

## Guidelines for MEXT Scholarship (Special Program Recommendation 2020)

This document elaborates the application procedure for MEXT Scholarship (Special Program Recommendation 2020) as administered by the Graduate School of Science and Engineering, Doshisha University for recommendation to the Japanese Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (MEXT).

### ● Qualifications and Eligibility for applicants

Applicants who have satisfied with all the criteria below;

\*International students who wish to enroll Graduate School of Science and Engineering, ISTC 2020 Fall semester with the purpose of Degree-seeking.

\*Applicants who have the Nationality of a country as follows,

-Albania, Ukraine, Austria, Cyprus, Greek, Croatia, Switzerland, Slovakia, Slovenia, Czech, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Hungary, Bulgaria, Poland, Macedonia, Liechtenstein, Romania, Serbia, Montenegro, Kosovo

\*Applicants who were born after April 2nd, 1985

\*Applicants who are qualified to enroll Graduate School (Master's program or Doctoral program)

\*Applicants who have gained GPA over 2.30 (prescribed calculation method)

(1)If you are a student; whole Academic achievement of the current study/course (Official Transcript is required.)

(2)If you are not a student; Academic achievement of the final education (Official Transcript is required.)

\*Applicants who have satisfied with one of the requirements regarding English language ability.

1. Applicants who have the qualification/Exam score equivalent to CEFR B2 or above by the time of enrollment.

2. Applicants who are going to/have completed the educational programs which English is Medium of Instruction.

### ● Scholarship benefits

〈Living expense〉

Master's program: 144,000 yen per month for two years

Doctoral program: 145,000 yen per month for three years

〈University fee〉

Applicants will not be required to pay University fees such as Application fee, Admission fee, Tuition.

〈Travel expense〉

The economy-class air tickets (round trip) will be given by Japanese government

### ● Application Materials

1. Application Form (prescribed)
2. Annex 1 - Application Form (prescribed)
3. Application Card for Course and Laboratory (prescribed)
4. Field of Study and research Plan (prescribed)
5. Certificate of Graduation (or Expected) of the highest academic attainment or Degree Certificate

6. Proof from your university to indicate how well your academic performance is/was (e.g. GPA distribution chart, your school record ranking, etc)
7. Recommendation letter signed by the Dean of your Faculty, the Rector, etc. which should be addressed to the President Takashi Matsuoka of Doshisha University
8. Abstracts of your thesis or papers which you mentioned at section #14 in the Application Form
9. Pledge (prescribed)
10. Official Transcript which shows applicant's grades (Grade System also must be clarified)
11. Certificate/Qualification which proves applicants' English language ability
12. Photocopy of Passport (The page of applicants' name and photo)

● **Deadline for Application**

**PDF/Excel version** of Application Materials must be submitted to the Office of Faculty/Graduate School of Science and Engineering, Doshisha University (jt-istc@mail.doshisha.ac.jp) by **Friday, January 24, 2020**.

We will ask you to send the original documents of application materials later.

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