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Why Tohoku University?

With its location in the green environment of the city of Sendai in northeastern Japan, Tohoku University has been offering academic excellence for over a century. It has long enjoyed the reputation of being one of the most liberal universities in the country as well as an institution that places a particularly strong emphasis on leading-edge research.

The Times
Higher Education
World University
Rankings 2020

In Japan

3rd

In Japan

5th

QS World University
Rankings 2020

In World

82nd

QS World University
Rankings By Subject 2019

Mechanical Aeronautical &
Manufacturing Engineering

In World

38th

Materials Science

In World

43th

Physics &
Astronomy

In World

41th

DATA

About Tohoku University
As of November 1, 2019

Total number of students
学生数 (正規課程在籍者)

17,717

Undergraduate Students
学部生

10,739

Graduate Students
大学院生

6,978

Faculty
教員

3,127

(As of May 1, 2019)

International Students
外国人留学生

3,405

Partner Institutions
協定大学・機関

244

Library Collection
図書館蔵書

4,168,468

volumes
(As of March 31, 2019)



TUFSA
(Tohoku University Foreign Students Association)
The Tohoku University International Festival is a popular annual event, organized by TUFSA.

International Festival

At the Tohoku University International Festival, people from different continents and countries, of diverse traditions and backgrounds, meet and connect in love, solidarity and peace. They exchange experiences and participate in new adventures, spend wonderful time together and create strong bonds that last forever. The diversity of the festival builds bridges and a rich environment that unify and merge worldwide cultures in harmony.

Clubs & Circles

The Student Friendship Association is a university-wide organization consisting of 47 sports and 24 cultural clubs. The university also provides facilities for extracurricular activities. The environment is conducive to international exchange activities in both academic and daily life.



Tohoku University provides various kinds of support and services to help international students lead a pleasant life in Japan. In addition to a general orientation for new international students, many undergraduate/graduate schools hold specialized orientations for the students in their programs. There is also a "Welcome Week," open to any who wish to attend, that conducts various programs to help international students adjust to life in Japan.

Orientation Session

The orientation session for newly enrolled international students is held twice a year, in April and September. Staff at the Global Learning Center and the Center for Counseling and Disability provide students with a lot of useful advice about campus life.

Also members from local groups and Tohoku University organizations that support international students introduce their activities.

International Student Help Desk

The International Student Help Desk is a support corner that aims to answer questions from all international students related to academics, campus life, daily life, translation support, etc. Staff at the Help Desk are Tohoku University students themselves.

Tutor System

Newly enrolled international students are provided tutors, recruited from the Tohoku University student body, to advise them on their studies and daily lives and help them adjust to their new environment as quickly as possible.

Welcome to To hoku University!



The Tohoku University Sparrow Dance Team (TUSPA)



International and local students prepare Tanabata decorations for Sendai's iconic Tanabata Festival.

Tohoku University offers educational opportunities for students to develop intercultural competency and gain an understanding of Japanese culture. As a leader in the internationalization of higher education in Japan, Tohoku University has the largest numbers of intercultural co-learning classes among national universities in the country. Through group work and projects, international students and local students have meaningful interaction and deepen their mutual understanding. Furthermore, intellectual exchanges between professors and students, as well as hands-on participation in local festivals and community events, are integral parts of the international experience at Tohoku University.



University House Aobayama

University House Aobayama is Tohoku University's 9th student dormitory and the largest multicultural student housing complex to be built in a Japanese national university. Most units have a mix of Japanese and international students, creating an environment of mutual support and learning. The dormitory acts an educational facility that provides safe, secure, and comfortable housing while fostering individuals who will lead internationalization efforts.

- 10-minute walk from Aobayama Station. Easy access to all the campuses via subway.
- Total of 752 international and domestic students live together.
- Rent includes furniture, bedding, kitchen, cookware and high speed internet.
- Management office provides 24-hour/365-day support.



Tohoku University, Creating Global Excellence

Over more than a century of history, Tohoku University's tradition of Research First, philosophy of Open Doors and ethos of Practice-Oriented Research and Education have produced excellent graduates, generated numerous research achievements and contributed to the development of a peaceful and just society.

1907

Open Doors

Tohoku University was the first university in Japan to admit female university students.



Lu Xun was a student at Sendai Medical College - the forerunner of Tohoku University - before becoming one of the most influential figures of modern Chinese literature. His short story titled "Mr. Fujino" was inspired by his time in Sendai and the close relationship he had with his teacher.

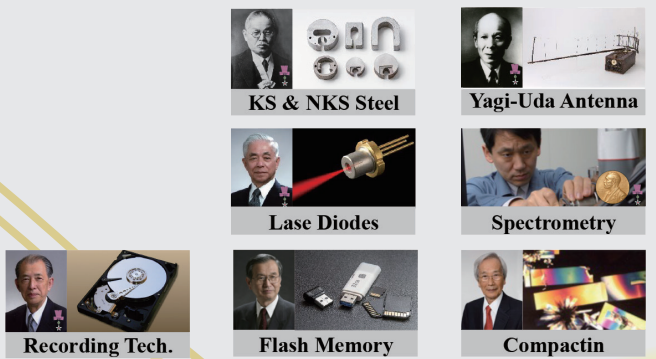
Research First

On his visit to Tohoku University in 1922, Albert Einstein said: "Sendai is a city most suited for research, and Tohoku University is a force to be reckoned with."



Practice-Oriented Research and Education

Tohoku University has a long history of producing diverse new innovations based on original research results.



The Great East Japan Earthquake of March 11, 2011: Recovery and Reconstruction Activities

The Great East Japan Earthquake occurred on March 11, 2011 and had a magnitude of 9.0, the largest ever recorded in Japan. It inflicted extensive damage on the university and the surrounding Tohoku region. However, we were able to ensure student safety and fortunately there were no

human losses on our campuses. We worked hard to restore the university's educational and research infrastructure, and were able to start the new academic year two months later. The university is deeply grateful to all those in Japan and abroad who provided encouragement and timely relief efforts.



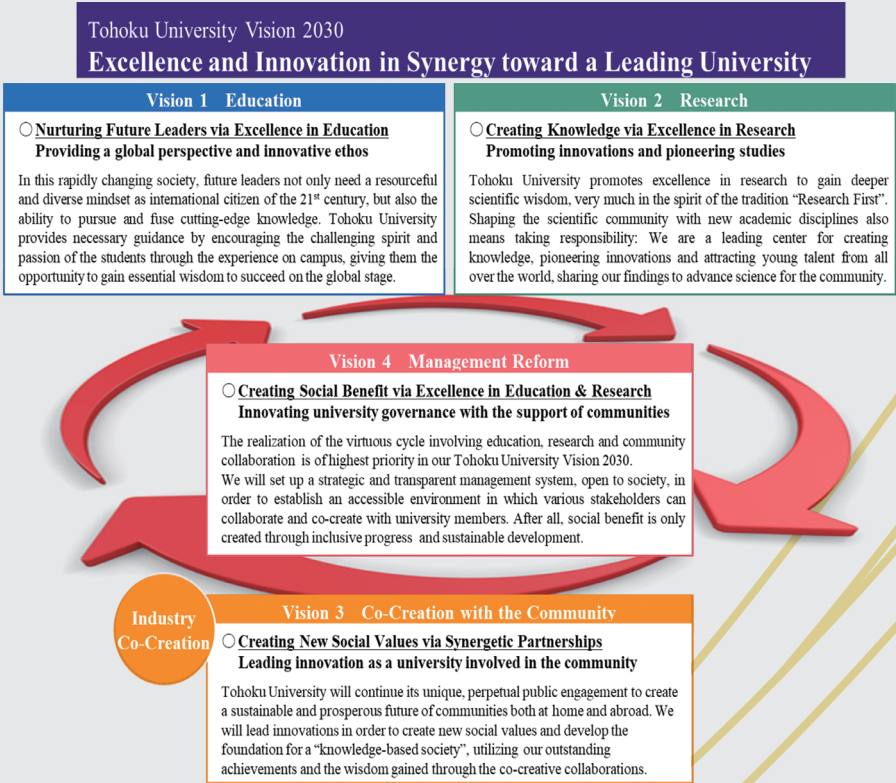
2030

Tohoku University Vision 2030

We published the Tohoku University Vision 2030, which describes an ideal form (vision) for Tohoku University for the year 2030 and specifies mid/long-term policies (strategic priorities) and specific actions (major policies) to achieve it. It lays out 19 strategic priorities for implementing four pillars of education, research, cooperation with the community, and administrative innovations.

A Designated National University

Tohoku University has officially been selected as a Designated National University by the Japanese Government in 2017. It is one of only seven universities to be selected under this new system, which the Japanese ministry of education hopes will raise the standard of Japanese institutions and make them more globally competitive by providing additional financial support.



MEXT Top Global University Project

Tohoku University has been selected for the FY2014 Top Global University Project, a higher education reform initiative launched by Japan's Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (MEXT). The MEXT program aims to raise Japan's global competitiveness in higher education by supporting internationalization and reform efforts at select institutions. Tohoku University's reform initiative is called "Tohoku University's Global Initiative" and is categorized as "Type A: Top Type" in the Top Global University Project.

