

## Degree Programs Conducted in English

Osaka University, Graduate School of Engineering  
offers the following Master's Degree program  
which is conducted in English  
[Enrollment in April 2020]  
For Privately Financed International Students

The Osaka University Graduate School of Engineering (GSE) offers the following special programs which are conducted in English. Each program consists of a master's course followed by a doctoral course to be admitted by a special selection for internal applicants.

Note: The quota advertised in this guideline has no pre-allocated scholarship, and is not available for applicants sponsored by the Special Programs with Japanese Government (MEXT) Scholarship in compliance with University Recommendation.

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# Biotechnology Global Human Resource Development Program for Industry-University-Co-Creation

## 1. Program Summary

The aim of this program is to expose young scientists to state-of-the-art research techniques and in-depth knowledge of advanced biology, chemistry, physics and bioengineering, so that they may harness the potential of biotechnology applicable to Japanese industries as well as academia.

## 2. Important Program Features

- (1) English will be used for all the lectures, instructions, and research-related activities. In the Basic Courses, students will acquire a solid background in advanced biotechnology. In the Project-based Training Course students will acquire the ability to design and execute research in a critical manner. In the Advanced Research Proposal Course students will acquire the ability to propose original research plans independently as a scientist. Through immersion in Special Research students will have ample time during the remaining four years to attain their Master's and Doctoral Degrees in Engineering.
- (2) The Basic Courses, which will be held in the first semester of the master's program, will deal with a wide range of subjects: advanced biotechnology, and basics and applications in the fields of "Biotechnology," "Life Science," and "Biochemistry."
- (3) In the first semester of the master's program, students will take the Project-based Training Course. This course is designed to prepare students as research engineers with the ability to conceive innovative ideas, by synthesizing knowledge from different disciplines and the techniques for devising research plans towards realizing the ideas. In this course, each student will choose one laboratory different from their own, and will produce a short-term research work under the supervision of the professor of that laboratory.
- (4) All students will conduct their Special Research in the second, third, and fourth semester of the master's program, under the supervision and instruction of his/her professor.
- (5) In the first semester of the doctoral program, students will take the Advanced Research Proposal Course. This course is designed to prepare students as research scientist with the ability to propose original research plans independently, so that they can complete their doctoral dissertation. In this course, each student will propose a research plan in a field different from their own, make a presentation, and have discussions with members of faculty, and doctoral program students of the related fields to gain diversified/multiple perspectives. During the period of the doctoral program, the students will devote themselves to Special Research while expanding their knowledge by taking the Advanced Biotechnology Exercise and Advanced Biotechnology Seminar courses.
- (6) For Special Research in the master's and doctoral programs, each student will choose one laboratory among Bioenvironmental Science (Watanabe Lab.), Cell Technology (Muranaka Lab.), Bioprocess Systems Engineering (Kino-oka Lab.), Bioresource Engineering (Fukusaki Lab.), Macromolecular Biotechnology (Uchiyama Lab.), Biochemical Engineering (Omasa Lab.), Biomolecular Science and Engineering (Nagai Lab.), and Applied Microbiology (Fujiyama Lab.). Students can change their laboratory after completion of

the master's program, if they wish to do so.

- (7) Improving Japanese skill is also required during the course. N4 level Japanese Language Proficiency Test is required for obtaining the master's degree and N3 level is required for obtaining the doctoral degree.

### **3. Requirements for the Completion of the Course and Obtaining the Degree**

#### **(1) Master's Program**

- ① Requirements for completion of the program: completion of two compulsory courses, the Project-based Training Course, and Safety Education Course for a total of no less than 30 credits; completion of Special Research; N4 level certificate of the Japanese Language Proficiency Test; acceptance of the master's thesis by the faculty; and passing of the final examination of the course.
- ② Degree: Master of Engineering

#### **(2) Doctoral Program**

- ① Requirements for completion of the course: completion of Seminar on Frontier Research Proposal to acquire two compulsory credits; completion of Courses of Frontier Biotechnology Exercises and Frontier Biotechnology Seminars to acquire a minimum of four credits; completion of Special Research; N3 level certificate of the Japanese Language Proficiency Test; successful defense of doctoral dissertation and passing of the final examination of the program.
- ② Degree: Doctor of Philosophy in Engineering

### **4. Admission Quota**

A few

### **5. Program Website**

[http://www.bio.eng.osaka-u.ac.jp/gh\\_resour\\_prog/index.html](http://www.bio.eng.osaka-u.ac.jp/gh_resour_prog/index.html)

## **International Priority Graduate Program on Engineering Physics**

### **1. Program Summary**

The objective of this program is to equip new generation of young scientists with fundamental knowledge and cutting-edge research skills in Engineering Physics. By elucidating the fundamental physical, chemical and biological properties of materials, and designing materials with novel functions, we open a new way to the development of nanotechnology, photon technology, and biomedical engineering. We also aim to develop and produce international collaboration through the creation of an intellectual human resources network. Furthermore, by utilizing interdisciplinary organizations and international networks, we contribute to other socially important fields such as new industries, environment, and energy problems.

