Application Instructions

International Undergraduate Programs in

Electrical Engineering and Computer Science Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering

Second round screening for applicants who could not prepare a standardized test score by the end of the application period of the first round screening

Autumn 2021

School of Engineering Kyushu University

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Admissions Timetable

Application Period	March 10 – 17, 2021, 5 p.m. (Japan time)
Preliminary Screening Results Announcement	April 19, 2021, 11 a.m. (Japan time)
Secondary Screening	Late April
Admission Decision Announcement	May 24, 2021, 11 a.m. (Japan time)
Enrollment Procedure Deadline	June 7, 2021
Start of the Semester	October 1, 2021

Engineering

Application Instructions (Autumn 2021)

The following instructions are for those applying for admission to the International Undergraduate Program in Engineering starting in October 2021. The International Undergraduate Program is a four-year bachelor program, in which all classes, with the exception of Japanese language classes, are taught in English.

1. Programs and October 2021 Intake

The School of Engineering offers four programs for admission, namely Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, Applied Chemistry, Civil Engineering, and Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering. Each program is associated with a different department. Only a limited number of students will be admitted to each program.

Note that the second round screening only applies to the Electrical Engineering and Computer Science

program and the Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering program.

School	Departments	Programs Offered for Second Round Screening
	Electrical Engineering and Computer Science	Electrical Engineering and Computer Science
Engineering	Mechanical Engineering Mechanical and Aerospa	
	Aerospace Engineering	Engineering

2. Admission Policy

The School of Engineering aims to nurture talented people equipped with knowledge of basic sciences (including physics and chemistry), the theory and practice of engineering, and a capacity to appreciate and explain a broad range of issues. The School also strives to enable the students to cultivate their knowledge and sense of ethics, always bearing in mind the importance of the "sustainable development of human civilization." Moreover, the School strives to foster professionals with a global perspective, and a sense of commitment to the improvement of industrial and scientific technologies.

To this end, the International Undergraduate Program invites applicants who:

- Have a deep interest in any of the following fields:
- -Electrical Engineering, Electronics, Communication Engineering, and Computer Science and Engineering (Electrical Engineering and Computer Science)
- Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering (Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering)
- Are highly motivated to achieve excellence in the aforementioned fields, and want to contribute to their home country and establish themselves in a global society through the systematic study of academic subjects that have been the cornerstones of Japan's technological development.
- Have a strong sense of responsibility to contribute to the "sustainable development of human civilization" from a global perspective, and want to cultivate inter-culturally sensitive minds.
- Want to improve their foreign language proficiency, and their cross-cultural communication skills to establish themselves in today's global society.

Electrical Engineering and Computer Science

The Program of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science strives to nurture engineers who understand the principle of electrical engineering and computer science, and are able to link organically to utilize the obtained knowledge in practical applications. In the academic program, students learn basic core knowledge in a wide range of fields of electrical and electronic engineering, electronic and communication engineering, and computer engineering.

The Program of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science invites the applicants who:

- Have keen interests in international interactions and activities with global views.
- Are willing to fulfill their own potential and capabilities.
- Increase literacy as members of society, and fulfill leading roles in a wide range of fields of electrical and electronic engineering.
- Find pleasure in discovering and solving new problems appearing in engineering.
- Want to acquire specialized knowledge and skills in electrical engineering and computer science.
- Have acquired a solid knowledge of basic mathematics, physics, and chemistry.

Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering

The Program of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering aims to nurture people with a potential to grow to become an engineer or researcher equipped with an advanced scientific knowledge regarding manufacturing technologies; so-called "Monodzukuri" in Japanese; applied to "Mechanical elements", "Mechanical systems" and "Aerospace components" etc. supporting civilization. Engineers and researchers in Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering also play a central role in various energy and environmental fields.