Tohoku University Institute for Disaster Reconstruction and Regeneration Research

The Tohoku University Institute for Disaster Reconstruction and Regeneration Research was established in April 2011 to consolidate, disseminate, and implement university-wide efforts related to research, education, and social



contributions aimed at recovery from the Great East Japan Earthquake. As a university located in the center of the affected area, Tohoku University has a historic mandate to exert every effort toward reconstruction. In cooperation

with the local and national government, the university is developing eight projects and over 100 action plans to lead the reconstruction of the Tohoku region and the revitalization of Japan.

Global Network

グローバルネットワーク

(As of January 1, 2020)

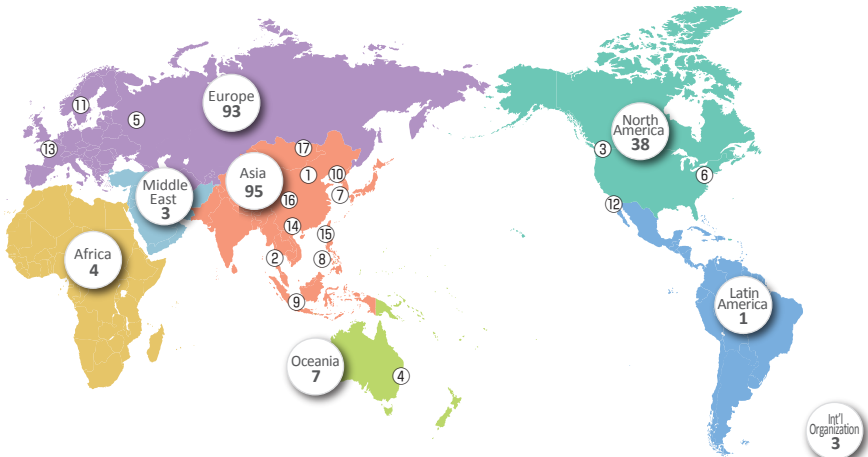
Partnership with 244 world-leading institutions in 35 countries and regions

Tohoku University's unique global partnership network has been created through academic exchange agreements with many top educational institutions around the world.

The university is developing various study abroad programs and expanding its research presence around the world.

世界トップレベルの教育機関と協定 (35か国・地域 244機関)

東北大学は世界各国の教育・研究機関との間で大学間または部局間の学術交流協定を締結。学生・教員の交流を積極的に進めており、教育・研究の舞台は世界へと広がっています。



Facilities Worldwide

Representative Offices

(As of April, 2020)

	Representative Office	Date Established
①	Tohoku University China Office (Beijing)	(April 20, 2007)
②	Tohoku University Thailand Office (Bangkok)	(March 14, 2016)
③	University of Washington-Tohoku University: Academic Open Space (UW-TU: AOS) (Seattle)	(April 14, 2017)

Liaison Offices

(As of April, 2019)

	Institution (Location)	Country/Region (Starting Date)	Liaison Office	Department/Institute of TU
④	The University of New South Wales (International Office)	Australia (May 17, 2002)	Liaison Office of Tohoku University	Institute of Fluid Science Graduate School of Law
⑤	Moscow State University (Faculty of Physics)	Russia (June 21, 2002)	Liaison Office of Tohoku University	Institute of Fluid Science Graduate School of Engineering
⑥	Syracuse University (L. C. Smith College of Engineering and Computer Science)	USA (November 11, 2003)	IFS Syracuse Office	Institute of Fluid Science
⑦	Korea Advanced Institute of Science and Technology (Department of Mechanical Engineering)	South Korea (December 18, 2003)	Liaison Office of Tohoku University	Institute of Fluid Science
⑧	Research Institute for Tropical Medicine	Philippines (May 1, 2007)	Tohoku-RITM Collaborating Research Center on Emerging and Reemerging Infectious Diseases	Graduate School of Medicine
⑨	Institut Teknologi Bandung	Indonesia (August 2, 2011)	International Environmental Leadership Program, Graduate School of Environmental Studies ※Program name changed on the occasion of the agreement (effective March 23, 2015)	Graduate School of Environmental Studies
⑩	Seoul National University (College of Engineering)	South Korea (December 1, 2011)	The Partnership Offices of the Schools of Engineering, etc., of the Four Japanese Universities, Japan and the College of Engineering, Seoul National University, Korea	Graduate School of Engineering
⑪	Royal Institute of Technology (Faculty of Mechanical Engineering)	Sweden (June 28, 2012)	Liaison Office of Tohoku University	Institute of Fluid Science Graduate School of Engineering
⑫	The University of California, Riverside	USA (February 1, 2013)	Tohoku University Center	Institute for Excellence in Higher Education
⑬	Université de Lyon (Materials Science and Physical Metallurgy Laboratory, Institut National des Sciences Appliquées de Lyon)	France (June 2, 2015) ※Encouraged by the existence of the INSA Lyon - Tohoku University Liaison Office since January 23, 2004	Liaison Office of Tohoku University	Institute of Fluid Science Graduate School of Engineering Institute of Development, Aging and Cancer Graduate School of Medicine
⑭	Foreign Trade University	Vietnam (December 19, 2015)	TU-FTU Cooperation Office	Institute for Excellence in Higher Education
⑮	National Chiao Tung University (College of Electrical and Computer Engineering)	Taiwan (May 4, 2017)	Liaison Office of Tohoku University	Institute of Fluid Science New Industry Creation Hatchery Center Graduate School of Engineering Graduate School of Science and Faculty of Science Advanced Institute for Materials Research
⑯	Sichuan University (West China School of Stomatology)	China (March 1, 2018)	Liaison Office of Tohoku University Graduate School of Dentistry	Graduate School of Dentistry
⑰	Mongolian National University of Medical Sciences	Mongolia (February 2, 2019)	Liaison Office of Tohoku University Graduate School of Dentistry	Graduate School of Dentistry

Consortia with World's Top Universities

世界トップクラスの大学間コンソーシアム

(As of January 1, 2020)

Tohoku University has entered into a number of international university consortia in order to foster exchange between researchers and students from Tohoku University and various regions and nations. You will probably have the chance to participate in international symposiums, workshops and seminars held by these consortia.

東北大学は様々な地域や二国間での研究者や学生の国際交流を目的とした国際的大学間コンソーシアムに加盟しています。学生にもコンソーシアムが開催するシンポジウム、ワークショップ、セミナーなどに参加する機会を提供しています。

APRU

Association of Pacific Rim Universities

Established: 1997
Membership since: 2008
Participating Institutions: 51

環太平洋大学協会

APRU was established in 1997 with the aim of fostering cooperation in education and research contributing to economic, scientific and cultural advancement and has grown rapidly to become a reputable international organization of leading research universities in 18 economies of the Pacific Rim. As the "Voice of Knowledge and Innovation" for the Asia-Pacific region, APRU brings together leaders, researchers, and policy-makers to exchange ideas and collaborate on effective solutions to the challenges of the 21st century. As part of Tohoku University's active participation, we have taken on the role of regional program hub for APRU's Multi-Hazards Program since 2013.

APRU (アプル)は、環太平洋圏の主要大学間の相互交流を深めることを通じて、環太平洋地域社会にとって重要な諸問題に対し、教育・研究の分野から協力・貢献することを目的に、1997年に設立された地域型のコンソーシアムです。本学は2013年からマルチ・ハザードプログラムのプログラムハブを務め、毎年サマースクールやワークショップを開催しています。



<https://apru.org/>

AEARU

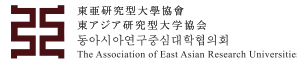
The Association of East Asian Research Universities

Established: 1996
Membership since: 1998
Participating Institutions: 19

東アジア研究型大学協会

AEARU was established in 1996 with the goals of forming a forum for the presidents of leading research-oriented universities and carrying out mutual exchanges between the major universities in East Asia. Expectations are that this regional consortium, on the basis of common academic cultural backgrounds among member universities, will contribute not only to the development of higher education and research but also to the opening up of a new era leading to cultural, economic, and social progress in the region. Tohoku University serves as one of the members of the Board of Directors.

AEARU (アイール)は、東アジアの主要な研究型大学の研究者及び学生の交流、共同研究の推進、ワークショップ等の開催など、大学間の共通の関心に基づく交流を行うことを目的に、1996年結成された地域型のコンソーシアムです。本学は2020年から2年間、理事大学を務めています。



<http://www.aearu.com/>

T.I.M.E.

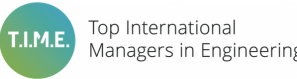
Top International Managers in Engineering

Established: 1989
Membership since: 2007
Participating Institutions: 56

欧州トップレベルエンジニア養成ネットワーク

T.I.M.E. is an international network of leading higher educational institutions specializing in engineering that is focused on master-level double degree programs. It is now launching other innovative exchange programs through task forces formed by member institutions to foster internationally competitive engineers for tomorrow's world.

T.I.M.E. (タイム)は、ヨーロッパの主要な理工系大学における修士・博士課程レベルでのダブルディグリープログラムによる交流を通じ、トップレベルのエンジニアを養成することを目的に、1989年に設立された地域型のコンソーシアムです。



<https://timeassociation.org/>

HeKKSaGOn

German-Japanese University Alliance (HeKKSaGOn): Heidelberg, Kyoto, Karlsruhe, Tohoku (in Sendai), Göttingen, Osaka-network

Established: 2010
Membership since: 2010
Participating Institutions: 6

日独6大学アライアンス

HeKKSaGOn, a German-Japanese University Network founded in 2010, is a bilateral university network composed of three Japanese and three German research-intensive universities (Kyoto, Osaka, Tohoku; Göttingen, Heidelberg and Karlsruhe) that aims to further develop international cooperation and the exchange of ideas in education, research and innovation to further advance science, technology, industry and culture between member universities. It brings together two of the world's high-tech countries facing similar challenges in society such as Global Change and Adaptation. Tohoku University will host the next Presidents' Meeting in fall, 2021.

