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# Kyushu University Ito Campus Guidebook 2016



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# Facilities

## Big Orange - Information Center

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Kyushu University's information hub. This facility features information of Ito Campus for visitors, displays information panels and University's promotional videos. A restaurant is also located here. Mandarin oranges used to be grown in this area, so this facility was designed to resemble an orange slice and was named Big Orange.



### Big Orange

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\*If you would like an overview of the Ito Campus, please inquire at Big Orange.



## Shiiki Hall

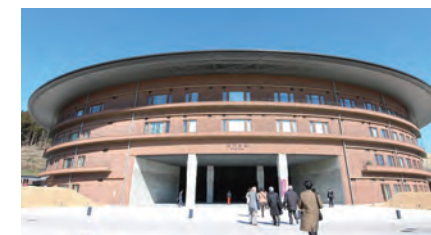
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Shiiki Hall was completed thanks to a contribution from industrialist Masakazu Shiiki, the founder of Sanyo Shinpan Finance Co., Ltd., later integrated with SMBC Consumer Finance Co., Ltd., to commemorate the centenary of Kyushu University.

Shiiki Hall consists of the Concert Hall with a seating capacity of approximately 3,000, the Main Galleria, a huge semicircular open space, and administrative facilities.

The Exhibition Room and Exhibition Area are home to various exhibits covering education and research activities at Kyushu University.

Shiiki Hall is used widely by students, faculty members, and the general public for diverse purposes, including important university functions, such as entrance ceremonies and graduation ceremonies, academic conferences, lectures, meetings, concerts and exhibitions. The Italian restaurant on the second floor is open to the public (see p.11).



### Shiiki Hall

TEL: 092-802-2160  
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E-mail: shiikihall@jimu.kyushu-u.ac.jp

## Center Zone Buildings 1, 2

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These facilities are mainly used for KIKAN education\* for first year undergraduates.

Center Zone Building 1 is equipped with classrooms and IT teaching facilities, and various services that help to support students in their lives on campus are administered from here.

Center Zone Building 2 is equipped with classrooms and "Ohmei Tenku Hiroba" (Q-Commons), a learning and community space located on the fourth floor that can be used by around 200 students, while the first floor is home to the Cafeteria Qasis (see p.12).

\*An Education program that cultivates human qualities and common basic abilities required for specialist study in each school.



Center Zone Building 1



Center Zone Building 2

## Center Zone Building 3, Kyudai Gate Bridge

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This is a central facility for the Faculty of Arts and Science. It houses academic staff rooms, seminar rooms and laboratories.

Kyudai Gate Bridge, connecting the 3rd floors of Center Zone Building 3 and Center Zone Building 2, was planned not simply as a connection across Gakuen-dori Street between the east and west sides of Ito Campus, but as a symbolic gate for the entire university. The name of this bridge was chosen after a widely publicized request for submissions.

It offers a convenient space for everyone to move without going up or down stairs.



Center Zone Building 3



Kyudai Gate Bridge

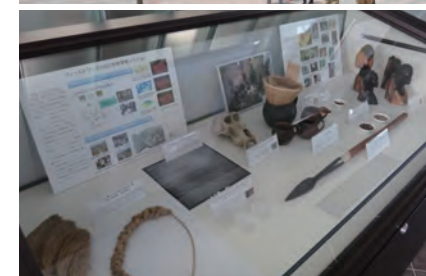
Kyudai Gate Bridge is open from 7:00 to 21:00 on weekdays.  
It can be accessed from the 3rd floors of Center Zone 2 and Center Zone 3.

## Faculty of Social and Cultural Studies, Faculty of Languages and Cultures Building

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This building is home to the research institutes of the Graduate School and Faculty of Social and Cultural Studies and the Faculty of Languages and Cultures. On the first floor, there is an area where the research output of faculty members and students is exhibited (see p.18).

The shape of the building has led to it being nicknamed "the Baumkuchen", after the traditional German cake.



## Ito Library

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This general library has state-of-the-art facilities, including an automatic library system and equipment that can read student, staff and faculty member IC cards.

Based on the concept of a library at which people will want to spend time, it features not only a diverse array of learning areas that can be used for various purposes, but also a café serving light meals (see p.15).



Automated Storage and Retrieval System

### Ito Library

Mon – Fri 9:00 – 21:00  
Weekends & national holidays 10:00 – 18:00  
Tel: 092-802-2450

## International Institute for Carbon-Neutral Energy Research (I<sup>2</sup>CNER) I<sup>2</sup>CNER Buildings 1, 2

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These are the research facilities of the International Institute for Carbon-Neutral Energy Research (I<sup>2</sup>CNER), which has been selected to participate in the World Premier International Research Center Initiative (WPI Program) and which has its goal as the creation of a low-carbon society.

Offering an environment in which world-class scientists from within Japan and overseas can undertake research that fuses knowledge from a range of fields, in order to investigate and present solutions to a variety of issues, including the production, storage, use of hydrogen, and the efficient CO<sub>2</sub> capture and storage.

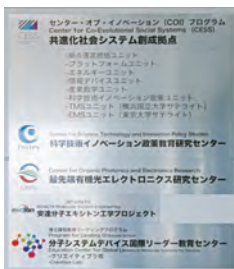


## Research Facilities for Co-Evolutional Social Systems

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This is a center for R&D of social systems that ensure full and free mobility of people, goods, energy, and information, with the aim of building new co-evolutional social systems that will facilitate the sustainable development of social diversity driven by internationalization and the aging population.

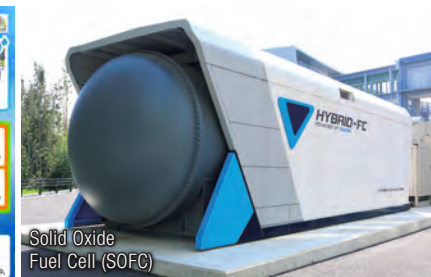
It also houses part of the Institute of Mathematics for Industry and an R&D center focused on cutting-edge organic semiconductor materials and the OLED and organic solar cells in which they are used (OPERA).



