html	No URL	Humanities, social sciences and natural sciences	Institutional	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Any foreign nationality * Aimed at young researchers 	-----	Full-time researchers at universities and research institutes in Aichi Prefecture	Recommendation by presidents (incl. dean) or administrators of this foundation	3-12 M	-----	¥3,000,000 /person (Round trip air fare, travel expenses in Japan, and expenses for pick-up)	Unavailable	Once a year	Oct. 7
12	Heiwa Nakajima Foundation	Subsidization of Foreign Researchers	-----	hnf.jp	No URL	All research fields	Institutional	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Researchers from 50 allocated universities in 50 countries. 	-----	Full-time researchers in Japanese universities or inter-university research institute corporations	-----	1 Y	-----	Up to ¥2,000,000 /person	10	Once a year	Oct. 31
13	Japan Society for the Promotion of Science	JSPS postdoctoral fellowship (short-term) for North American and European researchers	Through Japanese host researchers	www.isps.go.jp/~j-fellow/main.html	http://www.isps.go.jp/english/e-fellow/postdoctoral.html#long	All research fields	Institutional	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Citizen or permanent resident of eligible countries in Europe or North America (also eligible are persons who have earned a master's or higher degree and continuously thereafter been engaged in research for a period of at least three years at a university or research institution in an eligible country) * Candidates must have obtained their doctoral degree at a university outside Japan within six years of the date the fellowship goes into effect, or must be currently enrolled in a doctoral course at a university outside Japan and scheduled to receive their Ph.D. within two years. 	○ (Candidates should ask Japanese host researchers)	Employed full-time at a university or research institution that is eligible to apply to MEXT for funding under the Grants-in-Aid of scientific-research program List of host institutions)	Applications for this program are submitted by a host researcher in Japan who wishes to host a foreign postdoctoral fellow.	1~12 M	-----	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *A round-trip air ticket (according to JSPS's regulations) *A settling-in allowance of ¥200,000 (only applicable for Fellows with 4 or more months of tenure) *A monthly maintenance allowance (a) For Ph.D. holders: ¥362,000 (b) For non-Ph.D. holders: ¥200,000 *Overseas travel accident and sickness insurance coverage, etc. 	Appr.60 (about 10 for each recruitment)	6 time a year	1.Oct. 4-8 2.Nov. 22-26 3.Jan. 31-Feb 4 4.Apr. 4-8 5.May 6-12 6.Aug 1-5
14	Japan Society for the Promotion of Science	JSPS summer program	-----	www.isps.go.jp/~j-summer/index.html	www.isps.go.jp/english/e-summer/index.html	All research fields	Institutional	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Citizen or permanent resident of the US, UK, France, Germany or Canada * Candidates should either have received their doctorate degree within the last 6 years, or should be enrolled in a graduate program at a University * Candidates should also receive advance acceptance from host researchers and should aspire to become a researcher in future. 	○ (Candidates should apply the nominating authority of their own countries)	(Host researchers must be employed full-time at one of the listed universities and research institutions)	Through foreign nominating authorities listed in the List	2 M	Listed universities and research institute	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *International travel (Round-trip airfare) *Maintenance allowance:¥534,000 (JSPS will cover charges at Narita and SOKENDAI) *Insurance *Domestic research travel: ¥ 58,500 	100~110	Once a year	Depend on nominating authorities in each country
15	Japan Society for the Promotion of Science	JSPS award for eminent scientists	-----	www.isps.go.jp/~j-awards/index.html	www.isps.go.jp/english/e-awards/index.html	All research fields	Institutional	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Any foreign nationality * Aimed at researchers such as Nobel laureates, who possess a record of excellent research achievements and who are mentors and leaders in their respective fields. 	-----	-----	Applications must be submitted by the head of Japanese universities and research institutions	For 12 M in 3 Y, during which period multiple visits may be made.	-----	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Business class round-trip air ticket(s) *Maintenance allowance: ¥42,000/D *Family allowance ¥10,000/D *Overseas travel accident and sickness insurance coverage *Travel expenses in Japan 	1.Approx. 2 2.Approx. 2	Twice a year	Dec. 6-10 May 30-June 3
16	Japan Society for the Promotion of Science	Ronpaku (Dissertation PhD) Program	-----	www.isps.go.jp/~j-ronpaku/about.html	www.isps.go.jp/english/e-ronpaku/about.html	All research fields	Institutional	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * For researchers from qualifying Asian or African countries. * Aimed at researchers who have not obtained PhD degree from a Japanese University but wish to do so, and who has already achieved substantial research results and is likely through dissertation research under the program to successfully obtain a PhD degree * Candidate should also be employed full time at a university or research institution in his/her home country (or expects to be appointed to such a position) * Candidate should be 49 years of age or younger 	○ (Applicants are to prepare Form 2, 3 and 4 and send them to their prospective Japanese advisor)	Prospective Japanese advisors will be required to use JSPS's online application system to apply for the program. For detailed procedures, please refer to the online application system guide at http://www-shinsei.isps.go.jp/ (in Japanese).	Applications must be submitted by the head of Japanese universities and research institutions	Max. 5 Y	Japanese universities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Round-trip air ticket once per year *Maintenance allowance during their stays in Japan depends on length of stay (days) *Overseas travel accident and sickness insurance coverage 	Approx. 40	once a year	Aug. 31

17	Japan Student Services Organization	Follow-up Research Fellowship for Former International Students in Japan	-----	www.iasso.go.jp/exchange/sgti_rf.html	www.iasso.go.jp/exchange/sgti_rf_e.html	All research fields	Institutional	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nationality of a country/region listed by JASSO. Aimed at researchers who obtained a masters or doctoral degree from a Japanese University, and who currently belong to a University/research institute Candidate should be 45 years of age or younger, with at least 3 years having passed since they returned home Research advisor should be a former advisor 	-----	-----	The president of the Japanese university	60-90 consecutive days	-----	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1.Round-trip air fare 2.Daily allowance: ¥11,000 /D 3.Remuneration for cooperation for research advisor: ¥50,000 	Approx. 60	Once a year	Feb. 4