HeKKSaGOn (ヘキサゴン)は、日本(京都大学、大阪大学、東北大学)とドイツ(ゲッティンゲン大学、ハイデルベルク大学、カールスルーエ工科大学)の大学の研究者及び学生の交流、共同研究の推進、サマースクール等の開催など、日独大学間の交流を推進することを目的に、2010年に結成された二国間型のコンソーシアムです。本学は、2021年秋に開催される学長会議を主催する予定です。



<https://www.hekksagon.net/>

RENKEI

Japan-UK Research and Education Network for Knowledge Economy Initiatives

Established: 2012
Membership since: 2012
Participating Institutions: 12

日英大学間連携プログラム

RENKEI, the Japan-UK Research and Education Network for Knowledge Economy Initiatives, is a bilateral consortium that was formed in 2012 by leading universities from Japan and the UK under the support of the British Council. Its aim is to further knowledge exchange and research collaboration between institutions and individuals. This group of leading research-intensive universities in the two countries will also develop collaborations with industry, governments and society to address global research challenges. The six participating Japanese universities are Osaka, Kyushu, Kyoto, Tohoku, Nagoya and Ritsumeikan. From the United Kingdom, the six members are Edinburgh, Southampton, Newcastle, Nottingham, Leeds and Liverpool.

RENKEI (レンケイ)は、日英の大学が新たな国際共同研究を創出し、政府、産業界、民間非営利団体との協働を通じてグローバル社会が抱える課題の解決への貢献を目指すことを目的に、2012年に設立された二国間型のコンソーシアムです。日本からは大阪大学、九州大学、京都大学、東北大学、名古屋大学、立命館大学の6大学が、英国からはエディンバラ大学、サウサンプトン大学、ニューカッスル大学、ノッティンガム大学、リーズ大学、リヴァプール大学の6大学が加盟しています。



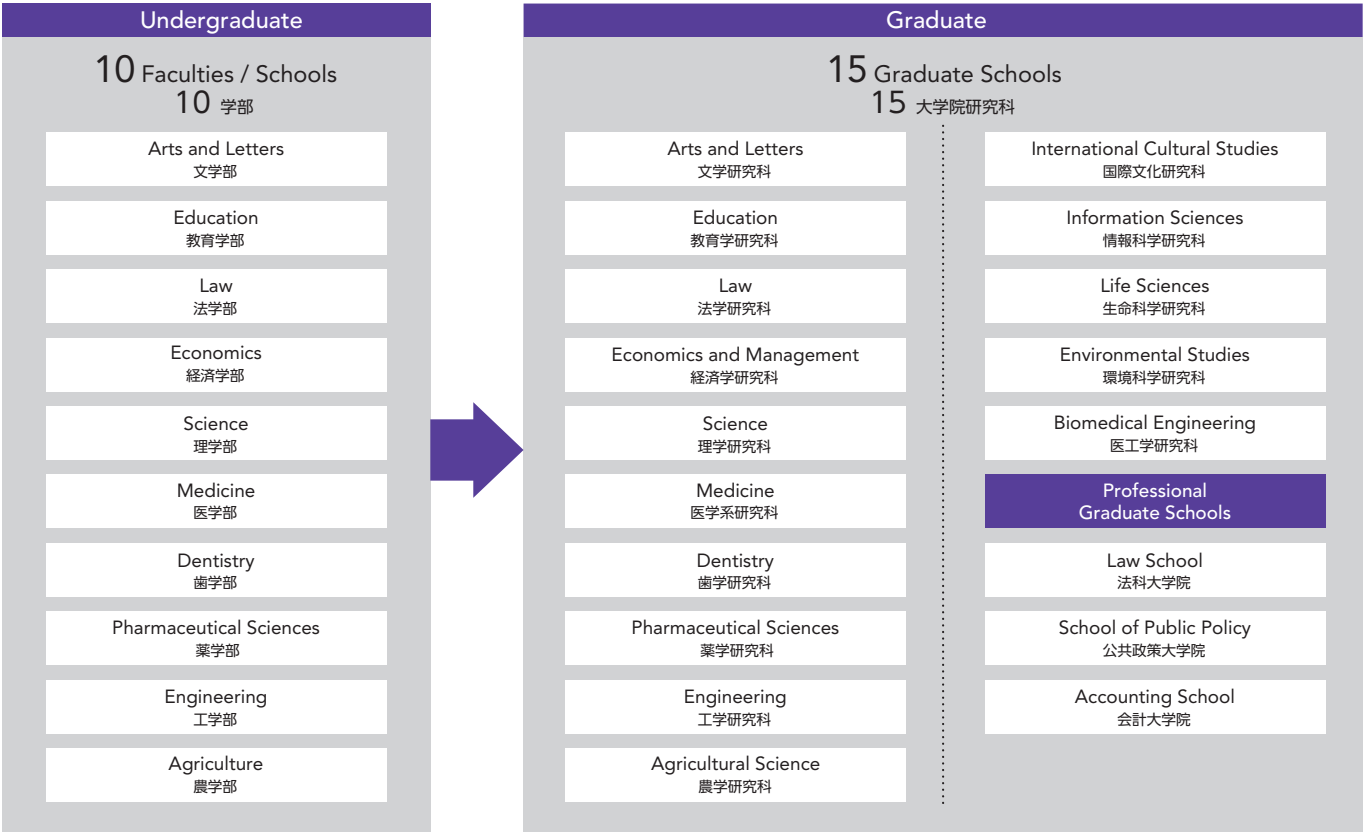
<https://www.britishcouncil.jp/programmes/higher-education/university-industry-partnership/renkei>

Study in Tohoku University

東北大学での学び

At Tohoku University, students are able to study and research in a wide range of fields. Undergraduate programs cover 10 fundamental fields of specialization - 4 in the humanities and 6 in the sciences. Moreover, they will be able to further increase their specialization in 15 graduate schools in expanded fields, enabling them to pursue research in cutting-edge areas.

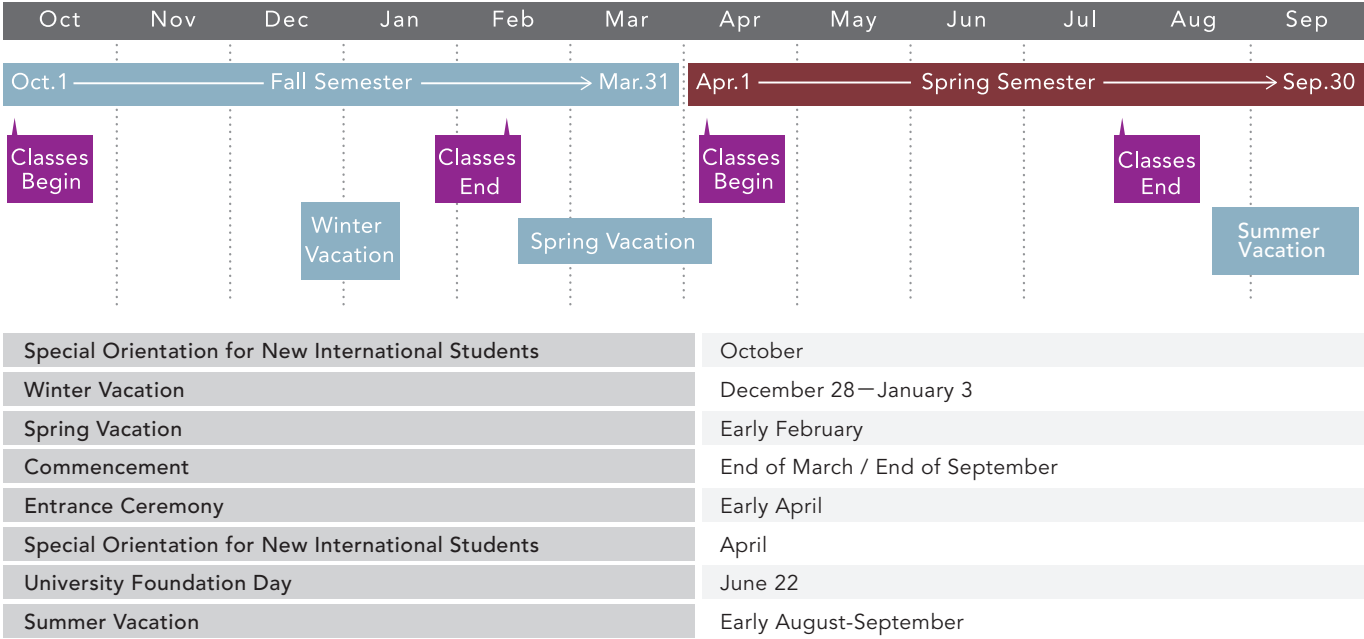
東北大学では、幅広い分野の教育・研究を行うことができます。文系4学部、理系6学部から構成される計10学部で各分野の専門基礎を学び、さらにその先の専門職大学院を含む15の大学院で、より専門性の高い最先端の研究指導を受けることができます。