### **2. Important Program Features**

- (1) We aim to develop human resources capable of advancing science and technology in the field of engineering physics. Students will use fundamental principles of physics to elucidate and control material properties on the electronic and atomic level, and use the acquired knowledge to develop cutting edge technologies that can be applied in both leading and emerging engineering fields.

By attending lectures, participating in workshops, and conducting research, students will be able to

- Develop advanced expertise in engineering physics
- Gain fundamental understanding of materials and develop their applications in various fields of science and technology
- Establish international network in the field of engineering physics

- (2) The students will receive world-class instructions regarding the method in developing nano-materials design, the method only Osaka University has. Specialized, international, and advanced educational subjects are provided in each research field. Details and more information may be found in the Program Website

### **3. Requirements for the Completion of the Course and Obtaining the Degree**

#### **(1) Master's Course**

- ① Requirements: Completion of lectures and seminars corresponding to no less than 30 credits; completion of Special Research; submission and defense of the master's thesis; and passing the final examination of the course.
- ② Degree: Master of Engineering

#### **(2) Doctoral Course**

- ① Requirements: Completion of lectures and seminars corresponding to no less than 6 credits; completion of Special Research; successful defense of the doctoral dissertation; and passing the final examination of the course.
- ② Degree: Doctor of Philosophy in Engineering

### **4. Admission Quota**

A few

### **5. Program Website**

[http://www.pstap.eng.osaka-u.ac.jp/index\\_e.html](http://www.pstap.eng.osaka-u.ac.jp/index_e.html)

## Global Science and Engineering Course on Electric, Electronic and Information Technology

### 1. Program Summary

The aim of this program is to educate students to become scientists or engineers of the new generation with basic knowledge and state-of-the-art research skills necessary for: electronics, ubiquitous networking, nanotechnology, and electric power/energy. Through these educational and research activities, we seek to establish a safe and secure society, and an affluent, prosperous, sustainable, and human-friendly world.

### 2. Important Program Features

- (1) English will be used in all lectures, instructions, and research-related activities.
- (2) In the first and second semesters, students will acquire and establish a fundamental basis for electric, electronics and information technology through 20 intensive courses given by over 40 professors in the fields of Electrical Engineering, Information and Communications Technology, and Electronic Engineering. From the second year, the program is geared towards developing the ability for each student to carry out creative scientific research. As such, the single most important element of the curriculum for any individual is his/her own research project.
- (3) Also at the beginning of the initial semester, students will choose their research director, with the guidance of the faculty members and the advisory board of the course, and will soon begin actual experimental or theoretical work. The supervisor will be assigned from the professors in the Division of Electrical, Electronic and Information Engineering (check the website of the division: <http://www.eei.eng.osaka-u.ac.jp/english/academic-staff.html>).
- (4) In keeping with the goal of fostering an atmosphere of scholarly, independent study, formal course requirements are minimal and vary among disciplines; advisors can tailor the course requirements to best prepare each student for their chosen field of research. For example, a student who chooses to specialize in system-based science and engineering including half of electrical engineering and information and communication technology is normally expected to take minimum eight courses during the first year chosen from such topics as Dynamical Systems Theory, Applied Mathematical Sciences, Mathematical Fundamentals of Computer Networking, Multimedia Signal Analysis, and many more; another student who chooses to specialize in physics-based science and engineering including another half of electrical engineering and electronic engineering is normally expected to take minimum eight courses during the first year chosen from such topics as Surface Diagnostics, Optoelectronics, Semiconductor Physics, Neuro-system Engineering, and many more.
- (5) Doctoral courses on Electrical Engineering, Information and Communications Technology, and Electronic Engineering can be taken only in English after completing the Global Science and Engineering Course on Electric, Electronic and Information Technology and passing the entrance examination.

