

Standards for the qualifications and abilities of the next President

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President Selection and Oversight Committee Decision

Kyushu University will develop world-class education and research that is attractive to many students and researchers, the President Selection and Oversight Committee decided the following criteria for the qualities and abilities required of the next president of Kyushu University are established, based on the premise that the president should have a high level of integrity, excellent academic knowledge, and a high level of insight into the university's education, research, and management.

- As a leader of a core comprehensive university representing our country, he/she should realize a truly academic educational and research environment where activities can be carried out with free ideas, and have the leadership to drive the academic world of Japan and the world, with Kyushu University at its core.
- Possess the ability to lead the educational activities of universities as the core of higher education and promote the development of outstanding human resources who will lead the next generation of society.
- Possess the leadership to build and oversee an international education and research base of the highest standard in the world, as well as the ability to lead the way in contributing to future society through new value creation and human resource development, and the ability to collaborate with industry, academia and government, and to communicate and interact with society at large.
- Having the vision to return the research results and next-generation human resources to society, and having the energy to lead the university to development by building a stable management base.
- On the basis of the 100-year tradition of Kyushu University, the university must have the leadership and crisis management capabilities to properly balance teaching and management, promote cooperation between teaching staff, and build and operate a functional organization.