Academic Calendar

学年暦

Academic Calendar 2020/2021



Courses Taught in English (The Future Global Leadership Program)

Undergraduate

Course	Fields	Degree	Admission	Contact
AMC	Advanced Molecular Chemistry Course	Chemistry, Science	BSc	Oct. E-mail: tohoku-fgl@grp.tohoku.ac.jp Web: http://www.web.tohoku.ac.jp/amc/ E-mail: tohoku-fgl@grp.tohoku.ac.jp Web: http://g30.eng.tohoku.ac.jp/imac/ E-mail: tohoku-fgl@grp.tohoku.ac.jp Web: http://www.agri.tohoku.ac.jp
IMAC-U	International Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering Course	Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering, Engineering	BEng	
AMB	Applied Marine Biology Course	Applied Biosciences, Agriculture	BAgri	

Graduate

Course	Fields	Degree	Admission	Contact
CNMC/CNDC	Cross-National Master's / Doctoral Course	Law, Politics	M/D Apr. Oct.	E-mail: law-kyom@grp.tohoku.ac.jp Web: http://www.law.tohoku.ac.jp/english/graduate/cndc
GPEM	Global Program in Economics and Management	Economics & Management	M/D Oct.	E-mail: gpem@grp.tohoku.ac.jp Web: http://www.econ.tohoku.ac.jp/english/page-gpem.html
IGPAS	International Graduate Program for Advanced Science	Science	M/D Oct.	E-mail: direct@mail.sci.tohoku.ac.jp Web: http://www.sci.tohoku.ac.jp/english/igpas/
BMC	Basic Medicine Course	Medicine	M Apr. Oct.	E-mail: m-daigakuin@grp.tohoku.ac.jp Web: http://www.med.tohoku.ac.jp/english/index.html
NMC	Network Medicine Course	Medicine	D	
IOHS	Interface Oral Health Science Course	Dentistry	M/D Apr. Oct.	E-mail: international@dent.tohoku.ac.jp Web: https://www.dent.tohoku.ac.jp/english/
IGSPS	International Graduate School of Pharmaceutical Sciences	Pharmaceutical Sciences	D Apr. Oct.	E-mail: kyomu@mail.pharm.tohoku.ac.jp Web: http://www.pharm.tohoku.ac.jp/index-e.html
IMAC-G	International Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering Course - Graduate	Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering	M/D Oct.	E-mail: imac-g@mech.tohoku.ac.jp Web: http://g30.eng.tohoku.ac.jp/imac/
IRP	International Robotics Program	Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering, Information Sciences	M/D Oct.	E-mail: eng-in@grp.tohoku.ac.jp Web: http://g30.eng.tohoku.ac.jp/imac
IBP	International Biomechanics Program	Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering, Biomechanics	M/D Oct.	E-mail: eng-in@grp.tohoku.ac.jp Web: http://g30.eng.tohoku.ac.jp/imac
IMSE	International Materials Science and Engineering Course	Materials Science and Engineering	M Oct.	E-mail: eng-in@grp.tohoku.ac.jp Web: http://g30.eng.tohoku.ac.jp/imse/
I-CEEC	International Civil and Environmental Engineering Course	Civil and Environmental Engineering	M/D Oct.	E-mail: eng-in@grp.tohoku.ac.jp Web: https://www.civil.tohoku.ac.jp/english
IGPLS	International Graduate Program in Language Sciences	Language Sciences, Linguistics	M/D Oct.	E-mail: int-kkdk@grp.tohoku.ac.jp Web: http://www.intcul.tohoku.ac.jp/ls/
G2SD	Graduate Program in Global Governance and Sustainable Development	Social Science, Social Engineering, Environmental Studies, International Relations	M/D Apr. Oct.	E-mail: int-kkdk@grp.tohoku.ac.jp Web: http://www.intcul.tohoku.ac.jp/g2sd/
ITSC	Information Technology and Science Course	Information Sciences	M Apr. Oct.	E-mail: is-kyom@grp.tohoku.ac.jp Web: https://www.is.tohoku.ac.jp/index-e.html
ICLS	International Course of Life Sciences	Life Sciences	M/D Apr. Oct.	E-mail: lif-kyom@grp.tohoku.ac.jp Web: https://www.lifesci.tohoku.ac.jp/en/curriculums/course/
IELP	International Environmental Leadership Program	Environmental Studies	M/D Oct.	E-mail: ielp_admin@grp.tohoku.ac.jp Web: http://kankyo.tohoku.ac.jp/ielp/index.html
DSP II	Data Sciences Program II	Information Science, Life Sciences, Economics & Management, Biomedical Engineering	M/D Oct.	E-mail: ilo@is.tohoku.ac.jp Web: http://www.is.tohoku.ac.jp/_eng/dsp2/index.html
IPHS	International Post-Graduate Program in Human Security	Medicine, Agricultural Science, Environmental Studies	M/D Apr. Oct.	E-mail: Medicine: m-daigakuin@grp.tohoku.ac.jp Agricultural Science: agr-kyom@grp.tohoku.ac.jp Environmental Studies: kyomu@mail.kankyo.tohoku.ac.jp Web: http://www.human-security.tohoku.ac.jp

Undergraduate Programs (For Degree Seeking Students)

学部一覧

Classes for degree courses taught in Japanese, which you can take together with Japanese students, begin in April. Degree courses taught in English start in October. The courses taught in English are attended by international students from a variety of countries. The number of international coeducational classes open to all students is also being increased, allowing you to take classes taught in English alongside Japanese students and providing many chances for you to study the Japanese language.

Faculties / Schools	Department	Course in English (See p.10)	Language		Admission	
			JPN	ENG	APR	OCT
Arts and Letters 文学部	Humanities and Social Sciences 人文社会科学		○		○	
Education 教育学部	Educational Science 教育科学科		○		○	
Law 法学部	Law 法学科		○		○	
Economics 経済学部	Economics 経済学科		○		○	
	Business Administration 経営学科		○		○	
Science 理学部	Mathematics 数学科		○		○	
	Physics 物理学科		○		○	
	Astronomy and Geophysics 宇宙地球物理学科		○		○	
	Chemistry 化学科	AMC	○	○ [*]	○	○ [*]
	Geoenvironmental Science 地圏環境科学科		○		○	
	Earth and Planetary Materials Science 地球惑星物質科学科		○		○	
Medicine 医学部	Medical Sciences 医学科		○		○	
	Health Sciences 保健学科		○		○	
	Dentistry 歯学科		○		○	
Pharmaceutical Sciences 薬学部	Pharmaceutical Sciences 創薬科学科		○		○	
	Pharmacy 薬学科		○		○	
Engineering 工学部	Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering 機械知能・航空工学科	IMAC-U	○	○ [*]	○	○ [*]
	Electrical, Information and Physics Engineering 電気情報理工学科		○		○	
	Applied Chemistry, Chemical Engineering and Biomolecular Engineering 化学・バイオ工学科		○		○	
	Materials Science and Engineering 材料科学総合学科		○		○	
	Civil Engineering and Architecture 建築・社会環境工学科		○		○	
Agriculture 農学部	Applied Bio-Sciences 生物生産科学科	AMB	○	○ [*]	○	○ [*]
	Applied Biological Chemistry 応用生物化学科		○		○	

*= 英語による学位取得コースの在籍者のみ English course students only

日本人学生と一緒に日本語で授業を受ける学位コースは4月、英語のみの学位コースは10月から授業が始まります。英語コースは様々な国からの留学生が多く受講しています。日本人と一緒に学ぶ国際共修授業も増えているため、日本人と一緒に英語で授業を受けたり、日本語を学ぶ機会もたくさん用意されています。

Undergraduate Admission

学部生

Courses Taught in Japanese (Privately Financed International Students Entrance Exam)

If you wish to participate in programs taught in Japanese, you will enter in April. Please begin your preparations by undergoing the Examination for Japanese University Admission for International Students (EJU) in June or November of the previous year.

日本語で行われるコース
(私費外国人留学生入試)
日本語で学位を取得する場合、入学時期は 4 月です。
前年の 6 月または 11 月の日本留学試験の受験から準備を始めてください。詳細については、下記 URL にて確認してください。
※<http://www.tnc.tohoku.ac.jp/>

1	出願前： 6月～	日本留学試験の受験 (6月または11月)	TOEFL iBTまたはTOEFL PBT の受験と送付の準備 (3月以降～毎月)	募集要項の請求	卒業・成績 証明書の準備	日本国内の 連絡先の確保	パスポートの準備
2	出願時： 1月上旬	出願書類等の提出		入学検定料の支払い		パスポートのコピー	
3	入試： 2月中旬						
4	合格発表後： 3月上旬～中旬	入学手続き 入学金の支払い			宿舎の決定		
5	入学式： 4月						
<問い合わせ先> 東北大学教育・学生支援部入試課 〒980-8576 仙台市青葉区川内28 Tel: 022-795-4804 E-mail : nyushi2@grp.tohoku.ac.jp							

Courses Taught in English (The Future Global Leadership Program)

The Future Global Leadership (FGL) program offers three undergraduate courses taught entirely in English in the fields of Molecular Chemistry, Mechanical, Aerospace Engineering and Marine Biology. Please refer to our website to learn about the requirements before applying. The application guidelines will be updated in May. Further information is available here: <https://www.insc.tohoku.ac.jp/english/degree/undergraduate-english/>

Course		Fields	Contact
AMC	Advanced Molecular Chemistry Course	Chemistry, Science	E-mail: tohoku-fgl@grp.tohoku.ac.jp Web: http://www.web.tohoku.ac.jp/amc/
IMAC-U	International Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering Course Undergraduate	Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering, Engineering	E-mail: tohoku-fgl@grp.tohoku.ac.jp Web: http://g30.eng.tohoku.ac.jp/imac/
AMB	Applied Marine Biology Course	Applied Biosciences, Agriculture	E-mail: tohoku-fgl@grp.tohoku.ac.jp Web: https://www.agri.tohoku.ac.jp/amb/

1. Application Requirements

1) Academic qualification exam or standardized national exam
You must submit scores for the required subjects from any one of the following.

