

Summer APU Gateway Program 2013

1. Application Requirements

Applicants must meet one of the following two requirements:

- 1. Applicant must be enrolled in a Japanese or foreign university, or an equivalent institution of higher education, for the period that includes the date of application until the date of program completion.
- Applicant must be a graduate of a high school or other secondary education institution, or he or she must have completed 12 years of school education in a foreign country, or equivalent schooling, and must be scheduled to enroll in a two-year college or four-year university in Japan or another country.
 * In the case of 2, applicants are required to submit additional application documents. Details can be found in the "Application Documents" section.

2. Program Dates

Program Period	8 weeks
Application Deadline	March 4
Program Fee Payment Deadline	April 19
Arrival Dates	June 3 or June 4
Orientation	June 5
Commencement of Classes	June 6
Program Ends/Closing Ceremony	July 31
Check out/Departure	August 1

3. Application Process / How to Apply

Send application documents and Screening Fee

Application Period: December 5, 2012~ March 4, 2013

Screening Fee JPY **11,750** (including bank transfer fees) Screening Fee must be paid in *Japanese currency*

Receive screening result and the acceptance package by mail

Information for Accepted students: Please click here.

http://www.apu.ac.jp/academic/page/content0172.html

Pay Program Fee

Payment Deadline: April 19, 2013

Program Fee must be paid in Japanese currency

Mail Enrollment Documents to APU & Submit Online Survey

Must arrive no later than April 26, 2013



4. Application Documents

Download Application Documents here: http://www.apu.ac.jp/academic/page/content0171.html

1. Summer APU Gateway Program Application Form	
2. Proof of Application Fee Payment	
3. Passport Copy	
4. Two passport-sized photos(4cm×3cm)	
5. Certificate of University Enrollment *	
(this must prove your enrollment at the time of official application period)	
6. Official Academic Transcripts	
(If the issuing institution does not use a standard Grade Point Average (GPA)	
scale, please attach a conversion chart.)	

- * If you are currently not enrolled at a university, the following additional documents are required:
 - Evidence of 12 years of elementary and secondary education to prove that this has been or will be achieved by the time of program commencement. (e.g. High School Diploma, School Leaving Certificate, Certificate of Prospective Graduation/ Completion etc.)
 - 2. Recommendation letter(s) from a former/current school
 - 3. Copy of an acceptance letter from the university you are scheduled to enter.

5. Fees

Send the application documents to the address below and send the Screening Fee to the bank account below by <u>March 4, 2013.</u>

Screening Fee JPY 11,750 (including bank transfer charges)

Pay the Program Fee upon receiving the screening result by <u>April 19, 2013.</u>
 <u>Total Amount of the Program Fee : JPY 488,550 + Optional academic course fee (if applicable)</u>^{*}

Fee Break down	Program Fee (Tuition and Program Activities Fee)	JPY 360,300
	Registration Fee	JPY 32,500
	Housing Fee	JPY 94,000
	Bank Transfer Fee in Japan	JPY 1,750
		(subject to change)

* Students may take one academic course from the College of Asia Pacific Studies (APS) or International Management (APM) with an additional fee of JPY 43,000 per credit: Most APU lecture courses are worth 2 credits (JPY 86,000)



6. University and Bank Information

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Summer APU Gateway Program	Bank Name: Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation
Academic Office	Bank Branch: Oita Branch
Ritsumeikan Asia Pacific University	Account Type: Ordinary Deposit Account
Jumonjibaru 1 – 1, Beppu, Oita	Account Number: 1001673
Postal Code: 874-8577	Account Name: RITSUMEIKAN ASIA PACIFIC UNIVERSITY
Japan	THE RITSUMEIKAN TRUST
	Swift Code: SMBCJPJT
	Bank Address: Chuo machi 1 – 3 – 22, Oita shi, Oita ken, Japan
	*All transfer fees are to be paid by the applicant.

For Further Information;

Academic Office

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