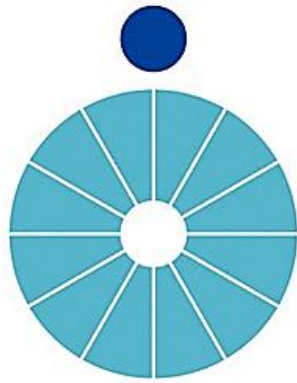


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RESEARCH SCHOLARSHIP

Spend 18 or 24 months conducting independent research at a university in Japan under the supervision of a professor. Research can be conducted in any field of study.

Requirements: Bachelor's Degree, U.S. Citizenship, age 34 or younger at time of departure.

Benefits: Full tuition, Airfare, ¥143,000 monthly stipend. Free housing may be available.

Timeline: Applications available in April and due in June. In-person interviews and exams in July. Depart for Japan in April or September of the following year.

JAPANESE STUDIES SCHOLARSHIP

College students majoring in Japanese Language or Studies can spend 1 year furthering their studies at a university in Japan.

Requirements: Japan-related major, U.S. citizenship, ages 18-30 at time of departure.

Benefits: Full tuition, Airfare, approx. ¥125,000 monthly stipend.

Timeline: Applications available in January and due in February/March. In-person Interviews in March. Depart for Japan in September of that year.

UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP

Spend up to 5 years at a Japanese university as an undergraduate student in the Social Sciences/Humanities or Natural Sciences.

Requirements: U.S. Citizenship, completed 12 yrs. of school, ages 16-21 at time of departure.

Benefits: Full tuition, Airfare, ¥117,000 monthly stipend.

Timeline: Applications available in April and due in June. In-person Interviews in July. Depart for Japan in April of the following year.

SPECIALIZED TRAINING SCHOLARSHIP

Spend up to 3 years at a Japanese professional training school studying one of several fields: Technology, Fashion, Healthcare, Media, etc.

Requirements: U.S. Citizenship, completed 12 yrs. of school, ages 16-21 at time of departure.

Benefits: Full tuition, Airfare, ¥117,000 monthly stipend.

Timeline: Applications available in April and due in June. In-person Interviews in July. Depart for Japan in April of the following year.

Requirements and benefits are as of January 2014. Please visit us online for more information.

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