


**Exchange Partner Profiles**

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## JAPAN

<b>Hijiyama University</b>
<b>Exchange Website</b> <a href="http://www.hijiyama-u.ac.jp/en/en_study_02.html">http://www.hijiyama-u.ac.jp/en/en_study_02.html</a>
<b>Main Website</b> <a href="http://www.hijiyama-u.ac.jp/">http://www.hijiyama-u.ac.jp/</a>
<b>Location</b> <i>Hiroshima, Japan</i>
 <p>The map shows the four main islands of Japan: Hokkaido, Honshu, Shikoku, and Kyushu. Major cities like Sapporo, Sendai, Tokyo, Osaka, and Hiroshima are marked. A red arrow points to Hiroshima on the island of Honshu. The map also shows the Sea of Japan (East Sea) and the Pacific Ocean.</p>
<b>Campus Description</b> TO BE CONFIRMED.
<b>Courses offered</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Japanese Culture and Language Program</li> </ul>
<b>Unit links</b> <a href="http://www.hijiyama-u.ac.jp/en/en_study_02.html#06">http://www.hijiyama-u.ac.jp/en/en_study_02.html#06</a>
<b>Semester Dates</b> TO BE CONFIRMED.
<b>What is a full time study load?</b> TO BE CONFIRMED.
<b>Accommodation</b> TO BE CONFIRMED.
<b>Fees/Cost of living</b> <i>Approximate cost per month</i> ¥85,000 – ¥109,000 for rent, food, mobile phone, bills, and entertainment.
<b>Places per semester</b> 1 per year
<b>Undergraduate or Postgraduate</b> TO BE CONFIRMED.
<b>Language of instruction</b> Japanese
<b>ACU application deadline</b> Semester 1 exchange: 1 August Semester 2 exchange: 1 March
<b>Financial Assistance</b> <b>ACU Vice Chancellor's Travel Grant</b> <a href="http://www.acu.edu.au/student_life/study_abroad_and_student_exchange/financial_assistance/">http://www.acu.edu.au/student_life/study_abroad_and_student_exchange/financial_assistance/</a>

**OS-HELP Loan**

<http://www.goingtouni.gov.au/Main/Quickfind/StudyOverseas/OSHELP.htm>

## Kagoshima Immaculate Heart University

**Exchange Website**

<http://www.k-junshin.ac.jp/jundai/en/exchange/index.html>

**Main Website**

<http://www.k-junshin.ac.jp/jundai/en/index.htm>

**Location**

*Kagoshima, Japan*



**Campus Description**

Being a small, closely-knit community, Kagoshima Immaculate Heart University has ample opportunities for a full and active social and sporting life. The university has a well-equipped sports hall. Clubs include tennis, volleyball and badminton. There are also various cultural clubs featuring traditional Japanese activities such as flower arrangement, tea ceremony and Kimono-dressing.

**Courses offered**

- Language and Culture
- Child Studies
- Nursing and Nutrition

**Unit links**

<http://www.k-junshin.ac.jp/jundai/en/about/composition/index.html>

**Semester Dates**

TO BE CONFIRMED.

**What is a full time study load?**

TO BE CONFIRMED.

**Accommodation**

TO BE CONFIRMED.

**Fees/Cost of living**

TO BE CONFIRMED.

**Places per semester**

TO BE CONFIRMED.

**Undergraduate or Postgraduate**

TO BE CONFIRMED.

**Language of instruction**

TO BE CONFIRMED.

**ACU application deadline**

Semester 1 exchange: 1 August

Semester 2 exchange: 1 March

**Financial Assistance**

**ACU Vice Chancellor's Travel Grant**

[http://www.acu.edu.au/student\\_life/study\\_abroad\\_and\\_student\\_exchange/financial\\_assistance/](http://www.acu.edu.au/student_life/study_abroad_and_student_exchange/financial_assistance/)

**OS-HELP Loan**

<http://www.goingtouni.gov.au/Main/Quickfind/StudyOverseas/OSHELP.htm>

**Scholarships** available from the Japanese Education Ministry.

For further information contact:

Kagoshima Immaculate Heart University

Office of Admissions

2365 Amatatsu-Cho, Satsuma-Sendai-Shi

Kagoshima 895-0011, Japan

## Nagoya University of Foreign Studies (NUFS)

### Exchange Website

[http://www-e.nufs.ac.jp/jli/iljsp/e\\_31.htm](http://www-e.nufs.ac.jp/jli/iljsp/e_31.htm)

### Main Website

<http://www-e.nufs.ac.jp/>

### Location

*Nagoya, Japan*



### Campus Description

Participants in the program are free to use all the university facilities and equipment, including the computers in the designated computer rooms. The offices of the Japanese Language Institute and International Studies and Exchange are located in the Communication Plaza (established in July 2003) which has numerous educational resources (including PCs and classrooms) as well as a number of multi-purpose open spaces that can be used by students for either their study or social needs. Other facilities open to students include the University Library, Multimedia Learning Center, University Clinic, and University Gymnasium. These facilities may be accessed during the hours designated for general student use. For further information regarding these facilities and their locations, please view our interactive [campus map](#).

