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Graduate Schools
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Japanese Language and Culture Program Preparatory Course (Bekka)
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Division of International Affairs
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Kansai University

Kansai University, founded in 1886, is a private university with 134 years of history. All of its campuses are located in Osaka. As the largest city in western Japan, Osaka has long been famous as a cultural center. Located about an hour from Kyoto, Nara, and Kobe, Kansai University offers international students the opportunity to encounter a variety of historical and cultural sites while they are pursuing their studies.

13 undergraduate faculties and 2 professional graduate schools

Undergraduate Faculties

- Faculty of Law
- Department of Law and Politics

- Faculty of Letters

- University of General Humanities
  - Department of History and Geography
  - Department of European Studies

- Faculty of Economics
  - Department of Economics

- Department of Business and Commerce

- Faculty of Sociology

- Faculty of Policy Studies

- Department of Department of Policy Studies
  - Political Economy
  - Regional Business Administration

- Department of Global and Asian Policy Studies
  - Studies on Asia
  - Studies on the United States and Australia

- Department of Foreign Language Studies

- Department of Foreign Language Studies

- Faculty of Health and Well-being

- Department of Health and Well-being

- Faculty of Informatics

- Department of Informatics

- Faculty of Societal Safety Sciences

- Department of Safety Management

- Faculty of Engineering Science

- Department of Mathematics

- Department of Pure and Applied Physics
  - Physics Course
  - Applied Physics Course

- Department of Mechanical Engineering

- Department of Environmental and Industrial Engineering
  - Environmental and Industrial Engineering Course

- Department of Environmental and Urban Engineering

- Department of Architecture

- Department of Civil, Environmental and Applied System Engineering

- Department of Chemical, Energy and Environmental Engineering
  - Energy Engineering Course

- Department of Chemistry, Materials and Bioengineering

- Department of Chemistry

- Department of Materials Engineering

- Department of Bioresource Chemistry Course

- Department of Life Science and Biotechnology

- Department of Life Science

- Department of Biotechnology

Graduate Schools

- Graduate School of Law
  - [Master's Degree Program] [Ph.D. Degree Program] Law and Politics Major

- Graduate School of Letters
  - [Master's Degree Program] [Ph.D. Degree Program] English Linguistics
  - [Master's Degree Program] [Ph.D. Degree Program] Linguistics

- Graduate School of Economics
  - [Master's Degree Program] [Ph.D. Degree Program] Economics Major

- Graduate School of Business and Commerce
  - [Master's Degree Program] [Ph.D. Degree Program] Business and Commerce Major

- Graduate School of Informatics
  - [Master's Degree Program] [Ph.D. Degree Program] Business and Information Management Major

- Graduate School of Science and Engineering
  - [Master's Degree Program] [Ph.D. Degree Program] Social Sciences Major
  - [Master's Degree Program] [Ph.D. Degree Program] Social System Design Major

- Graduate School of Foreign Language Education and Research
  - [Master's Degree Program] [Ph.D. Degree Program] Foreign Language Education and Research Major

- Graduate School of Psychology
  - [Master's Degree Program] [Ph.D. Degree Program] Psychology Major
  - [Master's Degree Program] [Ph.D. Degree Program] Clinical Psychology Major

- Graduate School of Societal Safety Sciences
  - [Master's Degree Program] [Ph.D. Degree Program] Disaster Prevention and Reduction Major

- Graduate School of East Asian Cultures
  - [Master's Degree Program] [Ph.D. Degree Program] Cultural Interaction Studies Major

- Graduate School of Governance
  - [Master's Degree Program] [Ph.D. Degree Program] Governance Major

- Graduate School of Health and Well-being
  - [Master's Degree Program] [Ph.D. Degree Program] Health and Wellness Major

- School of Law

- School of Accountancy
Undergraduate Facilities
2021 spring enrollment (April) International Undergraduate Students Entrance Examination

Faculty of Informatics accepts applications also in June (for autumn enrollment). Faculty of Foreign Language Studies does not conduct the International Undergraduate Students Entrance Examination. For more details, please check the admission guidelines on the page of “Admission Information” (various entrance examinations) of the “Kan-Dai web”.

Eligibility for applicants (September applications • November applications)
All conditions (1) to (4) below must be met to apply for the entrance examination.

