

## MEXT Scholarship (financed by Japanese Government) Opportunity!

### The International Priority Graduate Program (PGP) for Doctoral Course enroll in Oct. 2020 Practical education program through development of a novel functional index of food to prevent brain aging

This program provides education and/or research through the development of novel functional index for foods that contribute to the prevention of dementia, a global health priority. In order to develop new index for foods, not only biology and chemistry, but also a wide range of knowledge and research such as analytics and information science are required. In this program, a multidisciplinary and practical education is conducted with the support of companies related to agriculture and food.

Admission Quota for Program: **7 students**  
(Scholarship for **3 students** are available.)

International students of this program can apply for MEXT (Japanese Government) Scholarship. 3 year scholarship for 3 doctoral students are available for international students during their student at Muroran Institute of Technology.

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For more Information  
: Please see “the Guidelines for  
2020 University Recommended  
Japanese Government Scholarship  
(The International Priority  
Graduate Program : PGP)”



We are waiting for  
your challenge at  
MuroranIT!

## University Recommended Japanese Government Scholarship Procedure (The International Priority Graduate Program)

### 【University Recommendation】

The International Priority Graduate Program (PGP) of Muroran Institute of Technology (MuroranIT) will select and recommend scholar candidates to MEXT. We will accept the scholar applicants with outstanding academic records from overseas institutions in a priority area (See below for target countries\*). One institution can recommend one student. We will select and recommend limited numbers of 3 candidates among all applicants to MEXT.

Please note that the scholar applicant should contact one of our PGP faculty members with his/her research background and research plan and find an academic supervisor before the recommendation by home institution.

Meanwhile, the admission application is necessary and should be done by the scholar applicant. The outline of both procedures is shown below. For admission details, please visit our website. <http://www.muroran-it.ac.jp/oia/en/inbound/admissions.html>

### Schedule outline for Doctor Course applicant

<b>[At home country before coming to Japan]</b>		
January (early)	Recruitment notice to institutions in a priority area* Seek an academic supervisor in PGP faculty members	
January (late)	Scholarship application to MuroranIT by January 24 (Fri.), 2020	
<b>January 29</b>	<b>Test of Skype Interview</b> , Screening by MuroranIT on January 29 (Fri.), 2020	
<b>February 4</b>	<b>Skype Interview**</b> , Screening by MuroranIT on February 4 (Mon.), 2020	
June (early)	Notification of scholarship screening result from MEXT	
June (middle)	(DC admission) Application to MuroranIT Doctor Course screening	*1
July (late)	(DC admission) Notification of DC screening result	
August-	Immigration Procedures to enter Japan	
<b>[In Japan]</b>		
September (at the end)	Arrival at Muroran	
October	(DC admission) Registration and begin DC degree program	

\*1: Refer to “Degree admissions > Doctoral Course > Overseas applications > Enrollment in October : Doctoral course entrance examination for international students” in the above website.

\*Priority area (Southeast Asia, Southwest Asia, and Mongol)

India, Indonesia, Cambodia, Singapore, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Nepal, Pakistan, Bangladesh, Bhutan, Philippines, Brunei, Vietnam, Malaysia, Myanmar, Maldives, Mongolia, Laos

\*\*In the Skype interview, you must give a 10 minute presentation about your graduation thesis and research plan.