



Call for Participants to
2016 Human Science Summer School
August 29 – September 8, 2016, Kyushu University, Fukuoka, Japan
<http://www.hs.design.kyushu-u.ac.jp/en>

The [Human Science International Course](#) in the Graduate School of Design, Kyushu University, Fukuoka, Japan, invites Graduate School students studying outside of Japan to the 2016 Human Science Summer School. Those of you eligible and interested in the education of our International Course are encouraged to apply. We are looking for candidates with an excellent academic performance and a strong desire to pursue a Doctoral degree at our Human Science Department. We offer financial support and course credits, as well as course education and laboratory experience.

The Human Science Summer School provides a program consisting of 15 lectures of 90 minutes in combination with explanations of laboratory equipment and general research facilities. Lecture content is based on subjects from the [curriculum](#) of the Human Science International Course.

Dates	August 29 (Mon) – September 8 (Thu), 2016 arrival on August 26 (Fri), and departure at September 9 (Fri)
Location	Ohashi Campus , Kyushu University , Fukuoka, Japan (access map)
# of Invited Participants	Three or five (3-5) Graduate School students studying outside Japan.
Eligibility of Applicants	(1) Graduate School students of universities/institutes outside Japan. (2) Those who are interested in education and research of our Human Science International Course. (3) Those with sufficient English capability to follow 15 lectures and engage in scientific communication about their field of study. (4) Those who can get a recommendation from their current supervisor and have an outstanding academic record.
Sponsor	Human Science International Course , Graduate School of Design , Kyushu University
Program	(1) 15 lectures of 90 minutes each; (2) Explanations and demonstrations of research laboratories and facilities under supervision of faculty members of our Human Science International Course.
Credits	We will certify 2 credits to those who complete 15 lectures and come from universities with which our Graduate School or Kyushu University has a mutual student exchange program. The list of our partner institutions is here .
Financial support	Full support is provided for (1) an economy-class air ticket to and from Japan, (2) accommodation, and (3) meals. The total amount may vary among participants, taking account of the participants' total amount of



Accommodation	air fares, our budget and the type of financial support we could obtain, and whether the participant' university provides financial support or not.
Program schedule	<p>You will stay at a dormitory room with a kitchenette and free LAN.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 26 Aug (Fri): arrival at Fukuoka airport - 27, 28 Aug (Sat, Sun): orientation and sightseeing - 29 Aug (Mon): administration, start of lecture series and laboratory work, welcome party - 30 Aug – Sep 2 (Tue-Fri): lectures and laboratory work - 3, 4 Sep (Sat, Sun): bus tour and sightseeing - 5, 6 Sep (Mon, Tue): lectures and laboratory work - 7 Sep (Wed): presentation preparation, free time - 8 Sep (Thu): final presentations and farewell event - 9 Sep (Fri): check-out and departure from Fukuoka.

Summer School Program

Applications

Application documents (please send in .pdf)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) an application form (Excel file, .pdf file, read me file) (2) a recommendation letter from your supervisor; (3) transcript of your academic record (BA and MA, if available); (4) a letter of motivation in English, >800 words, describing why you are interested in joining the Summer School.
Deadline	
Screening	<p>13 June, 2016 (Mon), 17:00 JST (Japan Standard Time)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participants will be selected on basis of their academic record and supervisor recommendation(s); • We give priority to MA students and encourage faculty staff to apply. Please note that Undergraduate or Doctoral students cannot apply. There is no age limit.
Acceptance Notification	
Submission & Questions	<p>We will inform you through an acceptance/rejection notification within 2 weeks after the document submission deadline.</p> <p>Please send the above 4 application documents (in .pdf) by e-mail to Ass. Prof. Gerard B. Remijn at remijn@design.kyushu-u.ac.jp</p>