(1) Applicants who must be of foreign nationality.
(2) Applicants who have completed or will have completed by the time a student enters the university a 12-year schooling in countries other than Japan (includes those who completed a 12-year curriculum in less than 12 years through skipping a grade).
(3) Applicants who have taken the subjects specified by each faculty in any of the examinations specified by each faculty in the Examination for Japanese University Admission for International Students (EJU).
(4) Scores of the Foreign Language Certificate Examination to be submitted with the application form.

Steps: From Application to Admission

1. Confirm the eligibility for application and application period in accordance with the application guidelines.
2. Complete the application form.
3. Pay the application fee.
4. Submit the application documents.

Application Fee 35,000 yen

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Eligibility for applicants

All conditions (1) to (4) below must be met to apply for the entrance examination.

1. Applicants who must be foreign nationals and have completed 12 years of schooling up to high school in countries other than Japan.
2. Applicants who satisfy any of the following conditions.
   - Applicants who have completed a regular 4-year schooling in foreign countries. (Applicants expecting adequate qualifications by the end of March, 2021 are eligible.)
   - Applicants who will have been registered at a four-year university in Japan for at least two years by the end of March 2021 (excluding periods of leave of absence and obtained at least 60 of the credits required for graduation from the faculty and department concerned (including applicants expecting adequate qualifications).
   - Graduates of a four-year university, junior college or tertiary college in Japan (Applicants expecting adequate qualifications by the end of March, 2021 are eligible).
   - Students who have completed a specialized course at a special training school in Japan (Applicants expecting adequate qualifications by the end of March 2021 are eligible).

3. Others who are recognized to have academic ability equivalent to or greater than that above by the President after discussion by the Faculty Council.

4. Applicants who have taken the "Japanese as a Foreign Language (Including writing task) examination in the Examination for Japanese University Admissions for International Students (EJU) or obtained Level N1 of the Japanese Language Proficiency Test (JLPT)."

(1) Applicants who can submit a Foreign Language proficiency test score or grade as specified by the faculty.

(2) Students who have completed a specialized course at a special training school in Japan (Applicants expecting adequate qualifications by the end of March 2021 are eligible).

(3) Graduates of a four-year university, junior college or tertiary college in Japan (Applicants expecting adequate qualifications by the end of March, 2021 are eligible).

(4) Students who have completed a specialized course at a special training school in Japan (Applicants expecting adequate qualifications by the end of March 2021 are eligible).

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Steps: From Application to Admission

1. Confirm the eligibility for application and application period in accordance with the application guidelines.
2. Inquire of Kansai University.
3. Check the application method and prepare the application documents.
4. Apply for visa to take examination (overseas residents only).
5. Apply for visa to take examination (overseas residents only).
6. Check the entrance examination method and prepare for it.
7. Register data, pay application fee, and send documents.

Enrollment Period / Application Period / Pass Announcement Date

- Application Period / Application Date
  - September 17, 2020 (Thu) to September 25, 2020 (Fri)
  - October 13, 2020 (Fri) to October 21, 2020 (Fri)
- Pass Announcement Date
  - November 2, 2020 (Fri) to November 10, 2020 (Fri)

Entrance Examination Guidelines

The application period, exam announcement date, and examination date have been changed. Scan the QR code to the right for the latest information.

- Information shown in red below under "Application Period / Exam screening method have changed. Scan the QR code to the right for the latest information.

School fees / Other fees

- Since school fees and other fees for students admitted in 2021 are yet to be finalized, the corresponding fees for 2020 are provided for reference purposes.

- The Faculty of Letters does not recruit applicants for Elementary Education.

- Graduates of a four-year university, junior college or tertiary college in Japan (Applicants expecting adequate qualifications by the end of March, 2021 are eligible).

- Students who have completed a specialized course at a special training school in Japan (Applicants expecting adequate qualifications by the end of March 2021 are eligible).

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Results of 2020 Entrance Examination for Transfer International Students

- For those going to undergraduate courses upon completion of the Kansai University International Student special course or current its students to undergraduate courses before completing their study, the admission fee payment registration fee will not be included.