## Next-Generation Fuel Cell Research Center (NEXT-FC)

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Solid oxide fuel cells and other next-generation fuel cells are clean, high-efficiency power generation systems, so that they are attracting attention as a fundamental solution to the current energy situation and the problem of global warming. With the aim of realizing their practical applications as soon as possible, this center engages in close academia-industry collaboration with companies developing such fuel cells, by focusing on various technological issues, such as durability, reliability, and performance.



Solid Oxide Fuel Cell (SOFC)

## Hydrogen Station

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The Kyushu University Hydrogen Station is a facility for conducting demonstrational experiments on hydrogen gas production via the electrolysis of water, as well as its storage and supply to fuel cell vehicles.

With the aim of developing next-generation hydrogen refueling stations that generate no carbon dioxide at all, research and development are being carried out with a view to manufacturing hydrogen via solar photovoltaic and wind power generation, using wind lens turbines (see p.8) developed at Kyushu University. Beside the Hydrogen Station is the Demonstration Site for Hydrogen and Fuel Cell Systems, featuring the Hydrogen Society Showroom and actual energy farm equipment used by each company (the showroom can be viewed between 4:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m. on Thursdays).



MIRAI at the Hydrogen Station



Hydrogen Society Showroom

## INAMORI Center

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This building was donated by the Inamori Foundation. The first floor houses the INAMORI Hall, which serves as a venue for international academic and cultural exchange, and the Kyoto Prize Library (see p.18), which profiles the activities of the INAMORI Foundation, while the second to fourth floors are occupied by the research laboratories of the Inamori Frontier Research Center. Chinese Restaurant TenTen (see p.14) is located on the first floor.



INAMORI Hall

## West Zone Buildings 1, 2, 3, 4

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23 24 25 26



West Zone Buildings 1, 2, 3, 4 (Building 1 on Left)

West Zone Building 1 is an education and research facility for Sciences and Mathematics, while Buildings 2, 3 and 4 are for Engineering department. Special laboratories and information study rooms for undergraduate students are located on the lower floors, lecture rooms are on the 3rd floor, and laboratories and rooms for graduate students are on the 4th floor and above. Various exhibitions and works of art are displayed at the entrance hall and elsewhere.



Stained glass window, West Zone Building 4

## Biodiversity Conservation Zone

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In order to ensure harmonious coexistence with the rich natural environment that surrounds the campus, the university has set the goals of preventing the loss of seeds and ensuring that the total area of forest is not reduced. As such, it is conserving about 100 hectares of the 272 hectare campus site as a green space. As part of this endeavor, the wetland where the "Sayanokami" spring is located has been designated as the campus's Biodiversity Conservation Zone. As well as transplanting tall trees, the forest floor, and tree stumps here, the university uses this zone for the conservation of wild animals and plants, such as rare seeds.



Biodiversity Conservation Zone



Boat orchid  
(Cymbidium macrorhizon)



Japanese clouded  
salamander  
(Hynobius nebulosus)

## Wind Lens Turbines

Developed by the research group led by Professor Yuji Ohya of the Research Institute for Applied Mechanics, this wind power generation equipment has a generating efficiency that is two to three times greater than that of conventional wind turbines. The Ito Campus is home to two 100kW turbines (in the northwest of the campus) and ten 5kW turbines (located at the sports grounds). They are the focus of attention from within Japan and overseas, as a device that could become the trump card in efforts to develop new forms of next-generation energy, in order to achieve a low-carbon society and secure a stable supply of energy. You can find a mini electric vehicle bearing a design that features wind lens turbines at Big Orange (see p.2).



100kW turbines



Mini electric vehicle

## Tei-Tei-Sha House

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Construction of Tei-Tei-Sha House was funded by charitable donations by Kyushu University alumni to the Ropponmatsu Tei-Tei-Sha House Project (organized by the Kyushu University Alumni Consulting Laboratory), as well as a donation from the Kyushu University Cooperative, which approved of this project's goal of building a place where Kyushu University students, staff, faculty members, and others with links to the university could gather.

Tei-Tei-Sha House takes its name from a student meeting house on the former Ropponmatsu Campus, which was originally Fukuoka High School under the old education system.



The Lounge Space (Tei-Tei-Sha House)



Tei-Tei-Sha House (Left)  
Koh-Koh-Sha House (Right)

## Ito Guest House

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Housed in a wooden building, this residential facility is for international researchers engaged in education and research at Kyushu University.

One of Fukuoka Prefecture's largest public buildings made entirely of wood, about 60% of the timber used in this three-story building was sourced from within this prefecture. A subsidy for its construction was provided as part of Fukuoka Prefecture's forestry development and regeneration project.

It has a total of 33 residential units, with a multipurpose hall, meeting rooms, and Japanese-style rooms located on the first floor.



Ito Guest House



Multipurpose Hall

Japanese-style Room

## Dormitories 1, 2, 3 Ito Harmony House (Student Residence)

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71 72 73 81

In August 2014, Dormitory 3, a student residence where international and Japanese students share quadruple-occupancy rooms, and Ito Harmony House, a student residence that accommodates more than 550 international and Japanese students, were completed on Ito Campus.

This area of Ito Campus, with its student residence buildings, is positioned as a global zone. More than 1,000 international and Japanese students lead their daily lives together in dormitories that include existing Dormitories 1 and 2.

Those living in the student residences are expected to have cross-cultural experiences on a daily basis, develop a well-rounded character and improve their foreign language skills by living with students from various countries.



