# Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences (Doctoral Course)

# Division of Humanities and Social Sciences

International Peace and Co-existence Program

International Economic Development Program

# Division of Educational Sciences

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Hiroshima University has established the university's Rules on Security Export Control in accordance with the Foreign Exchange and Foreign Trade Act, and conducts strict examinations for acceptance of international students, etc. Therefore, please be advised that International applicants may be unable to receive their desired education or conduct their desired research due to the restriction by the above regulations.

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The Doctoral Course of the Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences is seeking students who have a strong motivation and passion to pursue the following objectives and who have the fundamental academic abilities required to achieve them.

- 1. A person who is motivated to acquire, in addition to a wide range of general knowledge, an exceptional level of knowledge and research skills in the humanities, social sciences, educational sciences and other related fields and to develop a better understanding of diversity and international communication skills, and who thereby eventually aims to contribute to creating a "peace science that can lead to sustainable development" from diversified perspectives
- 2. A person who is motivated to acquire, in addition to a wide range of general knowledge, an exceptional level of knowledge and research skills in the humanities, social sciences and other related fields and to develop a better understanding of diversity and international communication skills, and who has a willingness to address challenges currently, or potentially in the future, confronting human society in order to contribute to building a global society of diversity, freedom and peace

In order to admit such individuals, the Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences selects applicants through a multifaceted and comprehensive evaluation process based on its own Diploma Policy and Curriculum Policy, using interviews, academic tests, and external examinations.

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1. A person who is motivated to acquire, in addition to a wide range of general knowledge, an exceptional level of knowledge and research skills in educational sciences and related fields, and develop a better understanding of diversity and international communication skills; and who eventually aims to contribute to creating a "peace science that can lead to sustainable development" from diversified perspectives

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This student application guidebook describes the schedule of the entrance examination and the method for selecting students for International Peace and Co-existence Program, International Economic Development Program, International Education Development Program and the number of students to be admitted by this student application guidebook are listed below.

# The examination date and method of selection may be changed due to the The changes will be announced on the website of Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences,

April 2024 Admission October 2024 Admission

Division	Program	Number of Students	Inquiries, Submission
Humanities and Social	International Peace and Co-existence		upport Office for the fields of International Development and
Sciences	International Economic Development	April Admission: Several October Admission: Several	Cooperation 1-5-1 Kagamiyama, Higashi-Hiroshima 739-8529, Japan Tel: +81-(0)82-424-4680
Educational Sciences	International Education Development		E-mail:koku-gaku@office.hiroshima- u.ac.jp

## International Peace and Co-existence Program

The International Peace and Co-existence Program is seeking students who have a strong motivation and passion to pursue the following objectives and who have the fundamental academic abilities required to achieve them.

1. A person who is motivated to acquire, in addition to a wide range of general knowledge, specialized knowledge and outstanding research skills in an academic field related to peace studies, politics, law, cultural anthropology, or regional studies, or in interdisciplinary fields related to those disciplines; who has an in(a)0.7 (t)4(on w)511.6 (to5 (i)4.9 (s)2.4.

Note for Stipulation 8: If the applicant is a graduate or a current student of any university in China (excluding Taiwan, Hong Kong and Macau), please see the Note 1 on page 9.

#### 3. Address for submission

Refer to

Documents to be submitted by mail (original or certified copy)

Without exception, it is required to mail (by registered mail) the documents to be received before the deadline. Please write the following text clearly in red on the envelope:

"Application for Preliminary Evaluation Enclosed"

Documents to be submitted by E-mail

Please send Word or Pdf files by E-mail with the subject line "Submission of documents for Preliminary Evaluation of Admission Requirements". Please be sure to separate the files for each submitted document and name the files correctly.

Example of file name: "(1) Preliminary evaluation application form " etc.

## 4. Notification of preliminary evaluation results

The applicant for April enrollment will be notified of the result of the preliminary evaluation by October 16, 2023.

The applicant for October enrollment will be notified of the result of the preliminary evaluation by April 15, 2024.

#### 1. Documents for application

<u>Submit all the documents listed below during the application period. Documents that have already been submitted in the "Preliminary Evaluation of Admission Requirements" do not need to be resubmitted.</u>

Please contact Support Office for the fields of International Development and Cooperation for the prescribed forms by E-mail after obtaining consent from the prospective academic advisor. Information on how to pay the Application Fee will also be provided at that time.

