

GraSPP CAMPUS Asia Plus Application Guidelines

Important Notice

The current CAMPUS Asia Mode 3 program (a project subsidized by the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology) will end in March 2026. After a selection period of about seven to eight months, the program will transition to Mode 4 if it is successfully selected. The details of our university's initiatives under Mode 4 have not yet been decided.

Regardless of whether the program is selected or not, studying abroad at partner universities (both DD and Ex) will remain possible under the existing agreements. However, please apply with full understanding that the content of the program and the financial support currently provided under CAMPUS Asia may change without notice.

1. Eligibility

- Students enrolled in Master of Public Policy at GraSPP, or scheduled to be enrolled from April or September 2026
- Japanese nationality or Korean nationality with special permanent resident status (other nationalities are subject to consultation※)

	DD	EX
Peking University (PKU) ※	iBT>100	iBT>80 (>90 is preferable)
Seoul National University (SNU)	iBT >80 at the time of application iBT 96~99 required for graduation (See the required score of your major)	Not specified (iBT>90 is preferable)
National University of Singapore (NUS)	iBT>100	iBT>90 (>93 is preferable)

※Since the CAMPUS Asia Program is a CJK-ASEAN student exchange program, we especially encourage participation by Japanese and Korean nationals with special permanent resident status. Students of Chinese nationality are not eligible to study at Peking University.

2. Period of Study Abroad and Options

The following study abroad options which begin in the Fall 2026 are available (see Appendix for details):

	PKUDD 2027.9~2028.7	SNUDD 2026.9~2027.7 2027.3~2027.12	NUSDD 2027.8~2028.6
PKUEX (Spring, Fall)		OK	OK
SNUEX (Spring, Fall)	OK Apply in Feb 2026		OK
NUSEX (Fall only)		OK	

- ① **Basic options:** Double Degree (2 semesters) + Exchange (1 semester), or Exchange (1 semester) + Exchange (1 semester).
- ② Students will study at GraSPP in their first year and go abroad from the second year onward. The period of enrollment at GraSPP, including the study-abroad period, will be a minimum of 2 years and a maximum of 3 years.
- ③ **Applicants enrolling in October 2025 may apply for the Peking University Double Degree only if they extend their enrollment to 3 years. Applications will be accepted in February 2026.**
- ④ From the fall 2026 dispatch onward, it will also be possible to choose only a single Double Degree with one partner university or only an Exchange option. However, since students choosing the basic options will be given priority, these alternatives will be available only if there are remaining slots.
- ⑤ Please note that students with Chinese nationality are not permitted to study abroad at Peking University (for both DD and EX).
- ⑥ **Concurrent applications to CAMPUS Asia and other study-abroad programs are not allowed.**

3. Financial Support

1. Scholarship through the Japan Student Services Organization (JASSO) Overseas Study Support Program
 ※There are various conditions for receiving this benefit, such as nationality, academic performance standards, and infectious disease risk level. It is also subject to change from year to year. This scholarship is granted only while studying at the host university on site (taking courses online is not applicable). Details will be provided to eligible participants.
2. Dormitories provided by the host university (except LKY)
3. Tuition waiver at the host university (except LKYDD)

※Important: Please note that the above financial support will apply to study abroad programs that begin by the end of March 2026 under the current Mode 3; it has not yet been determined whether the same support will continue for study abroad programs that begin in April 2027 or later.

4. Application Documents

Apply directly through [this link](#) and upload the following documents [here](#) during the application period.

1. TOEFL official score report (certified within two years, photocopy acceptable)
 2. Latest academic transcript (Japanese or English, photocopy acceptable)
- ※If you have trouble uploading your documents, please contact the GraSPP office by emailing to the below address as indicated on “8.”

5. Screening Method

Documentation screening and online interview in English

6. Schedule

Application period:	February 16 – February 27, 2026
Interview Date:	March 4, 2026 p.m.
Announcement of acceptance:	March 6, 2026

※If you choose PKUDD, please note that you need to apply to Peking University right after the result is announced.

7. Notes

- ◆ Successful applicants will need to submit the following documents to the host universities, please consider preparing as soon as possible. Please note as the procedures may change from year to year, the latest information will be communicated to the students as soon as the host university announces an opening.
 - Recommendation Letters (1 or 2) ※SNU has a designated format.
 - Academic Transcripts (Undergraduate and Graduate, in English)
 - Certificate of Highest Degree Attained (Certificate of Undergraduate Diploma or Graduate School Enrollment, in English)
 - Application Form (designated forms)
 - ID Photos
- ※The final decision on whether or not to accept a student for study abroad is left to each host university.
- ◆ Students who pass the selection process at GraSPP will join the program as CAMPUS Asia students and are required to take the "CAMPUS Asia Joint Course: International Public Policy in East Asia" (2 credits each for S and A semester). Although it is advised to take the course(s) before studying abroad, please plan according to your own period of study and enrollment.