### **3. Requirements for the Completion of the Course and Obtaining the Degree**

- ① Requirements: Completion of lectures and seminars corresponding to no less than 30 credits; completion of Special Research; submission and defense of the master's thesis; and passing the final examination of the course.
- ② Degree: Master of Engineering

### **4. Admission Quota**

A few

### **5. Program Website**

<http://www.eei.eng.osaka-u.ac.jp/english/>

# International Program of Sustainable Energy and Environmental Engineering

## 1. Program Summary

The aim of this program is to educate international students to become scientists/engineers of the new generation with basic knowledge and cutting-edge research skills related to sustainability of global/local environment and energy and resource systems.

## 2. Important Program Features

- (1) Students will acquire and establish a fundamental basis for sustainable energy and environmental engineering through courseworks (check the program website) given by educational staffs belonging to Division of Sustainable Energy and Environmental Engineering and eminent guest lecturers. Simultaneously students can develop the ability to carry out creative scientific research in the field through performing his/her own research projects (Special Research).
- (2) The beginning of the initial semester, students will choose their research supervisor for Special Research, with the guidance of the faculty members and the advisory board of the course, and will soon begin actual experimental or theoretical works. The supervisor will be assigned from the professors/associate professors in the Division of Sustainable Energy and Environmental Engineering.
- (3) The supervisors for Special Research can support students by tailoring the coursework to best prepare each student for their chosen field of research.
- (4) Doctoral courses can be taken only in English after completing the master degree of the International Program of Sustainable Energy and Environmental Engineering and passing the entrance examination.

## 3. Requirements for the Completion of the Course and Obtaining the Degree

(1) Requirements: Completion of lectures and seminars corresponding to no less than 30 academic credits, completion of Special Research, submission and defense of the master's thesis, and passing the final examination of the course.

(2) Degree: Master of Engineering

## 4. Admission Quota

A few

## 5. Program Website

<http://www.see.eng.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/exam>

## 6. Application Requirements

- (1) Citizenship and residence status: This entrance examination is for those with the “Student” residence status. Those with other residence statuses are not eligible to apply for the entrance examination.  
However, those who will change their residence status to “Student” prior to enrollment may apply.  
For “Biotechnology Global Human Resource Development Program for Industry-University-Co-Creation”, “International Priority Graduate Program on Engineering Physics” and “Global Science and Engineering Course on Electric, Electronic and Information Technology”, those with Japanese nationality are eligible to apply for the examination as well.
- (2) Educational background : Applicants must fulfill one of the following qualifications:
  - 1 The applicant has graduated, or is expected to graduate by March 31, 2020, from a Japanese university.
  - 2 The applicant must have a bachelor’s degree or an equivalent degree granted upon completion of an academic program of either a foreign university or a foreign educational institution whose term of study is at least 3 years or more, by March 31, 2020.
  - 3 The applicant is no younger than 22 years of age as of March 31, 2020, and is recognized as possessing academic abilities equivalent to those of university graduates, by passing “the Preliminary Examination of Applicant’s Qualifications” conducted by Osaka University(See Note (2)).
- (3) Language ability: Applicants must have a good command of English. Those whose formal education has been conducted in a language other than English must submit a certificate of English proficiency.
- (4) Health: Applicants must be physically and mentally healthy enough to pursue study at university.

Notes:

- (1) Admission will be revoked if arrival in Japan by the designated date is unavailable.
- (2) Applicants who fall under (2)-(3) must take the “Preliminary Examination of Applicant’s Qualification” in advance. Such applicants must consult the Admission Section at the Student Affairs Division, by July 1, 2019 for the Summer Exam or September 20, 2019 for the Fall Exam. The Admission Section will announce details concerning the documents required for this procedure. Applicants will be informed of the results as soon as they are available.

## 7. Application Procedure

Note:

Every applicant must find, well in advance, a supervisor suitable for the research field in which the applicant is interested, and contact him/her by email to confirm whether the field is adequately fitting to his/her laboratory.

- (1) Application Period

① Summer Exam . . . **July 16 to July 19, 2019 3:00 p.m. (Japan time)**

② Fall Exam . . . **October 28 to November 15, 2019 3:00 p.m. (Japan time)**

The application materials must be submitted or be sent to the Admission Section by post or by hand, to be reached strictly no later than the last day of application period



above.

※"Global Science and Engineering Course on Electric, Electronic and Information Technology" and "International Program of Sustainable Energy and Environmental Engineering" do not conduct the Fall Exam.