A	IB, SAT Subject Tests or GCE (A-Level)	Required Subjects depend on the course.
B	National standardized examination. Applicable countries only.	Required Subjects depend on the course.
C	EJU	Required Subjects and Minimum scores for EJU depend on the course.

2) English Proficiency
You must fulfill any one of the following.

A	TOEFL iBT®TEST / IELTS (Academic Module)	TOEFL iBT®TEST : 79 or higher / IELTS: 6.0 or higher
B	Submit a written certificate from your principal or counselor if you attended for four years or longer a middle / high school where the main language used was English. Applicable countries only.	

2. Documents to be Submitted	3. Submit your Application	4. Application Period
1) Photograph 2) Statement of Reasons for Applying 3) Proof of Graduation / Certificate of Expected Graduation 4) Academic Transcript 5) Score of Academic or Standardized Examination 6) Score of English Proficiency Test 7) Proof of Nationality	Complete the online application through the T-cens system on the FGL program's website. https://applicant.insc.tohoku.ac.jp/t-cens_tohoku/login.php	<div>December</div> <p>※The period is subject to change.</p>

<Inquiries> Address: 41 Kawauchi, Aoba-ku, Sendai-shi 980-8576, Japan Tel: +81-22-795-3242 E-mail: tohoku-fgl@grp.tohoku.ac.jp Official website: https://www.insc.tohoku.ac.jp/english/degree/undergraduate-english/	
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Graduate Schools (For Degree Seeking Students)

大学院一覧

Tohoku University offers degree courses, open to both international and Japanese students, taught in Japanese and/or English. It also has degree courses for international students taught entirely in English. Application qualifications, procedures and application period vary depending on each graduate school.

An outline follows, but applicants should contact their desired graduate school directly for detailed information.

日本人学生と一緒に日本語や英語で授業を受けて学位を取得する入試と、英語だけで学位を取得するコースがあります。いずれも各研究科の指導教員や担当係とコンタクトを取って、入学の方法を確認する必要があります。

詳細情報については、各研究科の担当係に問い合わせてみてください。

Graduate Schools	Department/Major/ Division/School	Course in English (See p.10)	Language		Admission	
			JPN	ENG	APR	OCT
Arts and Letters 文学研究科	Japanese Studies 日本学		○		○	
	Global Humanities 広域文化学		○		○	
	Integrated Human Sciences 総合人間学		○		○	
Education 教育学研究科	Educational Science 総合教育科学		○		○	
Law 法学研究科	Law and Society (Professional Degree Program) 総合法制(専門職学位課程)		○		○	
	Public Law and Policy (Professional Degree Program) 公共法政策(専門職学位課程)		○		○	
	Legal and Political Studies 法政理論研究		○	○	○	○
Economics and Management 経済学研究科	Economics and Management 経済経営学	GPEM DSP II	○	○	○	○
	Accountancy (Professional Degree Program) 会計専門職(専門職学位課程)		○		○	○
Science 理学研究科	Mathematics 数学	IGPAS	○	○	○	○
	Physics 物理学		○	○	○	○
	Astronomy 天文学		○	○	○	○
	Geophysics 地球物理学		○	○	○	○
	Chemistry 化学		○	○	○	○
	Earth Science 地学		○	○	○	○
Medicine 医学系研究科	Medical Sciences 医科学	IPHS BMC NMC	○	○	○	○
	Disability Sciences 障害科学		○	○	○	○
	Health Sciences 保健学		○	○	○	○
	Public Health 公衆衛生学		○	○	○	○
Dentistry 歯学研究科	Dental Sciences 歯科学	IOHS	○	○	○	○
Pharmaceutical Sciences 薬学研究科	Molecular Pharmaceutical Science 分子薬科学	IGSPS	○	○	○	○
	Life and Pharmaceutical Science 生命薬科学		○	○	○	○
	Pharmacy 医療薬学		○	○	○	○
Engineering 工学研究科	Mechanical Systems Engineering 機械機能創成	IMAC-G IRP IBP	○	○	○	○
	Finemechanics ファインメカニクス		○	○	○	○
	Robotics ロボティクス		○	○	○	○
	Aerospace Engineering 航空宇宙工学		○	○	○	○
	Quantum Science and Energy Engineering 量子エネルギー工学		○	○	○	○

Graduate Schools	Department/Major/ Division/School	Course in English (See p.10)	Language		Admission	
			JPN	ENG	APR	OCT
Engineering 工学研究科	Electrical Engineering 電気エネルギーシステム		○	○	○	○
	Communications Engineering 通信工学		○	○	○	○
	Electronic Engineering 電子工学		○	○	○	○
	Applied Physics 応用物理学		○	○	○	○
	Applied Chemistry 応用化学		○	○	○	○
	Chemical Engineering 化学工学		○	○	○	○
	Biomolecular Engineering バイオ工学		○	○	○	○
	Metallurgy 金属フロンティア工学	IMSE	○	○	○	○
	Materials Science 知能デバイス材料科学		○	○	○	○
	Materials Processing 材料システム工学		○	○	○	○
	Civil Engineering and Environmental Engineering 土木工学	I-CEEC	○	○	○	○
Agricultural Science 農学研究科	Architecture and Building Science 都市・建築学		○	○	○	○
	Management Science and Technology 技術社会システム		○	○	○	○
	Biological Resource Sciences 資源生物科学	IPHS	○	○	○	○
International Cultural Studies 国際文化研究科	Life Sciences 応用生命科学		○	○	○	○
	Bioscience and Biotechnology for Future Bioindustries 生物産業創成科学		○	○	○	○
Information Sciences 情報科学研究科	International Cultural Studies 国際文化研究	IGPLS G2SD	○	○	○	○
	Computer and Mathematical Sciences 情報基礎科学	ITSC DSP II	○	○	○	○
	System Information Sciences システム情報科学		○	○	○	○
	Human-Social Information Sciences 人間社会情報科学		○	○	○	○
Life Sciences 生命科学研究科	Applied Information Sciences 応用情報科学		○	○	○	○
	Integrative Life Sciences 脳生命統御科学	ICLS DSP II	○	○	○	○
	Ecological Developmental Adaptability Life Sciences 生態発生適応科学		○	○	○	○
Environmental Studies 環境科学研究科	Molecular and Chemical Life Sciences 分子化学生物学		○	○	○	○
	Environmental Studies for Advanced Society 先進社会環境学	IELP IPHS	○	○	○	○
Biomedical Engineering 医工学研究科	Frontier Sciences for Advanced Environment 先端環境創成学		○	○	○	○
	Biomedical Engineering 医工学	DSP II	○	○	○	○

Graduate Admission

大学院正規課程

If you wish to enter graduate school, you should first look for a prospective academic advisor in your preferred field. Please see our website to help you decide what kind of research you want to perform at Tohoku University. The application process differs depending on the graduate school.

Graduate Degree Program (Degree seeking students)

1. Get consent of acceptance from a prospective supervisor. 受入内諾の取得

You should first find a prospective supervisor. Find faculty members in the field of your interest, contact them, and obtain consent of acceptance.

申請には、まず受入教員を見つける必要があります。希望する研究分野の教員をWEBで検索し、直接連絡のうえ受入許可を取得してください。

— To search by name, school, field, or keyword:

氏名、分野、キーワードから探す

Academic Research Staff at Tohoku University

東北大学研究者紹介

— To search by department and/or school:

研究科、専攻から探す

Tohoku University > Academics > Graduate Schools

— To search courses in English:

英語による学位取得コースから探す

Tohoku University > Academics > Courses taught in English

2. Check application eligibility/procedure. 出願資格・手続きの確認

The following items differ depending on the graduate school. Contact the academic affairs section, or office in charge of admission directly or through your prospective supervisor for details.

— application eligibility, documents, and schedule

— entrance examination

— when and how to pay application fee

If you do not meet the requirement below you may need to take a preliminary screening. Confirm you are eligible to apply.

Master Course:

You have finished a total of 16 years of education from primary school to a 4-year university and earned, or expect to earn, a bachelor's degree.