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Graduate Schools 2021 Spring admission (April) • Fall enrollment (September)

International Students Entrance Examination

For more details including eligibility for application, application documents, application procedure, screening method, please check the application guideline of each graduate school. The Clinical Psychologist Major of the Graduate School of Psychology Master’s Degree Program and the Graduate School of Health and Welfare (Ph.D. Degree Program) do not conduct the International Students Entrance Examination. For the Graduate School of Science and Engineering (Master’s Degree Program) and the Graduate School of Societal Safety Science (Ph.D. Degree Program), there is another program that you can obtain the degree. For more details, please see “English-based Program” on the Kansai University Graduate School Entrance Examination Information Website.

Master’s Degree Program/Ph.D. Degree Program

Eligibility for applicants

Applicants must satisfy any one of the following (1) to (5) conditions (including applicants who are expected to have satisfied any one of the following conditions (1) to (4) before entering the Graduate School or (2) Graduated from Japanese universities as international students.

1. Completed a program for a bachelor’s at a university or university school (note 1) which is recognized as equivalent to a bachelor’s degree (2016 ordinance of the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (No. 19)).

2. Graduated from Japanese universities as international students.

3. Completed a program for a bachelor’s at a university or university school (note 2) which is recognized as equivalent to a bachelor’s degree or a professional bachelor’s degree in a graduate school of Kansai University (note 1).

4. Completed a program for a master’s at a university or university school (note 3) which is recognized as equivalent to a master’s degree or a professional master’s degree in a graduate school of Kansai University (note 1).

5. Recognized as having scholastic abilities equivalent or superior to the graduates of universities through pre-qualificational individual screening of the Graduate School. This requirement shall not apply to foreign national students who are recognized as having received Japanese regular school education program.

Note 1: Applications for the Master’s Degree Program and Ph.D. Degree Program who have obtained a degree equivalent to the Master’s Degree Program and Ph.D. Degree Program of Kansai University are recognized as having satisfied the requirements of the Graduate School. This requirement shall not apply to foreign national students who are recognized as having received Japanese regular school education program.

Note 2: Applications for the Master’s Degree Program and Ph.D. Degree Program who have obtained a degree equivalent to the Master’s Degree Program and Ph.D. Degree Program of Kansai University are recognized as having satisfied the requirements of the Graduate School. This requirement shall not apply to foreign national students who are recognized as having received Japanese regular school education program.

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Graduate Schools laying down conditions on linguistic ability as requirements for application

Low (M) Information and Mathematical Sciences (MDIS) *1

Sociology, Social Welfare Studies (MDIS) (Health and Welfare) (note 2)

APT: N2 or higher in Japanese as a Foreign Language (IEJJ) including writing task in [Japanese]" 270 or higher

Letters (MDIS) APT: N2 or higher in Japanese as a Foreign Language (IEJJ) including writing task in [Japanese] 240 or higher

Sociology (MDIS) APT: N2 or higher in Japanese as a Foreign Language (IEJJ) including writing task in [Japanese] 240 or higher

Science and Engineering (note 3) APT: JLPT: N2 or higher in Japanese as a Foreign Language (IEJJ) including writing task in [Japanese]

Note 1: Only applicants expecting admission at Kansai University and have passed the International Baccalaureate diploma examination in May 2021, the Program-Degree Program (MDIS) Ph.D. Degree Program (graduate school: Business and Commerce) (MDIS) (Ph.D. Degree Program (note 4)), and the Graduate School of Girls’ University of Science (Ph.D. Degree Program (note 5)) need to apply for the admission of the Graduate School. The specific requirements for admission are as follows.

Note 2: Applicants for admission in the Graduate School of Education require that they have completed the requirements of all of the following: A) Bachelor’s degree in a related field; B) A major in Human Development and Sectional Education; C) A major in Community Development and Sectional Education; D) A major in Information and Computer Science; E) A major in Information and Computer Science (note 6).

Note 3: Applicants for admission in the Graduate School of Business and Commerce require that they have completed the requirements of all of the following: A) Bachelor’s degree in a related field; B) A major in Business Administration; C) A major in Economics; D) A major in Marketing; E) A major in International Trade.

Note 4: Applicants for admission in the Graduate School of Business and Commerce require that they have completed the requirements of all of the following: A) Bachelor’s degree in a related field; B) A major in Business Administration; C) A major in Economics; D) A major in Marketing; E) A major in International Trade.

Note 5: Applicants for admission in the Graduate School of Girls’ University of Science require that they have completed the requirements of all of the following: A) Bachelor’s degree in a related field; B) A major in Women’s Studies; C) A major in Cultural Studies; D) A major in Leisure Studies.