Ito Harmony House

Dormitories 1, 2, 3

## Future Buildings

### Central Library (Phase 1: FY2016, Phase 2: completion scheduled for FY2018)

Located in the East Zone, the first section to be developed will be part of the Central Library. This library will serve as the university's knowledge hub, aiming to become a world-class center for academic learning.



### Humanities & Social Sciences Zone (relocation planned for FY2018)

Located in the East Zone, this will consist of the Central Library and facilities for the humanities and social sciences.



### Agriculture Zone (relocation planned for FY2018)

Located on the western side of the West Zone Engineering Zone, this will be a key gateway to the western and southern parts of the campus.



# Cafeterias and Stores

## Big Orange Restaurant

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Kyushu University information hub Big Orange (see p.2) is also home to a restaurant. The restaurant offers full service amid a tranquil atmosphere.



Restaurant



Lunch

### Opening hours

11:30 – 14:00

\*Dinner: Large group bookings only.

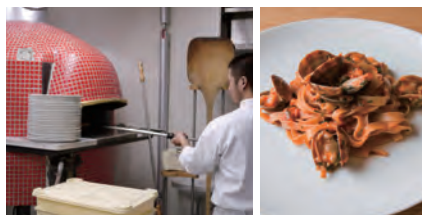
(Closed on weekends, national holidays & substitute holidays)

Tel: 092-805-7703

## Italian Restaurant ITRI • ITO

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This Italian restaurant is located on the 2nd floor of Shiiki Hall. With the themes of “enjoying four seasons with five senses” and “highlighting the food culture of Ito,” it offers authentic Italian cuisine with local ingredients in Itoshima, including pizza baked in a stone oven.



### Opening hours

11:00 – 21:00

\*Lunch time 11:00 - 15:00 (Closed on Sundays)

Tel: 092-807-0270

\*Prices, menus, and opening hours may vary. For current information, please contact the establishment in question.

## Big Sand (Campus Life Support Facility)

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This complex houses a cafeteria and café (approx. 920 seats), a convenience store (LAWSON), an ATM, and the Counseling and Health Center which helps students to stay healthy.

The cafeteria also features a café offering light meals. The building's three-layer structure and external appearance has led to it being named Big Sand (big sandwich).



### Opening hours

#### Cafeteria

Mon – Fri 8:00 – 20:30

Sat 11:00 – 14:00

17:00 – 20:00

Sun & national holidays 11:00 – 14:00

(Closed on substitute holidays)

Tel: 092-805-7701

#### Lawson

7:00 – 21:00

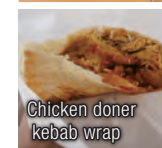
(Closed on Sundays, national holidays & substitute holidays)

Tel: 092-807-8845

## Cafeteria Oasis

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This cafeteria is located in the first floor of Center Zone Building 2 (approx. 200 seats). At lunchtime, it functions as an open cafeteria, while at night it is a buffet cafeteria (reservations required), offering mainly Western-style dishes. It also has a halal section offering food prepared in accordance with Islamic law, without using any alcohol or meat sourced from pigs.



Chicken doner kebab wrap



### Opening hours

7:45 – 17:30

(Closed on weekends, national holidays & substitute holidays)

Tel: 092-805-7702

## Big Dora (Campus Life Support Facility)

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This complex houses a cafeteria and café (approx. 740 seats), a convenience store (LAWSON), a bookstore, and an ATM. The building's external appearance has led to it being named Big Dora, after the *dorayaki* sweet consisting of two small pancakes with a filling of red bean paste. When the weather is good, meals can be eaten on the rooftop terrace.



Cafeteria

### Opening hours

#### Cafeteria

Mon – Fri 8:00 – 19:30

Sat 11:00 – 18:00

(Closed on Sundays, national holidays & substitute holidays)

Tel: 092-807-3195

**Bookstore** 10:00 – 19:00

(Closed on Sundays, national holidays & substitute holidays)

Tel: 092-807-3061

**LAWSON** 7:00 – 21:00

(Closed on Sundays, national holidays & substitute holidays)

Tel: 092-807-0135

## Kyudai Academic Lantern

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"*Kyudai Academic Lantern*" is a restaurant run by Kyushu University Co-op and is located near the bus stop "*Kyudai Kogakubu mae*". Set lunches called "*Teishoku*" are offered at low prices during the day, and a la carte menu and alcohol are also available in the evening. On weekday evenings and Saturdays, this restaurant is also used for gatherings of faculty members and students from student clubs or laboratories.



"Kobachi", mini dishes

Lunch

### Opening hours

Daytime 11:00 – 17:00

Nighttime 17:00 – 21:00

\*Except when it is used for gatherings.

(Closed on weekends, national holidays & substitute holidays)

Tel: 092-807-0197

## Chinese Restaurant TenTen

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This restaurant serving Chinese home cooking is located on the first floor of the INAMORI Center. It offers an abundant range of dishes, from filling meals and lunchtime set menus to rice bowls and noodles. It also offers a set menu in the evening.



Lunch

### Opening hours

Mon – Fri 11:00 – 21:00

Sat 11:00 – 15:00

(Closed on Sundays, national holidays & substitute holidays)

Tel: 092-802-6940

## Dome Café in OPERA

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This café run by a local bakery "*Dome-no-mori Stone Oven Bakery*" is located on the first floor of the Common Facility 2. It offers a place where one can relax and enjoy handmade bread, tasty lunch dishes, and organic coffee. Take away menu is also available.



Lunch

### Opening hours

8:00 – 18:00

(Closed on weekends, national holidays & substitute holidays)

Tel: 092-802-0024



## Big Leaf (Campus Life Support Facility)

MAP  
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This complex, located on the south side near West Zone Building 1, houses GARDEN KITCHEN (a cafeteria with approx. 220 seats), MOS BURGER, TULLY'S COFFEE and a convenience store (LAWSON).