18	Kajima Foundation	Support for Exchange of Researchers	Short-term	www.kajima-for.jp/zigvo_keikaku/top.html	No URL	Humanities, social sciences and natural sciences	Institutional	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any foreign nationality Aimed at senior researchers (Professor level), who have an outstanding research record and who are actively conducting research and can give special lectures or discussions in Japan. 	-----	-----	Presidents or Deans of graduate schools of specific universities in Table given.	Up to 3 M	-----	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Round air fare Staying expenses: ¥17,000 /D Travel expenses in Japan 	Unavailable	Unavailable	Unavailable
19	Kajima Foundation	Support for Exchange of Researchers	Long-term	www.kajima-for.jp/zigvo_keikaku/top.html	No URL	Humanities, social sciences and natural sciences	Institutional	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any foreign nationality Aimed at outstanding young researchers (assistant professor/research associate, graduate student) conducting research or joint research in Japan. 	-----	-----	Presidents or Deans of graduate schools of specific universities in Table given.	1 Y	-----	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assoc. Prof.: Round air fare, staying expenses (¥10,000 /D), and travel expenses in Japan Young res.: Round air fare, Staying expenses (¥190,000 /M), and travel expense in Japan 	Unavailable	Unavailable	Unavailable
20	Ministry of Environment	Global Environment Research Fund	Eco-Frontier Fellowship	http://www.env.go.jp/earth/suishih/nhi/jpn/eff/eff.html	www.env.go.jp/earth/research/perfE/frm006.htm	Research relating to environmental problems within the fields of natural science, humanities or social science	Institutional	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any foreign nationality Aimed at young researchers who should have a doctorate or equivalent degree obtained within a developed country, or at least 3 years research experience within a developed country Must be proficient in either Japanese or English 	-----	-----	Host national institutes select a person in charge	3-9 M	National research institutes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1.Travel expenses (an air fare to Japan). 2. Living allowance (¥300,000 /M). 3.Housing allowance (up to ¥100,000 /M). 4.Moving allowance (up to ¥200,000). 5.Family allowance (¥50,000 fixed). 6.Health insurance. 7.Domestic trip allowance. 	Unavailable	Unavailable	Unavailable
21	TEPCO Research Foundation	Support for International Technical Exchange	-----	http://www.tepco.co.jp/tmf-zaidan/index.html	http://www.tepco.co.jp/tmf-zaidan/english.html	Research in electricity-related fields	Institutional	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any nationality Support for researchers and graduate students 	-----	-----	Researchers responsible for receiving foreign researchers	Up to 100 days	-----	Amount as assessed by the foundation based on application details (partial travel expense / conference registration fee / accommodation expense)	Inviting, staying and dispatching; 10 persons each recruitment	Twice a year	1.April 1-May 31 2.April 1-Jan. 31
22	Toshiba Fellowship Programme	Join Toshiba's research and development laboratories in Japan	(Collaboration with Engineering and Physical Science Research Council)		www.toshiba-europe.com/eur/fellowship/	Physical science, computer science, mathematics, engineering	Institutional	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> EU nationality Must have completed a PhD but have no more than 10 years post-doctoral experience, and should be based in a UK academic/government institution 	○ (researchers of EU nationality currently working in a UK academic institution)	-----	-----	Up to 2 Y	Toshiba Research and Development Center in Kawasaki	Fellows receive a generous package, including a fixed salary and relocation assistance to and from Japan, together support and advice prior to and during their stay.	Unavailable	Unavailable	In the autumn (Sept.~Dec.)
23	World Bank	Scholarships and Fellowships	Japan Indonesia Presidential Scholarship Program	web.worldbank.org/	web.worldbank.org/	Field of study covered by one of the 10 participating Centers of Excellence in Indonesia	Institutional	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Indonesian nationality Should have completed a masters degree although outstanding candidates with a bachelor's degree will also be considered. Full time lecturers/researchers CoE or equivalent institution in Indonesia are encouraged to apply. Should be under 45 years of age 	-----	-----	10 Indonesian Centers of Excellence (CoE) funded by a grant from the Government of Japan.	3-4 Y	Host institution should be a university in World Bank member countries	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Full tuition Cost of basic medical and accident insurance Living expenses including books Economy class air travel \$500 travel allowance for each trip 	Unavailable	Once a year	Mar. 26
24	Daiwa Anglo-Japanese Foundation	Daiwa Scholarship	-----	http://www.daiwa-foundation.org.uk/scholarships/general-information?lang=jp	http://www.daiwa-foundation.org.uk/scholarships/general-information	All research fields	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> British citizenship Candidates should have a strong degree in any subject or have a strong record of achievement in their field Should 21-35 years of age 	○	-----	Recommendation by universities or organizations in UK	19 M	-----	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maintenance grant of ¥3,120,000 per annum All tuition and examination fees associated with the Scholarship are paid Economy-class travel to and from Japan at the beginning and end of the Scholarship Standard medical insurance 	6	Once a year	Dec. 1
25	European Union	Executive Training Programme in Japan (ETP)	-----	www.etp.org/ja/pages/jp-1.cfm	www.etp.org/en/articles/home.cfm	Business	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> EU Nationality Should have a university degree plus at least 3 years professional experience as an executive, or 2 years university experience plus at least 5 years professional experience as an executive Candidate should be employed by the sponsoring company in the EU Candidate must have an excellent command of English 	○ (details are Unavailable)	-----	-----	12 M (3 M: Europe, 6 M: at Waseda U., 3 M: internship in Japanese enterprises)	-----	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> European Commission scholarship of €24,000 Sponsoring companies should also make additional contributions to living expenses 	Up to 45	Unavailable	Unavailable
26	Hakuho Foundation	Japanese Language Research Fellowship Program	-----	www.hakuhodoc.or.jp/foundation/program/index.html	www.hakuhodoc.or.jp/foundation/english/program/index.html	Research into Japanese language and Japanese language teaching	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any foreign nationality (or Japanese nationals who have resided abroad longer than 10 years) Candidates should be University professor/associate professors with outstanding results in research (or similar background) 	○	-----	-----	6 M or 12 M	The National Institute for Japanese Language and several universities and research facilities in and around Tokyo	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1.Round-trip air tickets. 2.Living expenses: ¥300,000 /M 3.Housing expenses: Up to ¥150,000 /M 4.Relocation expenses: ¥300,000 5.Research expenses: ¥300,000 6.International travelers' illness and injury insurance 	3~5	Once a year	Sep.1-Oct.31