### Courses offered

- Contemporary Japan Program
- Japanese Language and Japanese Studies Program

### Unit links

<http://www-e.nufs.ac.jp/jli/iljsp/cjpn.htm>

<http://www-e.nufs.ac.jp/jli/iljsp/iljsp.htm>

### Semester Dates

Fall Semester: September – December

Spring Semester: March – July

### What is a full time study load?

14 Credits at NUFS = 1 full-time ACU semester

### Accommodation

#### NUFS International House (I-House)

I-House, a NUFS on-campus dormitory, is a two-story building constructed in August 2001. The primary objective of this facility is to deepen global awareness and to promote cross-cultural understanding and cultural exchange between international students and Japanese students living in the same complex.

Single rooms are made available to JLI students. Each room is equipped with a balcony, bathroom, toilet, air conditioner, closet, bed, curtains, desk & chair, shelves, telephone (on-campus calls only), refrigerator, etc. Communal facilities such as the kitchens, conference rooms, laundry room, etc. are also available. The

monthly fees (including rent, electricity, water, maintenance costs, etc.) are fixed at 26,000 yen per student. In addition, 10,000 yen will be charged as a non-refundable entrance fee at the time of check-in. For further Reference, see our [NUFS I-House Guide](#).

#### **Apartment House Arranged by NUFSS**

NUFS will secure a number of rooms at Proxy Friends Nisshin, a privately-run apartment house located within walking distance of the university. These are studio apartments with a kitchen area. Basic facilities include bathroom with toilet, kitchen, balcony, air-conditioner and refrigerator. In addition, NUFSS will provide some other equipment such as TV, bed, microwave oven, desk & chair, bookshelves and curtains. Monthly rental costs (excluding electricity charges) are fixed at 31,5000 yen per student. Students are required to pay a non-refundable entrance fee of 10,000 yen at the time of check-in. For further reference, see our [Proxy Friends Nisshin Guide](#).

Meals are not provided at international student accommodations. However, international students may use the kitchen facilities at these accommodations to prepare their own meals. In addition, students may eat three meals a day at the dining halls on campus on weekdays. (The campus dining halls are not usually open on weekends.) There are many restaurants and other dining facilities within easy walking distance of the above-mentioned accommodations, and there is a major supermarket just two minutes away.

#### **Fees/Cost of living**

JLI Program (CJPN & JLIJSP) participants are strongly urged to bring adequate funds to cover their personal expenses in Japan. Although personal expenses vary from individual to individual, approximately 80,000 to 100,000 per month (including accommodation charges) should be adequate.

#### **Places per semester**

3 per year

#### **Undergraduate or Postgraduate**

Undergraduate

#### **Language of instruction**

Japanese

#### **ACU application deadline**

Semester 1 exchange: 1 August

Semester 2 exchange: 1 March

#### **Financial Assistance**

##### **ACU Vice Chancellor's Travel Grant**

<http://www.acu.edu.au/student life/study abroad and student exchange/financial assistance/>

##### **OS-HELP Loan**


<http://www.goingtouni.gov.au/Main/Quickfind/StudyOverseas/OSHELP.htm>

##### **NUFS Exchange Student Scholarships**

NUFS will make scholarships available to outstanding exchange students from universities/ colleges with which NUFSS has a student exchange agreement. The scholarship offers will be made through the contact persons at the partner institutions.

##### **Japan Association of Student Services Organization (JASSO) Scholarships**

JASSO awards several scholarships each year to JLI students. These scholarships includes a settling-in allowance of 80,000 yen, and a monthly stipend of 80,000 yen (for living expenses, etc.). To be eligible, an applicant must plan to participate in an authorized exchange program for one academic year.

