



PROSPECTUS 2016

Graduate School of Law School of Law

THE CONSTITUTION OF JAPAN November 3, 1946 PREFACE

We, the Japanese people, acting through our duly elected representatives in the National Diet, determined that we shall secure for ourselves and our posterity the fruits of peaceful cooperation with all nations and the blessings of liberty throughout this land, and resolved that never again shall we be visited with the horrors of war through the action of government, do proclaim that sovereign power resides with the people and do firmly establish this Constitution. Government is a sacred trust of the people, the authority for which is derived from the people, the powers of which are exercised by the representatives of the people, and the benefits of which are enjoyed by the people. This is a universal principle of mankind upon which this Constitution is founded. We reject and revoke all constitutions, laws ordinances, and rescripts in conflict herewith. We, the Japanese people, desire peace for all time and are deeply conscious of the high ideals controlling human relationship and we have determined to preserve our security and existence, trusting in the justice and faith of the peace-loving peoples of the world. We desire to occupy an honored place in an international society striving for the preservation of peace, and the banishment of tyranny and slavery, oppression and intolerance for all time from the earth. We recognize that all peoples of the world have the right to live in peace, free from fear and want. We believe that no nation is responsible to itself alone, but that laws of political morality are universal; and that obedience to such laws is incumbent upon all nations who would sustain their own sovereignty and justify their sovereign relationship with other nations. We, the Japanese people, pledge our national honor to accomplish these high ideals and purposes with all our resources.

NAGOYA UNIVERSITY



Nagoya University

Graduate School & School of Law

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University Calendar

The academic year at Nagoya University commences on April 1 and ends on March 31 of the following year for April Admission.

In case of October Admission, the academic year commences on October 1 and ends on September 30 of the following year.

The academic year is divided into the spring term and autumn term: Spring Term: April 1 – September 30

Autumn Term: October 1 – March 31 of the following year

Entrance Ceremony for April Admission Students: April 5

University Anniversary: May 1

End of Spring Term-Exam: July 25 – August 5

Summer Break: August 8 – September 30

Entrance Ceremony for October Admission Students: October 5

End of Autumn Term-Exam: January 30 – February 10

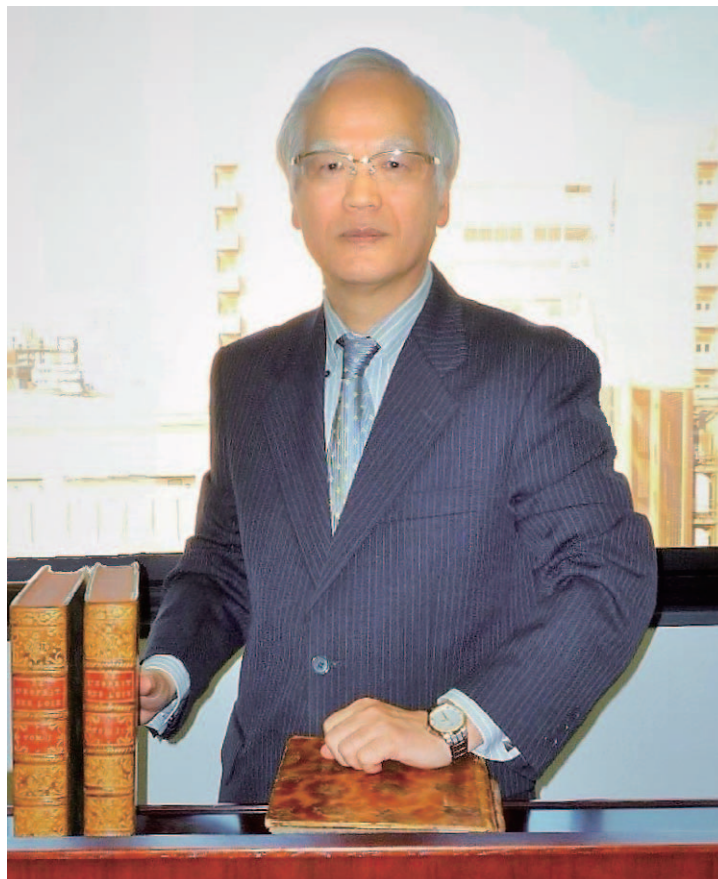
Commencement for October Admission Students: September 28

Winter Break: December 28 – January 7

Commencement for April Admission Students: March 27



Toyoda Auditorium of Nagoya University



Message from the Dean

Aiming for the *traditio* of knowledge in Asia

The world one hundred years ago was embroiled in the First World War which saw the emergence of “total war,” something different to previous wars between states. Now, looking at the terrorist attacks in Paris in 2015, we can surmise that we are entering an era of wars on a new and different dimension.

What is the significance of studying law and politics in such a new era? Let us look for clues in the history of words. As is well known, the etymology of the word “politics” comes from the Ancient Greek word “polis” which means “city-state”. Similarly, if we study the history of law arrive at “Roman law” which in Latin is rendered as “ius civile.” “Civile” is the adjective form of the noun “civitas” which means “city-state”. In this way, both politics and law derive from the Ancient Greek and Roman idea of the “city-state”.

It is said that our current 21st Century is the era of globalization but it is important for us to grasp that the problems that are occurring on a worldwide scale are “civil” problems. In other words, fundamentally, globalization means the world as a whole becoming the same “domestic-level” for all. With this, it is important that we resolve our problems in a “civil” manner and not through force of arms. In this way, we must reaffirm the meaning of the word “civilization.”

As you can see from this brochure, we have a diverse range of staff, numbering over fifty members, and over one-thousand undergraduate and postgraduate students, of whom 15% are overseas students. On this campus you will fully appreciate the merits of small-group education. If you encounter any difficulties we, the teaching staff, will be there to support you. In 2016 the CALE building, located in front of the Law School, will open up to provide a space for cultural exchange in addition to research.

I truly hope that you will all find your student life at the Nagoya University School of Law a profitable one, and that you will also have a wonderful time living in Nagoya.

March 2016

Mitsuki Ishii
Dean
Graduate School and School of Law
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Nagoya University Graduate School & School of Law

Nagoya University

Nagoya University was founded in 1871, when the medical school and a hospital were established on the site of a local feudal council building in Nagoya. In April 1939, the University received its charter as Japan's seventh Imperial University. After 1949, in the comprehensive post-war reform of the nation's educational system, Nagoya University was given a leadership role in the Chubu region. It has since grown into one of the foremost national universities in Japan. In April 2004, Nagoya University was reformed as a "National University Corporation". This transition to National University Corporation status has made it possible to manage the University under the strong leadership of the President founded upon university-wide consensus while still continuing to respect the independence and unique features of each school and department.

Currently, Nagoya University consists of nine undergraduate schools, fourteen graduate schools, three research institutes and nineteen inter-departmental education and research centers^[1], one of which is the Center for Asian Legal Assistance (CALE) established by the School of Law in March 2001. The student population consists of approximately 10,187 undergraduates^[2] and 6,252 graduate students, including 2,079 International students from 108 countries and regions^[3]. The total population of academic staff is 1,677, and administrative and technical staff and school teachers at affiliated junior and high schools number 3,806^[4].

The main campus for Nagoya University is located in Higashiyama, a residential area in Nagoya City. The city itself ranks fourth in size among Japan's metropolitan areas, with a population of over two million. Nagoya, as the capital of Aichi Prefecture, is the cultural, political and economic center of the Chubu region, a region especially famous for its industrial production in ceramics, textiles, and automobiles.

[1] Detailed information on Nagoya University is available on the World Wide Web at http://en.nagoya-u.ac.jp/about_nu/admin/sch/index.html

[2] As of May 2015 (This figure does not include non-degree research students and auditors.)