### Opening hours

#### GARDEN KITCHEN

Mon – Fri 8:00 – 20:00 / Sat 10:00 – 19:00 / Sun 11:00 – 14:00  
(Closed on national holidays & Year-end and New Year Holidays)

Tel: 092-805-5177

#### MOS BURGER

Mon – Fri 10:00 – 19:30

Weekends & national holidays 10:00 – 15:00

Tel: 092-805-5385

#### TULLY'S COFFEE

Mon – Fri 8:00 – 20:00 / Sat 10:00 – 19:00 / Sun 10:00 – 16:00  
(Closed on national holidays)

Tel: 092-836-5358

#### LAWSON

Mon – Sat 7:00 – 21:00

(Closed on Sundays, national holidays & substitute holidays)

Tel: 092-807-4420



## Libca (café in the library)

MAP  
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This café (40 seats) is located in the first floor lobby of the Ito Library. It serves as a place for library users to take a break and offers drinks and light meals to take away.

### Opening hours

11:00 – 19:00

(Closed on weekends, national holidays & substitute holidays)



## E-café

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This café is located on the first floor of the West Lecture Building. It serves meals, bread, and drinks. It was named E-café (E = engineering) on the basis of suggestions from university members.

### Opening hours

Mon – Fri 8:00 – 20:00 / Sat 11:00 – 14:00

(Closed on Sundays, national holidays & substitute holidays)

Tel: 092-805-7725



## Koh-Koh-Sha House Kyushu University Co-op Store

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This sells a range of items including boxed lunches, bread, stationery, magazines, daily necessities, and Kyushu University souvenirs. The Center Zone is home to Koh-Koh-Sha House, while West Zone Building 2 houses the Ito Convenience Store.

Koh-Koh-Sha House was built with funds donated by Kyushu University Cooperative, to serve as a welfare facility (shop) for the convenience of students, staff, faculty members, and visitors.



### Koh-Koh-Sha House (Center Zone) 【Opening hours】

• **Student Life Zone**  
Mon – Fri 8:00 – 20:00 / Sat 8:00 – 19:00  
Sun & National holidays 10:00 – 17:00

• **Study Support Zone**  
Mon – Fri 8:00 – 20:00 / Sat 11:00 – 14:00

• **Order Counter**  
Mon – Fri 9:00 – 20:00 / Sat 11:00 – 14:00

• **Travel Help Desk**  
Mon – Fri 10:00 – 18:00

【Closed】  
Year-end and New Year Holidays (12/29 - 1/3)

### Ito Convenience Store (West Zone Building 2) 【Opening hours】

7:00 – 23:00  
【Closed】  
Year-end and New Year Holidays  
(12/29 - 1/3)

## Kyushu University Souvenirs



### ◀ "Imokyu" Shochu

This Shochu is a product of joint research with the Faculty of Agriculture and Fukutokucho Co., Ltd. Sweet potatoes have been used as both the basic ingredient and to grow the koji mold, creating a sweet, fruity bouquet and a strongly characteristic flavor with a substantial dominant note running through it.

500ml ¥2,160



### ◀ "Kyushu Daiginjo" Sake

This is a junmai daiginjo (super premium) sake made from brewer's rice cultivated by students and members of the local community. It has been produced in collaboration with the Hamachi Shuzo sake brewery.

(Blue) 720ml ¥2,560

(White) 720ml ¥1,640



### ◀ "Tsuru to Matsu" Sweets

This is a limited-edition selection of sweets produced by *Ishimura Manseido*, featuring its renowned sweets "Kamakake-no-matsu" (inspired by the Kamakake-no-matsu pine tree in the grounds of the Hospital Campus) and "Tsuru-no-ko", which have been a perennial favorite ever since the shop was founded. The gift box containing these sweets features an exclusive design by an undergraduate student from the School of Design.

(Small) ¥329 / (Large) ¥658

The stores also offer a wide range of other products.

<Contact>

Kyushu University Co-op

Tel: 092-651-7131

Fax: 092-641-5293

Email: [online-shop@coop.kyushu-u.ac.jp](mailto:online-shop@coop.kyushu-u.ac.jp)

\*The tax is included in the price.

# Exhibits and Artworks

## Bronze Statue of the Founding President Kenjiro Yamakawa

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This bust was donated by the city of Aizu-Wakamatsu (Fukushima Prefecture), the hometown of Kenjiro Yamakawa, who was the first president of the university.

The plinth is engraved with a phrase from his first address to Kyushu University students upon being appointed to the post in 1911, which sums up the spirit of Kyushu University's founding: "You cannot describe yourself as a perfect gentleman unless you have cultivated a broad outlook." The characters were written by a student member of the Kyushu University Calligraphy Club.

The 2013 NHK historical fiction series *Yae no Sakura* [The Double-flowered Cherry] depicted scenes from the eventful life of this inspirational professor.



## Kyushu University Monument

Located at the entrance to the Campus Mall in the Center Zone, this monument is made of black granite with a honed finish. The craftsman's skill is demonstrated in the bold, elaborate engraving of the name of the university in characters written by the calligrapher Koji Kakinuma.

Mr. Kakinuma also created the titles for the 2007 NHK historical drama *Furin Kazan*.

Visitors to the university often take commemorative photographs here.



## Faculty of Social and Cultural Studies, Faculty of Languages and Cultures Building Entrance Hall Exhibition

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The entrance hall on the first floor of the Social, Cultural, and Languages and Cultures Building has displays of historical sources and the university's research. Other exhibits include insects, buried cultural properties, and stones of geological significance found in the grounds of the Ito Campus.