The Program of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering invites applicants who:

- Have a knowledge and skills which are indispensable for "Monodzukuri" through fundamental learning at high school.
- Have an ability to see things from multiple points of view and communicative ability. The appropriate attitude to acquire the practical skills, creativity and internationality.
- Have an attitude to respect diversity and tolerance to empathize with different ideas.
- Have a motivation to improve themselves.

3. Eligibility

Applicants must meet the following three requirements (1,2, AND 3.1, 3.2, OR 3.3):

- 1. Have a nationality other than Japanese.
- 2. Did not apply for the first round screening.
- 3. Meet any of the following three conditions:
 - 3.1. Completed or expected to complete 12 years of schooling outside Japan by September 30, 2021 (*1) (or equivalent, as recognized by the Japanese Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology).(*2)
 - 3.2. Those who have the International Baccalaureate Diploma/Certificate, the German Abitur, the French Baccalaureate, or General Certificate of Education Advanced Level^(*3) or who have completed a course at an international school that is recognized by the Japanese Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology, and offers its curriculum in Japan, or who are expected to meet any of these conditions by September 30, 2021.
 - 3.3. Aged 18 or over as of September 30, 2021 who are recognized, by the University's *ad hoc* prequalification screening, as having an academic level equivalent to or superior to those who have completed 12 years of schooling.(*4)
- *1: You are eligible to apply if you completed your school education outside Japan in less than standard number of years, due to grade skipping and/or early graduation, but the standard duration of schooling as legally stipulated in your country is 12 years or longer. Please direct any inquiries to the Admission Division of the Student Affairs Department at Kyushu University.
- *2: Those recognized as having completed or being expected to complete a course equivalent to 12 years of schooling by the Japanese Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology are the following:
 - (1) Those aged 18 or over as of September 30, 2021 who have passed a qualification test to determine whether they have academic ability equivalent, or superior, to those who have completed a 12-year school education course in a foreign country or region.
 - (2) Those 2021 who have received education in a country or region where its elementary and secondary education is completed in less than 12 years, and also have completed or are expected to complete a Japanese preparatory course recognized by the Japanese Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology by September 30, 2021.
 - (3) Those who have completed or are expected to complete a course that is recognized by the Japanese Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology at an educational institute outside Japan which is equivalent to a high school by September 30, 2021. (Only applies to those who have completed an 11 or more years of school education course in his/her residing country and meet the requirements set by the Japanese Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology.)
 - (4) Those who have completed or are expected to complete a course at an international school or a foreign educational institute by September 30, 2021 that offers its curriculum in Japan and that is recognized as an equivalent to a high school of the foreign country or region under their educational system by the Japanese Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology.
- *3: For details including the subjects and the grades, please contact the Admission Division of the Student Affairs Department at Kyushu University.
- *4: For details, see page 18 "Ad Hoc Pre-qualification Screening."

4. Application Procedure

4.1. Application Period

You can only apply for one undergraduate program for the admission October 2021.

Application Period	March10 - March17, 2021, 5:00 p.m. (Japan time)
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The application documents <u>must be received</u> by the Admission Division of the Student Affairs Department at Kyushu University by 5:00 p.m. on March 17, 2021. Please allow enough time for delivery. No application received outside this period will be considered under any circumstances.

4.2. Application Fee

Applicants	Those who have a foreign nationality only	Those who have Japanese nationality*
Application Fee	10,000 yen	17,000 yen
Payment Period	March 10 – March 17, 2021, 5:00 p.m. (Japan time)	

^{* &}quot;Those who have Japanese nationality" indicates the person who has dual nationality including Japanese nationality.

The application fee must be paid by e-shiharai, at a convenience store (only in Japan), through ATM (only in Japan), through internet banking (only in Japan) or a telegraphic transfer. All necessary fees to make the payment must be borne by the remitter. Applications will not be accepted until the proof of payment has been received. Please make sure to complete the payment before posting the application documents.