27	Japan Foundation (JF)	Arts and Culture Exchange	Grant Program for Cultural Cooperation	www.jpf.go.jp/i/p/program/index.html	www.jpf.go.jp/e/program/index.html (中文で: http://www.jpf.go.jp/cn/index.html)	Humanities and social sciences – specialists in culture, arts, sports	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any nationality Candidates should be specialists who can enhance activities in culture, arts or sports through contributions to infrastructure development, human resource development and international cultural exchange 	○ (Individuals in Japan and overseas. To consult the nearest diplomatic mission of Japan or the overseas office of JF)	-----	Organization in Japan and overseas. To consult the nearest diplomatic mission of Japan or the overseas office of JF	Max. 13 M	-----	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Partial cost of economy-class international airfare is covered A part of other travel costs incurred over the program may also be covered 	Less than 10	2 times a year	1.Dec.1 2.May 6
28	Japan Foundation	Japanese Language Education Overseas	Graduate Program on Japanese Language and Culture (Master's Course)	www.jpf.go.jp/i/p/program/index.html	www.jpf.go.jp/e/program/index.html (中文で: http://www.jpf.go.jp/cn/index.html)	Japanese language teaching	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nationality of a country with diplomatic relations with Japan Candidates should have more than 2 years experience teaching the Japanese language, and should have a Bachelor's degree Should have Japanese proficiency of N1 in the Japanese Language Proficiency Test Should be under the age of 44 	○	-----	-----	3 Y	-----	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Round-trip airline ticket Accommodation at the Japan Foundation Japanese Language Institute in Urawa, Saitama Meals and a set allowance for miscellaneous living expenses Tuition and teaching materials 	Approx. 5	Once a year	Dec.1
29	Japan-Korea Culture Foundation	Fellowship Program for Inviting	Long-term	www.ikcf.or.jp/fellowship/	http://www.ikcf.or.jp/korean/ (In Korean)	Humanities and social sciences with an emphasis on the relationship between Japan and Korea	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Korean nationality but not a permanent resident of Japan Should have a doctorate degree Aged between 30-50 years old 	○	-----	(Application should be sent to the Japanese embassy or consular offices in Korea)	3~11 M	-----	Staying expenses: A: ¥180,000 /M (¥6,000 /D) B: ¥210,000 /M (¥7,000 /D) C: ¥240,000 /M (¥8,000 /D) Research fund: ¥120,000 /M Round trip air fare: Economy class Arrival allowance: ¥65,000 Return allowance: ¥64,000	Total (Long and short) round 20	Once a year	Oct. 1-29
30	Japan-Korea Culture Foundation	Fellowship Program for Inviting	Short-term	www.ikcf.or.jp/fellowship/	http://www.ikcf.or.jp/korean/ (In Korean)	Humanities and social sciences with an emphasis on the relationship between Japan and Korea	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Korean nationality but not a permanent resident of Japan Should have a doctorate degree Aged over 30 years old 	○	-----	(Application should be sent to the Japanese embassy or consular offices in Korea)	1~3 M	-----	Staying expenses: A: ¥180,000 /M (¥6,000 /D) B: ¥210,000 /M (¥7,000 /D) C: ¥240,000 /M (¥8,000 /D) Research fund: ¥120,000 /M Round trip air fare: Economy class	Total (Long and short) round 20	Once a year	Oct. 1-29
31	Japan United State Educational Commission	Fulbright Grants for Americans	1.Lecturing Program	www.fulbright.jp/eng/grant/index.html	www.fulbright.jp/eng/grant/index.html	Humanities and social sciences	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> U.S. nationality For lecturing in undergraduate and graduate courses in a social science and humanities field related to the American experience. 	○	-----	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Scholars and professionals should contact CIES (Council for International Exchange of Scholars) and graduate students and recent BA's should contact the campus Fulbright advisor for information or contact US Student Program IIE (Institute of International Education) 	10 M	-----	Unavailable	Approx. 6	Unavailable	Unavailable
32	Japan United State Educational Commission	Fulbright Grants for Americans	4.Graduate Research Fellows Program	www.fulbright.jp/eng/grant/index.html	www.fulbright.jp/eng/grant/index.html	Humanities and social sciences	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> U.S. nationality For graduate students at dissertation level or in terminal master's programs to conduct research towards earning a degree in the social sciences and humanities. 	○	-----	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Scholars and professionals should contact CIES (Council for International Exchange of Scholars) and graduate students and recent BA's should contact the campus Fulbright advisor for information or contact US Student Program IIE (Institute of International Education) 	12 M	-----	Unavailable	Approx. 14	Unavailable	Unavailable
33	Kajima Foundation for the Arts	Support for International exchange of Arts	Invitation of foreign researchers	www.kfa.or.jp/jgv_o_gaivo/index.htm	No URL	Research on arts	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any foreign nationality For researchers conducting research on arts. 	○	-----	-----	Unavailable	-----	Round ¥440,000	Round 3	Unavailable	Unavailable
34	Nakayama Foundation for Human Science	Subsidy of International Exchange	Subsidy of accepting overseas researchers	www.nakayamashoten.co.jp/zaidan/pg17.html	No URL	Research in human sciences	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any foreign nationality For researchers of great promise who can contribute to the international promotion of human sciences. 	○	-----	-----	Unavailable	-----	¥100,000-¥500,000 /person	A certain number	Once a year	April 15-June 15
35	Hitachi Scholarship Foundation	Komai Fellowship	Fellowship program for specific Research in Japan Studies	www.hitachi-zaidan.org/shogaku/works/work01.html	www.hitachi-zaidan.org/global/scholarship/activities/index.html	Humanities and social sciences	Institutional	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must be a faculty member of a listed University in South East Asia Candidate should wish to conduct individual or joint research with their Japanese counterparts, on topics either wholly or substantially related to Japan. 	-----	-----	Presidents or vice presidents of overseas universities	Max. 3 M	-----	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Airfare: Economy class roundtrip airfare Maintenance allowance: ¥17,000 /D Research travel allowance: Up to ¥100,000 	Unavailable	Once a year	End of Nov.