Doctor Course:

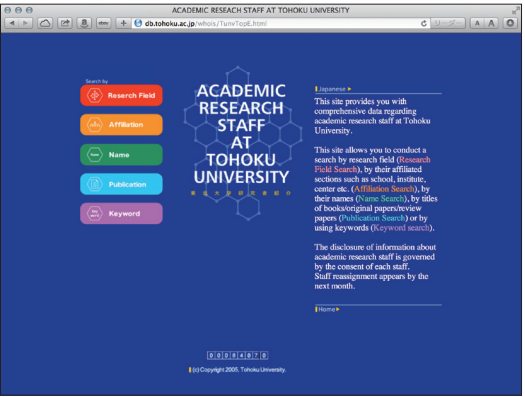
You have earned, or are expected to earn, a master's degree.

3. Submit application documents. 出願書類の提出

4. Take an exam. 受験

In some cases applicants for admission for courses taught in English can take the exam in English without coming to Japan. Contact the academic affairs section in other cases.

大学院に入学を希望する場合は、まず自分が希望する研究分野や、専門分野の教員を探す必要があります。東北大学でどんなことを研究したいのか、WEBで調べてみてください。入学を希望するコースや教員によって入学の方法が異なります。



http://db.tohoku.ac.jp/whois/

出願に係る手続きは研究科により異なります。詳細は、直接又は受入教員を通して教務係(又はその他の入試担当者)に連絡し確認してください。

— 出願資格、時期、書類

— 入学試験の実施方法・時期

— 検定料の支払い時期・方法

以下の出願資格に当てはまらない場合は、出願資格の確認のため事前審査が必要になる場合があります。

博士前期(修士)課程への出願:

初等から高等まで計12年以上の教育(日本の小中高校に相当)を受け、大学の4年制の課程を卒業により学士号を取得又は取得見込みの者

博士後期課程への出願:

修士号を取得又は取得見込みの者

英語による学位取得コースにより入学しようとする場合は、試験は英語で実施され、来日が不要な場合もあります。その他の場合の試験方法等については研究科により異なります。

Non-degree Programs

非正規生

Research Students

Tohoku University also actively recruits short-term non-degree international students, i.e. research students. In general, research students receive guidance for their research under an academic advisor. Some students enter as research students to receive academic guidance before applying to a degree-conferring program.

How to apply

To become a research student, you should first find a professor to be your academic advisor, and contact him/her directly. (This is similar to the graduate school application procedure.) Once you have found an academic advisor, you should undergo application procedures for the relevant faculty/graduate school. You may apply to a wide range of departments at Tohoku University, including faculties, graduate schools, and research institutes. As a research student, you must pay the designated examination, admission, and tuition fees. The term of study for research students is no more than one year.

Special Auditing Students and Special Research Students

Exchange students will be admitted to Tohoku University as Special Auditing Students or Special Research Students as per exchange.

Special Visiting Trainees

This status is given to students who receive training at Tohoku University for more than 3 days but less than 90 days. Students from countries having a visa waiver agreement with Japan usually do not obtain a student visa/student residential status. They are not "registered" students.

Japanese Language Program at Kawauchi for International Students and Scholars

東北大学日本語教育プログラム（外国人留学生等特別課程）

The Japanese Language Program at Kawauchi for International Students and Scholars aims to improve the participants' Japanese comprehension, and academic skills, while helping them adjust to their new living environment. The program is organized by the Institute for Excellence in Higher Education (IEHE) and held on Kawauchi Kita Campus. Japanese levels are numbered 1 (beginner) through 6 (advanced). Students can select classes matching their levels on a range of subjects, such as comprehensive Japanese, reading, listening, writing, usage, kanji, etc. Students in level 4 (intermediate) or higher can participate in International Co-learning Seminars on a variety of topics together with Japanese students. Students in level 5 (upper intermediate) or higher can take seminars on Japanese culture.

研究生

東北大学では、学位を取得しない短期の留学生も積極的に受け入れています。研究生として、指導教員の下に研究指導を受ける制度が一般的です。また、学位を取得する課程に入学する前に、指導を受けるために研究生となることがあります。

研究生になるには、大学院入試と同様に、はじめに指導を受ける教員を探し、直接教員に指導を依頼します。指導教員が決まったら、各学部・大学院などへ出願の手続きをとります。研究生は、東北大学の学部・大学院のほか、研究所などで広く受け入れられています。出願・入学には所定の検定料・入学料・授業料を払う必要があります。在学期間は1年以内です。

特別聴講学生・特別研究学生

本学が世界各国の高等教育機関と締結する大学間交流協定等に基づき在籍する交換留学生は、特別聴講学生又は特別研究学生として区分されます。

特別訪問研修生

3日以上90日未満の期間、東北大学で研修を行う場合の東北大学での身分です。通常、日本のビザ免除国では留学ビザ・留学の在留資格は取得しません。

Programs for Partner Institutions

協定校在籍者対象のプログラム

Tohoku University has an extensive range of Student Exchange Programs with universities throughout the world, which are open to undergraduate and graduate students. You might also be able to have your Tohoku University course work credited towards your degree back home.

Exchange Programs

- Junior Year Program in English (JYPE)
- International Program in Liberal Arts (IPLA)
- Cooperative Laboratory Study Program (COLABS)
- Direct Enrollment Education Program for Natural science students (DEEP)

Program	Duration	Language		Eligibility		Outline	Requirement (per semester)
		JPN	EN	U	G		
JYPE	2 semesters (F+S) 1 semester (F)		○	○ *1		• Lectures on Science, Engineering and Agricultural Science • Japanese language and culture courses • Research in a laboratory • Research presentation	13 TU credits or more
IPLA	2 semesters (F+S) 1 semester (F or S)		○	○ *2		• Lectures on Liberal Arts • Japanese language and culture courses • Activities with Japanese students • Final presentation	15 TU credits or more
COLABS	2 semesters (F+S, S+F) 1 semester (F or S)		○		○	• Research in a laboratory • Research presentation	30 ECTS equivalent credits (*3) or more in research
DEEP	2 semesters (F+S, S+F) 1 semester (F or S)	○		○ *4		• Auditing classes	13 TU credits or more

*1: 3rd or 4th year only
*2: 2nd to 4th year only
*3: 750 school hours
*4: Japanese proficiency (JLPT N1 recommended) is required to take classes taught in Japanese.

F=Fall (Oct.-Feb.) S=Spring (Apr.-Aug.)
U= Undergraduate G=Graduate
TU=Tohoku University

Financial Aid

Since these programs are based on exchange agreements between Tohoku University and the students' home institutions, tuition fees are waived for exchange students. Although the students themselves should bear the cost of living, they are eligible to apply for the JASSO Student Exchange Support Program (Scholarship for Short-term Study in Japan), which provides an allowance of 80,000 yen/month for the duration of study. Applicants will be asked to indicate their intention at the time of application.

For more information: <https://www.insc.tohoku.ac.jp/english/exchange/>

Summer Programs

- Tohoku University Immersion in Japan Program (TUIP)
- Tohoku University Japanese Program (TUJP)
- Tohoku University STEM Summer Program (TSSP)

Program	Duration	Language		Eligibility		Outline	Credits Awarded
		JPN	EN	U	G		
TUIP	Apr. 27 – May 22, 2020 (4 weeks)	○	○	○		Lectures on Japanese Language, Culture Local festival “Suzume odori”	
TUJP	Session I: May 27 – Jun.23, 2020 (4 weeks) Session II: Jul. 1 – Jul. 14, 2020 (2 weeks)	○	○	○		Lectures on Japanese Language, Culture and Society	4-week programs: 8 ECTS equivalent credits 2-week programs: 4 ECTS equivalent credits
TSSP	Jun. 15 – Jul. 10, 2020 (4 weeks)		○	○		Lectures on Science and Engineering	

Please see the website for the latest information: <https://www.insc.tohoku.ac.jp/english/short/>

Double Degree Program

The Double Degree Program is based on memorandums of understanding between Tohoku University and the following partner institutions. Under this program, students can undergo research guidance at Tohoku University and their home institution and receive master's degrees from both universities.

Program	Double Degree Program
Fields	Engineering, Information Sciences, Environmental Studies, Science (except KTH), Agricultural Science (only KTH)
Eligibility	Master students
Partner universities	Ecole Centrale Group (France) INSA de Lyon (France) KTH Royal Institute of Technology (Sweden)
Duration	2 to 2.5 years
Language	English and /or Japanese

International Joint Graduate Programs

Collaborating with leading universities abroad, International Joint Graduate Programs enhance the students' competitive edge in fields where Tohoku University has strengths. Supervised by both home and host universities, students receive a degree from their home university, along with a certificate of joint-supervision. <http://ijg.pgd.tohoku.ac.jp/>

Programs	Contact
Spintronics	Graduate School of Science
Materials Science	Graduate School of Engineering
Physics for the Universe	Graduate School of Science
Earth and Environmental Sciences	Graduate School of Science
Integration of Mechanical Systems	Graduate School of Engineering
Data Science	Graduate School of Information Sciences
Neuro Global	Graduate School of Life Sciences
Resilience and Safety Studies	Graduate School of Environmental Studies
Japanese Studies	Graduate School of Arts and Letters

Fees and Expenses 費用

Tohoku University's application, admission, and tuition fees are shown in the table below. (in Japanese yen)

		Application Fee / 検定料	Admission Fee / 入学料	Tuition / 授業料
Degree Students 正規生	Undergraduate Students / 学部生	17,000	282,000	535,800 (per year)
	Graduate Students / 大学院生	30,000		
	Law School Students / 法科大学院生	30,000	282,000	804,000 (per year)
	Accounting School Students / 会計大学院生	30,000	282,000	589,300 (per year)
Non-degree Students 非正規生	Research Students / 研究生	9,800	84,600	29,700 (per month)
	Special Research Students / 特別研究学生	-	-	29,700 (per month)
	Credited Auditors / 科目等履修生	9,800	28,200	14,800 (per credit)
	Special Auditing Students / 特別聴講学生	-	-	14,800 (per credit)

※ 検定料、入学料、授業料は変更になることがあります。Above fees are subject to change.
※ 再入学・転入学及び編入学の場合、30,000円。 30,000 yen in case of re-admission, transference, transfer admission.

