

The Graduate School of Advanced Integrated Studies in Human Survivability (GSAIS or Shishu-Kan), Kyoto University, Japan invites applications for its Ph.D. program

We offer you a great opportunity

- to study in Kyoto, the ancient capital of Japan and a city where you can find a unique blend of traditional Japanese culture and modern technology
- to participate in the development of a new integrated field called “human survivability studies”. We aim at integrating wisdom from various academic disciplines to find novel solutions to complex problems such as climate change, resource depletion, biodiversity loss, food security, population pressure, the spread of infectious diseases, etc.
- to advance your career by not only developing strong academic expertise, but also by building practical skills for solving problems related to human survivability. Our curriculum is designed to help you find a job at international organizations such as OECD, UNESCO, FAO, and UNDP, or at multinational companies and consulting firms

How to apply: please turn over for details on the application procedures and the selection process



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The selection process

Successful applicants will be selected through:

- (1) an evaluation of their essay, academic performance (from the official transcripts), and English test score
- (2) an entrance examination: the results of a written examination on questions from the discipline chosen by the applicant, and of an oral examination. The entrance examination will be held on 26 August 2017 (Sat.)

Application procedures

We will start receiving applications online and the online application period is from 13 July to 27 July 2017. The application documents period is from 24 July to 27 July 2017 (the application documents should reach the Student Affairs Office before 5 pm on 27 July 2017).

Both of the above applications are required.

We will frequently update the information about online applications.

Please check it out!

For more information:

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