<b>University of the Sacred Heart</b>
<b>Exchange Website</b> <a href="http://www.u-sacred-heart.ac.jp/english/studentlife/foreignstu.html">http://www.u-sacred-heart.ac.jp/english/studentlife/foreignstu.html</a>
<b>Main Website</b> <a href="http://www.u-sacred-heart.ac.jp/english/index.html">http://www.u-sacred-heart.ac.jp/english/index.html</a>
<b>Location</b> <i>Tokyo, Japan</i> 
<b>Campus Description</b> TO BE CONFIRMED.
<b>Courses offered</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Intensive Program In Japanese Language And Culture</li> </ul>
<b>Unit links</b> TO BE CONFIRMED.
<b>Semester Dates</b> Spring/Summer session: from early April to the end of July /early August Fall/Winter session: from late September to the end of January
<b>What is a full time study load?</b> TO BE CONFIRMED.
<b>Accommodation</b> The University provides residence facilities for about 240 students who need housing or who want to experience dormitory life. Those who are interested in student housing are requested to contact the Student Residence Office for more detailed information: Student Residence Office University of the Sacred Heart 4-3-1 Hiroo Shibuya-ku Tokyo, Japan 150-8938 Tel: 03-3499-5865
<b>Fees/Cost of living</b> TO BE CONFIRMED.
<b>Places per semester</b> 1
<b>Undergraduate or Postgraduate</b> Undergraduate
<b>Language of instruction</b> TO BE CONFIRMED.

**ACU application deadline**

Semester 1 exchange: 1 August

Semester 2 exchange: 1 March

**Financial Assistance**

**ACU Vice Chancellor's Travel Grant**

[http://www.acu.edu.au/student\\_life/study\\_abroad\\_and\\_student\\_exchange/financial\\_assistance/](http://www.acu.edu.au/student_life/study_abroad_and_student_exchange/financial_assistance/)

**OS-HELP Loan**

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**Note**

Women Only

## Sophia University

**Exchange Website**

<http://www.sophia.ac.jp/eng/admissions/exchangeprograms>

**Main Website**

<http://www.sophia.ac.jp/jpn/>

**Location**

*Tokyo, Japan*



**Campus Description**

TO BE CONFIRMED.

**Courses offered**

- Liberal Arts
- Global Studies

**Unit links**

[http://www.sophia.ac.jp/eng/admissions/exchangeprograms/course\\_info](http://www.sophia.ac.jp/eng/admissions/exchangeprograms/course_info)

**Semester Dates**

Autumn Semester: September – January

Spring Semester: April – August

**What is a full time study load?**

TO BE CONFIRMED.

**Accommodation**

Sophia University offers the following housing options for exchange students:

**Dormitory**

(off-campus)

For men

Wakeijuku \*The availability is quite limited .

For both men and women

Azalea House

DK House Warabi

DK House Tokyo Nerima

For women

Kasai International House

If you want to arrange your own housing:

SAKURA HOUSE (Tokyo Apartment & Guest House Agency)

JTB Homestay Japan

JTB Homestay Japan can arrange your homestay. They offer a special discount of the initial placement fee (16,000yen → 10,000yen) for Sophia exchange students.

There is no on-campus dormitory. Students must commute to Sophia from their housing.

Since the Sophia campus is located in the heart of Tokyo, the cost of living near campus is very high. As reasonable housing is located in the suburbs, exchange students should expect a 45-90 minute commuting time to campus. The train and subway systems in Tokyo are well-developed, but during the morning rush hours, the trains are very crowded.

Please check the commuting time of each dormitory carefully before making the decision of the housing preference.

**Fees/Cost of living**

Tokyo is one of the most expensive cities in the world. Exchange students should be prepared to spend approximately 150,000¥ per month on living expenses.

**Places per semester**

TO BE CONFIRMED.

**Undergraduate or Postgraduate**

Undergraduate

**Language of instruction**

Japanese.

Global Studies and Liberal Arts are taught in English.

**ACU application deadline**

Semester 1 exchange: 1 August

Semester 2 exchange: 1 March

**Financial Assistance**

**ACU Vice Chancellor's Travel Grant**

<http://www.acu.edu.au/student-life/study-abroad-and-student-exchange/financial-assistance/>

**OS-HELP Loan**

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### References

All information on partner universities was found on the partner's website/s. Please note that the information is accurate as of 19 December 2011, and is subject to change.

The country maps are courtesy of [www.lonelyplanet.com](http://www.lonelyplanet.com).

### Currency

COUNTRY	CURRENCY	SYMBOL
<b>Austria</b>	Euro	€
<b>Brazil</b>	Real	B\$
<b>Canada</b>	Dollar	C\$
<b>China</b>	Yuan	¥
<b>Chile</b>	Peso	CL\$
<b>England</b>	Pound	£
<b>Finland</b>	Euro	€
<b>France</b>	Euro	€
<b>Germany</b>	Euro	€
<b>Ireland</b>	Euro	€
<b>Italy</b>	Euro	€
<b>Japan</b>	Yen	¥
<b>Mexico</b>	Peso	Mex\$
<b>The Netherlands</b>	Euro	€
<b>Poland</b>	Zloty	zł
<b>South Korea</b>	Won	₩
<b>Spain</b>	Euro	€
<b>Sweden</b>	Krona	kr
<b>Turkey</b>	Lira	T£
<b>USA</b>	Dollar	US\$