Graduate Schools 2021 April acceptance and September admission

Foreign Research Students Selection Examination

This program is targeted at foreign students who have their own research theme and wish to receive research guidance from a specific graduate school while they are studying at a graduate school of Kansai University. This program is not a regular graduate program and does not confer a degree. Students admitted to this program will conduct research and create opportunities to publish their research results. If they complete subjects specified by the graduate school and pass their examinations, a certain number of credits may be recognized as credits after enrollment in graduate schools of Kansai University. The number of subjects that foreign research students need to obtain credits of research for study in Japan as foreigner is listed in “Research Fee of Foreign Research Students” on page 11.

Eligibility for applicants

The above application requirements to the Master’s Degree Program shall apply. In addition, applicants who have received approval from the superior they wish to receive guidance and have the Japanese language ability specified by the graduate school shall apply.

Steps: From Application to Selection Examination

Check the eligibility for application and application period/application documents in accordance with the Application Guideline.

Check the application method and preparate the application documents.

Apply for visa to take examination.

Enter for examination online/Send application documents/Post application documents

Application Fee 14,000 yen

Application Fee Schedule for Master’s Degree Program (Ph.D. Degree Program shall apply). Provided, however, that the examination will be implemented on July 10, 2021, at “International Societal Safety Sciences/Health and Welfare for acceptance in September 2021 (July Examination).”

Duration of Application

The above examination may be allowed in some cases.

Selection Schedule / Graduate schools / Screening Method

The selection schedule for the Master’s Degree Program (Ph.D. Degree Program) shall apply. Provided, however, that the examination will be implemented on July 10, 2021, at “International Societal Safety Sciences/Health and Welfare for acceptance in September 2021 (July Examination).”

Application documents for simulative application (Ex.: Graduate School of Business and Commerce)

Application form (Master’s Degree Program/Simultaneous application by foreign research student) Academic transcript of the graduating university, etc. Certificate of completion of the graduate school, etc. Original copy of Certificate of Fitness in Japanese required by the graduate school. Copy of Residence Card/Passport Application form (Master’s Degree Program/Simultaneous application by foreign research student) Academic transcript of the graduating university, etc. Certificate of completion of the graduate school, etc. Original copy of Certificate of Fitness in Japanese required by the graduate school. Copy of Residence Card/Passport
School of Accountancy

**Entrance Examination Schedule**

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<th>Enrollment Period</th>
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<td>2021 Spring Enrollment</td>
<td>July 13, 2020 (Mon) to July 20, 2020 (Mon)</td>
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**Eligibility for applicants**

Following the application qualifications for Master’s Degree Program on page 8 shall apply.

**Language Ability Requirements (Applicants who apply for it under condition 1), (2) and (5)**

JLPT: N1 or “Japanese as a Foreign Language” in EJU (including writing task in “Japanese”): 270 or higher

For more details including eligibility for application, application documents, application procedure, screening method, please check the application guidelines of each graduate school. The Graduate School of Law does not conduct the International Student Entrance Examination.
Japanese Language and Culture Program

As a part of an international initiative, Kansai University opened Minami-Senni International Plaza in April, 2012. This new Plaza offers Japanese Language and Culture Program Preparatory Course (Bekka). The purpose of this course is to provide instruction in Japanese language, Japan studies, and Japanese culture to international students who intend to proceed to the next stage of education as a student at Kansai University or at other Japanese universities after passing the entrance examination. This is a one-year-program in principle.

The period of study can be extended up to two years at maximum with permission from the Center for International Education.

Subjects

| First Group: Japanese Language Class (18 subjects · 2 credits each) |
| These classes are designed to acquire the four basic language skills (reading, writing, listening, and speaking) in accordance with the student’s level of Japanese proficiency. |

| Second Group: Special Lectures or Seminar (9 subjects · 4 credits each) |
| The Second Group is designed to develop knowledge of technical terms and academic skills. Students will work on writing coherent reports, and delivering oral presentations utilizing appropriate academic expressions. |

| Third Group: Japan Studies (3 subjects · 4 credits each) |
| Japan Studies in the third group is designed to develop understanding of basic knowledge required in everyday life in Japan through lectures and other activities. Japanese and the World in the fourth group conducts in-depth studies on Japanese politics, society, economics, geography and history. This class also provides preparation for the “Japanese and the World” topic in the Examination for Japanese University Admission for International Students (EJU). |

| Fourth Group: Japanese and the World (3 subjects · 4 credits each) |
| Japan Studies(Japanese Archery Experience) |

| Fifth Group: General Subject (8 subjects · 2 credits each) |
| This class is designed to enhance academic ability such as English, mathematics, and science in order to excel at undergraduate or graduate school level. |

Timetable (2020) (for reference)

Below is the timetable of the course. Along with the subjects highlighted in blue, the students are able to choose and enroll in classes highlighted in orange that meet their academic needs.