36	Japan Foundation	Japanese Language Education Overseas	Advanced Training Program for Teachers of the Japanese Language	www.jpf.go.jp/i/p/program/index.html	www.jpf.go.jp/e/program/index.html (中文で: http://www.jpf.go.jp/cn/index.html)	Japanese language teaching	Institutional	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nationality of a country with diplomatic relations with Japan, or Japanese nationality Should have at least 5 years experience in teaching the Japanese language Should have a proficiency in Japanese equivalent to N1 of the Japanese Language Proficiency Test Should be aged between 30 and 55 	-----	-----	Overseas educational organizations carrying Japanese language education	Approx. 2 M	-----	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Round-trip airline ticket with airport tax and foreign travel tax Accommodation Meals and miscellaneous living expenses necessary for participation in official training curriculum Overseas travel accident insurance 	Approx. 10 individuals or teams	Once a year	Dec.1
37	Japan Foundation	Japanese Language Education Overseas	Long-Term Training programs for Foreign Teachers of the Japanese Language	www.jpf.go.jp/i/p/program/index.html	www.jpf.go.jp/e/program/index.html (中文で: http://www.jpf.go.jp/cn/index.html)	Japanese language teaching	Institutional	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nationality of a country with diplomatic relations with Japan, with the exception of China Should have between 6 months and 5 years experience in teaching the Japanese language Should have a proficiency in Japanese equivalent to N4 of the Japanese Language Proficiency Test Should be under the age of 35 	-----	-----	Overseas educational organizations carrying Japanese language education	Approx. 6 M	The Japan Foundation Japanese Language Institute, Urawa	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Round-trip airline ticket with airport tax and foreign travel tax Accommodation Meals and miscellaneous living expenses necessary for participation in official training curriculum Overseas travel accident insurance 	Approx. 55 teachers	Once a year	Dec.1

38	Japan Foundation	Japanese Language Education Overseas	Short-term Training programs for Foreign Teachers of the Japanese Language:	www.ipf.go.jp/i/p/program/index.html	www.ipf.go.jp/e/program/index.html (中文で: http://www.ipf.go.jp/cn/index.html)	Japanese language teaching	Institutional	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nationality of a country with diplomatic relations with Japan, with the exception of China Should have at least 2 years experience in teaching the Japanese language Should have a proficiency in Japanese equivalent to N4 of the Japanese Language Proficiency Test Should be under the age of 55 	-----	-----	Overseas educational organizations carrying Japanese language education	2 M (3 times a year)	The Japan Foundation Japanese Language Institute, Urawa	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Round-trip airline ticket with airport tax and foreign travel tax Accommodation Meals and miscellaneous living expenses necessary for participation in official training curriculum Overseas travel accident insurance 	Approx. 110 teachers	Once a year	Dec.1
39	Japan Foundation	Japanese Language Education Overseas	Program for Specialists in Culture and Academic Fields: 2 M Course	www.ipf.go.jp/i/p/program/index.html	www.ipf.go.jp/e/program/index.html (中文で: http://www.ipf.go.jp/cn/index.html)	Japan-related humanities and social sciences	Institutional	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nationality of a country with diplomatic relations with Japan Should be registered as a full-time specialist of an organization, or should be full time post-graduate students Should have a proficiency in Japanese equivalent to N4 of the Japanese Language Proficiency Test Should be under the age of 40 	○	-----	-----	2 M course	The Japan Foundation Japanese Language Institute, Kansai	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Expenses necessary for participation in official curriculum Round-trip airline ticket with airport tax and foreign travel tax Accommodation Meals and miscellaneous living expenses Overseas travel accident insurance 	Approx. 30	Once a year	Dec.1
40	Japan Foundation	Japanese Language Education Overseas	Program for Specialists in Culture and Academic Fields: 6 M Course	www.ipf.go.jp/i/p/program/index.html	www.ipf.go.jp/e/program/index.html (中文で: http://www.ipf.go.jp/cn/index.html)	Japan-related humanities and social sciences (excl. Japanese language)	Institutional	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nationality of a country with diplomatic relations with Japan Should be registered as a full-time specialist of an organization, or should be full time post-graduate students Should have a proficiency in Japanese equivalent to N4 of the Japanese Language Proficiency Test Should be under the age of 40 	○	-----	-----	6 M course	The Japan Foundation Japanese Language Institute, Kansai	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Expenses necessary for participation in official curriculum Round-trip airline ticket with airport tax and foreign travel tax Accommodation Meals and miscellaneous living expenses Overseas travel accident insurance 	Approx. 15	Once a year	Dec.1
41	Japan Foundation	Japanese Studies Overseas and Intellectual Exchange	Japanese Studies Fellowship Program <Scholars & Researchers>	www.ipf.go.jp/i/p/program/index.html	www.ipf.go.jp/e/program/index.html (中文で: http://www.ipf.go.jp/cn/index.html)	Japanese studies	Institutional	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nationality/permanent resident of a country with diplomatic relations with Japan Aimed at preeminent foreign scholars in Japanese studies Should have advanced proficiency in Japanese or English 	○	-----	-----	2-12M	-----	Round-trip discount economy-class air fare, Maintenance Allowance and other allowances, and Insurance	Approx. 110 including Doctoral and Short-term	Once a year	Dec.1
42	Japan Foundation	Japanese Studies Overseas and Intellectual Exchange	Japanese Studies Fellowship Program <Doctoral Candidates>	www.ipf.go.jp/i/p/program/index.html	www.ipf.go.jp/e/program/index.html (中文で: http://www.ipf.go.jp/cn/index.html)	Japanese studies	Institutional	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nationality/permanent resident of a country with diplomatic relations with Japan Aimed at doctoral students Should have advanced proficiency in Japanese or English 	○	-----	-----	4-14M	-----	Round-trip discount economy-class air fare, Maintenance Allowance and other allowances, and Insurance	Approx. 110 including Doctoral and Short-term	Once a year	Dec.1
43	Japan Foundation	Japanese Studies Overseas and Intellectual Exchange	Japanese Studies Fellowship Program <Short-term Researchers>	www.ipf.go.jp/i/p/program/index.html	www.ipf.go.jp/e/program/index.html (中文で: http://www.ipf.go.jp/cn/index.html)	Japanese studies	Institutional	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nationality/permanent resident of a country with diplomatic relations with Japan Aimed at scholars and researchers who need to visit Japan for data collection and interviews Should have advanced proficiency in Japanese or English 	○	-----	-----	21-60 D	-----	Round-trip discount economy-class air fare, Maintenance Allowance and other allowances, and Insurance	Approx. 110 including Doctoral and Short-term	Once a year	Dec.1
