

## Program Details and Application Guide for JUACEP Partner Universities Students – 2026 JUACEP Summer 10-week-course from June to August –

### Overview

The course offers students from the partner universities to participate in research projects at Nagoya University. Currently our partner universities are University of Michigan (UM), UCLA, North Carolina State University (NCSU), New York University (NYU), University of Washington (UW), University of Toronto (UT), and Polytechnique Montréal (PolyMTL).

### Number of students

Up to 5 graduate students from each university.  
(The number is subject to change.)

### Activities and Course Credits

- Research internship at the NU Graduate School of Engineering with two or three credits depending on home university.  
\*Note: Not all universities grant credit for this program. Credit transfer system varies according to home university.
  - Special lectures for the program
  - Industrial visit
  - Hands-on experience on engineering
  - [Optional] Japanese language beginner's class, 1 credit
- Participants will receive a certificate from Nagoya University upon completion of the course.

### Important Dates & Deadlines

Program period: **From June 22 to August 28, 2026** (Dormitory access will be from June 23 to August 28, 2026)

Application deadline: **March 22, 2026**

Notice of result: **April 3, 2026**

Your decision date of participation: **April 9, 2026**

### How to apply

**Apply via online application form except UM and UT.**

UM students should first inform the IPE office of their intention to apply, and  
UT students should inform their coordinator and then apply through the online form.

Coordinator or contact person of each university for inquiry:

- UCLA: Prof. Jenn-Ming Yang <jyang@seas.ucla.edu>
- UM: Mr. Joshua Monthei, IPE <jmonthei@umich.edu>
- NCSU: Mr. Kazushi Okada <kokada@tpnu.org>
- NYU: Prof. Katsuo Kurabayashi <katsuo.k@nyu.edu>
- UW: Ms. Sarah Pauling <spauling@uw.edu>
- UT: Prof. Shaker A. Meguid <meguid@mie.utoronto.ca>
- PolyMTL: Ms. Delphine Julien <point@polymtl.ca>



**ONLINE APPLICATION FORM**     <https://forms.gle/cGtjFQQUY3AHkpRQ9> →

**Upload the following documents to**     <https://nuss.nagoya-u.ac.jp/s/xypRAXsxBeT8rcR>

1. CV (PDF)
2. Current university's ENROLLMENT CERTIFICATE (PDF) that includes the planned date of graduation. The Certificate should be issued in English after February 1, 2026.  
\*Note: "Registrar" or any equivalent office at your school should sign this. **Usable sample form is here.**
3. Academic transcript for the past two years (PDF)
4. Photocopy of both sides of student ID (PDF or JPG)
5. Photocopy of passport (PDF or JPG) photo ID page  
\*Applicant who does NOT possess a passport at the time of application must send a copy to [office@juacep.engg.nagoya-u.ac.jp](mailto:office@juacep.engg.nagoya-u.ac.jp) by E-mail as soon as they obtain it.
6. Headshot photo (JPG format with adequate pixel size for 3cm-width x 4cm-height)

*\*Face photo should show you alone clearly, it must be facing forward, without any head coverings such as caps or sunglasses. It must be taken within 3 months prior to submitting with no backgrounds or shadows.*

7. Motivation essay with approx. 400 words (PDF or Document data)
8. Copy of NU professor's acceptance response IF you have already got it. (PDF or JPG)

### **How to find your host professor**

Participants are expected to find a host professor for research internship by themselves. In order to do it, visit **NU School/Grad. School of Engineering**, and click 'Departments'. Once you find a research topic that interests you, get in touch with the corresponding professor(s) and ask if they would accept you as a JUACEP visiting scholar. *It is strongly encouraged to attach CV and brief description about your present research field and the topics you are interested in.* The acceptance letter from the potential host professor would be considered significantly in the selection process.

Researcher search site: <https://profs.provost.nagoya-u.ac.jp/search?m=home&l=en>

### **Eligibility**

#### **<Program participants must meet all of the following conditions>**

- (a) Graduate students who will continue to study and/or get a degree at their home university after the program, or Senior undergraduate students who will enroll in a graduate program at their home university after the program.
- (b) Students who are able to enter and stay in Japan during the program period with visa waiver, or who are eligible to get Japan's short-term stay visa.
- (c) Students who, upon completion of the program, return to their home university to continue their degree studies.
- (d) Students who have a medical and accident insurance coverage during the program period in Japan.

#### **<To qualify for a scholarship support\*\*, all of the following conditions must also be fulfilled>**

- (e) Students who have minimum GPA of 3.1 out of 4.
- (f) Students who are enrolled in the same degree program at their home university both when the program starts and when it ends.
- (g) Non-Japanese nationals.
- (h) Students who are not employed by any company.

#### **\*\* Scholarship Support**

Selected students are eligible to receive a scholarship (80,000 JPY/month for up to 3 months).

However, if they (will) receive any of the following money at the same time, this will not apply.

- Japanese Governmental Scholarship
- Scholarship more than 80,000 JPY/month awarded particularly to participate in JUACEP program from OTHER organization.
- Salary for the working adult student.

### **Program related fees:**

- (a) JUACEP participation fee: 30,000 JPY
- (b) JUACEP research internship tuition: 29,600 JPY /2 credits or 44,400 JPY /3 credits.
- (c) Japanese class participation fee (optional): tuition of 14,800 JPY and 4,000 JPY for a Japanese textbook
- (d) Campus Personal Liability Insurance: 1,340 JPY
- (e) Dormitory fee for 10 weeks: 95,000 JPY at most, including bed linens and Internet access.

### **FYI: Other out of pocket expenses**

- (f) Passport.
- (g) Visa... The short-term stay visa is required depending on the participant's nationality. Single-entry visa will be issued. → **Consular services, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan**
- (h) Round-trip air ticket.
- (i) Travel insurance which covers any disease and injury happened during your stay in Japan (REQUISITE).
- (j) Other living expenses like utilities, meals, local transportation, and personal cost will vary by individual.

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