

MEXT Scholarship (financed by Japanese Government) Opportunity!

The International Priority Graduate Program (PGP) for Doctoral Course enroll in Apr. 2021 or Oct. 2021 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
2021 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*1). 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>*2

*1: 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.

*2: Refer to “Degree admissions > Doctoral Course > brain-food PGP : Doctoral course entrance examination for international students” in the above website.

Schedule outline for Doctor Course applicant

[At home country before coming to Japan]	
September(early)	Recruitment notice to institutions in a priority area* Seek an academic supervisor in PGP faculty members
October (early)	Scholarship application to MuroranIT by October 7, 2020
October (early)	(DC admission) Application to MuroranIT Doctor Course screening by October 7 (Wed.), 2020
November 12	Test of online Interview, Screening by MuroranIT on November 12 , 2020
November 19	Skype Interview**, Screening by MuroranIT on November 19, 2020
December 4	(DC admission) Notification of DC screening result
February (late)	April 2021 enrollment Notification of scholarship screening result from MEXT
February (late)	April 2021 enrollment Immigration Procedures to enter Japan
June (late)	October 2021 enrollment Notification of scholarship screening result from MEXT
August	October 2021 enrollment Immigration Procedures to enter Japan
[In Japan]	
March (at the end)	April 2021 enrollment Arrival at Muroran
April	April 2021 enrollment (DC admission) Registration and begin DC degree program
September (at the end)	October 2021 enrollment Arrival at Muroran
October	October 2021 enrollment (DC admission) Registration and begin DC degree program