Payment by Telegraphic Transfer

- All necessary expenses for the telegraphic transfer (commissions and shortages in transferred amount due to fluctuations in exchange rate, etc.) shall be borne by the remitter. Please make sure to pay the exact amount including all necessary fees.
- If you use a payment slip, write "Application Fee" in the space for Purpose of Remittance, as well as <u>your name</u>, <u>nationality</u>, and "TE" (i.e., the alphabetic code for the School of Engineering) in the space for Message to Payee.

Bank	Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation
Branch	Fukuoka Branch
Account Type	Savings Account
Account Number	7119240
Account Holder	Kyushu University
SWIFT Code	SMBC JP JT

Note: In case you do not send your application documents or your application is not accepted for any reason after you have paid your application fee, the full application fee will be refunded upon your request. For those who have Japanese nationality, if you fail to pass the preliminary screening, 13,000 yen will be refunded upon your request.

4.3. Application Documents

All application forms and documents should be completed in English. If the documents are in a language other than English or Japanese, a Japanese or English translation must be attached. The translation must be certified by the Japanese Embassy or an education institute such as your high school.

If you submit the originals of your certificates or transcripts that cannot be reissued, we will return them to you after the screening upon your request. Please attach a note to your application specifying the documents to be returned.

We recommend that you submit certified true copies issued by the school you attend or a notary office. You might be required to submit the original documents when necessary.

No uncertified photo copies will be accepted. (Except your passport)

4.4. Send Application Form and Documents via Registered Mail

Send all the necessary application documents listed in the table of "Required Documents" to the mailing address below via a registered courier service such as DHL, FedEX, OCS or EMS to reach us by March 17, 2021. Note that this deadline also applies in the <u>case that you arrange for your test score to be sent directly to Kyushu University from the testing institute.</u> If your results reach us before the application <u>period opens, we will keep them here and add them to your application documents.</u>

- · If any of the application documents are insufficient, the application will not be accepted.
- Once we accept your application, you can no longer change the program applied for under any circumstances.
- · Once submitted, the application documents will not be returned.
- · Do not staple any application documents when mailing them.

Note: Due to the coronavirus pandemic, your application documents may not be delivered to our university by post. In case that our university cannot receive your documents, we may ask you to submit them via email. For this reason, please be sure to make a copy of all documents before posting them. After posting them, please let us know the date when you sent them, your full name, your home address, your phone number, and date of birth via email with the subject below.

Subject: Second Round Screening for Engineering Email address: nyu-inquiry@jimu.kyushu-u.ac.jp

Mailing Address:

Admission Division of Student Affairs Department, Kyushu University 744 Motooka Nishi-ku, Fukuoka 819-0395 Japan

	Required Documents (Need to be sent by post)			
1	Application Form	Please download "Application Form" from our website and fill them out by typing or handwriting. Be sure to sign your name in your own handwriting. Send it along with other necessary documents by post. http://www.kyushu-u.ac.jp/en/admission/faculty/foreign/foreign10/		
2	Receipt of Payment of the Application Fee	If you make the payment by telegraphic transfer; Submit a copy of the receipt issued by the bank upon payment of the application fee. Please refer to "4.2. Application Fee" for more details.		
3	Identification Document * Submit either (A) or (B).	(A) For those with a residence status in Japan, submit: * Copies of both sides of your Residence Card (在留カード) or a copy of Residence Certificate (住民票の写し) from a local government office. (B) For all others, submit: * A copy of your passport, including the pages with your name, nationality and photograph. * If you do not have a passport, please submit an official document to certify your		
4	Official High School Transcripts and Graduation Certificate * Submit any one of (A)-(D).	(A) If you have already graduated from high school, submit: * The original of the transcript with all your high school grades (three/four years); and * The original of your high school graduation certificate or your diploma. (B) If you are still in high school, submit: * The original of the transcript with all your high school grades up to the latest semester; and that you are expected to graduate by September 30, 2021. * Please note that once you are admitted, you will be asked to submit the originals of your complete transcript and your high school graduation certificate or your diploma. (C) If you have the International Baccalaureate, the German Abitur, the French Baccalaureate, or GCE A Level, submit: * The originals of your qualification diploma and your complete transcript with all your high school grades.		
5	English Proficiency: Test Scores or Other Proof of Proficiency * Submit either (A), (B) or (C). * Refer to 4.5. Score Report of Standardized Test	(A) TOEFL* Submit your "Institutional score report" of TOEFL iBT(including Special Home Edition) or TOEFL ITP Plus for China Solution. The institution code for Kyushu University: 0411 The minimum score requirement for application is as follows: TOEFL iBT 80 (B) IELTS * Submit your official IELTS (Academic Module) test report or IELTS Indicator. The minimum overall band requirement for application is as follows: 6.5		
	* Refer to 4.6.			
	Recommended Do	cuments (Need to be sent by post)		
1	Score Report of Standardized Test	* Submit an official score report of the following subjects. Mathematics Mathematics(Calculus) (Applicants for all courses) Science Chemistry, Physics (Applicants for all courses)		