(2) Address for Submissions

Admission Section, Student Affairs Division,

Graduate School of Engineering, Osaka University

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Tel: +81-6-6879-7228

(3) Application Materials

| Materials   | Details   |
|---|---|
| (1) Application Form  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Fill out the prescribed "Application for Admission" form.</li><li>• A photograph (4cm×3cm) should be affixed to the first page. It should be taken within the last 3 months and should show the upper part of the body, without hat, in a frontal pose.</li></ul>   |
| (2) Admission Ticket for an Examination and Photo Card<br>(Only for applicants who already reside in Japan) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Applicant's name must be written on the prescribed form.</li><li>• Two photographs (4cm×3cm) should be affixed. It should be taken within the last 3 months and should show the upper part of the body, without hat, in a frontal pose.</li></ul>   |
| (3) Statement of Purpose  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• A Statement of Purpose of the applicant (no more than three double-spaced, typed pages on A4 paper), stating their research proposal</li></ul>  |
| (4) Certificate of (Expected) Graduation / Completion   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• A certificate or certified true copy of certificate from the last school the applicant attended. The certificate should be the original document (not a copy).</li></ul> <p>Notes:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>(1) Applicants who (are expected to) have master's degrees should submit the original certificates of (expected) graduation/completion for both bachelor's and master's degrees.</li><li>(2) Applicants whose last schools issue graduation (completion) certificates and degree certificates in separate sheets should submit both in the original forms.</li></ol> |

| Materials                              | Details  |
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| (5) Certified Academic Records         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Certified Academic Records from the last school the applicant attended. The transcript should be the original document (not a copy).</li> </ul> <p>Note: Applicants who already have master's degrees should submit Academic Records for both bachelor's and master's degrees, certified by the universities the applicants attended.</p>   |
| (6) Certificate of English proficiency | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Attach TOEFL, TOEIC, IELTS, CPE or equivalent English test scores as certification. (**"Global Science and Engineering Course on Electric, Electronic and Information Technology" and "<u>International Program of Sustainable Energy and Environmental Engineering</u>" accept only TOEFL, TOEIC, IELTS, or CPE test score.) The test score should be the original document (not a copy)</li> <li>• Applicants who fall under the following cases do not need to submit an English test score. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(1) Applicants whose first language is English.</li> <li>(2) Applicants who have graduated from a university or a graduate school located in an English speaking country.</li> <li>(3) Applicants who have completed an undergraduate or graduate degree program where the language of instruction and examination was English. In this case, an official statement from the school will be required, confirming the use of English as the language of instruction and examination.</li> <li>(4) Applicants who are on the Chemistry-Biology Combined Major Program and expected to graduate from either of the School of Science, Engineering, or Engineering Science at Osaka University prior to the date of enrollment to the course.</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>&lt; On Sending TOEFL Official Score Report to the University &gt;<br/> DI CODE for GSE-OU: <b>8690</b><br/> Name of Institution: <b>Osaka University - Graduate School of Engineering</b></p> <p>Enter the above code on the answer sheet and follow the directions on the test sheet. It is not necessary to enter the department code (DEPT. CODE). If you do not find the DI CODE ("8690"), please write the following address:<br/> Student Affairs Division, Graduate School of Engineering,<br/> Osaka University,<br/> 2-1 Yamadaoka, Suita, Osaka 565-0871, Japan</p> |

| Materials  | Details   |
|--|---|
| (7) Letter of Recommendation   | • The letter should be written by the academic supervisor of the university the applicant attended, the employer if the applicant works in, or the current supervisor.  |
| (8) Certificate of Citizenship<br>(A4 size paper)                            | • The applicant can submit a copy of the passport as well.  |
| (9) Copy of applicant's Residence Card<br>(Only for non-Japanese applicants) | • Required only for those who have a status of residence in Japan.<br>• It must specify applicant's residence status, period of stay, and current address.  |
| (10) Abstract of Graduation Thesis   | • The abstract of the applicant's graduation thesis or equivalent document, including figures etc.  |
| (11) Receipt Application Fee Payment<br>(30,000 JPY)                         | Refer P.10 (8. How to Pay the Application Fee) for payment procedures.<br>*Not required for those who will enroll as a Japanese Government (MEXT) Scholarship student.<br>Note:<br>If applicants are unable to pay through the Payment System due to a compelling reason, please contact the Admission Section well in advance. |

Notes on submission:

- (1) Application documents should be typed or handwritten in BLOCK letters on A4 size paper in English. For documents in a language other than English, an English translation must be attached.
- (2) Admission Ticket for an Examination will be sent to applicants who do reside in Japan.
- (3) Once application documents have been received, they will not be returned.