[3] As of May 2015

[4] As of May 2015

Graduate School of Law & School of Law

1948 Establishment of School Law

The School of Law was originally established as a department within the School of Law and Economics in 1948 soon after the end of the Second World War. It acquired its present status as an independent school offering 12 courses within a National University in 1950, following after the law faculties at the National Universities of Tokyo, Kyoto, Tohoku, and Kyushu. Being a rather young institution, it had an advantage in terms of facing the challenges posed by contemporary developments. In 1989, the School, facing modernization of the traditional system of study, introduced a new curriculum and was remodeled to consolidate the 21 courses into two Departments with seven main courses. In 1997, the two

departments were integrated into one Department of Law and Political Science with eight main courses. This departmental reorganization was aimed at modernizing the subjects of instruction, improving graduate tuition, and promoting systematic and cooperative research and education. The School is now among the most prominent of its kind in Japan with an excellent reputation for its legal education and research.

1999 Graduate School Initiative

From April 1999 the School of Law adopted further curricular changes, expanding the graduate program as a whole, and placing a new emphasis on graduate studies within the school. This reform was implemented as a response to societal need for specialist training and skills, as identified by Monbu-kagaku-sho (the Japanese Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science & Technology: MEXT). In practical terms, the School expanded its graduate intake and added further education options in the disciplines of law and politics. These new options were also designed to address the needs of international students from overseas, especially from countries in Asia, with rapidly developing legal systems. Courses were established to help all graduate students in the praxis of research and writing, and courses given by guest lecturers from the Bar Association and the business world were also set-up.

1999 Personnel Development Program Contributing to Asian Legal Assistance, developing Training the Next Generation of Top Asian Legalists: from Self-reliance to Networking

In 1999 the Graduate School of Law (GSL) opened the English language-based taught LL.M. (Comparative Law) Program in Law and Political Science as part of the project of the Asian technical legal assistance initiated by our school. This program, aiming at human resources development in legal fields in Asian countries, provides education and training to those personnel faced with the task of building institutions necessary for the transition to a market-oriented model of government and regulation, a democratic system of politics and a civil society governed by the rule of law. In 2006, the Law Faculty launched an initiative for "legal education through classes taught through Japanese", along with the existing program in legal education taught through English, as described above. These programs have been integrated into a comparative law program, titled "Personnel Development Program Contributing to Asian Legal Assistance".

In accordance with the rapid development of Asian societies, in 2012 the above program has been reviewed and restructured under the concept of "Training the Next Generation of Top Asian Legalists: from Self-reliance to Networking". This program aims at training a future generation of Asian leaders in law and politics who can contribute to nation building and regional development through the construction and sustainment of legal systems and the provision

of education in law and politics. This program is offering 15 MEXT Scholarship seats to competent candidates especially from Asian countries.



Academic Guidance for LL.M International Students (Oct. 2015)

2004 Towards a New Style of Legal Graduate – ‘Nagoya University Law School (NULS)’

All those involved in the teaching and study of law in Japan were profoundly affected by the reorganization of legal education in accordance with the ongoing restructuring of Japan’s judicial system. Together with a number of other law faculties in Japan, in April 2004, the Graduate School of Law established a so-called ‘Nagoya University Law School (NULS).’ It is a post-graduate vocational program of legal education and training. Its completion is a basic requirement for taking the new National Bar Examination of Japan. As a key university in the central area of Japan, NULS provides a program aiming at nurturing future legal professionals of Japanese law who possess a wide international awareness and perspective enabling them to contribute to a free and harmonious society. The program admits not only law graduates but students from a wide range of academic and social backgrounds. The various existing academic programs of the Graduate School of Law have been adjusted to this new situation.

2005 Nagoya University Research and Education Center for Japanese Law (CJL)

The School of Law has developed the project for the “Long-term education of legal specialists proficient in Japanese” through the establishment of the Nagoya University Research and Education Center for Japanese Law (CJL) in the five overseas partner universities. In these CJLs up to 20 undergraduate students enrolled in each partner university are selected and taught Japanese with the goal of reaching Level 1 or 2 in the Japanese Proficiency Test by the time they graduate. They are also educated in Japanese law

through Japanese. The centers are located at Tashkent State Institute of Law in Uzbekistan (2005), the National University of Mongolia School of Law (2006), Hanoi Law University, Vietnam (2007), the Royal University of Law and Economics, Cambodia (2008) and Ho Chi Minh City University of Law, Vietnam (2012). One dimension of the project for the ‘Long-term education of legal specialists proficient in Japanese’ is the establishment of the previously mentioned ‘Legal education through classes taught through Japanese’ in the LL.M. (Comparative Law) Program, which gives graduates of CJLs a chance to be educated at the Graduate School of Law. The aim is to train, in a continuous and systematic manner, specialists who can understand Japanese law in Japanese.



ISS Students after finishing Prof. Mathew Wilson's lecture of “International Negotiations”

2011 Global 30 International Program: Bringing Nagoya University to the World – English-based taught undergraduate program

In July 2009 Nagoya University was selected as one of the Core Universities for Internationalization (Global 30) in Japan. The objective of the Global 30 is to strengthen the international competitiveness of Japanese higher education and to offer an education at a standard that will appeal to overseas students from all over the world. It also aims to create highly educated individuals who can be active internationally by providing an environment where Japanese students work side by side with overseas students. To realize the goal of the Global 30 in the field of social sciences, our School and the School of Economics jointly take the initiative to offer an “International Social Sciences Program”, in cooperation with the School of Informatics and Sciences. The students enrolled in this program will be able to pursue their studies entirely in English and to graduate in at least four years.

2012 CAMPUS ASIA Project shared training in legal and political awareness – Formation of East Asia ‘Jus Commune’ (common law)

To engage with globalization in the 21st Century, Japan, Korea and China have made educating “global professionals” a shared theme, resulting in the establishment of the Campus Asia Project based on the agreements between prestigious universities in China, Korea and Japan made in 2012. The project aims at educating “courageous intellectuals” with a “spirit of challenge” capable of overriding stereo-

typed views in the areas of law and politics. It also seeks the education of “advanced global professionals” who can operate globally through their communication abilities in foreign languages. Through the promotion of shared education at the faculties of law, economics, and humanities in universities in Japan, Korea, and China, the program aims to educate, mainly at undergraduate level, students who can be active as future legal professionals, researchers, public officials internationally, nationally or locally, or company people, in each of the three countries or in the wider Asian region. The participating universities exchange legal information in East Asia, together with working toward forming theories on Asian law and assistance for legal infrastructural development, as well as establishing common standards for jurist training and law school education.

2012 Leading Graduate School: Cross-Border Legal Institution Design Program

Titled “Cross-Border Legal Institution Design” Program, the Leading Graduate School scheme initiated by MEXT (Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology) was set up at the Graduate School of Law in 2012. The objective of the Program is to produce professionals who have a strong interest in Asia and can design institutions for cross-border transplantation. The students will learn how to offer innovative yet highly practical solutions based on flexible perspectives for understanding and comparing diverse societies. Students will also attain knowledge and appropriate skills in organizing and managing teams of professionals from diverse cultures using effective communicative skills. They will also develop their problem analysis, organizational, integrated and social management skills and conflict resolution skills. To achieve this, the Program has created a new five-year-long curriculum taught in English combining masters and doctorate.

2013 CAMPUS ASEAN Project

The Campus ASEAN Program, specifically known as the “Training a New Generation of Leaders in International Cooperation for the Development of the ASEAN Region” Program, was launched in 2012 jointly by the Graduate School of Law, Graduate School of International Development, School of Economics, CALE, and International Cooperation Center for Agricultural Education (ICCAE) of Nagoya University. Nagoya University and the seven overseas partner universities in Cambodia, Indonesia, the Philippines, Singapore, Thailand and Vietnam, has subsequently formed an eight-university consortium to implement this program. The universities together also develop a curriculum that combines English-medium coursework with field-work or internships at private enterprises, government agencies or international organizations. Short-term and long-term exchanges of students among the eight partner universities are organized regularly to nurture the intercultural communi-

cation skills of the students.