Each certificate(except "Language Test Score Certificate") must be the original. However, if a new certificate is not issued, a certified copy of the original (certified by the official organization (preferably the issuing organization) as being the same as the original) will be accepted.

Any forgery or falsification of the documents and/ or academic fraud would result in cancellation of acceptance

even after passing examination and/or completing enrollment procedure.

Document Type Details		How to	to submit	
Document Type	Details	Mail	E-mail	
(1) Application Form	Use the prescribed form		Word	
(2) Research Proposal	A detailed research proposal written in either Japanese or English (Use the prescribed form)		Word	
(3) Copy of Master's Thesis	One Copy  *If the master's thesis is written in language other than English or Japanese, a summary in English or Japanese must be additionally submitted.		Pdf	
(4) Publications	List of publications and reprints of major research papers *If the article is written in language other than English or Japanese, a summary in English or Japanese must be additionally submitted.		Pdf	
(5) Academic Transcript	Issued by the president of the university or the dean of the graduate school the applicant attended or is attending.  *If there is no explanation about grading system on the transcript, separate official document explaining the system must be attached.		Pdf	
(6) Diploma or Certificate of (Expected) Graduation	Issued by the president of the university or the dean of the graduate school the applicant attended or is attending.  * If you are a graduate, make sure that the certificate includes the degree information.  *If the applicant is a graduate or a current student of any university in China (excluding Taiwan, Hong Kong and Macau), please see the Note 1 on page 9.		Pdf	
(7) Two Letters of Recommendation	Recommendation from an academic advisor     Recommendation from the head of an organization to which the applicants belongs or the president of the university (dean of the faculty )     Prescribed form must be used.		Pdf	

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Document Type	Details	Mail	E-mail	
	TOEFL® or other equivalent English language test, or			
(8) Language Test Score	Japanese Language Proficiency Test or other equivalent			
Certificate	Japanese language test. Applicants whose first language is		Pdf	
	English are not required to submit this certificate.			
	¥30,000 for April enrollment (Japanese Yen only).			
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(9) Application Fee	The amout of application fee for October enrollment will	/		
	be determined in around March 2024. If there is a change,	/	/	
	we will inform the revised amount on the website.		/	

Note1: If the applicant is a graduate or a current student of any university in China (excluding Taiwan, Hong Kong and Macau), please submit all the following documents.

Graduates:

(a) Certificate of Graduation ( ) and Master's Diploma ( )(b) Online Verification Report of Higher Education Qualification Certificate (

**Expected Graduates:** 

- (a) Certificate of Expected Graduation
- (b) Online Verification Report of Student Record ( )
  The document (b) above must be obtained through" (CHSI)"

(https://www.chsi.com.cn/xlcx/bgys.jsp). Please note that applicants must pay the issuing fee for the Online Verification Report by themselves. Also be sure that there are 15 or more days left until the expiration date of the online verification at the time of its submission.

- Note2: <u>Documents written in languages other than English or Japanese must be translated into English or Japanese.</u>
  Submit both the original and translated documents.
- Note3: If an applicant is unable to submit "Language Test Score Certificate", an official document made by the university which certifies that the medium of instruction in the institution which the applicant has attended/is attending is English will be accepted.
- Note4: Submit a GRE General Test Official Score, if available. (The submission of the GRE score is optional.)

  The Official Score Report must be sent by ETS directly to Hiroshima University (Institution Code: 2358)
  no later than the submission period. (The Examinee Score Report sent to applicants from ETS is acceptable as well.)

#### 2. Application Procedure

All applicants must obtain consent from their prospective academic advisor who is reported in the application form in advance, and submit all documents in accordance with the time and period below. If you are unable to receive a reply from your prospective academic advisor, please contact "Inquiries" on page 1.

(1). Application time period:

For April Enrollment – November 2 to 17:00, November 13, 2023(Japan Standard Time, Must Arrive) For October Enrollment – May 7 to 17:00, May 17, 2024(Japan Standard Time, Must Arrive)

Documents to be submitted by mail (original or certified copy)

Without exception, it is required to mail (by registered mail) the documents to be received before the deadline. Please write the following text clearly in red on the envelop:

"Application for Doctoral Course, Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences"

Documents to be submitted by E-mail

Please send Word or Pdf files by E-mail with the subject line "Submission of documents for Doctoral Course, Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences". Please be sure to separate the files for each submitted document and name the files correctly.