4.5. English Proficiency Test Scores or other Proof

All applicants are required to submit TOEFL, IELTS or Proof of a period in which study was conducted in English.

- TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language)
 - Please make sure to take the test and arrange for your score to be sent directly to Kyushu
 University before the application period begins, and input your TOEFL Registration Number
 when completing Kyushu University's on-line application.
 - The minimum score requirement for application is as follows:
 TOEFL iBT 80. For detailed information on TOEFL, visit the test's official website at http://www.ets.org/toefl
- IELTS (International English Language Testing System)
 - If you input your IELTS Test Report Form (TRF) Number when completing Kyushu University's on-line application, you are not required to submit the official score report.
 - The minimum overall band requirement for application is as follows:
 - · For detailed information on IELTS, visit the test's official website at https://www.ielts.org/
- Proof of a period in which study was conducted in English
 - You will be exempted from submitting a score report of TOEFL/IELTS if you (will) have had education in English for 4 years or longer during your secondary education. In this case, please submit an official document which proves the above.
 - You may use the format available for download on our website.
 - The application will be withdrawn if the submitted document is found to be insufficient due to lack of information, or if the stated period of education in English is shorter than 4 years.

4.6. Score Report of Standardized Tests

All applicants are required to submit one of the standardized test official scores as specified by the program they are applying to.

Program	Examination	Required Subjects	Minimum Requirement
	EJU	Mathematics (Course2) and Physics	
	SAT	Mathematics (Level2) and Physics	Total score of Mathematics Level 2 and Physics is 1350.
Electrical	GCE A level	Mathematics and Physics	Combination of Mathematics and Physics is B-C/C-B
Engineering and Computer	IAL	Mathematics and Physics	Combination of Mathematics and Physics is B-C/C-B
Science	Cambridge Pre-U	Mathematics and Physics	Combination of Mathematics and Physics is M3-M2/M2-M3.
	AP	Mathematics(Calculus AB or BC) and Physics(1,2,or C)	
	IB	Mathematics (HL) and Physics(HL) and/or Computer Science (HL)	Combination of Mathematics (HL) and Physics (HL) is 5-5.
Mechanical	EJU	Mathematics (Course2) and Physics	
and Aerospace	SAT	Mathematics (Level2) and Physics	Total score of Mathematics Level 2 and Physics is 1350.
Engineering	Cambridge Pre-U	Mathematics and Physics	Combination of Mathematics and Physics is M3-M2/M2-M3.