2014 Myanmar, Laos and Indonesia / Japan Legal Research Centers for Asian Law Studies

GSL and CALE have taken the initiative to establish overseas Japan Legal Research Centers (of Nagoya University) in collaboration with the law faculties of our academic partner universities: Yangon University in Myanmar, the National University of Laos and Gadjah Mada University in Indonesia. The aim of the centers is to disseminate Japanese legal information and information on the laws of the host country so as to act as hubs collecting and sharing legal information. A further aim is to operate as points of liaison for joint research between these partner universities and Nagoya University.

2014 ASCI (Asian Satellite Campus Institution) LL.D (Comparative Law) Program in Law and Political Science

The Nagoya University Graduate School of Law, through ASCI’s main office in Japan and its satellite campuses in participating Asian countries, offers The Transnational Doctoral Program for Leading Professionals in Asian Countries. The program is conducted in English, primarily through distance education technology, and is currently open to qualified applicants from Vietnam, Cambodia, Mongolia, and Uzbekistan, with negotiation underway to establish campuses in a number of other countries. The Transnational Doctoral Program is tailored to meet the needs of officials currently working in the legislative, administrative, and judicial sectors, as well as university faculty in the fields of law and political science. All applicants must hold an LL.M. degree from a recognized institution and demonstrate that they can conduct doctoral level studies in English. Admitted candidates will carry out their research and dissertation work in their home countries, while continuing to fulfill their official work related duties.



ASCI program, intensive academic seminars at Higashiyama campus (2016)

Overview of the School of Law (Undergraduate programs)

Student Enrollment

Approximately 150 students are admitted to the School of Law each year. Currently 738 students are enrolled in the undergraduate program at this faculty. With a full time academic staff of 54, these numbers compare favorably to the large classes at most other Japanese law faculties and help assure a hospitable environment conducive to learning. The school maintains a special admission system at the undergraduate level for overseas returnees. Each year, between five and ten such students are admitted, with an additional five to ten being admitted directly as third-year transfer students. These special admissions rules, designed to enhance the diversity of our academic environment, and to address trends in social diversification and internationalization, have attracted much attention throughout the country.

Objectives of the School of Law

The School of Law pursues the following educational objectives;

- Foster comprehensive knowledge in law, political science and other fields, deemed to be required for functioning in a global society;
- Cultivate the ability to make informed decisions based on a broad perspective;
- Nurture the ability to make appropriate decisions and value judgments.

As modern society grows ever more complex and the values that underpin it continue to evolve, a wide range of problems have emerged that have proven difficult to resolve. Against this backdrop, students at the School of Law are expected to develop the knowledge base and abilities described in these educational objectives.

Undergraduate Curriculum

Curriculum in General Courses Conducted in Japanese

The School of Law provides a comprehensive four-year curriculum since 2004 which offers courses in several specialized subjects as well as common basic subjects from the first academic year. Free selection of courses is permitted with a view to increasing intellectual engagement and self-reliance among our undergraduates. The curriculum also offers students opportunities to benefit from the more immediate guidance of faculty members through a large selection of small-group seminar courses. Common basic seminars are offered to first year students, while advanced seminars in certain specialisms are open to students from second to fourth year. Students attached to a particular seminar are supervised by a faculty member. Each seminar is made up of an average of ten students, sometimes including graduate and international students, along with the staff supervisor. This small community is quite active not only with class work but also in study tours to courts, prisons and business companies.

Four Year Program structure and Progression

Students in the School of Law take a variety of subjects over the course of four years. These can be broadly categorized as the "Subjects in Liberal Arts and Sciences" university-wide and the "Subjects in the School of Law". (Refer to the "Table of Subject Categories", given below.)

Grade Assessment

Since 2012, our School has employed a GPA system ;

- (1) Performance is assessed using five grades: S (100.90), A (89.80), B (79.70), C (69.60), and F (59 and below). With the exception of F, which corresponds to a fail, all grades indicate a pass assessment. There are some courses for which the above five-step grading system is deemed unsuitable. In this case, assessment will be made in terms of pass/fail.
- (2) The Grade Point Average (GPA) System is based on the following principles.
GPA is calculated using the formula below.

$$\frac{(4 \times S \text{ credits}) + (3 \times A \text{ credits}) + (2 \times B \text{ credits}) + (1 \times C \text{ credits})}{S \text{ credits} + A \text{ credits} + B \text{ credits} + C \text{ credits} + F \text{ credits}}$$

Degree Requirements

To obtain the degree of Bachelor of Laws, students enrolled in the School of Law must take a total of 132 credits or more and adhere to the subject categories outlined below.

Subject Type	Course Categories	Credits Required	Sub-total	Overall Total
Courses in Specialized Fields	Subjects in School of Law Specialized Courses	82-84 credits (Including 0-20 credits in Related Specialized Courses)		
	Subjects in Liberal Arts and Sciences First Year Seminar	4 credits	96 credits	132 credits
Courses not Related to Specialized Fields	Basic Courses in Humanities and Social Sciences	8-10 credits		
	Basis Courses in Natural Sciences	16-18 credits	36 credits	
	Liberal Education Courses in Humanities and Social Sciences			
	Liberal Education Courses in Interdisciplinary Fields			
	Health and Sports Science			
	Open Courses			
	Language and Culture	18-20 credits		

Table of Subject Categories

Internship

The School of Law encourages internships. This involves doing work-experience in central and local governments, companies, legal offices, judicial offices and international organizations. This is useful for understanding how law and politics operates in actual society. Furthermore, it helps reveal to students their own aptitudes so that they can choose better their future path. Since 2001, preempting all the other faculties, we have recognized internships as a formal subject and have allocated credits to it.

Careers

There are in total approximately 9,361 graduates, as of May 2015. Many of these are engaged in various fields, such as the judiciary, national and local government, private business, research, education and journalism. Most of them are employed, as part of a long tradition of graduates, in private companies, industry, finance, communications, journalism and a huge variety of other areas. Those who wish to enter the judiciary as lawyers, judges or public prosecutors go on to further studies in the Nagoya University Law School. Furthermore, a third of Nagoya University graduates have become public officials. Not so many but a small number of graduates continue to pursue their research in the graduate programs to enter the world of academia.

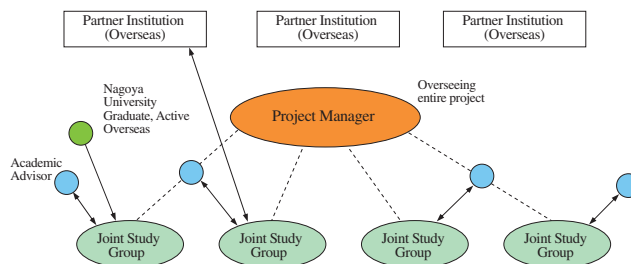
Comparative Legal and Political Studies Course – Peer Support Initiative (PSI)

A Peer Support Initiative (PSI) course has been opened in 2006, targeting Japanese students wishing to study in cooperation with overseas students and to experience training abroad. The goal of the course is to promote and develop future human networks worldwide. This accredited course, was initially scheduled to run for four years under the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science, and Technology (MEXT) project for “Promoting Internationalization in University Education”. After seven years of experience, this course has gained popularity among Japanese law students. This course provides an opportunity for Japanese and overseas students to consult with each other, create study plans to learn about the society, culture, law and politics of each other’s country, and based on these study plans, carry out cooperative study and research in joint study groups made up of both students. Advisors for this course include academic staff from both Nagoya University and overseas partner universities, as well as graduates from Nagoya University currently active overseas. The achievements made by the groups are evaluated and credits are allocated to the students accordingly. Languages to be used in the course are Japanese, English, and where deemed appropriate, the languages of the respective overseas students and advisors.



Thailand, Myanmar and Japan PSI-1 Japanese calligraphy

Peer Support Initiative Conceptual Diagram



General Courses Conducted in Japanese for Undergraduates

(Courses available change from year to year.)

