

Osaka Institute of Technology Study Abroad

Fact Sheet for Prospective Exchange Students

Host Institution	Osaka Institute of Technology (OIT), Japan
Website	http://www.oit.ac.jp/english
Location	[Omiya Campus] 5-16-1 Omiya, Asahi-ku, Osaka, 535-858 [Umeda Campus] 1-45 Chayamachi, Kita-ku, Osaka, 530-8568 [Hirakata Campus] 1-79-1 Kitayama, Hirakata City, Osaka, 573-0196
Faculties (Undergraduate Schools) and Graduate Schools	Omiya Campus
	Faculty of Engineering
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Department of Civil Engineering and Urban Design • Department of Architecture • Department of Mechanical Engineering • Department of Electrical and Electronic Systems Engineering • Department of Electronics and Information Systems Engineering • Department of Applied Chemistry • Department of Environmental Engineering • Department of Biomedical Engineering
	Master's and Doctoral Courses of Engineering
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Division of Architecture, Civil Engineering and Urban Design • Division of Electrical, Electronic and Mechanical Engineering • Division of Applied Chemistry, Environmental and Biomedical Engineering
	Faculty of Intellectual Property
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Department of Intellectual Property
	Graduate School of Intellectual Property (Professional Master Course)
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Division of Intellectual Property
	Umeda Campus
	Faculty of Robotics and Design
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Department of Robotics • Department of System Design • Department of Design and Architecture
	Master's and Doctoral Courses of Robotics and Design
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Division of Mechatronics Course

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Division of Soft Robotics Course • Division of Architectural Design Course / Product Design Course <p style="text-align: center;">Hirakata Campus</p> <p><u>Faculty of Information Science and Technology</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Department of Data Science • Department of Information and Computer Science • Department of Information Systems • Department of Media Science • Department of Network Design <p><u>Master's and Doctoral Courses of Information Science and Technology</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Division of Information Science and Technology
Academic Calendar	<p>1st (Spring) Semester: April – early August</p> <p>2nd (Fall) Semester: late September - early February</p>
Exchange Program Outline	<p><u>1. Internship/Research (non-credits)</u></p> <p>Exchange students can have their research work or internship under supervision of a certain professor. The length and start date are negotiable, up to 1 year. The professor will support them in English; therefore, proficiency of Japanese Language is not required. Depending on the situation, they might be able to join some courses as an auditor, but it is not assured.</p> <p><u>2. Attending Classes (for credits)</u></p> <p>Exchange students can attend some classes for credits for 1 or 2 semesters. In this case, they are requested to start and end their study according to the designated dates. In addition, it is necessary for them to have JLPT (Japanese Language Proficiency Test) Level N2 or more because most of the courses except for Graduate School of Intellectual Property are conducted only in Japanese.</p> <p>■Course Catalogue (Syllabus)</p> <p>http://www.oit.ac.jp/japanese/syllabus/index.html (Japanese)</p>
Eligibility	<p>Only students satisfying all of the following requirements may apply:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Undergraduate (3rd year or above) or graduate students who will be enrolled full-time at a partner university during their entire period of study at OIT. • Students who demonstrate excellent academic performance. • Students who have a clear intention to study at OIT.

Language Requirement	<p><u>1. Internship/Research (non-credits)</u> Japanese fluency (at least JLPT N2 level) or English fluency (CEFR B2 level or equivalent proficiency) required.</p> <p><u>2. Attending Classes (for credits)</u> Japanese fluency (at least JLPT N2 level) required*. *Except those who wish to belong to the Graduate School of Intellectual Property (Some classes are conducted in English).</p>															
Application Documents	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Application Form 2. Proof(s) of Language Proficiency Tests such as JLPT, TOEFL, IELTS, and TOEIC (if any). 3. Recommendation Letter from Supervisor 4. Official Certificate of Enrollment issued by the home university 5. Official Transcript of Academic Records issued by the home university 6. Photocopy of Passport (identification page) 7. ID Photograph Data (30mm×40mm, Taken within the last 3 months) <p>*All documents must be sent to OIT.Kokusai@josho.ac.jp by e-mail from the exchange program coordinators of the home universities.</p>															
Application Deadlines	<p>October 31 for 1st (Spring) semester March 31 for 2nd (Fall) Semester</p>															
Application Process	<p>Please refer to the following URL: http://www.oit.ac.jp/english/international/sep-partneruniv.html After receiving the application documents, OIT International Center will inform you about the further process.</p>															
Accommodation	<p>In principle, exchange students are requested to live in the dormitory (“International House of Josho Gakuen Educational Foundation”). http://www.josho.ac.jp/english/facility/kokusaikaikan.html</p>															
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	Transportation (round trip/day)	Omiya Campus: 320 yen Umeda Campus: 360 yen Hirakata Campus: 1,180 yen
	Textbooks	TBD
	*Free Wi-Fi is available campus-wide. At the dormitory, free Wi-Fi is only available in the lounge (1 st floor).	
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Coordinators	Area	Coordinator's name
	- East Asia (China, Taiwan) - Oceania *except for Korea, Mongolia and UMAP (University Mobility in Asia and the Pacific)	Misaki KATAYAMA (Ms.)
	- Korea - UMAP - IAESTE (The International Association for the Exchange of Students for Technical Experience)	Manami KITA (Ms.)
	- Mongolia	Mitsuo KIMURA (Mr.)
	- South Asia - South East Asia - Africa *except for UMAP	Kenji TOE (Mr.)
	- Europe - North America - Latin America	Akihiro OI (Mr.)