Fee Waivers 入学料・授業料免除

Degree students who find it difficult to pay the admission fee and/or tuition for economic reasons may be granted a waiver on application and screening.
* Non-degree students are not eligible for the waivers.

正規課程在籍(予定)者が、経済的事由等により、入学料及び授業料の納付が困難である場合に、申請により選考の上、免除が許可される場合があります。授業料免除の申請は、毎学期審査が必要です。
*非正規生は、免除の対象ではありません。

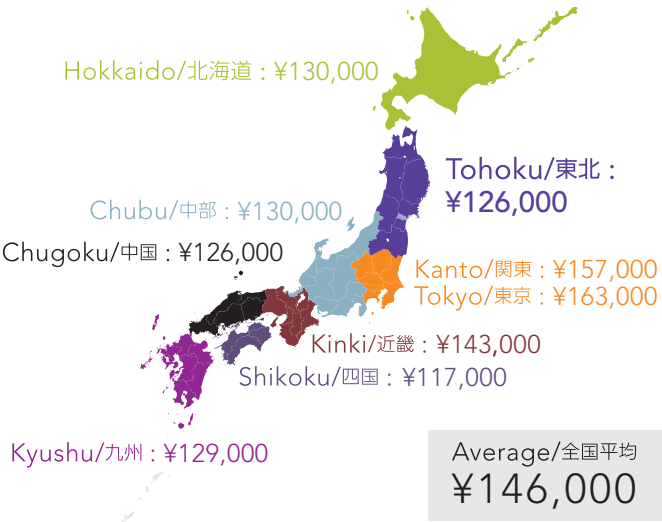
	Full	2/3	Half	1/3	Application Period	Result Notification
Admission Fee	○	○	○	○		
Tuition: Spring Semester	○	○	○	○	February - March	Mid-July
Tuition: Fall Semester	○	○	○	○	August - September	Mid-December

Living Expenses 生活費

The cost of rent and living in Sendai is cheaper compared to other major Japanese cities. Monthly living expenses are around 120,000 yen, which is relatively low for Japan, making it a very livable city.

仙台での生活費の目安は月額12万円と全国平均よりも安く、暮らしやすい都市と言えます。

Average Monthly Living Cost by Region
地域別平均生活費／月



Source: Lifestyle Survey of Privately Financed International Students 2017, Japan Student Services Organization (JASSO)
出典: JASSO平成29年度私費外国人留学生生活実態調査

Housing 住居・寮

International students are provided housing in dormitories, such as the Tohoku University International House and University House. Tohoku University provides international students with various types of housing support to help them find suitable housing relatively easily. Housing costs vary depending on location and other conditions.

東北大学では、留学生に対してさまざまなハウジングサポートを行っていますので、自分に合った宿舎を安心して探すことができます。住居費は、地域差その他の条件により異なりますが、およそ次のとおりです。

		Room Type		Eligibility		Rent* per month	Maintenance Fee per month	Deposit	Duration
		Undergrad	Grad						
International House									
Sanjo I	Single	○	○	13,000	1,000	30,000	6-12 months		
	Couple	○	○	21,000					
	Family	○	○	25,000					
Sanjo II	Single	○	○	22,800					
	Couple	○	○	32,000					
	Family	○	○	50,000					
Higashi Sendai	Single	○	○	10,000			Until graduation (program completion)		
	Single	○	○	22,000					
	Couple	○	○	33,000					
University House									
Sanjo	Single A	○		21,600	2,500	30,000	6-12 months		
	Single B		○	22,000	3,100				
Sanjo II	Single	○	○	22,000	2,500				
Sanjo III	Single	○	○	22,000	1,500				
Nagamachi	Single	○	○	22,000	1,500				
Katahira	Single		○	25,000	1,000				
Aobayama	Single	○	○	28,000	1,500		6-24 months		

*水道光熱費は含まれません。Utilities such as electricity, water, and gas are not included.

Private apartment

		(in Japanese yen)			
		Rent per month	Maintenance Fee	Utilites	Deposit/Key money
Private apartment	Single Approx. 40,000-70,000	★	★	★	★

*物件によりさまざまです。契約手数料・仲介料がかかる場合もあります。Fees vary depending on the apartment. The real estate agent might charge handling or mediation fees.



Study in SENDAI

City of Trees

Combining the convenience of a modern city with abundant natural scenery, Sendai, where Tohoku University is located, is often called "the City of Trees."

There are seasonal events throughout the year, attracting tourists from around the nation and local residents alike. Sendai is situated between the ocean and mountains with easy access to hot spring spas, ski resorts, and the scenic coastal islands of Matsushima.

Art

There is an impressive variety of museums, galleries and concert halls. Sendai offers rich collections of art from all around Japan and overseas.

博物館、美術館、コンサートホールなどの施設も充実しており、音楽、演劇、芸術、歴史の世界に触れることができます。

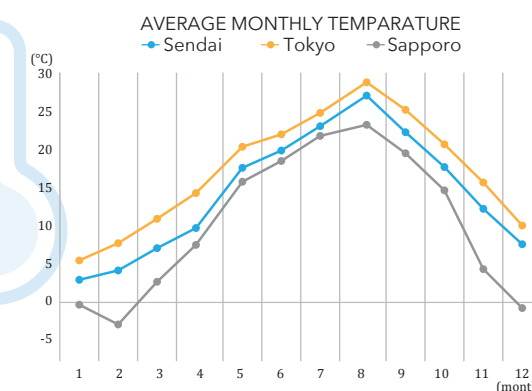
Sports

The city of Sendai offers its guests and residents a broad variety of cultural activities. The games of the city's own professional baseball, soccer, volleyball, and basketball teams are among the most popular events.

仙台には、野球、サッカー、バスケのプロチームの拠点があり、ホームゲームには多くの市民が駆け付けます。

Climate

Average
14°C



Sendai is characterized by a very moderate climate, yet you can experience the beauty of the four seasons. There are only a few days in summer reaching 30°C (86°F) and few days in winter colder than -3°C (26°F) and little snow.

仙台は四季の変化に富みながら、穏やかな気候で暮らしやすい街です。夏は 30°C を超える日も数日ありますが比較的過ごしやすい気候です。冬はマイナス 3°C 以下 1m 以上の積雪はほとんどありません。



Events

May
5



August
8



September
9



December
12



Financial Aid

奨学金

A variety of scholarship opportunities are offered to international students at Tohoku university. Most scholarships accept applications from students already enrolled.

外国人留学生を対象とした多様な奨学金制度があります。入学後の申請が一般的です。

Japanese Government (MEXT) Scholarship

<https://www.studyinjapan.go.jp/ja/>

There are two ways to apply for the Japanese Government (Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology; MEXT) Scholarship. Once selected, awardees benefit from fee waivers and a monthly stipend*1 until the stipulated period*2.

*1. 147,000 yen for doctoral students at Tohoku University (as of the year 2019)
*2. Years usually required to complete the program (e.g. 2 years for master course)

日本政府(文部科学省)奨学金

国費外国人留学生(文部科学省奨学金)へは、次の2つの応募方法があります。採用者は、標準修了年限*2まで授業料等免除及び奨学金の給付*1を受けることができます。

*1. 博士後期課程147,000円/月(2019年度現在)
他在籍課程等により異なる。
*2. 課程を修了するのに通常必要とされる年数
(例; 博士前期課程の場合、入学から2年間)

Applying from outside of Japan before Admission

1. Embassy Recommendation

You apply for a scholarship through an embassy or consulate general of Japan in your country or region of residence, take a primary screening, and then choose the universities you wish to enter. Admission can be in April or October.

2. University Recommendation

You apply for the scholarship through Tohoku University as a prospective applicant for admission. Admission under this scheme is only in October.

海外から応募する場合

1. 大使館推薦

居住する国・地域の公館へ申請し、一次審査通過後に入学する大学を選択します。入学時期は4月と10月から選べます。

2. 大学推薦

出願予定者として、東北大学を通じて申請します。入学時期は10月です。

Monbukagakusho Honors Scholarship

http://www.jasso.go.jp/en/study_j/scholarships/index.html

Self-financed international students can apply for the Monbukagakusho Honors Scholarship offered by the Japanese Student Services Organization (JASSO) through Tohoku University. Once selected, awardees benefit from monthly stipends (48,000 yen) for up to 12 months.

文部科学省外国人留学生学習奨励費(留学生受け入れ促進プログラム)

私費外国人留学生が東北大学を通じて申請し、採用されると(独)日本学生支援機構(JASSO)から、最長12ヶ月間奨学金(48,000円/月)が給付されます。

Tohoku University President Fellowship

This scholarship system is unique to Tohoku University. It provides an amount covering tuition fees for international students of excellent character and academic standing. For application information, students should inquire with their desired faculty or graduate school.