### Opening hours

Mon – Fri 9:00 – 17:00

(Closed on weekends & national holidays)

## Kyoto Prize Library

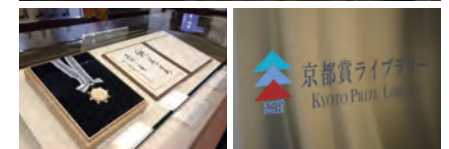
MAP  
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This is an exhibition facility on the first floor of the INAMORI Center.

It features a section called *The Kyoto Prize: Knowledge and Spirit*, which has a model of the award ceremony and photographs introducing the Kyoto Prize and the activities of the Inamori Foundation; a giant display showing messages for the future from past recipients of the prize; and a section where visitors can search for further information.

### The Kyoto Prize:

Established by the Inamori Foundation, this is an international prize that extols the achievements of those who have made a significant contribution to the scientific, cultural, and spiritual betterment of mankind. Each year, three prizes – one each in the fields of Advanced Technology, Basic Sciences, and Arts and Philosophy – are awarded.



### Opening hours

Mon – Fri 9:00 – 17:00

(Closed on weekends & national holidays)

## West Zone Building 1 Entrance Hall Exhibits

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The hall at the entrance to West Zone Building 1 has displays featuring scientific and mathematical exhibits, as well as the university's research.

Exhibits from the Kyushu University Museum are also displayed here. Exhibits from the collection include historical measuring instruments, crystal models, and stuffed animals and skeleton specimens from Itoshima wildlife, providing visitors with an opportunity to reflect on the fundamentals of scientific knowledge.



## School of Engineering Centennial Gallery

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Built in 2011, as part of the events to mark the centenary of the founding of the School of Engineering, this gallery was established with the aim of bringing together and preserving a wide range of items considered highly valuable from both education and research perspectives, and displaying them to the public. Around 60 historical records and instruments in the possession of the School of Engineering are exhibited here.



**Opening hours**  
10:00 – 17:00  
(Closed on weekends & national holidays)

Location West Zone Building 4, 1F Entrance Hall

## The Biggest Crystal in Japan

MAP  
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This was discovered at the Umatani Shiroyama Mine in Shimane Prefecture in August 1946 by Dr. Yohachiro Okamoto, of the Department of Mining at the university's School of Engineering. Weighing about a ton, it is the country's largest example of a crystal found within Japan that is preserved as a specimen.

Location West Zone Building 2, 2F West Entrance



## Foucault Pendulum

MAP  
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This is the longest pendulum in Japan and is suspended in a well that runs from the second to the eleventh floor in the West Zone Building 2. A device invented in 1851 by the French physicist Foucault, this enables the viewer to experience the rotation of the Earth indirectly through the gradual rotation of the pendulum's plane of swing.

Location West Zone Building 2, 2F Hall



## Photograph of Einstein's Visit to the University

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This is a precious photograph taken in December 1922, when Albert Einstein visited the university.

\*Professor Ayao Kuwaki, the first Japanese national to meet Einstein, is second from the left in the front row.

Location Big Dora, 2F



## Large Anchor from the Shipbuilding Classroom

This is a stocked anchor weighing 6 tons and measuring 5.1m × 3.1m, which was donated to the university in 1986 by the Kure No.1 Plant of Ishikawajima Harima Heavy Industries Co., Ltd. (manufactured in 1942).

The paving stone below it is a slab of granite that was formerly used in the old shipbuilding classroom at the Hakozaki Campus.



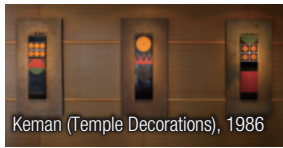
## Lacquerware Artworks

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Traditional lacquer techniques have been used to create these works of art inspired by the nature, history, and culture of the region.

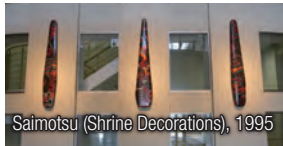
The Ito region had a great deal of contact with mainland Asia from ancient times and remains have been discovered that indicate that it was at the vanguard of culture at the time, such as evidence of iron making and remnants of roof tiles.

Artist: Natsuki Kurimoto (Professor, Kyoto City University of Arts)



Keman (Temple Decorations), 1986

Location  
West Zone Building 4,  
1F Entrance Hall



Saimotsu (Shrine Decorations), 1995

Location  
West Zone Building 4,  
2F Hall

## Rock Art: QIAO

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This consists of *Itsuki* stones that convey the abundant life force and energy of mankind. The central pathway links East and West, forming an axis of international collaboration that symbolizes the status of the Ito Campus as a hub for global knowledge.

Artist: Ritsuko Taho (Professor, Tokyo University of the Arts)



## Major Prizes Awarded to the Ito Campus

◆ **Japan Society of Civil Engineers Environmental Award**  
Awarded in 2002. The Japan Society of Civil Engineers conferred its FY2002 Environmental Award on the new campus construction project undertaken by Kyushu University and the Fukuoka City Land Development Corporation with a proactive focus on coexistence with the environment, praising it highly as “a revolutionary, advanced example that can serve as a model for large-scale development.”

◆ **Fukuoka Urban Beautification Award**  
Awarded in 2009. In conferring this award, the judges praised the Ito Campus for the fact that it consists of highly individual, stately buildings and open spaces that make effective use of the surrounding topography, blending into the rich natural environment of the Itoshima Peninsula.

◆ **Nikkei New Office Award**  
Kyushu/Okinawa New Office Promotion Award Awarded in 2010. The Ito Campus was highly praised for its effective, functional campus design achieved through partnerships between the university, the region and local citizens, resulting in an extensive campus that serves as a hub for knowledge, supported by a beautiful environment and warm-hearted local citizens.

◆ **Illuminating Engineering Institute of Japan Kyushu Branch Director's Award for Outstanding Lighting**  
Awarded in 2010 to the Open Learning Plaza. This award is conferred annually on outstanding lighting facilities.