## 8. How to Pay the Application Fee

### (1) Before Using the Payment System

#### ① Check Your Device

Please make payment through the Internet by using a computer. The system may not be compatible with smartphones, tablets or cell phones. Please prepare a computer which meets the following conditions. In case you don't have your own computer, please use one in your school, acquaintance's house, etc.

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| <p>▼ Browser Minimum Requirements<br/>Please make sure to use the latest version of your internet browser.<br/>[Windows] Internet Explorer11、 Google Chrome、 Mozilla Firefox、 Microsoft Edge<br/>[Mac] Safari、 Google Chrome、 Mozilla Firefox</p> <p>▼ Browser Specifications<br/>JavaScript must be enabled.<br/>Cookie must be enabled.</p> <p>▼ Other requirements<br/>In order to ensure compatibility for viewing PDFs, please use Adobe Reader version 11.0 or above.<br/>※Recommended screen resolution is 1024 pixels and above.</p> |
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#### ② Prepare a Printer

The Receipt of Application Fee Payment System has to be printed out to submit.

If you don't have your own printer, please use one in your school, acquaintance's house, convenience stores, etc.

③Prepare an Email Address

The registered email address will be used as the Login ID of the Application Fee Payment System. Please register a reachable email address and do not change or delete it until your entrance examination ends because important notices about the entrance examination from university will be sent to the address. Also, please ensure that you can receive emails from "@comappjapan.com."

④Confirm Payment Method

Payment through these methods are available: credit card, China Pay, convenience store and Pay-easy.

Please confirm the payment procedure (available financial institutions, amount limit, etc.) beforehand because each method has its own restriction and instructions.

⑤Prepare Application Documents

Please make sure to prepare the required documents well in advance because some documents may take time to be issued.

(2) Register for the Application Fee Payment System

Please access the following URL to visit the website of the Application Fee Payment System.  
<https://osaka-u-afp.comappjapan.com/>

①User Registration

Please register an ID (email address) and a password.

After registering the ID, instructions for setting up password will be sent to the registered email address.

②Input Basic Information

Please input the applicant's basic information by following the instructions.

③Input Information about Application

Please select a school and an admission type by following the instructions.

④Confirm Application Contents

Please confirm the input information. Please click "Alter" button to alter the contents.

<Note>

The information input at "②Input Basic Information" and "③Input Information about Application" will not be alterable after you complete the next step: "Application Fee Payment." Please make sure there is no mistake in the input information before proceeding to "Application Fee Payment."

(3) Application Fee Payment

①Application Fee 30,000 Japanese yen

※System operation fee (600 Japanese yen) will be charged separately.

②Choose Payment Method

Please confirm the amount of payment and choose the method of payment by following the instructions.

If you choose to pay by the convenience store or by the internet banking service of Pay-easy, an email message which gives required numbers to make payment will be sent to the registered email address.

The available banks and notes are as follows:

| Payment Method/<br>Available Banks and Stores | Payment Period                                   | Notes  |
|---|--|--|
| Credit Card<br>• VISA                         | <b>【Summer Exam】</b><br>July 1, 2019, 10:00 a.m. | The credit card holder's name does not need to |

| Payment Method/<br>Available Banks and Stores  | Payment Period  | Notes  |
|--|---|--|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Master</li> <li>• China Pay</li> </ul>  | ~July 19, 2019, 3:00 p.m.   | match the applicant's name.  |
| Convenience Store<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• LAWSON</li> <li>• FamilyMart</li> <li>• Daily Yamazaki</li> <li>• Yamazaki Daily Store</li> <li>• MINISTOP</li> <li>• Seicomart</li> </ul> | <b>【Fall Exam】</b><br>October 14, 2019, 10:00a.m<br>~ November 15, 2019, 3:00 p.m.<br><br>*Japan time | Only for applicants who reside in Japan.   |
| Bank<br><br>Banks which offer the Pay-easy service (※)   |   | Only for applicants who reside in Japan.<br>The credit card holder's name does not need to match the applicant's name. |

※Please refer to the following website to confirm the available banks.  
<https://www.veritrans.co.jp/payment/bank/list.html>

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Please complete your payment and submit the application documents to Osaka University by the deadline. Please consider the time it takes for the application documents to reach Osaka University and make payment early.