- EJU (Examination for Japanese University Admission for International Students)
 - Both English and Japanese are acceptable as the language of examination.
 - · Score reports taken before June 2019 will not be accepted.
 - · For details of the Examination, visit the website of the Japan Student Services Organization at https://www.jasso.go.jp/en/
- SAT Subject Test
 - Direct score delivery from the College Board to Kyushu University could take up to one month. It is advisable to order your score report by early February 2021.
 - The College Board Code for Kyushu University:3135
 - For further information about SAT, visit the website of the College Board at https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat
- GCE A Level (General Certificate of Education Advanced Level) (*Not including Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering)
 - · No additional document is required if you submit your complete transcripts for "4.3. Application Documents 4 (C)."
- IAL (International Advanced Levels) (*Not including Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering)
 - For details of the Examination, visit the website of the Pearson at https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/home.html

- Cambridge Pre-U
 - For details of the Examination, visit the website of the Cambridge Assessment International Education at
 - https://www.cambridgeinternational.org/
- AP (Advanced Placement) (*Not including Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering)
 - For details of the Examination, visit the website of the College Board at https://apstudents.collegeboard.org/
- International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma (*Not including Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering)
 - No additional document is required if you submit your complete IB transcript and your IB diploma for "4.3. Application Documents - 4 (C)."
 - If you do not yet have your final IB grades, submit the original of the complete predicted grades report with an official seal of your school. Please note that once you are admitted, you will be asked to submit the originals of your IB diploma and final assessment scores. Your admission may be rescinded if you fail to submit your IB diploma or your final grades differ significantly from the predicted grades submitted with application.

5. Screening Process

The University's evaluation process consists of two screenings – preliminary and secondary.

5.1. Preliminary Screening

The preliminary screening is done based on a comprehensive evaluation of the submitted documents. The application ID numbers of the preliminary screening qualifiers will be posted at http://www.kyushu-u.ac.jp/en/admission/faculty/foreign/foreign10/.

[Application ID number]

You can check your application ID number by your on-line registration number in the same page any time after April 19.

Announcement Date April 19 2021, 11:00 a.m. (Japan time)
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5.2. Secondary Screening

The applicants who have successfully passed the preliminary screening will proceed to the secondary screening, which consists of a comprehensive evaluation of submitted documents and an interview. Academic questions related to the program for which the applicant has applied, will be asked during the interview.

Due to the COVID-19 situation, we will arrange an individual online interview. More details will be provided to the applicants who have passed the preliminary screening by e-mail.

6. Applicants with Disabilities

The University provides consultation for applicants with disabilities who may require special arrangements during the secondary screening or in classes after enrollment. Please contact the Admission Division prior to the application process as soon as possible as it sometimes takes extra time to decide on the arrangements depending on the situation. (Consultation Deadline: February 25, 2021)

Admission Division: nyu-inquiry@jimu.kyushu-u.ac.jp

7. Admission Decision Announcement

The application ID numbers of successful applicants and also the waitlisted applicants will be posted on the announcement date below at http://www.kyushu-u.ac.jp/en/admission/faculty/foreign10/. The result notification will also be mailed on the same day to all successful applicants.

Announcement Date

8. Enrollment Procedure

Information regarding enrollment will be sent to all successful applicants.

The enrollment fee must be paid during the payment period. Submit the receipt of the payment to make your enrollment official by the enrollment procedure deadline shown below. In case you do not complete the enrollment procedure by the deadline, you will be regarded as withdrawing from admission.

Enrollment Fee	282,000 Yen
Payment Period	May 28 - June 7, 2021, 11:00 p.m. (Japan time)
Enrollment Procedure Deadline	June 7, 2021

Notes:

- The enrollment fee will not be refunded under any circumstances.
- The amount of the enrollment fee is subject to change. Details will be provided with the admission appouncement
- We have an enrollment fee payment deferment system. If you have difficulties paying it during the above period, please contact us.

9. Financial Aid and Other Benefits

Note: The terms of the scholarship and other aids are subject to change without prior notice.

9.1. Exemption of Half Tuition

You are entitled to receive an exemption of half tuition for the first year (two semesters) if you hold a foreign nationality only and meet <u>ALL</u> of the following three conditions:

- 1. You have acquired a qualification to apply for Kyushu University outside Japan.
- 2. You reside outside Japan at the time of application.
- 3. You will obtain a new student visa and enter Japan to study at Kyushu University.

