Studying at Hokkaido University

Exchange Programs for International Students

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Location/Hokkaido

New Chitose Airport
90 min. from Tokyo
120 min. from Osaka

Hakodate Campus
Fisheries Sciences

*Sapporo City Population (2020) : 1.96 million

* Hakodate City Population (2020) : 0.25 million

Sapporo City

Latitude and Longitude
North - 43° 11’ N lat.
South - 42° 46’ N lat.
East - 141° 30’ E long.
West - 140° 59’ E long.
Sapporo and Hokkaido in Seasons

- Furano Lavender fields in July
- Tokachidake Autumn Leaves
- Sapporo Snow Festival (early February)
- Canal light-up in Otaru
Hokkaido University Campus in Sapporo

Established in 1876

20,000 students
(including 2,093 international students)

International Students in Number (May 2020):

- Hungary: 6
- Finland: 10
- France: 16
- Russia: 14
- Taiwan: 64
- Korea: 128
- China: 1,255
Faculties and Research Centers

- 12 Undergraduate and 21 Graduate Schools:
  - Agriculture/Forestry
  - Chemistry
  - Chemical Engineering
  - Material Science
  - Biological Sciences
  - Earth/Ocean Sciences
  - Veterinary Medicine

- 15 Institutes and Research Centers:
  - Institute of Low Temperature Science
  - Field Science Center for Northern Biosphere
  - Institute for Catalysis
  - Center for Ainu and Indigenous Studies
  - Slavic-Eurasian Research Center
  - Arctic Research Center
HUSTEP for Exchange Students

HUSTEP (Hokkaido University Short-Term Exchange Program in English):

- Study “Culture and Society,” “Science, Technology, and Environment,” and “Japanese” in English

- One Year (Sep 2021 – Aug 2022) or Half Year (Sep 2021–Feb 2022 or Apr 2022-Aug 2022) Program

- Additional independent research possible (only for one-year course)

- Japanese ability NOT required, but English test score required (TOEFL iBT 79 or IELTS 6.5)

- GPA of 3.0 (B) on a 4.0 scale or equivalent required

- Eligible for JASSO (Japan Student Services Organization) scholarship
HUSTEP Examples

70-80 courses in Humanities, Social Sciences, Natural Sciences, and Japanese courses in English!

Class Schedule

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JLCSP for Exchange Students

Japanese Language and Culture Studies Program (JLCSP):

✓ Intensive program for Japanese and Japan Studies in Japanese
✓ Japanese ability REQUIRED (N3 or higher on the Japanese Language Proficiency Test)
✓ Eligible to Japanese Government MEXT Scholarship (only for one-year student) and JASSO scholarship
Hokkaido Summer Institute (JUN – OCT)

Summer school with foreign and Hokkaido and other Japanese students (undergraduate, master, doctoral)

In 2021, more than 160 researchers and 139 courses from over 110 foreign universities/institutes

Fee: 14,800 yen (120 euro) per credit but waived for exchange students from partner universities