Subject	Class year	Credit
Contemporary Politics and Administration in Japan	1	2
Contemporary Judiciary in Japan	1	2
Modern Japanese Politics and Diplomacy	1	2
Contemporary Japanese Diplomacy & International Relations	1	2
Legal and Political Thought	1	2
Constitutional Law I (Basic Principles and Elements of Government)	1	4
Constitutional Law II (Human Rights and Constitutional Litigation)	2	4
Comparative Constitution	3/4	2
Administrative Law I (General Principles)	3	4
Administrative Law II (Law of Administrative Remedies)	3	2
Administrative Law III (Law of Principal Administrative Fields)	4	4
Law on Local Self-Administration	3/4	4
Tax Law	3/4	4
General Principles of International Law (Basic Structure of International Law)	2	4
Details of International Law I	3/4	2
Details of International Law II	3/4	2
International Organization Law	3/4	2
Civil Code I (General Principles)	1	4
Civil Code II (Property)	2	4
Civil Code III (Contract)	2	4
Civil Code IV (Torts)	2	2
Civil Code V (Family Law)	3/4	4
Labor Law	3/4	4
Intellectual Property Law	3/4	4
Social Security Law	3/4	4
Civil Procedure	3	4
Bankruptcy	3/4	4
Commercial Law I (Commercial Transactions)	3	4
Commercial Law II (Corporate Structure)	2	4
Economic Law	3/4	2
International Private Law	3/4	2
Criminal Law I (General Principles)	2	4
Criminal Law II (Definition of Specific Crimes)	2	4
Criminal Procedure	3	4
History of Legal Thought I	2	2
History of Legal Thought II	2	2
Philosophy of Law	3/4	4
History of Legal Science	2	2
Western Legal History	2	4
Japanese Legal History	2	4
Roman Law	3/4	2
Asian Legal History	3/4	2
Russian Law	3/4	4
French Law	3/4	2
German Law	3/4	2
Chinese Law	3/4	4
Comparative Study of Legal Culture I	4	2
Comparative Study of Legal Culture II	4	2
Sociology of Law	3/4	2
Legal Informatics I	2	2
Legal Informatics II	2	2
Legal Informatics III	2-4	2
Legal Informatics IV	2-4	2
Political Theory	2	4
Governmental Process	3	4
History of Western Political Thought	3	4
History of Asian Political Thought	3	4
Western Political History	3/4	4

Subject	Class year	Credit
Japanese Political History I	2	2
Japanese Political History I -II	2	2
Comparative Politics I	2-4	2
Comparative Politics II	2-4	2
Comparative Politics III	2-4	2
Mass Communication and Politics	3-4	2
International Politics	3	4
History of International Politics	2	4
Public Administration	2	4
Local Administration	3/4	4
Political Area Studies I	2-4	2
Political Area Studies II	2-4	2
Political Area Studies III	2-4	2
Gender and Politics	3/4	2
Metrical Politics	2-4	2
Modern Public Policy	3/4	2
Environmental Law	3/4	2
Legislation and Policy Study	3/4	2
Special Issues (Gender and Law)	3/4	2
Special Issues (Reading Foreign Materials I)	1-4	2
Special Issues (Reading Foreign Materials II)	1-4	2
Special Issues (Legal Practice)	3/4	2
Special Issues (Studies on Contemporary Media)	2-4	2
Special Issues (Comparative Legal and Political Studies I)	2-4	2
Special Issues (Comparative Legal and Political Studies II)	3/4	2
Special Issues (Comparative Legal and Political Studies III)	3/4	1
Special Issues (Application of Commercial Law I)	3/4	2
Special Issues (Application of Commercial Law II)	3/4	2
Special Issues (International Negotiation)	3/4	2
Special Issues (Introduction to Academic Writing)	2-4	2
Special Issues (Basic practice on Civil Law)	4	2
Special Issues (Law in a Changing Society)	3/4	2
Special Issues (Korean Law)	3/4	4
Special Issues (Law and Practice of Casualty Insurance)	3/4	2
Special Issues (Introduction to Chinese Law and Politics I)	1-4	2
Special Issues (Introduction to Chinese Law and Politics II)	1-4	2
Special Issues (Introduction to Korean Law and Politics I)	1-4	2
Special Issues (Introduction to Korean Law and Politics II)	1-4	2
Special Issues (Comparative Private Law)	3/4	2
Law and Politics Practicals I (Internship)	2	2
Law and Politics Practicals II (Internship)	3	2
Seminar I	2	4
Seminar II	3	4
Seminar III	4	4
Thesis		12

The Global 30 International Social Sciences Program conducted in English

The Global 30 International Social Sciences Program has been offered from October 2011. It includes the fundamental disciplines of political science, law, economics, business administration and information science. Students are expected to acquire analytical skills, critical thinking skills and a high ethical awareness, such as are needed for the pursuit of knowledge across disciplines.

The curriculum in this G30 International Social Sciences Program covers comparative studies of Asian societies, corporate theory, international negotiation, international law, development economics, economic integration, global management as well as environmental issues. In addition to knowledge in a global context, the program emphasizes the study of the political, legal and economic systems of modern Japan.

Upon selecting their major, students can receive specific guidance from professors in their chosen discipline and are expected to conduct research for their individual graduation thesis under the supervision of their school's professors.



Teaching Politics in the Global 30 Program - A prolific and a highly rewarding experience

Dr Selen A. Ercan

**Visiting Associate Professor of Political Science in G30
Program from University of Canberra, Institute for
Governance and Policy Analysis (The third from the left)**

During the Summer Semester 2015, I have had the privilege of teaching two courses in the G30 Program at the Nagoya University, Graduate School of Law: Comparative European Politics, and Theory and Practice of Deliberative Democracy. This was certainly one of the most rewarding academic experiences I have had so far. Both classes I taught were composed of international students from all around the world who were very eager to learn, discuss and compare their experiences. I think, overall the G30 program provides an excellent context for students to think comparatively and internationally, and to learn not only from the lecturer but also from each other. I found the class discussions to be very prolific and intellectually stimulating. I would recommend studying in the G30 Program of the Nagoya University to anyone! During my visit, I also participated in a democracy workshop, which brought together many key Japanese scholars working on similar theoretical and practical questions. I was also part of a research group that met regularly to discuss joint paper ideas. At the university, one of my regular stops was the International Student Office. My impression is that this Office is the first and the last stop of many international students and staff. It is composed of staff who tirelessly put their hearts into their work and do everything they can do to enrich one's experience of Japan and Japanese culture. Thinking back on my time on the campus, one other place that comes to my mind is the university library. The library was my favorite place to work; I spent very productive hours thinking, writing and reading in those small cubicles on the fourth floor overlooking the city of Nagoya. It was my first time in Japan, and first exposure to Japanese culture. I think Japan resembles a gentle flower that opens itself up slowly to reveal its unique beauty. The longer one stays, the more one sees of this flower. I have been to many different places in the world so far, both to live and work, but nothing can beat the special experience I had in Japan! Sincere thanks to Professor Tetsuki Tamura and the Graduate School of Law for inviting me to teach in this very exciting and rewarding program.