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Exam Result

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<th>Number of students</th>
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<td>(1) Those who have completed 12-year curriculum of schooling in their home country or expect to complete their education before entering the Japanese Language and Culture Program Preparatory Course (Bekka) or those who are 18 years of age or more at the time of enrollment and have been deemed to have an equivalent educational background or higher than requirements stipulated above. (e.g., Person who has a “Certificate of Student Achieving the Proficiency Level of Upper Secondary School Graduates in Japan”)</td>
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<td>(2) Those who have studied Japanese language for more than a year (more than 300 hours) or have Japanese language proficiency equivalent to Japanese Language Proficiency Test (JLPT) N3 level at the time of application for the course.</td>
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Admission Guide and Application Forms are available for download from our website. www.kansai-u.ac.jp/ku-jpn/English/about/download/

Enjoy life with students from diverse backgrounds

The Minami-Senni International Plaza is a modern educational facility and a dormitory for international students. In this dormitory, resident assistants who are Kansai University students at Bekka share life in Japan through lectures and other activities. The Bekka employs the semester system so that students can enter and graduate from the course in either the Spring (April – September) or the Fall (September – March) Semester. Acceptance to the Bekka is based upon application documents and an interview.

Application Flowchart

1. Download Admission Guide and Forms
2. Payment of Application Fee
3. Online Registration
4. Submission of the Application Package
5. Interview Notification for Successful Applicants
6. Interview: An online video interview via internet phone
7. Notification of Results
8. Payment of Admission Fee and Tuition
9. Pre-arrival courses start
10. Representative application for the “Certificate of Eligibility” (College Student)
11. Submission of the “Certificate of Eligibility” and Letter of Acceptance
12. Visa Application
13. Entry into Japan
Support for International Students

Grant-type scholarships

Kansai University offers a variety of scholarships designed specifically for privately financed international students, and many students take advantage of those programs.

 Scholarships offered by the University

 Pre-enrollment scholarship for privately financed international students

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<th>Eligibility</th>
<th>New privately financed international students with excellent academic performance who meet the University’s income requirements (Privately financed international students are students with the &quot;international student&quot; visa status.)</th>
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 Privately financed international student scholarship

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<th>Eligibility</th>
<th>International students in their second year or later with excellent academic performance and who meet the University’s income requirements (Privately financed international students are students with the &quot;international student&quot; visa status.)</th>
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Scholarships from outside sources (awarded based on the recommendation of the University)

These scholarships are awarded by outside foundations to privately financed international students who are recommended by the University. The University ranks students who wish to apply according to their academic performance and recommends top-ranking applicants who fulfill each scholarship’s recommendation requirements.

Scholarships from outside sources (awarded based on an open application process)

These scholarships are awarded by outside foundations to students who have applied on their own. The University can provide information about some, while others must research on their own.

For more information about scholarships for international students, including award amounts and academic performance standards, see the website of the Division of International Affairs. (www.kansai-u.ac.jp/kokusai/from/support.php)

Other scholarships accept applications from all students enrolled at Kansai University. For more information, see (www.kansai-u.ac.jp/scholarship/system.html).

A great variety of dormitory rooms for international students

We have a variety of accommodation environments, including the unit type where six to seven people share common spaces such as the kitchen and lounge, the shared type with a Japanese student and a single room type. In addition, there are also resident assistants who mainly support the dormitory life and daily life of international students.