◆ **Fukuoka Prefecture Architectural Award for Artistic Urban Design**  
In 2014, Ito Guest House won the Fukuoka Housing Center Director-General's Award for its architectural planning and design, recognizing the contribution that it makes to the landscape in the context of the nature, scenery, history, culture, and lifestyle of the surrounding area. In 2015, Shiiki Hall won the Grand Prize.

◆ **Forestry Agency Director-General's Award**  
Ito Guest House won the Forestry Agency Director-General's Award for excellence in the use of wood in a building in 2012.

## To those who wish to take a look around the campus.

- The Ito Campus is intended to be an attractive campus that is open to the community. Visitors are welcome to walk around the campus grounds and view the buildings from outside.
- Please be quiet when near the classrooms, to avoid disturbing lectures or tests being conducted inside.
- Many places are still under construction, so traffic restrictions are in place. To ensure safety, visitors are asked to comply with any instructions or requests from the security guards on campus.

## To those who wish to use university's cafeterias and other facilities.

First-year students from all of the university's undergraduate schools study in the Center Zone of Ito Campus. As such, **Big Sand** (see p.12) and **Cafeteria Qasis** (see p.12) in the Center Zone become very crowded at lunchtime when classes are in session (April – August: 1st week of the month; October – February: 2nd week of the month).

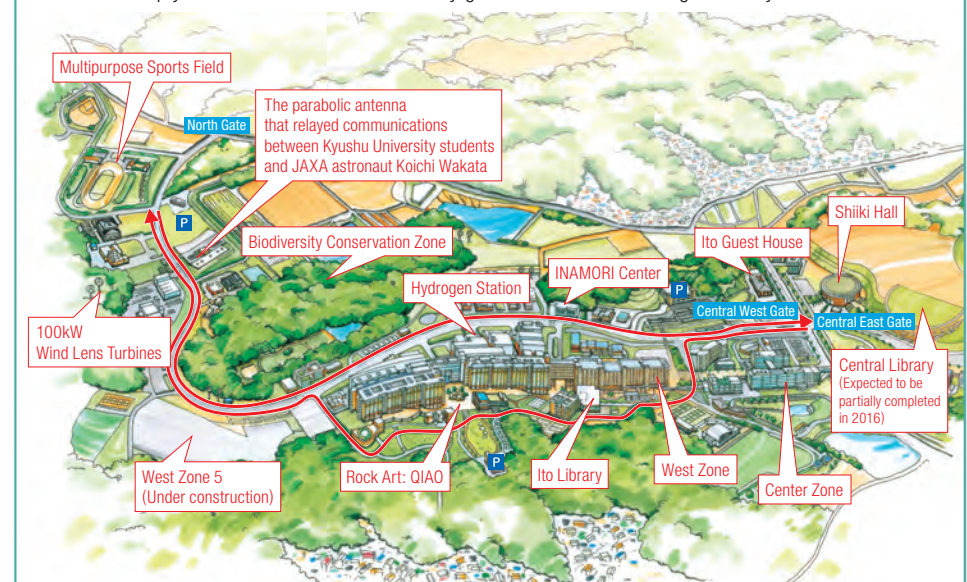
Please avoid visiting during peak times.