Global 30 students with Dr Selen A. Ercan (the third from the right)

G30 International Social Sciences Subjects 2015

No	Compulsory/ Elective	Subjects	Lecture Department	Number of Credits	Year
1	elective	Japanese for Social Science I (E)	Law	2	2
2	elective	Japanese for Social Science II (E)	Law	2	2
3	elective	Japanese for Social Science III (E)	Law	2	2
4	elective	Political Systems (E)	Law	2	1
5	elective	Contemporary Japanese Politics (E)	Law	2	1
6	elective	Contemporary Japanese Diplomacy (E)	Law	2	1
7	elective	Political Science (E)	Law	2	2
8	elective	Reading Political Documents (E)	Law	2	2
9	elective	International Politics (E)	Law	2	3 or 4
10	elective	Public Administration (E)	Law	2	3 or 4
11	elective	International Environment, Politics and Diplomacy (E)	SIS	2	3 or 4
12	elective	Comparative European Politics (E)	Law	2	3 or 4
13	elective	Politics in Asia (E)	Law	2	2
14	elective	Political Thoughts (E)	Law	2	3 or 4
15	elective	Environmental Politics (E)	SIS	2	3 or 4
16	elective	Japanese Legal System (E)	Law	2	1
17	elective	Introduction to Law (E)	Law	2	1
18	elective	International Negotiation (E)	Law	2	3 or 4
19	elective	Introduction to International Economic Law (E)	Law	2	3 or 4
20	elective	Reading Legal Documents (E)	Law	2	2
21	elective	Comparative Constitution (E)	Law	2	3 or 4
22	elective	Comparative Law I (Anglo-American) (E)	Law	2	3 or 4
23	elective	Comparative Law II (Continental) (E)	Law	2	3 or 4
24	elective	Comparative Law III (Regime-Changing) (E)	Law	2	3 or 4
25	elective	Contemporary Japanese Law I (E)	Law	2	2
26	elective	Contemporary Japanese Law II (E)	Law	2	3 or 4
27	elective	Peer Support Initiative I	Law	2	3 or 4
28	elective	Peer Support Initiative II	Law	2	3 or 4
29	elective	Peer Support Initiative III	Law	1	3 or 4
30	elective	Summer Seminar (E)	Law	2	2
31	elective	Internship I	Law	2	2 - 3
32	elective	Internship II	Law	2	3 - 4
33	elective	Preliminary Seminar A (E)	Law	2	1
34	elective	Preliminary Seminar B (E)	Law	2	1
35	elective	Seminar IA	Law	2	2
36	elective	Seminar IB	Law	2	2
37	elective	Seminar IIA	Law	2	3
38	elective	Seminar IIB	Law	2	3
39	elective	Seminar IIIA	Law	2	4
40	elective	Seminar IIIB	Law	2	4
41	elective	Special Problems (How to Train the Legal Profession)	Law	2	2
42	elective	Special Problems (Good Governance vs. Corruption)	Law	2	2
43	elective	Special Problems (Post-Cold War Security Issues)	Law	2	3 or 4
44	elective	Special Problems (Introduction to International Commercial Arbitration)	Law	2	3 or 4
45	elective	Special Problems (Case Study of International Commercial Arbitration)	Law	2	3 or 4
46	elective	Special Problems (Basic Readings on Japanese Law and Society)	Law	2	4

No	Compulsory/ Elective	Subjects	Lecture Department	Number of Credits	Year
47	elective	Special Problems (Quantitative Analysis in the Social Sciences)	Law	2	3 or 4
48	elective	Special Problems (Quantitative Analysis in the Social Sciences II)	Law	3	4 or 4
49	elective	Special Problems (International Law and Critical Legal Studies)	Law	2	2 - 4
50	elective	Special Problems (Comparative Private Law)	Law	2	2 - 4
51	elective	Special Problems (IR Theories and East Asian Community Building)	Law	2	1 - 4
52	elective	Special Problems (International Relations in East Asia)	Law	2	1 - 4
53	elective	Special Problems (Introduction to Law and Society in Japan)	Law	2	1 - 4
54	elective	Special Problems (Introduction to Contract Law in Japan)	Law	2	1 - 4
55	elective	Special Problems (Law and Politics in South Asian Countries)	Law	2	1 - 4
56	elective	Special Problems (Research Visits)	Law	1	1 - 4
57	elective	Thesis	Law	12	
58	elective	Introductory Microeconomics I (E)	Economics	2	1 or 2
59	elective	Introductory Microeconomics II (E)	Economics	2	1 or 2
60	elective	Introductory Macroeconomics I (E)	Economics	2	1 or 2
61	elective	Introductory Macroeconomics II (E)	Economics	2	1 or 2
62	elective	Introductory Econometrics I (E)	Economics	2	1 or 2
63	elective	Introductory Econometrics II (E)	Economics	2	1 or 2
64	elective	Introductory Management I (E)	Economics	2	1 or 2
65	elective	Introductory Management II (E)	Economics	2	1 or 2
66	elective	Introductory Review on Economics (E)	Economics	2	1 or 2
67	elective	Introductory Review on Management (E)	Economics	2	1 or 2
68	elective	Public Policy (E)	Economics	2	3
69	elective	Development Economics (E)	Economics	2	3 or 4
70	elective	Economic Integration (E)	Economics	2	3 or 4
71	elective	Information Literacy and Computers (E)	SIS	2	2
72	elective	Creative Networking (E)	SIS	2	2
73	elective	Information Design (E)	SIS	2	3
74	elective	Education in Japan (E)	Education	2	2
75	elective	Education in the World (E)	Education	2	2
76	elective	Human Development in Modern Society (E)	Education	2	3
77	elective	Education in Modern Society (E)	Education	2	3 or 4
78	elective	Introductory History of Economic Theories I (E)	Economics	2	1 or 2
79	elective	Introductory History of Economic Theories II (E)	Economics	2	1 or 2
80	elective	Introductory Practical Management I (E)	Economics	2	1 or 2
81	elective	Introductory Practical Management II (E)	Economics	2	1 or 2
82	elective	Introductory Accounting I (E)	Economics	2	1 or 2
83	elective	Introductory Accounting II (E)	Economics	2	1 or 2
84	elective	Introductory Economic History I (E)	Economics	2	1 or 2
85	elective	Introductory Economic History II (E)	Economics	2	1 or 2
86	elective	Applied Microeconomics (E)	Economics	2	3 or 4
87	elective	Applied Macroeconomics (E)	Economics	2	3 or 4
88	elective	Urban Economics (E)	Economics	2	
89	elective	Production/Logistics (E)	Economics	2	3 or 4

Notes "SIS" is an abbreviation of the "School of Informatics and Science."

Stepping forward to my dream in Nagoya University



Mr. KIM MINSUNG

3rd Year of School of Law, G30 International Program from Korea

Owing to my father who works at a Japanese company, I have lived in Japan's friendly atmosphere from since I was young. It made me have a deep interest in Japan and I wanted to learn more about the country by studying there. Given this background, Nagoya University came to me like a destiny. I found that in the school there is the G30 program for international students where I can study in Japan in English and also learn Japanese. In particular, my dream is to work as a Japan-Korea legal cooperation officer, and with Nagoya University as the only one among the G30 universities which provides a major law program within its academic fame, I unquestioningly chose Nagoya University. By studying many different fields here, including law, economics and political science, I am fulfilling my joy of learning. Also in Nagoya University, I am availing of opportunities for many valuable experiences. G30 students are from all over the world, so studying here and interacting with my classmates help me broad my view. I gained an interest in Southeast Asia, and attended the ASEAN Community Nagoya as vice president of academic affairs as an extra curriculum activity. Also, I had an internship in a local law firm and attended the Campus Asia Program, (program for legal exchange between Japan-Korea-China). I am having wonderful experiences that I can only have at Nagoya University and preparing for my future. By studying in Nagoya University and having many valuable experiences here, I believe I am stepping forward to my dream.



Study trip to OKAYA&CO.,Ltd in Nagoya port (Aug. 2015)

Campus Asia Program: Studying On Campus in East Asia

Objectives

As mentioned above, Japan, China and Korea have launched a shared educational program of educating “courageous intellectuals” with a “spirit of challenge” and training “advanced global professionals”, who can be active globally as future legal professionals in academia, in domestic and international public sectors, or in business through their communication abilities in foreign languages.

Outline of the program

The program promotes a shared and common educational program at undergraduate level at faculties of law, economics, and humanities in the prestigious universities in Korea, China and Japan including our university. The students participating in this program are selected at the end of their first year. Those students will then follow a common curriculum in the second and third year.