44	Ministry of Finance	Policy Research Institute	Visiting Scholar Program	No-URL	http://www.mof.go.jp/english/pri/international_exchange/visiting_scholar_program/zai03.htm	Economics, development	Institutional	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any nationality Government official or hold a Ph.D. or an equivalent degree with a record of research activities for more than 5 years Should have sufficient command of English and/or Japanese to perform the research. 	○	-----	-----	4-5 M	Policy Research Institute	Travel expenses. Honorarium for a research paper. (Subsistence allowance may be applied if the researcher comes from a developing country or the focus of the research is related to developing countries.	Unavailable	Unavailable	Oct.1-Dec.31
45	Nomura Foundation for Social Science	Inviting Foreign Researchers	-----	www.ad.kanazawa-u.ac.jp/exchange/jigyoku_gaiyou/nomura/nomura.html	No URL	Social sciences with a focus on law, politics and	Institutional	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any nationality Aimed at researchers employed at foreign Universities 	-----	Full-time faculty member of a university.	-----	Unlimited	-----	¥500,000 /Person	A certain number	Twice a year	1.Feb. 2.April
46	Satoh Art craft Research & Scholarship Foundation	Subsidies	Subsidizing overseas researchers	sekido-museum.jp/satoh-kikin.html	No URL	Art and crafts	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any nationality Aimed at specialists looking to do research in a Japanese University or research institute 	○	-----	-----	Unavailable	-----	Maintenance allowance: ¥80,000 /M	2	Once a year	Oct.1-Dec.24
47	Association for Promotion of International Cooperation	Ushiba Nobihiko Memorial Program of Inviting ASEAN Young Researchers	-----	*この奨学金に關して情報はどこでも見つからなかつた*	No URL	Humanities and social sciences	Unavailable	Young or backbone researchers acting in the field of international cooperation in ASEAN countries.	-----	Unavailable	-----	1 Y	Reitaku University	Unavailable	2	Unavailable	Unavailable
48	Hitachi Mirai Foundation	Promoting international interchanges	Takeuchi Fund inviting overseas experts and specialists of rehabilitation and correctional services	www.hitachi-zaidan.org/mirai/works/work01.html	www.hitachi-zaidan.org/global/mirai/activities/index.html	Social sciences - rehabilitation and correction	Unavailable	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any nationality Overseas experts and specialists in the areas of probation, parole and correctional services 	Unavailable	Unavailable	Unavailable	Unavailable	-----	Unavailable	Unavailable	Unavailable	Unavailable
49	International House of Japan	Asia Leadership Fellow Program (ALFP)	-----	www.i-house.or.jp/jp/ProgramActivities/alfp/index.htm	www.i-house.or.jp/en/ProgramActivities/alfp/index.htm	Humanities and social sciences	Unavailable	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Citizens from Asian countries Aimed at leaders and 'public intellectuals' from diverse professional backgrounds (e.g. academia, journalism, publishing, law, education, the arts, NGOs, and non-profit activities) to conduct individual or collaborative research in Japan 	-----	Unavailable	-----	2 M	International House of Japan.	To reside at the International House of Japan.	6-7 fellows from nearly 15 Asian countries	Unavailable	Unavailable

50	International House of Japan	I-House Ushiba Fellowship	-----	www.house.or.jp/en/ProgramActivities/ushiba/index.htm	www.house.or.jp/en/ProgramActivities/ushiba/index.htm	Humanities and social sciences	Unavailable	• Any nationality • Aimed at distinguished contemporary thinkers	Unavailable	Unavailable	-----	Unavailable	2 persons	Unavailable	Unavailable		
51	International House of Japan (IHJ)	IHJ Arts Programs	Japan-US Friendship Commission's US-Japan Creative Artists' program	www.house.or.jp/en/ProgramActivities/arts/index.htm	http://www.justc.gov/index.asp	Creative arts	Unavailable	• Citizen or permanent resident of the U.S. • Aimed at leading contemporary and traditional artists, who have demonstrated expertise and established professional recognition (e.g. awards, featured shows, publications etc.)	Unavailable	3 M	-----	• ¥400,000/month living expenses • ¥100,000/month housing stipend • Up to ¥100,000/month for professional support • \$6000 for round trip transportation of the artist and accompanying dependants, and any pre-departure Japanese lessons	5 persons	Once a year	Feb. 1		
52	Interchange Association, Japan (IAJ)	Summer Program	Taiwanese graduate student	*ウェブでこの奨学金に関して情報は見つからなかつたが、 http://www.koryu.or.jp/taipei-tw/ez3_contents.nsf/14 のURLに中国語での奨学金の情報があつた* No-URL	No-URL	Natural sciences and technology	Individual	Taiwanese graduate student under 35 years old	○	-----	National Science Council of Taiwan selects fellows	56 D	-----	• Staying allowance: 10,000 ¥/D. • Domestic travel: 60,000 ¥. • Insurance. • Domestic research travel: Up to 100,000 ¥	Unavailable	Unavailable	Unavailable
53	Matsumae International Foundation	Fellowship Program	-----	www.mars.dti.ne.jp/~mif/ainj.htm	www.mars.dti.ne.jp/~mif/qw.menu.htm	Natural sciences and engineering, Biological sciences	Individual	• Non-Japanese citizens • Must hold a PhD degree or equivalent academic qualifications, and have a firm position or profession in home country • Must be under 49 years old	○	-----	-----	3-6 M	Free to select host institutions	• Stipend for research and stay: ¥240,000 /M • Insurance: Overseas travel accident/sickness insurance (partial payment of rent) are also available. • Air transportation: An economy-class round-trip air ticket • Lump sum on arrival: ¥100,000	About 20	Once a year	Aug. 31
54	National Institute for Materials Science	Employment	Positions for Researcher	www.nims.go.jp/employment/index.html	www.nims.go.jp/employment/index.html	Natural sciences and engineering	Individual	• Any nationality • Employment opportunities listed for researchers	○	-----	-----	Unavailable	-----	-----	-----	-----	
55	RIKEN	Career opportunities	Foreign Postdoctoral Researcher (FPR)	www.riken.jp/fpr/index-j.html	www.riken.jp/fpr/	Natural sciences and engineering	Individual	• Non-Japanese citizens • Must hold a PhD in natural science awarded within the last 6 years	○ (Application document A to be prepared by the applicant by May 29)	-----	Application documents B to be prepared by the host laboratory by June 12	Maximum 3 Y	RIKEN laboratory	• ¥487,000/M: Gross income before taxes and social insurance premium deduction. A commuting allowance (actual cost up to max. ¥45,000/M) and a housing allowance (partial payment of rent) are also available. • Moving expenses to take up the position at RIKEN in accordance with Riken regulations.	Around 18	Once a year	For the applicant May 20 and for the host laboratory June 3
56	EU-Japan Center for Industrial Cooperation	Vulcanus in Japan	-----	No-URL	http://www.eu-japan.eu/global/vulcanus-in-japan.html	Science and engineering	Institutional	• EU citizen • Must be an undergraduate or postgraduate student of engineering or science in at least the third year of your course at a European University.	○ (Under- and post-graduate students in EU (27 countries))	-----	-----	4 M: Advance training in Japanese. 8 M: Company internship	-----	• A scholarship in the amount of 2 million Yen to cover such cost as airfare, living expenses, insurance etc. • Accommodation is provided for free, and the host company will cover other costs such as training costs etc.	30~40 European students	Once a year	Oct. ~ Dec.