Student House Shurei-ryo (Men’s double occupancy)

| Room Rent | JPY 31,500 |
| Meals | Pay-as-you-go |
| Linen Leasing Fee | JPY 1,100/Month |
| Location | 5-minute walk from Senriyama Station on the Hankyu Railway Senri Line |

Student House Kansai University International Dormitory (Co-ed single occupancy)

| Room Rent | JPY 25,000 / Month |
| Meals | Self-cooking |
| Location | 5-minute walk from Minami-Senri Station on the Hankyu Railway Senri Line |

Minami-Senri International Plaza International Students Dormitory (Co-ed single occupancy)

| Room Rent | JPY 43,000 / Month |
| Meals | Self-cooking |
| Location | 10-minute walk from Minami-Senri Station on the Hankyu Railway Senri Line |

Kansai University International Dormitory (Co-ed single occupancy)

| Room Rent | JPY 50,000 / Month |
| Meals | Self-cooking |
| Location | 10-minute walk from Minami-Senri Station on the Hankyu Railway Senri Line |

In addition to the above, there is also a dormitory available for international students operated by Kyoritsu Maintenance Co., Ltd. through a business partnership with Kansai University and Kanda Pansee Co., Ltd. For more details, refer to the website of the International Dormitory. (www.kansai-u.ac.jp/kokusai/Dormitory/)

International Student Support Organization

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<td>Japanese Language Tutor/Tuttee System</td>
<td>Tutor (Japanese student) giving advice and supporting to the tuttee (foreign student) with their studies (mainly Japanese) and daily life.</td>
<td>Beginner to Advanced</td>
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<td>Conversational Japanese Brush-up Seminar</td>
<td>Providing practical training in Japanese conversational skills that are needed in daily life to adapt to the Japanese society.</td>
<td>Intermediate to Advanced</td>
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<tr>
<td>Academic Literacy Development Seminar</td>
<td>Providing practical training to acquire academic literacy in the Japanese language required to write a graduation thesis at the university or to write a report at a graduate-school level.</td>
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<td>Japanese Language Academic Writing Lecture, Online Video</td>
<td>Online video to help students with sentence expressions, methods for searching and writing reference materials, thesis structure, etc.</td>
<td>Advanced</td>
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<tr>
<td>Individual Consultations on Japanese Writing</td>
<td>Giving advice on Japanese language, such as sentence expressions and structures, using thesis, reports and other writings brought in by the foreign student.</td>
<td>Advanced</td>
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The programs and contents might be changed.

Career Support

Kansai University as a whole strongly supports job hunting activities of international students in Japan.

Many international students wish to find a job in Japan after graduation or academic completion, and Japanese companies also wish to employ international students who can play an active part globally. However, in order to find employment in Japan, it is necessary for international students to understand the selection methods and recruitment schedule specific to Japan for carrying out job hunting efficiently. To that end, Kansai University offers a variety of support.

Career Development Program

| Events for International Students | Many events specialized for international students are available. International students are encouraged to participate in various events, including how to conduct job hunting activities in Japan, how to write application documents, how to participate in internships at Japanese companies, joint company briefing sessions for international students, etc. Among these events, international students can make a satisfying career choice. |
| Individual consultation at Career Center | Individual consultation at Career Center international students will be able to consult individually about their concerns or troubles in job hunting activities at the Career Center. |

Example of companies that employed international students (FY2016-2018)

- EJEC
- TTT Communications Group
- Sanyo
- Sharp
- Nidec
- Panasonic
- Procter & Gamble Japan
- Miki House
- Yamaha Motor
- Work Applications
- Rakuten
- Mitzuho Financial Group
- Fanuc Consulting
- Obayashi Corporation
- Shimizu Corporation
- Furukawa
- Hanwa Kogyo
- Mitsu & Co.
- Sumitomo Rubber Industries
- Sumitomo Electric Industries
- Sumitomo Wiring Systems
- Tiso Tire Corporation
- Tata Consultancy Services
- NHK SPRINGS
- Japan Wool Textile
- Hitachi
- Tsubaki Transmission System
- Fujitsu
- Fujitsu
- Nihon Safety Inspection

SUCCESS-Osaka Program

The SUCCESS-Osaka Program (the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (MEXT) commissioned project) supports international students’ job-seeking in Japan!

SUCCESS-Osaka Program has been started to support international students’ job-seeking so that they can have an active role in the Japanese society after graduation as highly skilled foreign professional. The program has the following characteristics in job-seeking support activities:

- Offering “Japanese language training for business” in order to work in Japan
- Giving “Career Education” to understand Japanese business practice and manner and to study/research Japanese companies/industries, including understanding of job-seeking activity
- Giving the opportunity of “Internship” by joint development with companies

This program has been implemented in cooperation with many leading companies, local governments including Osaka Prefecture, and peripheral major universities.