In the first semester of the second year, the preparatory work for each country entails the enhancement of English-language ability and the attainment of beginner’s level in Chinese or Korean, in conjunction with training in the political and legal systems of one’s own country.

In the second semester of the second year and in the third year, students will study overseas at one of the member universities and will take common classes. As a core curriculum, there will be (1) introductory classes in the law and politics of each country, (2) classes dealing with comparative law and politics, (3) 12 credits in language subjects specializing in areas in social science. As well as that, there will be recognition for attendance in classes conducted in English at each of the universities.

Overall five students at our school are sent to universities in China and five students to universities in Korea, making a total of ten students. Five students from universities in China and five from universities in Korea, making a total of ten students, are accepted by our School.

A system has been created to enable the mutual recognition of credits between the participating universities. The program is centered around the education of undergraduates, but partial participation in programs is admitted to law school graduate students and other graduate student. This offers opportunities for exchanges with graduate level students.

For details, visit the following site:
<http://www.law.nagoya-u.ac.jp/project/en/Asia/index.html>



Living the Life of My Dreams in Japan

Ms. Kimp Yustisiana Dewinta Hermawan
 2nd Year of School of Law, Campus ASEAN Exchange Program
 from Indonesia

“The biggest adventure you can ever take is to live the life of your dreams.” – Oprah Winfrey.

Many people have lived their dreams which made me wonder, when would be my turn?

Studying abroad especially in Japan was my dream from high school and it was indeed beyond my imagination.

During my life as an overseas student, I have gotten to learn an abundance of knowledge, exchange ideas and perspectives, encounter new friends from all over the world, enjoy various activities and events held by the university, as well as attend a lot of insightful seminars. Aside from my academic life as a law student, I took an intensive Japanese course, joined a homestay program, participated in many activities as a volunteer, such as being a supporter in an English camp, English session in an elementary school, and much more. In short, I could describe Nagoya University as a place where you can focus on your study while at the same time, you can also have fun.

6 months isn’t enough time to explore all parts of Japan. Nevertheless, I’m very honored and grateful for being able to study at the School of Law, Nagoya University, to experience Japanese life and most importantly, to be given opportunity to live my dreams. Last but not least, I would like to express my deepest gratitude to the Campus ASEAN Program, and the Japanese Government who granted me the JASSO Scholarship, and not to forget all of my new friends, especially my Japanese friends who have helped me throughout my life in Japan.



Enjoying with Japanese traditional dress ‘KIMONO’

Overview of the Graduate School of Law (Graduate programs)

Master's Programs

LL.M. (Comparative Law) Program in Law and Political Science

This program, which includes English-taught classes and Japanese-taught classes, aims to further the education of overseas legal professionals, policymakers, civil servants and legal educators. Coming mainly from Asian countries, graduates from this program are expected in the future to contribute their services to their home country. Successful students are granted the degree of Master of Laws (Comparative Law). (Refer to page 3.)

• English-taught classes

The English-taught LL.M. (Comparative Law) Program was launched in 1999. The program is two years in length. The curriculum requires both the completion of coursework and the preparation of a thesis.

• Japanese-taught classes

This program commenced in October of 2007, in cooperation with the Nagoya University Research and the Education Center for Japanese Law established in the four partner institutions in Asia. The program is two years in length, and the curriculum parallels that of the English-taught stream, requiring both the preparation of the completion of coursework and a thesis.

LL.M. (Modern Law) in Law and Politics (in Japanese)

Originally established for the further education of legal and corporate professionals, this Japanese-taught two-year degree program is open to overseas as well as home students.

LL.M. (Laws) for Academics – Researcher program

This Japanese-taught degree program comprises the first stage of study in the faculty's longest standing Doctoral program in Law and Political Science. The program is primarily aimed at those intending to pursue an academic career within Japan. A special entrance examination for non-Japanese students is administered, consisting of a written examination in Japanese, an English language test as appropriate to the applicant's field of study, and an oral examination in Japanese. The written examination covers the applicant's main intended area of study and more general knowledge of Japanese law, international public law, or political science, according to the applicant's study field.

Doctoral Programs

LL.D. (Comparative Law) Program in Law and Political Science

This program with English as the main medium of research and instruction is designed for overseas students from a variety of backgrounds in law and political science, who have completed a Master's program and have demonstrated ability in the academic and practical study of law or politics. The thesis, which is the core part of the degree of the Doctor of Laws (Comparative Law), should contribute to the resolution of theoretical and practical issues faced by legal and political systems that are shifting to a market-oriented model or on other related areas.

LL.D. (Modern Law) in Law and Politics

This program is primarily designed for those working as experts in the administrative, political, legal, or business world while studying toward the degree. Admission to this program is independent of and does not follow from the LL.M. (Modern Law) Program.

LL.D. (Laws) for Academics – Researcher program

This is the companion course to the LL.M. researcher program, suitable for applicants with native-level Japanese ability who intend to pursue academic careers with a strong continuing connection with Japan or relation to Japanese law. Upon successful completion of a Master's thesis and after passing the special entrance examination for non-Japanese students, an overseas student in this program may proceed to the final stage of study toward the LL.D. degree.

Leading Graduate School: Cross-Border Legal Institution Design – five-year-long curriculum in English combining master and doctorate

We have launched the Program for the Leading Graduate School* with the aim of producing leaders who can move freely around the world, can be active in the context of international transitions and changes in systems, such as in assistance projects, can design institutions for cross-border transplantation, can combine the skills involved in accurately analyzing social problems in a comparative manner and design systems, with communication and management skills so as to ensure cooperation with professionals from other sectors and cultures. The students will learn how to offer innovative yet highly practical solutions operating from flexible perspectives for understanding and comparing diverse societies. Students will also learn how to organize and manage teams of professionals from diverse cultures using effective communicative skills.

*The Program for Leading Graduate Schools is a project run by the Japanese MEXT's Japan Society for the Promotion of Science with the aim of creating graduate education programs and transcendent of specialist fields. It combines top level teachers from Japan and abroad, involving industry, academia, and government sectors, so as to train high-achieving students who can be active global leaders.



Mock Trial in the course of the "Japanese Judiciary Institutions" (Oct. 2015)

Nagoya University Law School (NULS): Program for Legal Practice (open in 2004)

The aim of the program is to educate and train future legal professionals of practicing lawyers, public prosecutors and judges in Japan. The completion of the program shall fulfill the requirements for sitting the new National Bar Examination. This program admits students from various backgrounds. The duration of the program is in principle three years, while one year will be waived for those who already possess a certain level of legal knowledge.

Student Enrollment at the Graduate School of Law

As of May 2015, there are 89 master's students and 50 doctoral students, along with 139 NULS law students. This includes 131 international students from countries such as, China, Korea, Taiwan, Cambodia, Laos, Myanmar, Mongolia, Thailand, Vietnam, Indonesia, Uzbekistan, Tajikistan, Turkey, Hungary, Poland, France and Madagascar.

Academic Calendar

The academic year runs from April 1 until March 31 of the following year. It is divided into the spring term starting in April 1 and ending in September 30, which is followed by the autumn term starting in October 1 and ending on March 31 of the following year.

In the case of the Comparative Law Program with its October admission, the academic year runs from October 1 to September 30 of the following year.

Outline of Master's Program

Degree Requirements for Masters

In order to acquire a masters degree, a student must enroll in one of the master's programs for at least two years, earn a minimum of thirty academic credits, write a master's thesis under the supervision of his/her main supervisor and pass an oral defense. Each graduate program has its own additional requirements in accordance with its specific objective for obtaining a degree*.

* The LL.M. (Comparative Law) Program requires students to take a minimum of 30 credits, including 10 credits from the compulsory subjects: Special Research I & II, Academic Writing I. Students may also take credits from intensive lectures and seminars given by visiting academics and professionals. Some courses offered by the Department of the International Cooperation Studies (DICOS) of the Graduate School of International Development (GSID) at Nagoya University are also counted towards credits necessary for fulfilling credit requirements. A maximum of 10 credits may be taken from courses offered by other graduate schools and undergraduate courses with approval from the Graduate School of Law Council.