Unit (Japanese Yen)

Tuition	Original Amount	After Exemption
1st year (per semester)	267,900	133,950
2nd year on (per semester)	267,900	Students may apply for tuition fee exemption*.

* Kyushu University has a support system for exemption of the whole, half, or quarter of tuition fee. Students can apply for tuition fee exemption each semester after enrollment.

9.2. Kyushu University International Undergraduate Scholarship

Up to ten successful applicants in our undergraduate programs for the October admission (excluding MEXT Scholarship recipients) may receive this scholarship. From the second year on, a maximum of ten students with a GPA of 3.0 or higher from the previous year will receive this scholarship.

- (a) Eligibility: You may apply if you hold a foreign nationality only and meet <u>ALL</u> of the following three conditions:
 - 1. You have acquired a qualification to apply for Kyushu University outside Japan.
 - 2. You reside outside Japan at the time of application.
 - 3. You will obtain a new student visa and enter Japan to study at Kyushu University.
- (b) Amount of monthly allowance: 60,000 yen per month
- (c) How to apply: You can apply by filling out the section for scholarship application in the application form.

9.3. The Monbukagakusho Honors Scholarship for Privately Financed International Students

Some successful applicants in our undergraduate programs for the October admission (excluding MEXT Scholarship recipients) may receive this scholarship.

- (a) Eligibility: Successful applicants who reside outside of Japan
- (b) Amount of monthly allowance: 48,000 yen per month for 6 months

(c) How to apply: No application required. Kyushu University will recommend students with excellent examination results after enrollment.

9.4. Dormitory

All successful applicants will be guaranteed a room in a university dormitory for one year. The students themselves will be responsible for the rent (around 20,000 yen per month).

10. Tuition Fees

Payment of tuition fee should be made by bank transfer from your bank account after admission to Kyushu University. The payments of tuition for Autumn and Spring Semesters are to be made in late October and late April, respectively. Payments have to be made by the deadline set by the University.

[Payment for the First Year]

With the exemption of half tuition:

Unit (Japanese Yen)

Fees	Original Amount	Amount After Exemption
One time Enrollment Fee (payment period: May 28–June 7, 2021, 11 p.m., Japan time)	282,000	282,000
Tuition Fee for Autumn 2021	267,900	133,950
Tuition Fee for Spring 2022	267,900	133,950
Total Payment for 2021–2022	817,800	549,900

Without the exemption of half tuition:

Fees	Original Amount
One time Enrollment Fee (payment period: May 28–June 7, 2021, 11 p.m., Japan time)	282,000
Tuition Fee for Autumn 2021	267,900
Tuition Fee for Spring 2022	267,900
Total Payment for 2021–2022	817,800

Notes:

- 1 The tuition fees listed above are subject to change without prior notice. New fees will be applied if changed.
- 2 The above fees do not include health insurance, alumni association fee, books, etc.

11. Disclosure of Grades in the Admission Screenings 2021

- (1) We will disclose grades given in the admission screenings 2021 upon request from the applicant him/herself. Overall grades given to you in the preliminary and secondary screenings will be disclosed respectively.
- (2) Documents required to make a disclosure request:
 - a. Grades Disclosure Request Form (available for download during the request period stated below) http://www.kyushu-u.ac.jp/en/admission/faculty/foreign/foreign10/
 - b. Photocopy of your valid ID
- (3) The applicant may make the disclosure request in person at the counter of the Admission Division at Kyushu University. We will accept your request during the period from October 1 to 29, 2021, except on Saturdays, Sundays, and public holidays. (Office hours: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.)
- (4) Regarding those who live away from, or have some other reasons for not being able to come to Kyushu University, we will accept the request via post as well. Please send all the documents stated above as well as a <u>self-addressed envelope with postal stamps (522 yen stamp if you reside in Japan, and 11 international reply coupons for overseas residents)</u> to the address below via registered mail during the request period stated above.