○To Change the Payment Method

The payment method can be changed before completion of the payment.

[Login to the Application Fee Payment System] ⇒ [Top Page] ⇒ [Application Record] ⇒ [Restart]

⇒ [Change the Payment Method] ⇒ follow the instructions on the page.

After you cancel the payment by bank (Pay-easy,) please DO NOT use the invalid numbers.

○Refund of Application Fee

Application fees are not refundable except in the following cases.

(a) In case the applicant did not submit the application documents or the application documents were not accepted.

(b) In case the applicant made a duplicate payment by mistake.

※To Request a Refund of Application Fee

Applicants who meet at least one of the above conditions will receive an email which gives the instructions to request a refund. The email will be sent to the registered email address. Please follow the instructions and complete a request for a refund.

③Make Payment

Please make payment by selecting the listed methods.

The Receipt of Application Fee Payment will not be available until the payment is completed.

- Credit card : Input the card numbers on this Payment System.
- China Pay : Access the website of China Pay via this Payment System.
- Convenience store : Pay at the designated convenience stores.
- Pay-easy : Pay at the designated bank or by Internet banking service of Pay-easy.

(4) Print the Receipt of Application Fee Payment

After the payment is completed, the Receipt of Application Fee Payment (PDF) will be downloadable. Please print it in A4 size and submit with other application materials.

## 9. Selection and Announcement of the Results

(1) Summer Exam

① Examination will be conducted in either of the following ways:

- For applicants who do not reside in Japan:

Screening will be conducted by reviewing the application materials and documents submitted. An interview and/or academic examination might be conducted if deemed necessary.

For applicants to “International Priority Graduate Program on Engineering Physics”, an interview and academic examination will be conducted after reviewing the application materials and documents submitted.

- For applicants who do reside in Japan:

Screening will be conducted via an interview and academic examination, within the period between August 20 and August 23, 2019.

② The examinee’s number of successful applicants will be posted on the Graduate School Admissions page of the Osaka University School/Graduate School of Engineering website **by the middle of September 2019**.

(2) Fall Exam

① Examination will be conducted in either of the following ways:

- For applicants who do not reside in Japan:

Screening will be conducted by reviewing the application materials and documents submitted. An interview and/or academic examination might be conducted if deemed necessary.

- For applicants who do reside in Japan:

Screening will be conducted via an interview and academic examination, within the period from the end of November to the beginning of December 2019.

② The examinees' numbers of successful applicants will be posted on the Graduate School Admissions page of the Osaka University School/Graduate School of Engineering website **by the end of December 2019**.

## 10. Admission Fee and Tuition

(1) Admission fee: 282,000 JPY

(2) Tuition: 535,800 JPY/year

Notes:

(1) The bank transfer fee is to be paid by the applicant.

(2) The amount of the admission fee and tuition are subject to change. Amendments to fees will be applied from the date of amendment.

## 11. Semester Starting Date

April 1, 2020

※The classes may start at a later date.

## 12. Notes for Applicants

(1) Incomplete documents will not be accepted.

(2) The content of submitted documents cannot be changed after the application procedure

has been completed.

- (3) Applications may be rejected or admission may be revoked even after matriculation, if any information or material in the application is found to be fraudulent.
- (4) Applicants who need assistance due to physical disabilities when taking exams and/or in taking courses of study after enrollment in Osaka University should consult the Admission Section at the following address by July 1, 2019 for the Summer Exam or September 20, 2019 for the Fall Exam.
- (5) On-campus parking spaces for cars and motorcycles are not available on the day of examination. Use of public transportation is encouraged instead.
- (6) Successful applicants will be strongly advised to learn about Japan (the people, society, culture, and geography) as well as the University prior to their arrival in Japan.
- (7) For any questions concerning the application procedure, please contact the Admission Section freely.

### **13. Policy on Handling Personal Information**

- (1) Names, addresses, and other personal information obtained through the application procedure will be used in the Entrance Examination Process, in the Announcement of the List of Successful Applicants, in the Admission Procedures, and in the distribution of program leaflets. For those admitted into Osaka University, personal information will also be used in academic-related matters (such as keeping academic and registration records), in student support matters (such as health care management, school fee remissions, scholarship applications, career support, etc.), and in school fee management.
- (2) Information obtained through the entrance examination will be used in statistical analysis of examination results, and in research on admission methods.

### **14. Inquiries and Further Information**

Admission Section  
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