Courses

Regular courses are conducted in lecture and seminar formats. In seminars, students are expected to prepare a topic and present their findings to colleagues and faculty. Grades



Japan: a never-ending discovery

Mr. Nikolay Bakalov

**1st Year of LL.M. (Comparative Law) program from Bulgaria
(the first from the left)**

My study in the Master Program at Nagoya University is probably one of the most interesting and fascinating experiences in my life. The international programs of the Graduate School of Law of Nagoya University offer a variety of interesting classes, designed to meet the needs of the international students. At the same time, many of the classes focus on the Japanese legal system and institutions, and provide knowledge that is virtually impossible to obtain outside Japan. In my opinion by learning about Japanese law, international students do not just come to understand another legal system; they start to look at the legal system of their own countries from another perspective.

However what I value most in Nagoya University is its friendly and academic atmosphere. The professors do not just teach law, they teach the students how to research, write and think as an academic. I would say that they represent the true meaning of the word sensei.

To come to Japan has been one of my dreams and now that it has become true I can say that Japan is even more beautiful and charming than I imagined. Living in Japan is not something you can easily describe with words, you have to experience it and once you do, you will never forget it. So, come to Nagoya to discover Japan.



With the Supreme Court Judge Ohashi Masaharu in Tokyo at study trip (Jan. 2016)



My family

Let's Build the Future Together

Ms. Dilfuza ABULKHASAN

2nd Year of LL.M. (Comparative Law, JDS) program from Uzbekistan

After participating in a short training program in Hiroshima in 2013, I had dreamt of bringing my family to Japan. As many mothers do, I wanted to share all the beauty of Japan's nature, the kindness of its people, and the unique culture of the country with my children. I was impressed by every sightseeing spot in Japan and told my friends over and over that someday I will come back to these places with my family.

Believe me, dreams come true, you just have to want it really strongly! After the long and tough examinations for the Japan Development Scholarship Program I was accepted to study in Japan. It came as a big surprise to me and my family!

Coming back to student life after 15 years since graduation was a real challenge for me, but friendly and supportive academic staff, along with resourceful and helpful library staff made things easier, and made my life as an academic more rewarding. I learn a lot from the highly intelligent professors at Nagoya University: with every lecture and seminar, and every study tour I gain deeper knowledge of the Japanese legal system. This knowledge and experience will contribute to the best practices in the future of my country.

Moreover, my Japanese friends helped me to show my kids most of Japan: we have visited historical sites, participated in cultural festivals, and experienced traditional holidays with host families. Life in Japan has definitely changed my children's outlook: they have become more independent, more mature, and most importantly more open-minded. They are now studying hard at schools here; they have a lot of Japanese and foreign friends; and certainly they are learning about different cultures in this friendly city of Nagoya. Every time we talk, all three of them share their future plans at length with me and their father. We are thankful for this opportunity. I am grateful for this chance of becoming a role model for my kids again. I value each moment of my life in Japan, as I know for sure that these moments give me and my family the lifetime memories. These memories will undoubtedly become a threshold for the better future of my family's and my country's next generation.



Enjoying skiing at Norikura (the third from the right)

are assessed mainly from presentations and in class discussions.

Note: Almost all courses outside of the LL.M. (Comparative Law) Program are conducted in Japanese.

Master's Thesis

Students select a topic of interest in an area of law or political science and then conduct research on an independent basis under the supervision of their main supervisor. From the beginning of a master's program, there are technical courses for developing research methods and writing skills. At the end of the first year, students are required to submit a thesis progress report. The submission deadline of the thesis is ordinarily the second year of December 25. Students in the October entry submit their master's thesis by June 25.

Internship

Our Faculty encourages an internship program which involves work-experience in the legal department of companies, legal offices, judicial offices, and international organizations. LL.M. (Modern Law) and NULS recognizes internships as a formal subject and allocates credits to it. For international students enrolled in the English-taught program, an internship program is offered as an option and involves research at the legal departments of the six enterprises affiliated to the Toyota Group Company, including Toyota Motor Corporation.

Outline of Doctoral Program

General Degree Requirements – Doctor of Laws, Doctor of Laws (Modern Law) and Doctor of Laws (Comparative Law)

A doctoral degree will be awarded to students who have enrolled in one of the doctoral programs at the Graduate School of Law, conducted research for three years or more under the supervision of an academic advisor, submitted an acceptable dissertation, and passed an oral defense. While there are no course requirements, a doctoral student may take courses and obtain credits.

Independent Research Under Mentor and Doctoral Dissertation

Students should conduct independently their doctoral research under the supervision of their advisors, in close coordination with the schedule for academic writing. In November of their first and the second year, they must make a mid-term presentation once a year. During the third year, before submission of the dissertation, a doctoral candidate must make a public oral presentation of the dissertation. The student is required to submit the final draft of the dissertation to the faculty preliminary examination committee at some stage, which is to be decided in conjunction with the main supervisor. Based on the judgment of the preliminary examination committee, the Graduate School of Law Council will make a final decision as to whether to award the doctoral degree.

Courses taught through English language Offered in the LL.M. (Comparative Law) Program 2016