Example of file name: "(5) Academic Transcript " etc.

(2) Submit applications to:

Refer to

#### (3)Others

- i) Documents may neither be altered nor amended after submission.
- ii) In principle, application materials will not be returned.
- iii) Application fee is non-refundable for any reason after the application forms have been accepted.
- iv) Personal information (name, date of birth, gender, etc.) recorded on application forms will be used in the selection of entrants, notification of passing of entrance exams, and also entrance procedures. Once successful applicants have entered the university, the university will manage the data for use in matters relating to student support (scholarship applications, tuition fee exemption applications etc.). This data will not be used for any other purpose or be seen by anyone except staff of this university. However, after an agreement has been made regarding the appropriate use of personal information, there may be cases whereby related business is entrusted to companies outside the university for purposes of computer management.

#### V.

#### 1. Selection Process

The academic examination consists of the Document Review (Academic Transcripts, Research Proposal, and other application documents) and the Oral Examination to evaluate the applicant's motivation for research, knowledge and applied skills in the applicant's field of specialization, English language skills, problem-solving ability, and aptitude.

### 2. Evaluation Criteria

(1) The results of the Document Review and the Oral Examination will be evaluated in scale of three level indicated below and the grade of C is considered "fail".

A	Excellent (Most Appropriate for Enrollment)		
В	Good (Appropriate for Enrollment)		
С	Poor (Inappropriate for Enrollment)		

(2) Those who have passed both the Document Review and the Oral Examination will be successful applicants.

#### 3. Announcement of Admission

Announcement of admission for April 2024 enrollment will be on December 22, 2023(tentative schedule). Announcement of admission for October 2024 enrollment will be on June 24, 2024(tentative schedule). A written notice will be sent to all successful applicants on the announcement day. Telephone/E-mail inquiries will not be answered.

#### 1. Period

Early of March for April enrollment and early of September for October enrollment. More details will be informed later.

## 2. Fees

Enrollment Fee: ¥ 282,000

Tuition Fee: ¥ 535,800 (for one year)

- (1) The above amount is as of April 2023. In case of the revision of the amount at the time of enrollment or during the period of enrollment, the most recent tuition fees will always apply.
- (2) Enrollment fee must be paid at the time of enrollment and tuition fee must be paid after the enrollment. Exact amount, detailed payment methods, and information on enrollment/tuition fee exemption or deferment application will be announced later.
- (3) Enrollment fee, once paid, will not be reimbursed under any circumstances.

#### 3. Notes

- (1) Any forgery or falsification of the documents and/ or academic fraud would result in cancellation of acceptance even after passing examination and/ or completing enrollment procedure.
- (2) For applicants accepted on the condition of graduation from currently enrolled university, admission will be cancelled if s/he cannot graduate by the time of enrollment.

# **List of Members**

## Division of Humanities and Social Sciences

International Peace and Co-existence Program

Position	Name	Research Theme			
Professor Professor	KATAYANAGI, Mari	Conflict resolution, Peacebuilding, Peacekeeping, Conflict prevention, and International human rights law			
Professor	KAWANO, Noriyuki	Peace Studies, Studies on A-Bomb and Global Nuclear Disasters			
Professor	SEKI, Koki	Cultural Anthropology of Development, Social Policy, and Peace, Area Studies of the Philippines and Southeast Asia			
Professor	NAGASAKA, Itaru	Social and cultural anthropology, Migration studies, Southeast Asian Studies			
Professor	YOSHIDA, Osamu	Analyzing the interaction between the present international order established through the historical dominance of Western Powers on the one hand, and the foreign policies of developing nations to restore their strength in international society on the other.			
Associate Professor	KAKEE, Tomoko	Studies on Conflict Resolution and International Law			
Associate Professor	SIMANGAN DA HLIA COLLADO	International Relations Theory, Peacebuilding Theory, United Nations Peacekeeping Operations, Peace-Sustainability Nexus, Anthropocene			
Associate Professor	TOMOTSUGU, Shinsuke	WMD Proliferation of latent nuclear capacity, Weapons of Mass Destruction(WMD), terrorism, and non-traditional security issues			
Associate Professor	VAN DER DOES, Luli	i, Interdisciplinary Empirical Study of Discourse and Representations, Memory Stu (Conflict and Peace), Heritage of the Atomic-Bomb Experiences, Applied Risk The			
Associate Professor	YAMANE, Tatsuo	Peace and Security, Armed Conflict, Peacebuilding, and Global Governance			
Associate Professor	NAKAZORA, Moe	Anthropology of the Environment and Development, Science and Technology Studies, Area Studies of South Asia (particularly India)			