8. Application and inquiries

CAMPUS Asia Program, Graduate School of Public Policy, The University of Tokyo
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9. Reference information of each school

<div style="text-align: center;">  北京大学国际关系学院 School of International Studies, Peking University 北京大学 國際關係學院 Peking University / School of International Studies </div>	
Features	<p>Peking University is one of the first national key universities established in 1898 as a national university. As China's premier institution of higher learning, it has produced many politicians and scientists. It is also adjacent to Zhongguancun, China's Silicon Valley, where numerous IT industries and research centers are located.</p> <p>The School of International Studies accepts students with a solid foundation in their undergraduate major and a desire to actively study Chinese diplomacy and international relations. The "Master of International Relations" course, to which students studying abroad under the CAMPUS Asia program belong, is small, with a maximum of 20 students per academic year, and combines theory and practice, allowing students to learn in English about politics, diplomacy, and social development in modern China in depth. It is also possible to earn a master's degree from Peking University if you fulfill the requirements for earning the required credits, writing a research paper, and passing an oral examination.</p>
Website	http://www.sis.pku.edu.cn/

Dispatch and application timing	Dispatch Period	Application Period	
		DD	EX
	Fall Semester: September to mid-January Spring Semester: Mid-February to late June	Around March-April of the previous year ※Double degree programs start in fall only. Application is required at 18 months prior to the start of study abroad.	Around March-April of the same year Around October to November of the previous year
Degrees available in double degree programs	Master of Law (ML)		
Credit recognition	If approved, credits may be transferred within the limit of 23 credits. 1. Credit only transfer: PKU 3 credits = UTokyo 3 credits 2. Credit transfer to GraSPP similar course: (PKU→GraSPP) PKU 3credit = Number of credits for courses offered at UTokyo (GraSPP→PKU) UTokyo 3 courses 6 credits = PKU 3 courses 9 credits		
Language study	DD: Chinese language classes required (with credit) EX: Auditing of Chinese language classes strongly recommended (no credit)		
TOEFL score requirement	DD: TOEFL iBT 100 or higher EX: TOEFL iBT 80 or higher		
Tuition fees	Exempted (paid at the University of Tokyo, not collected at the host institution)		
Financial support	JASSO Scholarship: 80,000 yen/month (Only if you meet the requirements for grades, nationality, etc.) Student dormitory provided (by lottery, shared rooms)		

<div style="text-align: center;">  <p>GRADUATE SCHOOL OF INTERNATIONAL STUDIES</p> <p>SEOUL NATIONAL UNIVERSITY</p> <p>ソウル大学校 国際大学院</p> <p>Seoul National University / Graduate School of International Studies</p> </div>	
Features	<p>Seoul National University was established in 1946 as the first national university in Korea by merging nine technical colleges. It is currently composed of 16 colleges, five general graduate schools and six specialized graduate schools. Kim Young-sam (14th President), Kim Jong-guk (11th and 31st State Ministers), Ban Ki-moon (8th Secretary General of the United Nations), and Yun Si-yeol (20th President) are also graduates of Seoul National University.</p> <p>The Graduate School of International Studies offers a curriculum that balances advanced knowledge with the practical skills to apply it, with the aim of fostering leaders who can lead a rapidly and complex globalized society. The school train students for academic and practical careers in a wide range of fields, including bureaucracies, international organizations, research institutes, think tanks, multinational corporations, media, and universities. They also offer a special learning environment that sets it apart from other universities, with leading instructors in the fields of international trade, international cooperation, international relations studies, and Korean studies.</p>

Website	https://gsis.snu.ac.kr/		
Dispatch and application timing	Dispatch Period (In case of DD, the term when dispatch starts)	Application Period	
		DD	EX
	Fall Semester: Early September - Late December	Around January to March of the same year	Around January to March of the same year
	Spring Semester: Late February - Late June	Around August to September of the previous year	Around August to September of the previous year
Degrees available in double degree programs	Master of International Studies (MIS)		
Credit recognition	If approved, credits may be transferred within the limit of 23 credits. 1. Credit only transfer: SNU 3 credits = UTokyo 3 credits 2. Credit transfer to GraSPP similar course: (SNU→GraSPP) SNU 3credits = Number of credits for courses offered at UTokyo (GraSPP→SNU) UTokyo 2 credits = SNU 2 credits		
Language study	It is strongly recommended that students take classes (no credit) offered at the Korean Language Education Center. Students must cover the cost in advance.		
TOEFL score requirement	DD: TOEFL iBT around 80 at the time of application ※However, a minimum score of 96-99 is required for completion (varies by major) EX: TOEFL not required, GPA 3.3 or higher		
Tuition fees	Exempted (paid at the University of Tokyo, not collected at the host institution)		
Financial support	JASSO Scholarship: 90,000 yen/month (Only if you meet the requirements for grades, nationality, etc.) Student dormitory provided (by lottery, shared rooms)		

 Lee Kuan Yew School of Public Policy シンガポール国立大学リー・クワン・ユー公共政策大学院 National University of Singapore / Lee Kuan Yew School of Public Policy		
Features	Founded in 1905, the National University of Singapore is one of Singapore's leading comprehensive universities and is the highest rated university in Singapore, with excellent research staff and facilities. Student and researcher exchanges with Japan are also active. The Lee Kuan Yew School of Public Policy is also an active member of the Global Public Policy Network (GPPN), a network of the world's top public policy schools, and offers a double degree program with Columbia University's School of International and Public Policy (SIPA) and the London School of Economics (LSE) and a student exchange program with the Hertie School.	
Website	https://lkyspp.nus.edu.sg/	
Dispatch and application timing	Dispatch Period	Application Period
		DD EX



	Fall Semester : August-December	Mid-January to mid-February of the same year ※Double degree program starting in fall only.	※upon consultation
	Spring Semester: January - May		
Degrees available in double degree programs	Master in Public Policy (MPP)		
Credit recognition	If approved, credits may be transferred within the limit of 23 credits. 1. Credit only transfer: NUS 4 MCs = UTokyo 3 credits 2. Credit transfer to GraSPP similar course: Please contact us for details.		
Language study			
TOEFL score requirement	DD: TOEFL iBT 100 or higher		
Tuition fees	For double degree students, tuition will be charged. See here .		
Financial support	JASSO Scholarship: 120,000 yen/month (Only if you meet the requirements for grades, nationality, etc.) Student dormitory provided (by lottery, shared rooms)		