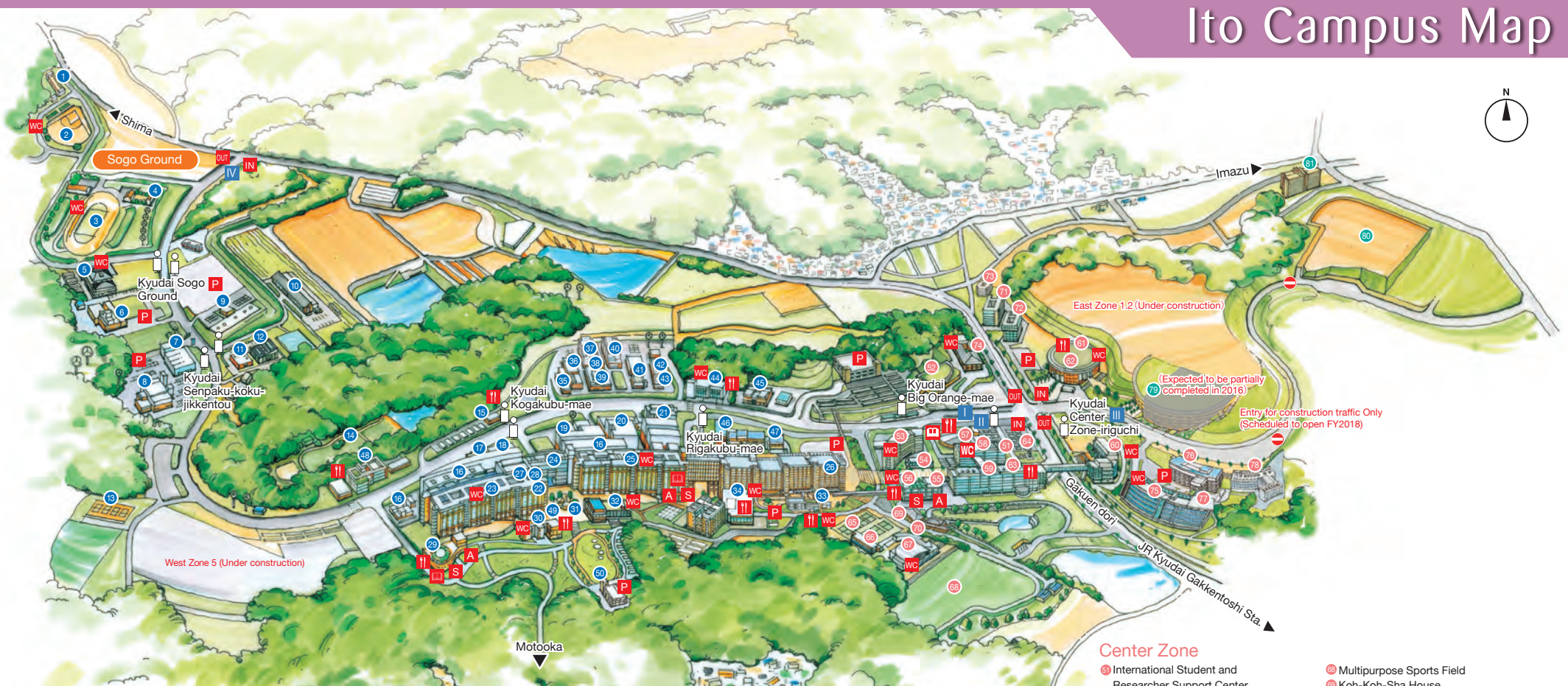
## A Driving Tour of the Campus

A map of campus walking routes can be obtained from Big Orange.

This route enables car users to see a wide range of sights around the campus.

\*Please comply with instructions from security guards and avoid braking suddenly.





## West Zone

- 1 Archery Range
- 2 Baseball Field
- 3 Multipurpose Sports Field
- 4 Japanese Archery Range
- 5 Extracurricular Activities Facility II
- 6 Center for Accelerator and Beam Applied Science (CE70)
- 7 Seakeeping and Maneuvering Basin / High Speed Circulating Water Channel (EN80)
- 8 Center for Advanced Aerospace Engineering (EN70)
- 9 Satellite Communications Laboratory (IE20)
- 10 Agri-Bio Research Laboratory
- 11 Common Facility 3 (CF3)
- 12 Demonstration Facility for Future Energies
- 13 Tennis Court (West Zone)
- 14 Biodiversity Conservation Zone
- 15 Academic Lantern
- 16 Engineering Department Experimental Facilities
- 17 Engineering Research Laboratory
- 18 Research Center for Steel (EN40)
- 19 Hydrogen Station

- 20 International Research Center for Hydrogen Energy (IHY30)
- 21 Research Center for Hydrogen Industrial Use and Storage (IHY10)
- 22 Counseling and Health Center, Ito Campus West Zone Annex
- 23 West Zone 4 (2nd Floor / Career Guidance Office, Career Counseling Room)
- 24 West Zone 3
- 25 Center of Advanced Instrumental Analysis
- 26 West Zone 2
- 27 West Zone 1
- 28 School of Engineering International Relations Office
- 29 International Student and Researcher Support Center Global Student Exchange Promotion Center
- 30 Big Dora - Restaurant and Shops
- 31 Lecture Hall West - Faculty of Engineering, E-café
- 32 QIAO - Rock Art
- 33 Open Learning Plaza
- 34 Big Leaf - Restaurant, Shop and Lecture Rooms
- 35 Ito Library
- 36 Low Temperature Center (Ito Center) (CE60, 61)
- 37 Research Institute of Superconductor Science and Systems, Research Center for Magnetic-nanoparticle-based Biosensing Systems (CE50, 51)

- 38 Institute for Materials Chemistry and Engineering (CE41)
- 39 Research Institute of Environment for Sustainability (CE40)
- 40 Research Institute for East Asia Environments (CE40)
- 41 Radioisotope Center (CE31)
- 42 Research Laboratory for High Voltage Electron Microscopy (The Ultramicroscopy Research Center) (CE20, 21)
- 43 Common Facility 1 (CF1)
- 44 International Center for Space Weather Science and Education (ICSWSE) (CE10)
- 45 INAMORI Center (INAMORI Frontier Research Center)
- 46 Energy Center
- 47 Student Activity Support Facility
- 48 Eco Center
- 49 Common Facility 2 (CF2)
- 50 CENTENNIAL GALLERY
- 51 Campus Common

## Center Zone

- 52 International Student and Researcher Support Center
- 53 Water Supply Center
- 54 Faculty of Social and Cultural Studies, Faculty of Languages and Cultures
- 55 Administrative Office, Social and Cultural Studies (Integrated Sciences for Global Society)
- 56 Counseling and Health Center, Ito Campus Center Zone Annex
- 57 Big Sand - Restaurant and Shops
- 58 Big Orange - Information Center
- 59 Center Zone 1
- 60 Center Zone 2
- 61 Center Zone 3
- 62 SHIHKI HALL
- 63 University Headquarters
- 64 Learning & Community Space "Q-Commons"
- 65 Bronze Bust of the First President Kenjiro Yamakawa
- 66 Tennis Court
- 67 Extracurricular Activities Facility I
- 68 Gymnasium

- 69 Multipurpose Sports Field
- 70 Koh-Koh-Sha House
- 71 Tei-Tei-Sha House
- 72 Dormitory I (Student Residence)
- 73 Dormitory II (Student Residence)
- 74 Dormitory III (Student Residence)
- 75 Ito Guest House
- 76 International Institute for Carbon-Neutral Energy Research (I<sup>2</sup>CNER) 1
- 77 International Institute for Carbon-Neutral Energy Research (I<sup>2</sup>CNER) 2
- 78 Next-Generation Fuel Cell Research Center (NEXT-FC)
- 79 Research Facilities for Co-Evolutional Social Systems