**International Economic Development Program** 

	International Economic Development Program				
Position	Name	Research Theme			
Professor	ICHIHASHI, Masaru	Quantitative Comparison for Asian Economy, International and Regional Studies of Economy, Analysis for Industrial Development, Japanese Economic System, Economics Statistics Analysis			
Professor	KANEKO, Shinji	Study on Sustainable Development for Developing Countries Environmental Policy Studies in Asia			
Professor	, MAHARJAN, Keshav Lall	Rural Economics; issues related to agricultural economy and rural dynamics South Asian Studies; issues related to socio-economy of South Asia			
Professor	YOSHIDA, Yuichiro	Study on the Optimal Social Capital and the Public Policy towards the Economic Growth and Development Comparative Macroeconomic Analysis in Developing Countries			
Professor	GOTO, Daisaku	Applied Microeconomics for Development and Environmental Policy Studies Lab and Field Experiments in Development and Environmental Economics			
Professor	SHARIFI Ayyoob	Urban Planning and Policy Development, Environmental Planning and Management, Climate Policy, Sustainable Cities			
Professor	TAKAHASHI, Yoshi	, , Human Resource Development / Management, Management of Technology, Management of Small and Medium-sized Enterprises			
Associate Professor	JOSHI, Niraj Prakash	Climate change, agricultural technology adoption, agriculture production economics, poverty and rural development in developing country			
Associate Professor	KONDO Masayuki	Evaluation of climate change countermeasures, analysis of greenhouse gas dynamics, land use change research in tropical regions, and theoretical research on Earth's climate regulation.			

## **Division of Educational Sciences**

**International Education Development Program** 

International Education Development Program					
Position	Name	Research Theme			
Professor	SAITO, Kazuhiko	International Development through Sport Education, International Comparison of Sport Education			
Professor	SATO, Nobuharu	Ethno- linguistic studies on the Mongolian languages of Gansu and Qinghai Provi China			
Professor	SIMIZU, Kinya	Science education, principles of science curriculum, and development and analysis of lessons in other subjects			
Professor	BABA, Takuya	Research on mathematics education development in international perspective, and development and analysis of lessons in other subjects			
Professor	HOTTA, Taiji	Comparative policy studies of educational development in developing countries, and the study of global educational exchanges in higher education			
Professor	YOSHIDA, Kazuhiro	Practical researches on Promoting International Cooperation in Educational Development			
Professor	NAKAYA, Ayami	Comparative Studies of Local Curriculum Development, Management and Evaluation, Comparative Education			
Professor	KUSAKABE, Tatsuya	Comparative study of relationship between social, economic structure fluctuation and education in developing countries			
Associate Professor	SAKURAI, Riho	Comparative and International Education Education policy Inclusive education Diversity inclusion studies			
Associate Professor	TANIGUCHI, Kyoko	Studies on Educational Planning and Education Policy in Low- and Middle-income Countries (Africa and Asia)			
Associate Professor	MAKI, Takayoshi	Studies on Human Resource Development for Education (teacher education) in Asian countries, Comparative Education			
Associate Professor	MIWA, Chiaki	Studies on the effects of early childhood education in developing countries, International cooperation in early childhood care and education			

Professors who will cease regular teaching within the standard completion period of the thesis. Applicants are allowed to select him/her as supervisor, but need to inquire of the staff in Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences (Support Office for the fields of International Development and Cooperation).

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Professors who will cease regular teaching within the standard completion period of the thesis for students entering in October 2024. Applicants are allowed to select him/her as supervisor, but need to inquire of the staff in Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences (Support Office for the fields of International Development and Cooperation).

Note that "List of Members" is subject to change due to personnel changes. In this case, you will be informed via the HP of Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences. Therefore, please confirm the HP before consulting with a professor.