

## General Information

**Location** 5-37-1, Gion, Asaminami-ku, Hiroshima-shi, 731-0192, Hiroshima, JAPAN

**Website** <http://www.hue.ac.jp/english>

### Overview

Hiroshima University of Economics (HUE) was established in 1967. There are approximately 3,100 students on campus as of May 2019. Since the start of international cooperation with overseas schools & universities, HUE has accepted more than 550 short-term exchange students from a wide variety of countries & regions, including China, Korea, Singapore, Poland, Germany, France, Denmark, Indonesia, Mexico, Portugal, Georgia, Slovenia, Russia, Turkey, Taiwan, Ukraine, Vietnam, Spain, Brazil, Morocco and Thailand.

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## Center for International Education Center

### Academic Calendar

**Spring/Summer** beginning of April to the beginning of August

**Fall/Winter** mid of September to the beginning of February

**Application Procedure** \*also see [http://www.hue.ac.jp/english/entr/step\\_admissions.html](http://www.hue.ac.jp/english/entr/step_admissions.html)

Please be sure to prepare all documents and send them (via International coordinator/advisor) to:

ATTN: Center for International Education Exchange  
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Hiroshima, JAPAN 731-0192

## Incoming Exchange Student Information



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### Language Requirement (for English program)

Note that we require every applicant to enclose his/her language proficiency certificates such as TOEFL/TOEIC/IELTS.

<Score/Mark/Result requirement>

TOEFL ITP... 500 or above

TOEFL IBT... 70 or above

TOEIC... 750 or above

IELTS... 5.5 or above

Other certificates under CEFR... B2 or above

For [Onsite Area Studies Program\(OASP\) conducted in Japanese, JLPT N3 or above](#) is preferred

### Program Schedule (Spring/Summer 2020) Period:

“The Beginning of April” to “The Beginning of August”, 2020

(To be announced )

### Orientation

The incoming students will have to attend an orientation session which takes place a week before the semester begins. The first half will involve Japanese students taking students to the Ward Office, around the campus and accommodation, and to the city center.

The second half of orientation will involve information regarding classes, program calendar, some important schedule and etc..

### Immigration

The incoming students for this exchange program are required to apply for the student VISA. The HUE CIEE will provide the matriculation certificate and certificate of eligibility, which you will need to apply for VISA at Japanese embassy/consulate of your country.

### International student guide

The CIEE staff member will provide the link or access information regarding the website information where incoming students can collect necessary information about their stay.



### Curriculum & Credits

#### Programs available for exchange students

##### Undergraduate Program

##### Area of Concentration

Business/Management, Law, Finance, Economics: taught in English  
 Japanese Language courses (required): taught in both English and Japanese  
**OASP students may take intensive Japanese language courses, but the number of courses that can be taken may vary depending on the language proficiency of the applicant.**

##### List of Courses

##### Required courses for all students:

- Japanese Language (3 classes/w)  
 You will be placed to one of the 4 different levels based on your Japanese proficiency
- Study on International Issues and Challenges 【SS.FW】
- Intercultural Communication 【FW】

##### Selective courses (2-7 classes/w):

- Independent Study 【SS.FW】
- International Economics 【SS.FW】
- Issues in Contemporary Japan 【SS.FW】
- International Trade 【SS.FW】
- Japan and the Environment 【SS.FW】
- Japanese Economy 【SS.FW】
- Japanese Financial System 【FW】
- Japanese Law and Society 【SS.FW】
- Japanese Religion and Culture 【SS.FW】
- Practical Management Theory 【SS.FW】
- Theory and Practice of Budo 【SS.FW】
- Environmental and Business 【SS.FW】

\*SS Spring/Summer(April to August) available

\*FW Fall/Winter(September to February) available

Note: The above list of courses are still subject to change for an unexpected reason.

##### Grading System:

Japan based. Every course is 2 credits (or 4 ECTS),  
 except Japanese Language course (3 credit (or 6 ECTS))  
 The grades run from AA to C, and F.  
 AA is the highest grade and C is the lowest passing grade.  
 Below C is an F or Fail. (AA... 100-90, A... 89-80, B... 79-70, C... 69-60, F... 59-0)



General Background

**Food**

Lunch is available in the school cafeteria.  
The cost is between 200 and 550 yen.

\* 1US\$ ≒ ¥110.83 / 1€ ≒ ¥125.69  
(as of February 21, 2019)

**Transport**

Details on pickup schedule will be announced before student arrival.



**Campus facilities**

Free access to the Wi-Fi system, computers, study rooms available in the campus.  
Use of sports facilities\* such as the gym are also available free of charge.

(\*available during periods when facilities are not in use by club students)



**Housing**

CIEE will assign the students to accommodation facilities.  
Details will be sent from the CIEE once students are admitted.

**Health Insurance**

All international students are required to purchase and hold their own health insurance covering illnesses and accidents during the period of time they stay in Japan. Furthermore, students who stay for more than 3 months will be required by Law to attain the Japan National Insurance.