57	Hitachi Scholarship Foundation	Hitachi Scholarship	Scholarship Program for Postgraduate Study in Japan (Master & Doctor degree candidates)	www.hitachi-zaidan.org/shogaku/works/work01.html	www.hitachi-zaidan.org/global/scholarship/activities/active01.html	Science and technology	Institutional	• Be faculty members of one of the 15 eligible universities in South East Asia • Have been nominated by their university's presidential office. • Have received a specific and confirmed invitation from a professor at a Japanese university. • Under 30 years old (masters degree candidates) or under 35 years old (PhD degree candidates)	-----	-----	Presidents or vice presidents of 15 eligible universities in 6 nations	Master: 2.5 Y Doctor: 3.5 Y	Host professor at a Japanese university	• Airfare: Economy class roundtrip airfare • Stipend: ¥180,000/M • Japanese language course: At cost for 6 months • Expenses for field trips in Japan: Maximum ¥50,000 /Y • Expenses for Int'l conferences: At cost upon request from host professor • Arrival and return allowance: ¥50,000 each • Tuition and other school expenses: At cost • Housing allowance: Greater Metropolitan Tokyo: ¥60,000 /M (Single), ¥90,000 /M (With family), Other areas: ¥40,000 /M (Single), ¥55,000 /M (With family)	Unavailable	Once a year	End of Nov.
58	Hitachi Scholarship Foundation	Hitachi Research Fellowship	Research Fellowship Program for Postdoctoral Research in Japan: Short-term	www.hitachi-zaidan.org/shogaku/works/work02.html	www.hitachi-zaidan.org/global/scholarship/activities/active02.html	Science and technology	Institutional	• Be faculty members of one of the 15 eligible universities in South East Asia • Must have a PhD • Have been nominated by their university's presidential office. • Have received a specific and confirmed invitation from a professor at a Japanese university. • Under 45 years old	-----	-----	Presidents or vice presidents of 15 eligible universities in 6 nations	1-3 M	-----	• Airfare: Economy class roundtrip airfare • Maintenance allowance: ¥17,000 /D • Research travel allowance: Up to ¥100,000	Unavailable	Once a year	End of Nov.
59	Hitachi Scholarship Foundation	Hitachi Research Fellowship	Research Fellowship Program for Postdoctoral Research in Japan: Long-term	www.hitachi-zaidan.org/shogaku/works/work02.html	www.hitachi-zaidan.org/global/scholarship/activities/active02.html	Science and technology	Institutional	• Be faculty members of one of the 15 eligible universities in South East Asia • Must have a PhD • Have been nominated by their university's presidential office. • Have received a specific and confirmed invitation from a professor at a Japanese university. • Under 45 years old	-----	-----	Presidents or vice presidents of overseas universities	6-12 M	-----	• Airfare: Economy class roundtrip airfare • Arrival and return allowance: ¥60,000 each • Maintenance allowance: ¥270,000 /month • Research travel allowance: ¥100,000 • Research allowance: ¥40,000 • Housing allowance: ¥100,000 (maximum per month)	Unavailable	Once a year	End of Nov.