## East Zone

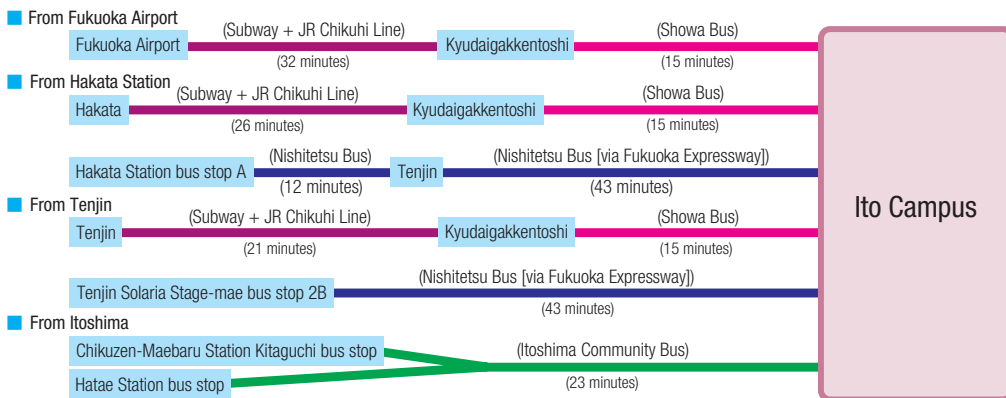
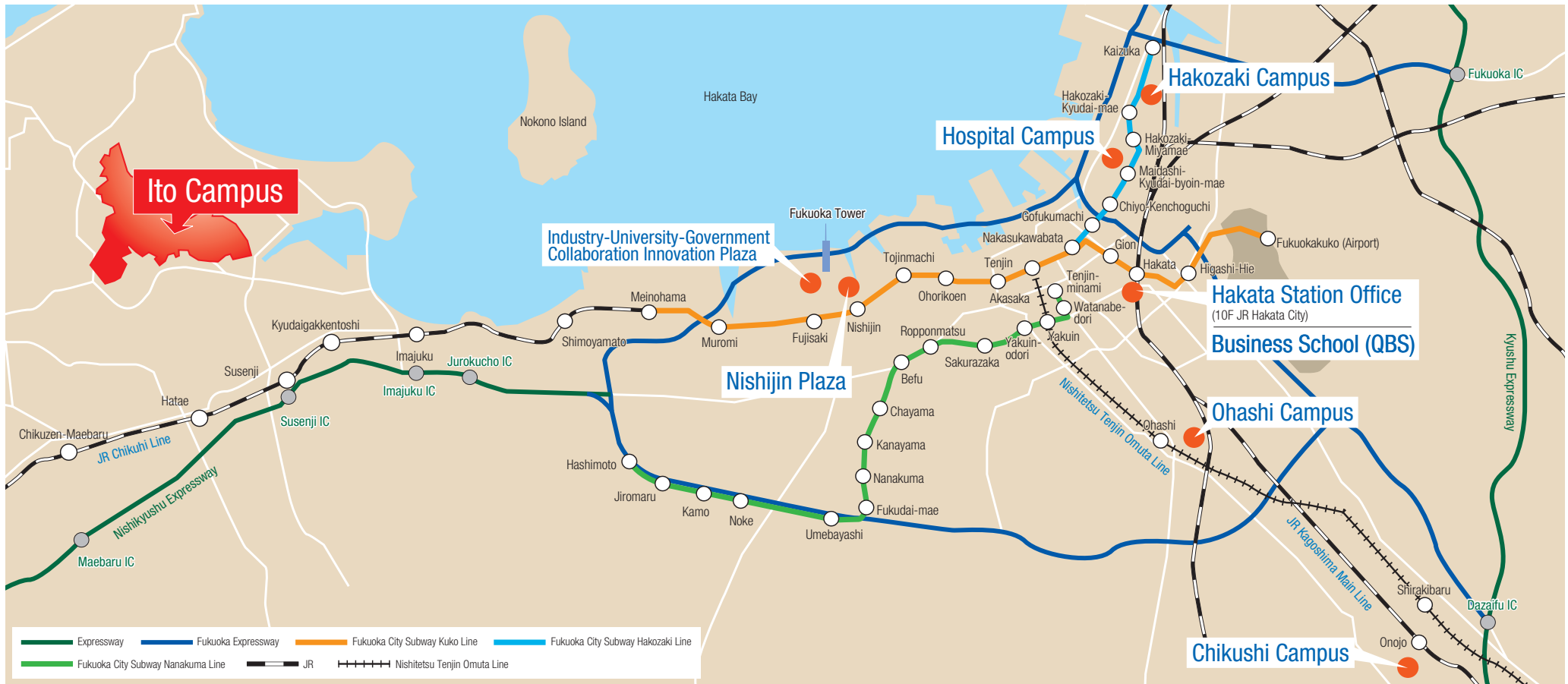
- 80 Central Library (To partially open soon)
- 81 Multipurpose Sports Field
- 82 Ito Harmony House (Student Residence)

## Vehicle gates

- I Central West Gate
- II Security Office (Reception Desk for Visitor permit)
- III Central East Gate (Staff and student permit holders Only)
- IV North Gate (Staff and student permit holders Only)

Restaurant or Cafeteria
 Parking
 ATM
 Store
 Bookstore
 Multipurpose toilet
 Entrance
 Exit
 Bus Stop
 AED

# Access to the Ito Campus



## Address

Ito Campus	744 Motooka, Nishi-ku, Fukuoka City
Hakozaki Campus	6-10-1 Hakozaki, Higashi-ku, Fukuoka City
Hospital Campus	3-1-1 Maidashi, Higashi-ku, Fukuoka City
Chikushi Campus	6-1 Kasuga Koen, Kasuga City
Ohashi Campus	4-9-1 Shiobaru, Minami-ku, Fukuoka City
Industry-University-Government Collaboration Innovation Plaza	3-8-34 Momochihama, Sawara-ku, Fukuoka City
Nishijin Plaza	2-16-23 Nishijin, Sawara-ku, Fukuoka City
Hakata Station Office	10F JR Hakata City, 1-1 Hakata-eki Chuogai, Hakata-ku, Fukuoka City