How to Use This Guide

Be proactive and start planning early! This guide contains information about the courses offered in the Hiroshima, Japan program. Students studying in Japan have access to the full curriculum at Hiroshima University and will be taking courses with locals as well as other international students from around the globe.

This guide, along with your Academic Advising Report and the USAC catalog, provides the tools you need to plan and apply for a program. Involve your major/minor advisor as you choose a program and prepare for your time abroad so you do not prolong graduation. Course descriptions, photos, and more detailed descriptions of the program are available at usac.unr.edu.

Top Reasons to Study Abroad

You will:
• gain new life experiences
• become more independent and flexible
• explore a new culture and live like a local
• broaden your worldview and find new perspectives
• make lifelong friends from around the world
• find out what is beyond your borders

This academic experience will enable you to:
• earn Hiroshima University credit
• learn a language
• fulfill major and minor requirements
• learn from foreign experts in your field
• supplement your major by selecting courses not offered on campus

What’s the Next Step?

1. Meet with a study abroad peer advisor in the USAC office
2. Meet with your major/minor advisor to go over your long-term plans and your goals for study abroad
3. Consult the USAC catalog or website as you research your program options
4. Complete your application by the deadline
5. Apply for or renew your passport
6. Attend information sessions and workshops on topics such as financial aid, visas, and other useful information (ask the USAC office for more information).
7. Start packing!

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Japanese Language and Culture Studies
- Elementary Japanese I (fall only)
- Elementary Japanese II
- Intermediate Japanese I
- Intermediate Japanese II
- Advanced Japanese
- Advanced Writing
- Japanese Education and Culture
- Japanese Society and Culture

Science and Information Technology
*Recent courses have included:*
- Algebra B
- CMOS Logic Circuit Design
- Earth Environmental Chemistry
- Environmental Management Technology (graduate-level only)
- Food Chain Dynamics
- From the Microscopic World to Macroscopic Universe
- General Health and Oral Science B
- International Cooperation in Medicine
- Introduction to Advanced and Integrated Science
- Introduction to Environmental Chemistry
- Laboratory in Physical Science B
- Modern Chemistry
- Network and Algebraic System
- Recent Development in Biological Sciences
- Synthesis in Physical Science B
- Structure of the Human Body; Developmental Biology
- Synthetic Organic Chemistry

Business, Law, and Economics
*Recent courses have included:*
- Economic Development and Policy (graduate-level only)
- Japanese Economy
- Politics and Foreign Relations of Japan
- Study on Japanese Companies and Organizations
- The Independent Study on Japanese Companies and Organizations

Culture, Education, and Society
*Recent courses have included:*
- Asian Cultures (graduate-level only)
- Cross-Cultural Studies on Education
- Education in Japan (graduate-level only)
- Family Life in Japan
- International Relations (graduate-level only)
- Introduction to Linguistics
- Introduction to Phonetics and Phonology
- Japanese Art and Global Education
- Japanese Culture and Peace
- Japanese Society and Gender Issues
- Japanese Society and Lifestyles
- Psycholinguistics
- Study on International Issues and Challenges
- Seminar in English Debate

*Courses are subject to availability and approval of prerequisites, which are determined by Hiroshima University.*
Internships
Students with a language proficiency level of high-intermediate or higher are eligible to take the Globalization Support Internship Course (by Dr. Tsunematsu). Students are required to pass the ‘Internship Placement Test’ conducted at the beginning of the semester. More information will be available upon arrival during orientation.

Globalization Support Internship
The Globalization Support Internship is available to develop Japanese language and theoretical understanding of Japanese society in profession work settings. Recent intern projects have focused on market research of the local industry, facilitating an international exchange historical tour to a local island, planning an international exchange with a local school, working as an international tourism planner. English can be used, but it is prerequisite to have high level of Japanese language proficiency to take the internship courses.

- Globalization Support Internship I: Career Theory and Practice
- Globalization Support Internship II: Practicum