60	Japan International Science and Technology Exchange Center	Winter Institute	-----	www.iistec.or.jp/WI/WI.html	www.iistec.or.jp/WI/WI.html	Science and technology	Institutional	• South Korean nationality • Graduate students currently studying in a doctorate or master's program • This program is one of the programs of Japan East Asia Network of Exchange for Students and Youths of the Japanese Government.	-----	-----	Japan-Korea Industrial Technology Cooperation Foundation (JFK)	Approx. 2 M	Japanese independent administrative agencies, national institutes and other facilities.	Unavailable	40	Once a year	Depend on The Korea Science and Engineering Foundation (KOSEF)

61	Mukai Foundation for the Promotion of Science and Technology	Exchange of international researchers	-----	www.disco-koeki.org/02a/00213/index.html	No URL	Material science	Institutional	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Any foreign nationality * Researchers conducting basic research on functional materials or separation films. 	-----	Researchers under 45 years or group	-----	Unavailable	-----	¥350,000 per 1 matter	Dispatch and invitation: Round 2	Once a year	Nov. 30
62	Brain Science Foundation	International Exchange	Invitation of foreign researchers	www.bs-f.jp/kokusai_syouhei.html	No URL	Biological science – Neuroscience	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Any foreign nationality * Researchers conducting creative research in neuroscience 	○	-----	-----	Within 3 M	-----	Up to ¥300,000 per person mainly for round-trip air fare.	Unavailable	Once a year	Jan. 14
63	Ichiro Kanehara Foundation for the Promotion of Medical Science and Medical Care	Chihiro and Kiyoko Yokochi Fund	Scholarship Program for German medical students	www.kanehara-zaidan.or.jp/fund.html	http://www.uni-giessen.de/cms/fbz/fb11/institut_e/anatomie/assoz/yokochi	Medical science	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * German citizen * Must be currently studying medical sciences at medical or dental schools or institutes in Germany * Under 40 years of age 	○	-----	-----	3 M, 6M, or up to 1 Y	The host Japanese institution must be able to produce a certificate stating that the applicant will be accepted as a scholar there.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Staying expenses: ¥420,000 /M * Round air fare (economy class) * Transportation expense 	2-3	Twice a year	1. Oct. 30 2. April 30
64	Japan China Medical Association	Japan China Sasakawa Medical Fellowship Program	-----	www.jpccma.or.jp/sasakawa.html	http://www.jpccma.org.cn/ (In Chinese)	Medical science	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Chinese nationality * Employed in Chinese universities, research or clinical organizations and conducting medical services or research. * Under 35 years of age 	○	-----	-----	1 Y	Universities, research or clinical organizations in Japan	Round trip air fare, Living expenses, accommodation expenses, rental fee for furniture, commuter expenses in Japan, fees for attending academic meetings, national health insurance, international injury insurance, fees for application for permission to engage in clinical activities in Japan, and research fund.	30	Once a year	Autumn
65	Japan-North America Medical Exchange Foundation	Survey and/or Research	-----	www.janamef.or.jp/2ivosei/2ib.html	No URL	Medical science	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * U.S. or Candian nationality * Researchers in medical science who want to conduct or observe research in Japan 	○	-----	-----	Within 1 Y	-----	¥100,000~500,000 /person	A certain number	Twice a year	1.Mar. 31 2.Sep. 30
66	Japanese Foundation for Research and Promotion of Endoscope	Reception of Overseas Medical Research Doctors	-----	www.endo-jfa.or.jp/application/02.html	No URL	Medical science – endoscopy	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Any foreign nationality * Researchers in medical science who want to conduct research in endoscopy 	○	-----	-----	More than 3 weeks	Recommendations : Presidents of universities or Director Generals of research institutions, ② Administrator of this foundation	Organizations having research facility and equipment for the candidates to perform the research	Unavailable	Once a year	Sept. 30
67	Nakatomi Foundation	Grant for the exchange of international researchers	-----	www.hisamitsu.co.jp/tnf/youko1.htm	www.hisamitsu.co.jp/tnf/tnf_eng/youko1-02.htm	Medical science – research in the promotion and sustainment of health	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Any foreign nationality * Aimed at foreign researchers with high international reputation 	○	-----	-----	Unavailable	-----	¥1,000,000 /invitation for the airfare and staying expenses etc..	1 or 2	Once a year	Sept. 30
68	RIKEN	Career opportunities	Special Postdoctoral Researcher (SPDR)	http://www.riken.jp/en/world/research/research/basic/kiso24/index.html	http://www.riken.jp/en/world/research/research/basic/kiso24/index.html	Science and Engineering	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Any nationality (however non-Japanese applicants who are not permanent residents of Japan must have completed a doctoral program at a Japanese graduate school) * Must have a doctoral degree acquired within the last 6 years, unless special circumstances apply such as maternity leave) 	○	-----	-----	1 Y (Contract can be renewed on the basis of an evaluation made prior to the conclusion of the contract)	RIKEN laboratory	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * ¥487,000/M: Gross income before taxes and social insurance premium deduction. A commuting allowance (actual cost up to max. ¥45,000/M) and a housing allowance (partial payment of rent) are also available. * Moving expenses to take up the position at RIKEN in accordance with Riken regulations. 	Around 35	Once a year	Notification of desire to apply: May 13
69	RIKEN	BSI (Brain Science Institute) Summer Program	Plan A: Internship & Lecture	www.brain.riken.jp/en/summer/index.html	www.brain.riken.jp/en/summer/index.html	Brain science	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Any nationality * Attendees have wide-ranging academic backgrounds and are usually enrolled in graduate courses, or have recently embarked on postdoctoral research. 	○	-----	-----	Around 2 M	-----	Students unable to provide their own financial support will be considered for travel and accommodation bursaries provided by RIKEN BSI.	Around 45 for A & B Courses	Once a year	Mar. 15
70	RIKEN	BSI (Brain Science Institute) Summer Program	Plan B: Lecture	www.brain.riken.jp/en/summer/index.html	www.brain.riken.jp/en/summer/index.html	Brain science	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Any nationality * Attendees have wide-ranging academic backgrounds and are usually enrolled in graduate courses, or have recently embarked on postdoctoral research. 	○	-----	-----	11 Days	-----	Students unable to provide their own financial support will be considered for travel and accommodation bursaries provided by RIKEN BSI.	Around 45 for A & B Courses	Once a year	Mar. 15
71	RIKEN	RCAI (Research Center for Allergy and Immunology) International Summer Program	Lecture course	No-URL	web.rcai.riken.jp/risp/	Allergy and immunology	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Any nationality * Aimed at talented graduate students and young postdocs (with no more than 3 years having passed since obtaining a Ph.D. degree) 	○	-----	(A supervisor's recommendation letter)	1 week	-----	Accommodation and travel expenses are fully covered. A round-trip plane ticket will be provided.	Up to 40	Once a year	Feb. 28
