

STEP@TUAT



Short Term Exchange Program in Science and Engineering at Tokyo University of Agriculture and Technology

One Semester

Oct.2018~Mar.2019

**Deadline of the application is
28 February 2018 !**

Two Semesters

Oct.2018~Sep.2019

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*Please check the detail of
STEP@TUAT program at
our Web site !*

(1) Objectives

- (1) To provide international students with opportunities for education and research regarding the latest industry and technology in Japan.
- (2) To contribute to the development of science and technology through cooperative research and work with international students.
- (3) To promote the globalization of TUAT by fostering the relationship between TUAT students and international students.
- (4) To give a better understanding of Japan to international students.



(2) Outline

- (1) Program starts in October.
- (2) Courses are offered in English.
- (3) Credits are awarded in the courses.
- (4) Number of students enrolled is about 20.

(3) Academic Calender (2018-2019)

Fall Semester	Spring Semester
October 2018- March 2019	April 2019 - September 2019
Category U1, V2, GR	Category V2, GR

(4) Admission Requirements

- (1) Applicants must be enrolled in either a regular undergraduate (3rd or 4th year : **U1** or **V2**), master program (**V2** or **GR**), or doctoral program (**GR**) at an overseas institutions which have concluded a student exchange agreement with TUAT as of October 1, 2018.
- (2) Applicants must be enrolled in a regular undergraduate (**U1** or **V2**), master program (**V2** or **GR**), or doctoral program (**GR**) at their home institutions as of September 30, 2019.
- (3) A basic knowledge of Japanese language is not an essential requirement for the STEP@TUAT students. Applicants must, however, be proficient in English. Students from non-English speaking countries should submit the results of TOEFL or other equivalent documents.

(5) Student Status at STEP@TUAT(3 Categories)

Status	Category	Present Status in Home institution as of October 1, 2018
Special Auditing Student (Fall Semester)	U1	Undergraduate (Yr.3 or Yr.4)
Special Auditing Student (Fall and Spring Semesters)	V2	Undergraduate (Yr.3 or Yr.4) Master's Program
Special Research Student (Fall and Spring Semesters)	GR	Master's and Doctoral Program

(5-1) Admission Process for Special Auditing Student (Category **U1** and **V2**)

Students interested in STEP@TUAT should contact the International Exchange Office of their home institution for information about STEP@TUAT. Applicants need to go through the selection process for students from their home institution, established by the academic exchange agreement.

(5-2) Admission Process for Special Research Student (Category **GR**)

Students interested in STEP@TUAT should contact the International Exchange Office of their home institution and find an academic advisor at TUAT with the help of professor or the International Exchange Office of applicant's home institution. When mailing the following documents, please remember to include correspondence records with your future academic advisor at TUAT, such as copies of e-mails, showing the agreement of acceptance by the academic advisor in the package with the application.

(6) Academic Program

Japanese Language Course /Fall Semester	credits
Elementary Japanese I	3
Intermediate Japanese I	3
Advanced Japanese I	2
Elementary Japanese IS	2
Intermediate Japanese IS	2
Advanced Japanese IS	2

Japanese Studies Course /Fall Semester	credits
Intercultural Communication	2
Japanese Culture	2
Language and Society	2



Science and Technology /Fall Semester	credits
Japanese Science and Technology	2
International Cooperation of Science and Technology	2
Science and Technology in the Global Era	2
Engineering for Sustainable Society	2
Advanced Study on Agriculture I	2
Advanced Study on Agriculture II	2
Advanced Study on Agriculture III	2
Advanced Study on Agriculture IV	2
Advanced Study on Engineering I	2
Advanced Study on Engineering II	2
Advanced Study on Engineering III	2
Advanced Study on Engineering IV	2

Science and Technology /Spring or 1 year	credits
Independent Study	5 or 10

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(7) Credit Requirements

All the courses offered in STEP@TUAT are elective. Student will select and register for courses of their choice at the beginning of each semester.

Minimum Credit Requirements for each student category

Student Status and Category	Japanese Language Course	Japanese Studies Course	Science and Technology Course	Independent Study Compulsory	Total
Special Auditing Student (Category U1)	3	4	10	-	17
Special Auditing Student (Category V2)	3	4	10	5	22
Special Research Student (Category GR)	0	0	0	0	10

JASSO Scholarship (optional)

Successful applicants to STEP@TUAT are encouraged to apply for the Japan Student Services Organization (JASSO) Scholarship for Short-Term Study in Japan. The program is intended to promote student exchange between universities in Japan and their overseas partner institutions, thereby mutually enhancing the quality of their educational and scholastic activities while promoting understanding and friendship between the participating countries.

Monthly Stipend paid by JASSO Scholarship

Monthly Stipend is 80,000 JPY.

The amount is subject to change depending on the Japanese Government Budget for 2018.

*For detail of JASSO scholarship,
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