SUCCESS-Osaka website

www.kansai-u.ac.jp/kokusai/SUCCESS-Osaka/
**International Students's Message**

**Second-year (master's degree) student in the Environmental and Urban Engineering Major, Graduate School of Science and Engineering**  
**WANG Suo ao (王 溪奥)**  
Country/region: China

My dream is founding my own architectural office and designing buildings that exist in Asia's natural and cultural landscape. To achieve my dreams, I majored in architecture as an undergraduate. The most interesting course I took back then was Architectural Drawings, which gave me an extremely keen sense of achievement as I gave shape to my imagination in the form of models, computer graphics, and drawings. I've been busy since becoming a graduate student thanks to all the projects and design competitions the lab I belong to, the Urban Design Lab, is involved in. Various architectural projects also provide opportunities to meet government officials and students and professors from other universities, and those interactions are always a learning experience. In the future, I'd like to get a job in Japan, study how architectural offices are managed, and gain experience in designing buildings. What attracts me to Kansai Uni. is that I have a lot of chances to meet people. Students from around the world come together here to pursue their studies. I participate in the community of international students on a daily basis, and I enjoy interacting with students from various countries and forming friendships as we deepen our understanding of each other's cultures.

As an undergraduate, I received a Class 3 Kansai University International Exchange Subsidy scholarship and a scholarship from the 99 Asian Student Scholarship Foundation. Then I received another scholarship from the 99 Asian Student Scholarship Foundation after becoming graduate student.

Studying is particularly important when you're a university student, but I think it's similarly important to use time outside of class to gain experience in society. I hope international students who are interested in Kansai University will enjoy their time as university students without forgetting how they felt at the very beginning.

**Fourth-year student in the International Business, Department of Business and Commerce, Faculty of Business and Commerce**  
**Phung Ngoc Mai**  
Country/region: Vietnam

My dream is to become a bridge between Vietnam and Japan. I'm studying management strategy and international trade in the Department of Business and Commerce’s international business major so that I can bring high-quality Japanese products to Vietnam, export Vietnamese agricultural products to Japan, and promote trade between our two countries. Kansai University is one of the great universities with an excellent reputation in Japan's Kansai region where students can deepen their learning in a way that goes not only on their own faculty but also other faculties such as law, sociology, business administration, and the humanities. This chance to pursue studies that go beyond individual faculties isn't limited to the classroom. Kansai University has an international exchange space known as the Mi-Room (Multilingual Immersion Room) where international students from various countries and Japanese students gather to deepen their understanding of each other's cultures and to learn foreign languages. I've made friends from lots of countries there, and I'm enjoying an enriching and fulfilling life as a student.

I would advise international students who are interested in Kansai University to think about what they want to do in the future and what they should study in order to achieve their dreams. I'm confident that Kansai University has a field that you'd like to study. We would be happy to help you work towards your goals.

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**Campus Introduction**

- **Takatsuki Campus**  
  Faculty of Informatics  
  Graduate School of Informatics

- **Takatsuki Muse Campus**  
  Faculty of Societal Safety Sciences  
  Graduate School of Societal Safety Sciences

- **Sakai Campus**  
  Faculty of Health and Well-being  
  Graduate School of Health and Well-being

- **Umeda Campus**  
  This is an urban type center to serve as a symbol of Kandai-Jin projecting into the future. The nickname is “KANDAI Me RISE”

- **Minami-Senri International Plaza**  
  Kansai University Japanese Language and Culture Program  
  Preparatory Course (Bekka)

- **Tokyo Center**

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**Access Map**

The Kansai region offers plenty of appeal beyond Osaka. Nearby cities like Kyoto, Nara, and Kobe promise fun for visitors who are willing to go just a little bit further.
Main Events Throughout a Year at Kansai University

- Entrance Ceremony
- Orientation for New Students
- Commencement of Spring Semester
- Spring Festival
- Culture Festival
- Spring Semester Final Examinations
- Commencement of Fall Semester
- Open Campus
- Summer Vacation
- Open Campus
- Commencement of Spring Semester
- Open Campus
- Entrance Examinations
- Graduation Ceremony
- Spring Vacation
- Fall Semester Final Examinations
- Entrance Examinations
- Graduation Ceremony
- Spring Vacation