72	RIKEN	RCAI (Research Center for Allergy and Immunology) International Summer Program	Intern course	No-URL	web.rcai.riken.jp/risp/	Allergy and immunology	Individual	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Any nationality * Aimed at talented graduate students and young postdocs (with no more than 3 years having passed since obtaining a Ph.D. degree) 	○	-----	(A supervisor's recommendation letter)	1 M	-----	Accommodation and travel expenses are fully covered. A round-trip plane ticket will be provided.	Up to 4 from the summer lecture course	Once a year	Feb. 28

73	Clinical Research Foundation	Invitation of foreign researchers	-----	No URL (T:092-738-5111 F:092-738-5110 E-mail:)	No URL	Clinical research	Institutional	* Any nationality * Foreign researcher or scholar of high evaluation	-----	Researcher or group	-----	More than 4 Weeks	Research organization in Fukuoka prefecture.	¥300,000 for 1 matter	1	Unavailable	Unavailable
74	Duskin AINOWA Foundation	Duskin Leadership Training in Japan	-----	www.normanet.n.e.jp/~duskin/about/index.html	www.normanet.n.e.jp/~duskin/english/application.html	Training for those with disabilities	Institutional	* Persons with disabilities from the Asia and Pacific regions * Aimed at those with the potential to be future community leaders * Applicant should be aged between 18 and 25	○ (Persons with disabilities in Asian and Pacific regions)	-----	-----	10 M	-----	* Air fare for a round-trip ticket between an international (domestic) airport in the trainee's home country and in Japan. * Miscellaneous expenses in the process of the documents such as the cost of obtaining a passport and visa. * Costs of the training during the program. * Daily living allowance needed for accommodations and meals during the program. * Eleven-month Comprehensive Insurance for Foreign	10 (One trainee from one country/region)	Once a year	Oct. 31
75	Japan Epilepsy Research Foundation	Subsidy of research	Subsidy of invitation of foreign researchers	http://www.epi-fu.jp/	No URL	Medical science - epilepsy research	Institutional	* Medical doctors from Asia region * Recommended by International League against Epilepsy * Age under 50 years	-----	-----	Recommendation by International League against Epilepsy	Unavailable	-----	¥750,000 /person	2	Once a year	Nov. 30
76	Japan Heart Foundation	Supporting Grants for Training in Japan in the field of Cardiovascular Diseases	Subsidizing Researchers from ASEAN Countries	www.ihf.or.jp/iosai/kyukaio/index.html	www.ihf.or.jp/english/grants.html	Medical science - cardiovascular disease	Institutional	* Researchers from ASEAN countries (one person per country) * Must be actively engaged in research in the field of cardiovascular diseases in an institution, school of medicine in a university, medical college or hospital.	-----	-----	An Executive Member or Director of local Heart Foundation should complete the recommendation	Less than 3 M	-----	* Round trip airfare (Economy class) * Up to ¥800,000	Round 6 persons. 1 person from each country	At anytime 1 month before coming to Japan	At anytime 1 month before coming to Japan
77	Japan Research Foundation for Clinical Pharmacology	Subsidy of International Joint Research	-----	www.rinyaku-fdn.or.jp/business.html	No URL	Clinical pharmacology	Institutional	* Researchers from the Asian region * Recommendation by an administrator of the Foundation	-----	-----	Recommendation by an administrator of the Foundation	Unavailable	Clinical pharmacology	Unavailable	1	Unavailable	Unavailable
78	Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries	Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries Research Council	Construction of ability of African agriculture researchers	www.saffrc.go.jp/docs/research/international/africa2009_kobo.htm	No URL	Agricultural science	Institutional	* Nationality of an African country * Bachelor degree * Affiliated with a national or a public agriculture research organization/university * Under 45 years old	-----	Host researcher should be a Japanese national residing outside of Japan, and, affiliated to an organization which has a permit	-----	1-4 M	-----	¥19,475,000 (maximum)	Unavailable	Once a year	Jan.1-Feb.27
79	Miyakawa Memorial Research Foundation	Promotion·subsidization of research	Invitation of foreign researchers	www.mmrf.jp/activity/	No URL	Biological sciences - hepatitis virus	Institutional	* Researchers employed by universities or research institutions in Asian countries. * Under 40 years old	-----	-----	Researchers in Japanese universities within capital territory	Unavailable	Japanese universities within capital territory	¥100,000 per 1 matter.	1	Once a year	Jan.10-Mar.31
80	Naito Foundation	Invitation of Overseas Scientists	-----	www.naito-f.or.jp/grant/detail.php?grant_id=sv0	http://www.naito-f.or.jp/grant/detail.php?id=SYO&lang=en	Natural sciences - human health	Institutional	* Any foreign nationality * Aimed at researchers who are internationally highly reputed and put unique and energetic efforts into basic research of natural science that contributes to the promotion of health of human being	-----	-----	Director, or Head of Division at a university, President or Director General of a Research Institute.	Unavailable	-----	* Middle east and Africa: ¥800,000 * America·Canada (Except west coast), and Europe: ¥600,000 * America·Canada (west coast), Australia and New Zealand: ¥500,000 * Southeast Asia and India: ¥300,000 * China, Taiwan and Korea: ¥200,000	Up to 10 persons at each term	Twice a year	1.June 1 2.Oct.3
81	Shinshu Association for the Advancement of Medical Sciences	Inviting Foreign Researchers	-----	http://www.shinshu-u.ac.jp/group/ishinkoukai/josei.html	No URL	Medical science	Institutional	* Any foreign nationality * Clinical and medical educators/researchers recommended by overseas research organizations.	-----	-----	Through presidents of universities, research institutions or clinical organization	1-3 M	Universities, research or clinical/medical organizations in Ngano prefecture	¥400,000 /Person including travel and staying expenses	Unavailable	Once a year	June 30
82	Toyobo Biotechnology Foundation	Long-term Research Grants	Invitation of foreign researchers	www.toyobo.co.jp/biofund/boshu/chouki_boshu.htm	www.toyobo.co.jp/biofund/boshu/long_e.htm (中文): http://www.toyobo.co.jp/	Biotechnology and related research fields	Institutional	* Any foreign nationality * Researchers at universities or public research institutes with a doctoral degree and less than 5 years post-doctoral experience * Under 40 years of age	-----	-----	Recommendation letter from this Foundation's trustee	1 Y	Research institutes in Japan	Unavailable	Unavailable	Once a year	July 1-Aug.31
83	Yakult Bio-Science Foundation	Subsidization of International Exchange	-----	http://yakult-bioscience.or.jp/invite.html#kokusai	No URL	Biological sciences - intestinal microflora	Institutional	* Any foreign nationality * Overseas researchers conducting research in intestinal microflora	-----	Host researchers	-----	Unavailable	-----	Up to ¥500,000 per 1matter	Dispatch and invitation: Round 4	Unavailable	April - Oct.