

The Uzbekistan-Japan Center recruits and selects students who will participate in the exchange program “Sakura Science Plan”



Promoting science and technology is a key engine for materializing a bright future for Asia. Therefore, it is vitally important to enhance the exchange of youth in Asian countries and Japan who will play a crucial role in the fields of science and technology. Started by Japan Science and Technology Agency (JST) in 2014, Japan-Asia Youth Exchange Program in Science (named “SAKURA Exchange Program in Science”) aims to invite excellent youth from Asian countries to Japan for a short period to allow them to discover Japan’s state-of-the-art science and technology (S&T) and participate in exchanges with Japanese talent at universities and research institutions for the bilateral transfer of human resources and research. Young participants are expected to become future science leaders in Asia and their networks are also expected to grow. With a grant from the JST, the Takeda Foundation will invite 10 young students from Central Asian countries, the Uzbekistan-Japan Center will recruit and select students for the exchange program.

✿ Program Period in Japan: From July 22 to July 27, 2019 (6 days)

✿ Training theme: Utilization of AI (Artificial Intelligence) in the medical field
- Basics of image analysis, analysis of medical information accumulation and related information -

✿ Language to be used in this program: English

✿ Essential Qualifications

- (1) Citizen of the Republic of Uzbekistan
- (2) University student in the third, fourth grade or postgraduate
- (3) English Proficiency (IELTS 5.0~, TOEFL(iBT/CBT) 68~/190~)
- (4) High knowledge of programming

✿ Required Documents for Application

* All documents must be written in English

- (1) Curriculum Vitae (2) Passport copy
- (3) Report of motivation for applying, major of study, future career plan (within 1 page on A4 size paper)
- (4) Copy of Certificate of English Proficiency (if any)

✿ Contact: The Uzbekistan-Japan Center

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✿ Deadline for Application: May 1 (Wed), 2019

Useful information: <https://www.jst.go.jp/EN/>
<https://ssp.jst.go.jp/EN/index.html>

✿ Planned schedule ✿

Day 0	21 Jul (Sun)	Departure from Tashkent	
Day 1	22 Jul (Mon)	Arrival to Japan Welcome party	
Day 2	23 Jul (Tue)	Orientation Visit to Museum	Tokyo Univ.
Day 3	24 Jul (Wed)	AI application development training	Tokyo Univ.
Day 4	25 Jul (Thu)	Move to Sendai Medical Bank training	Tohoku Univ.
Day 5	26 Jul (Fri)	Health Intelligence Center	Tokyo Univ.
Day 6	27 Jul (Sat)	Reporting session	Tokyo Univ.
Day 7	28 Jul (Sun)	Departure from Japan	

*** Air fares to Japan and local accommodation expenses will be covered by the program budget.**