東北大学外国人留学生総長特別奨学生

東北大学独自の奨学生制度で、人物、学業ともに優れた外国人留学生に対し、授業料相当額を支給します。

Other Scholarships

http://www.jasso.go.jp/en/study_j/scholarships/index.html

Some private foundations or other organizations in Japan offer scholarships for international students. These scholarships vary with regards to recruitment procedures, eligible fields of study and amount.

その他の奨学金

民間財団等の奨学金制度は、募集、対象者・分野、金額、期間等はそれぞれ異なるため、個別に確認が必要です。

Career Support

キャリア支援

東北イノベーション人材育成プログラム

DATEntre Tohoku Innovation Human Resources Development Program

This program is aimed at international students who want to find full-time employment within Japan through collaboration between local industry, academia, and government. Its goal is to develop human resources ready to hit the ground running and play a role in Japan's future economic development.

① Japanese Language and Career Education

Learning business-level Japanese and developing an improved understanding of Japanese business culture and organizational culture can prove valuable when trying to find full-time employment at a Japanese company. Job-hunting in Japan requires filling in entry sheets, going to interviews, and more, all of which require Japanese communication ability.

② International Coeducation and PBL

Working alongside Japanese students to solve problems at companies is a great way for everyone to learn about each other's ways of thinking and values. This can be a great chance to make Japanese friends, who can share information that could come in handy when looking for full-time employment later on.

③ Internships

Experience work firsthand at a Japanese company, with instructions beforehand on business etiquette and personal goal-setting, as well as a follow-up review. Internships can help with establishing a career path and making decisions about the life you hope to lead in Japan.

Applying for the Tohoku Innovation Human Resources Development Program

The program starts twice a year, in April and in October! Applications are accepted from January through March, and from July through September, so don't forget to sign up! If you have any questions, feel free to contact the office for DATEntre.

<https://datentre.ihe.tohoku.ac.jp/>



Office for DATEntre
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<https://datentre.ihe.tohoku.ac.jp/>



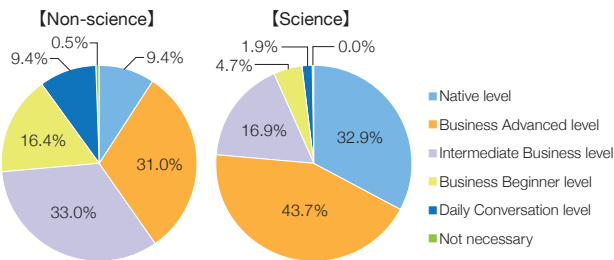
Visit This Web Page for Details!

Japanese Employer Screening Flowchart

Dec. ~ Mar.	Entry	Collect information Self-analysis/internships
Feb. ~ May	Employer Briefings	Job-hunting seminars Industry research
Feb. ~ Mar.	Resumes/ES(Entry Sheet)	Job-hunting seminars, internships
Apr. ~ May	Tests	Written tests in Japanese SPI, Tamatebako and so on
May ~ Aug.	Interviews (several times)	Group interview, Individual interview
May ~ Aug.	Offer (unofficial offer)	Oct. 1st: Job Offer Ceremony

Job hunting in Japan starts before graduation. Therefore, it is necessary to balance job hunting and research activities. It is especially important for students who will complete their studies in September to plan ahead.

Japanese Communication Level Required of international Students for Job Offer



Japanese companies require international students to have a high level of Japanese communication skills.

Center for Career Support

Services

- Career Consultation in English and Japanese (up to 30 minutes)
- Career Guidance (in English) for job hunting in Japan, Networking Event and Job Fair (in Japanese)
- Many reference materials available.

Please e-mail us for an appointment. datentre@grp.tohoku.ac.jp

Open Hours

8:30 – 18:30 (Mon. – Fri.)

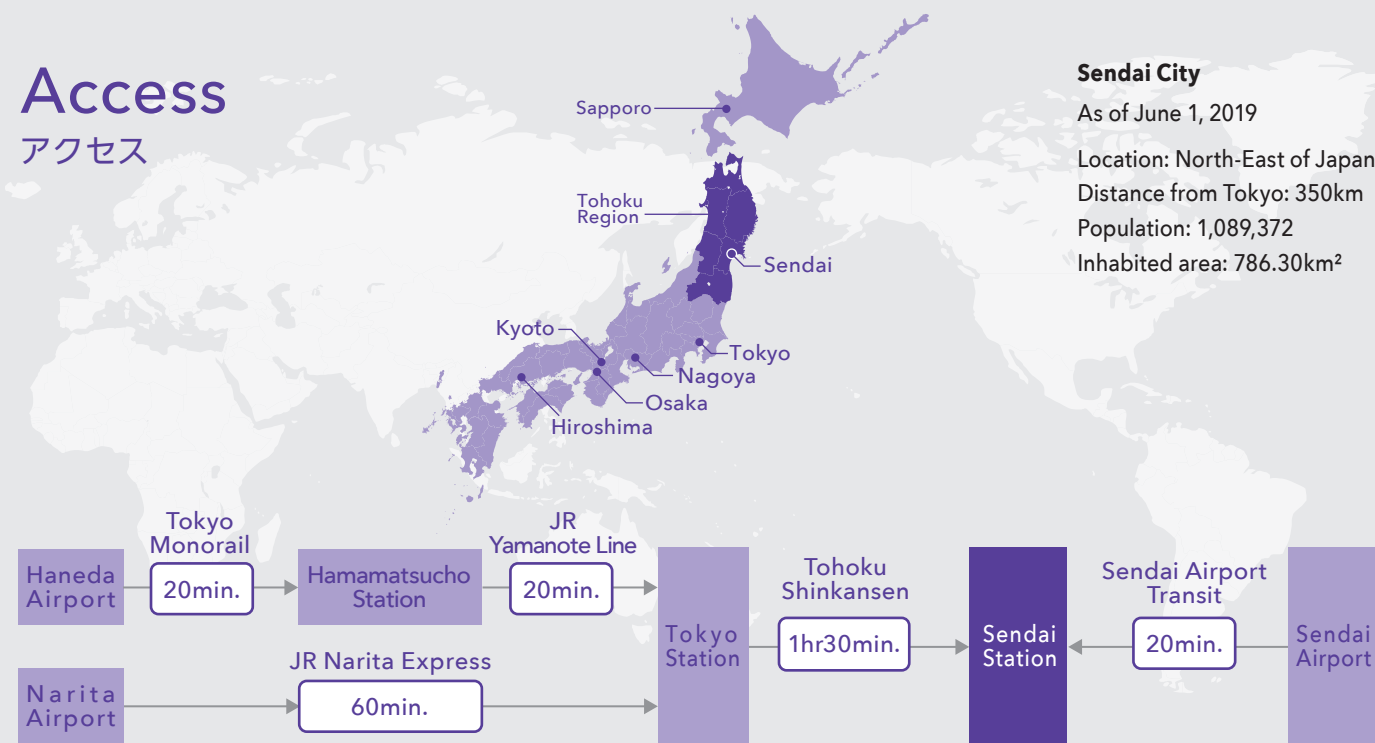
Access

Kawauchi Kita Campus,
Education and Student Support Center,
3rd Floor



Education and Student Support Center (A01)

Access アクセス



Campuses キャンパス

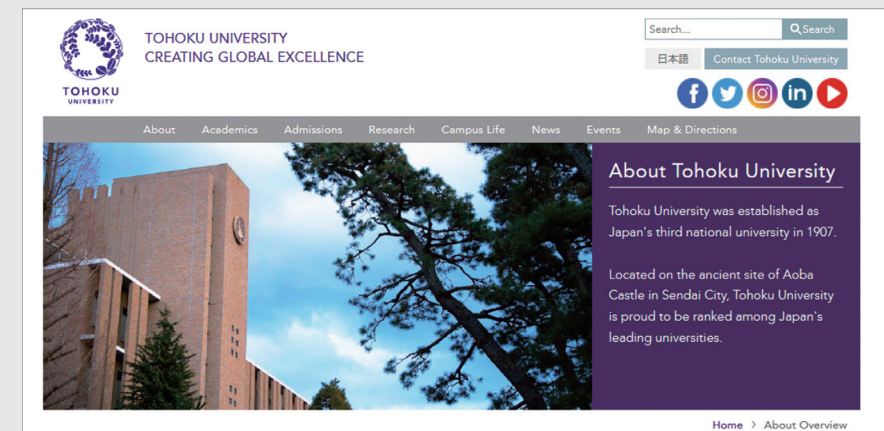
Located on four campuses in the city of Sendai, the university is comprised of 10 undergraduate faculties, 15 graduate schools, 6 research institutes, 14 research centers, and the University Hospital. All campuses are connected by subway and are located about 10 minutes from the downtown area.

東北大学には、仙台市内に 4 つキャンパスがあります。10 学部、15 研究科、6 附置研究所、14 研究センターなど、及び大学院から成り立っています。キャンパスは地下鉄駅に隣接しており市内中心部まで約 10 分くらいです。



The campus bus runs between the campuses for Tohoku University students and staff.

Contact Information



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TOHOKU
UNIVERSITY
GLOBAL SITE

<https://www.tohoku.ac.jp/en/index.html>



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