

Access to Waseda Campus

- Narita International Airport
70 minutes by train
- Tokyo International Airport (Haneda Airport)
45 minutes by train
- JR Tokyo Station
20 minutes by train



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Waseda Summer Session

WASEDA SUMMER SESSION

2018 Japanese Studies



Tokyo, Japan | June 25 through July 19, 2018



WASEDA University



WASEDA

Founded in 1882 at the heart of Tokyo, WASEDA University is recognized as one of the most international universities in Japan. From 2014, Waseda started a four-week summer session at the undergraduate level. We welcomed highly motivated international students from 70 universities in 13 different countries and regions around the world in 2017. Together with Waseda students, they fully explored Waseda and Tokyo, which is consistently ranked high among the best cities to visit in the world.



in TOKYO

You can take part in the courses which cover a variety of interests including business, culture, economics, history, literature and art, politics and sociology in the context of Japan and Asia. The courses are taught in English by experienced faculty members from Waseda and visiting professors from the top global universities.



Summer Session 2018



DURATION AND DATES

4 Weeks

June 22 (Fri) Arrival
June 23 (Sat) Orientation
June 25 (Mon) Session Start
July 19 (Thu) Session End

APPLICATION



March 1 (Thu) Application Open
April 1 (Sun) Application Close

COURSES

Choose 2 courses out of 14. *Japanese Course is optional.

CREDITS

4 credits for 2 courses
1 credit for 1 Japanese Courses



TUITION AND FEES

JPY 490,000 (Approx. USD 4,300)

Include:

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| <input type="radio"/> 2 courses | <input type="radio"/> Domestic insurance |
| <input type="radio"/> Housing fee | <input type="radio"/> Field trip to Nikko |
| <input type="radio"/> Airport pickup service | <input type="radio"/> Administration & miscellaneous charge |

Do not include:


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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Airplane ticket to/from Japan | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> International insurance |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Commuting cost | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Credit card transaction fee |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Living expense | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Field trip organized by each course |
| | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Text book |

Optional Japanese course JPY 36,400 (Approx. USD 320)

ACCOMMODATION

1. Apartment type - for male and female, no meals
2. Dormitory type - for male only, breakfast and dinner included

ELIGIBILITY

1. Currently enrolled in an accredited college/university (undergraduate)
 2. GPA 2.5 (out of a 4.0 scale) or above
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Courses



Business I

Japanese Business and Management

Prof. Parissa HAGHIRIAN
Sophia University

Business II

Case Studies in Japanese Marketing and Management

Prof. Parissa HAGHIRIAN
Sophia University



Culture I

Japanese Culture and Society

Prof. John Willis TRAPHAGAN
University of Texas at Austin

Culture II

Tourism and Japanese Culture

Prof. John Willis TRAPHAGAN
University of Texas at Austin

Culture III

Japanese Popular Culture: Globalization, Cultural production / Consumption and Creative Ecology

Prof. Tai Wei LIM
SIM University
National University of Singapore

Economics I

Encountering Tokyo: A Look at the History, Business, Politics, and Economics of the World's Most Fascinating City

Prof. Kealoha Lee WIDDOWS
Wabash College

Economics II

The Changing Face of Japanese Retailing

Prof. Kealoha Lee WIDDOWS
Wabash College



History I

The Contemporary History of Heisei Japan - An Area Studies Approach in Examining Historical Transitions in Postwar and Contemporary Japan

Prof. Tai Wei LIM
SIM University
National University of Singapore

Literature and Art I

Tokyo on Page and Screen about modern fiction and cinema and the city

Prof. Jonathan ZWICKER
University of California, Berkeley

Literature and Art II

Murakami Haruki and Miyazaki Hayao: the Politics of Japanese Culture from the Bubble to the Present

Prof. Jonathan ZWICKER
University of California, Berkeley

Politics I

Contemporary Japanese Politics

Prof. Dyron DABNEY
Albion College



Politics II

Global Issues and Political Controversies in Japan and Asia

Prof. Dyron DABNEY
Albion College

Sociology I

Japan Studies in Global Perspective ~ Exploring Queer and Crip Studies perspectives on sexuality and disability ~

Prof. Karen NAKAMURA
University of California, Berkeley

Interdisciplinary I

Working Japan: From comparative, global, and comprehensive perspectives

Prof. Toru SHINODA
Waseda University

Japanese Language Courses

- Talk in Japanese I
- Talk in Japanese II
- Talk in Japanese III

Either one of the following skill-based subject classes can be taken as optional during the Summer Session.



Extracurricular Activities

Field Trips

Summer Session students will take a trip with Waseda students to places of cultural and historic interest around Japan. Make new friends and learn more about Japan at the same time! Themed fieldworks, ranging from half-day to longer periods, will also be organized for some classes by the faculty.



Student Interns' Event

Our Student Interns will organize some events for participants. You will learn more about Japan with them.



Visitor Sessions

Summer Session students will have opportunities to socialize with Waseda students over discussions on various topics.



Participants' Voices



"It was very cool to make some friends of Waseda who are not the 'nerd'."

Since it was first time to come to Japan, I was somehow nervous at first. In Waseda campus, I saw many awesome events and funny things, but most of Waseda students were kind and polite; even some of them was not good at English they were still patient to answer my questions. After a month of life in Tokyo, I found that it's unnecessary to worry too much and I had a unique experience and a period of awesome memory at Waseda.

Yi Chen,
Michigan State University

"Wonderful professors with deep knowledge of Japan studies"

All in all, my four weeks in Japan were nothing short of amazing. The Waseda Summer Programme offered me the opportunity to study under wonderful professors who were all extremely knowledgeable in their respective fields and to be able to interact with students from a host of different nations, cultures and walks of life.

Koh Liang Wei
Fudan University, Shanghai



"Amazing experience during Nikko Field Trip"

A real highlight was the field trip to Nikko. It was refreshing to see the more rural side of Japan and the temperature was much cooler in the mountains. We were taken to see the Nikko Toshogu shrine, which was one of the most amazing and intricate structures I have ever seen. Staying in a traditional-style hotel in a room with a group of other students was really fun!

Livija Berzins
The Australian National University



We look forward to seeing you in
Waseda!
from CIE office