Mailing Address:

Admission Division of Student Affairs Department, Kyushu University 744 Motooka Nishi-ku, Fukuoka 819-0395 Japan

12. Other Important Information

12.1. Additional Remarks about Application

- (a) Once your application is accepted, the application fee will not be refunded.
- (b) E-mail/telephone inquiries regarding screening results will not be answered.
- (c) If there is any wrongdoing or misconduct related to your examination or application documents, your admission will be withdrawn.

12.2. Personal Information

12.2.1. Use of Personal Information

- (a) Personal information provided for your application will be used exclusively for the University's screening process and the following purposes:
 - The names, addresses and other information of successful applicants will be used for enrollment procedures.
 - Test scores and other documents will be used to award scholarships.
- (b) Academic records and other personal information used in the screening process will be retained by the University and used for statistical purposes, but the individual names will not be given.
- (c) Personal information provided for your application will not be used for any other purposes or provided to a third party without your permission, except in cases stipulated in Article 9 of the Law Concerning Preservation of Information Held by Incorporated Administrative Agencies, etc.
- (d) Please read the following page to know the privacy policy of Kyushu University. http://www.kyushu-u.ac.jp/en/website/privacypolicy/

12.2.2. Outsourcing

Data processing of the information submitted for your application will be outsourced.

12.3. Visa Application Process

For you to obtain any necessary documents to apply for a student visa, you will be required to submit a bank statement with balance more than enough for you to stay in Japan for 12 months, that is 960,000 yen (80,000 yen x 12).

12.4 Purchase/preparation of your personal computer

At Kyushu University a laptop computer is considered an essential study tool. For example, such a computer will be used for writing reports, researching study materials, registering for classes, and so on. As a consequence, it is a condition that you should be in possession of such a computer while you are a student at Kyushu University, and you are advised to obtain such a computer before you come to Japan. Note that all Kyushu University students are able to install Microsoft Office and anti-virus software free of charge (subject to the compatibility of the operating system of your computer).

13. Ad Hoc Pre-qualification Screening

(Applicable only to those who qualify for 3.3 in "3. Eligibility")

(1) Eligibility for Application

- Those who have graduated, or are expected to graduate, from a foreign educational institute at high school level that offers its curriculum in Japan may apply for Ad Hoc Pre-qualification Screening.
- 2. Also eligible for the pre-qualification screening are those who are objectively verified to have an academic career or a work experience equivalent or superior to that of a high school graduate.

(2) Application Deadline

Applications for the University's *Ad Hoc* Pre-qualification Screening must be submitted by the due date as shown in the table below.

Application Deadline	February 12, 2021
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(3) Required Documents

[For those who meet "Eligibility for Application 1" stated above]

- (a) Application Form for the Ad Hoc Pre-qualification Screening.
- (b) Proof that your school provides a curriculum equivalent to that offered in a 12-year education system.
- (c) Detailed information about the education program and curriculum provided by your school.
- (d) Graduation certificate, diploma from your school, or an official document stating that you are expected to graduate by September 30, 2021.

[For those who meet "Eligibility for Application 2" stated above]

- (a) Application Form for the Ad Hoc Pre-qualification Screening.
- (b) Document(s) authorized by a relevant authority to show that you have an educational background or work experience equivalent to or superior to that of a high school graduate.

Please contact the Admission Division of Student Affairs Department, Kyushu University (nyuinquiry@jimu.kyushu-u.ac.jp) to request the Application Form for the *Ad Hoc* Pre-qualification Screening and to consult about what documents are required for your application as requirements may vary depending on your background.

Send all application documents via registered airmail, such as DHL, FedEX, OCS or EMS to the address below. Please make sure that all necessary documents will reach the university by the due date shown above.

Mailing Address:

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