Subject	Course title	Credit	Instructor (professors)	Targeted students / Term offered
Academic Writing I [Compulsory]	Legal research and writing I	2	Frank Bennett	M1 / Autumn term
Academic Writing II	Legal research and writing II	2	Frank Bennett	M1 / Spring term
Academic Writing III	Legal research and writing III	2	Frank Bennett	M1 / Autumn term
Professional Studies in Contemporary Legal Disciplines	Comparative Property Law	2	Frank Bennett	M1&M2 / Spring term
Comparative Studies in Jurisprudence I	The Law and its Personnel	2	Morigiwa Yasutomo	M1&M2 / Spring term
Comparative Studies in Jurisprudence II	Uses of the Public Sphere: good practice vs. corruption	2	Morigiwa Yasutomo	M1&M2 / Autumn term
Comparative Studies in Constitutional Law	Outline of Modern Constitution	2	Ohkohchi Minori	M1&M2 / Spring term
Comparative Studies in Administrative Law	Introduction to Administrative Law	2	Inaba Kazumasa	M1&M2 / Autumn term
Professional Studies in International Law	Introduction to International Law	2	Yamagata Hideo (GSID)	M1&M2 / Spring term
Professional Studies in International Human Rights Law I	Development and Issues on Law on International Human Rights - the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights	2	Maeda Naoko (Kyoto Women's University)	M1&M2 / intensive course
Professional Studies in International Human Rights Law II	Seminar on Human Rights and Refugee Law	2	Obata Kaoru	M1&M2 / Autumn term
Professional Studies in International Economic Law I	Studies in Law on WTO	2		M1&M2 / Spring term
Professional Studies in International Economic Law II	Problems of International Economic Law	2	Mizushima Tomonori	M1&M2 / Spring term
Special Lecture and Seminar (Studies in Comparative private law I)	Introduction to International Commercial Arbitration	2	Giorgio Fabio Colombo	M1&M2 / Spring term
Special Lecture and Seminar (Studies in Comparative private law II)	Case Study of International Commercial Arbitration	2	Giorgio Fabio Colombo	M1&M2 / Autumn term
Special Lecture and Seminar (Fundamental Studies in Comparative private law A)	Recent issues in International Commercial Law	2	Giorgio Fabio Colombo	M1&M2 / Spring term
Special Lecture and Seminar (Fundamental Studies in Comparative private law B)	International Commercial contracts	2	Giorgio Fabio Colombo	M1&M2 / Autumn term
Comparative Studies in Civil Law I	Contract Law	2	Kagayama Shigeru (Meiji-gakuin University)	M1&M2 / intensive course
Comparative Studies in Civil Law II	Comparative Considerations of Tort Law	2	Kagayama Shigeru (Meiji-gakuin University)	M1&M2 / intensive course
Comparative Studies in Criminal Law	Development of national criminal law under the influence of foreign and international law	2	Takayama Kanako (Kyoto University)	M1 / intensive course
Comparative Studies in Judicial System	Introduction to the Civil Justice System	2	Nakamura Yoshitaka (Meiji-gakuin University)	M1&M2 / intensive course
Comparative Studies in Business Law I	Corporate Law I	2	Ueda Junko (Kyusyu University)	M1&M2 / intensive course / Biennial opening of a course / Open for 2016
Comparative Studies in Business Law II	Corporate Law II	2		M1&M2 / intensive course / Biennial opening of a course / Not open for 2016
Comparative Studies in Politics I	Modernization of Japan	2	Masuda Tomoko	M1&M2 / Autumn term
Comparative Studies in Politics II	Japanese Diplomacy and International Politics	2	Miura Satoshi	M1&M2 / Spring term
Comparative Studies in Public Administration		2	Ushiro Fusao	M1&M2 / Autumn term
Comparative Studies in Political Thought	History of political theories	2		M1&M2 / Biennial opening of a course / Not open for 2016
Special Research I [Compulsory]	Tutorials	4	Each supervisor (main advisor)	M1 / One-year
Special Research II [Compulsory]	Tutorials	4	Each supervisor (main advisor)	M2 / One-year
Special Lecture and Seminar III (Business law and practices)	Corporate Legal Practices	1		Not open for 2016
Special Lecture and Seminar	Workshop on International Negotiation	2	Frank Bennett	M1&M2 / Autumn term
Special Lecture and Seminar	Japanese Judicial Institutions	2	Ogawa Akitsuyu, Hayakawa Hisashi, Oda Chiaki and Yamaguchi Keiji (Attorneys from Aichi Bar Association)	M1 / Autumn term
Special Lecture and Seminar	Structure of Japanese Law	2	Matsuo You	M1&M2 / Spring term
Special Lecture and Seminar	Japanese Law and Society	2	HARADA Ayako	Autumn term
Special Lecture and Seminar	Introduction to Private International Law	2		M1 / Autumn term / Not open for 2016
Special Lecture and Seminar	International Environmental Law	2	Takamura Yukari (Graduate School of Environmental Studies)	Spring term
Special Lecture and Seminar	Introduction to the Japanese Litigation	2	Honma Yasunori (Waseda University)	Intensive course
Special Lecture and Seminar	Peer Support Initiative (Comparative Law and Politics Seminars I)	2	Kato Tetsuri	Autumn term
Special Lecture and Seminar	Peer Support Initiative (Comparative Law and Politics Seminars II)	2	Kato Tetsuri	Spring term
Special Lecture and Seminar	Peer Support Initiative (Comparative Law and Politics Seminars III)	1	Kato Tetsuri	Intensive course / Spring term
Special Lecture and Seminar	Intellectual Property Law	2	Suzuki Masabumi	Spring term

Note:

Begins in April 1, 2016 and ends in March 31, 2017

* Spring Term (spring term): April 1 – September 30 / Autumn Term (autumn term): October 1 – March 31

* One course for two credits holds 15 classes (90 minutes each).

* One intensive course holds 15 classes (90 minutes per class) for 3–4 days.

* GSID indicates 'Graduate School of International Development' of Nagoya University

The LL.D. (Comparative Law) Program in Law and Political Science

This Program conducted mainly in English has its own specific objectives and hence its own particular features as given below.

Features of the LL.D. (Comparative Law) Program

- Critical Discussion Sessions (CDS): It is a basic principle of

study at the doctoral level that candidates must go beyond the precise delivery of their own conclusions, however correct, and develop the ability to appraise and benefit from the research of others. Doctoral candidates are expected to exercise these skills in CDS set up on a regular basis;

- Research Management Skills Training Program: Training in the essential processes of research management, development of an overall ability and skills to carry out a continuous



Making the Right decision to Study At GSL, Nagoya University

Mr. Adjepong Eric Kwarteng
1st Year of LL.M., Leading Graduate Program from Ghana

Moving to the Graduate school of law in Nagoya University was not an action guided by instinct or just a mere happening. It was a thoroughly planned activity. Prior to my decision to study at GSL Nagoya University, I was in my final year of my BA studies at the University of Tsukuba, where I got enormous help and support from the academic staff, administration and the entire university community. These experiences made me want to explore other famous and prestigious universities in Japan for my further legal education, which would be impossible to obtain in only the Japanese language because my ability was rather poor and I was not financially apt to try elsewhere in the so-called developed or English-speaking World.

However, after many deliberations on financial assistance, university location, the quality of legal education and Japanese language training, employability, peace and security, and of course studying with English as the medium of communication, I made my final decision to apply to Nagoya University.

Moving to Nagoya after spending three years in Tsukuba was not entirely easy, although it was not as tough it as when I first arrived in Japan and in Tsukuba.

Notwithstanding this, due to the generous support and tireless assistance from Mr. Yamamoto in the Leading Graduate School office, Prof. Okuda and Prof. Matsuura and the help from my Jehovah's Witnesses Friends and family here in Nagoya, I am more than happy to be in the best city in the world.

Currently, I am enjoying my academic life in Nagoya University due to its vibrantly flourishing city setting and serene environment coupled with the financial support from Nagoya University and the genuinely sincere and open-minded professors. I have no regrets about my decision to choose this place.



Leading Graduate Program - joint symposium (3, Nov. 2015)

informative research system through managing research projects from the planning stage to the evaluation stage. These skills must be learned thoroughly during the program, with a view to enhancing the research environment in the candidate's country of origin;

- Internship/Apprenticeship Program: This is aimed towards a more thorough understanding of the Japanese legal and political systems. Candidates will have an opportunity to experience Japanese private and public administration first-hand to acquire an active and realistic understanding of the system through internship arrangements.

Leading Graduate Program has its own unique curriculum

The Program has created a new five-year-long curriculum conducted through English combining masters and doctorate.

The master course involves classes, including core curriculum classes. About half of the intake of students (10 each year) will be overseas students. There are usually annual overseas internships or overseas training, which develop students' ability to cope in practical environments. Furthermore, students select one Asian language for study.

The doctorate course offers an opportunity to strengthen research and organizational abilities through invitations to teachers overseas in response to student areas of interest and "On-demand practicals" for research guidance, as well as through small-scale international research conferences. Furthermore, using the human network Nagoya University has built up in its connections with other Asian countries and support institutions, and through on-hand mentoring and constant communication with assistance projects, an environment is created where research and learning can occur.

Those who complete the course can expect to be active as specialists overseas in line with their research skills. It is also presumed that they will be active in the management sections of internationally expanding companies, in the operations of legal assistance, in the planning of international assistance organizations, and in overseas governments and international institutions.

This Program accepted its first students in October 2012 (Autumn entry). The top new students receive a monthly training subsidy. For details, visit the site of:

<http://www.law.nagoya-u.ac.jp/project/en/Leading/index.html>



Project Management (Oct. 2015)

Opening Up Internationally – the road to Asian Legal Networking

The University and the Graduate School of Law (GSL) have actively pursued partnering and academic exchange arrangements with overseas academic institutions. At the moment there are approximately 280 university exchange programs in Nagoya University. Beyond this, our Faculty has set up co-operative exchanges and relationships with 38 universities centering on Asia.

In 1991 GSL celebrated its 40th anniversary, and money raised by graduates of GSL and the local business community was used to establish an Asian Pacific Fund to promote projects relating to Asia-Pacific law and politics. These projects challenged our faculty to tackle the new project "Legal Assistance for Asian countries" in 1998. To create a foundation for this project, on 1 April, 2000, the Faculty of Law established the Center for Asian Legal Exchange (CALE). The building for the center was completed in March, 2001. This was made possible by generous donations by alumni and businesses in the Chubu area given in connection with the 50th anniversary of the founding of the school. The purpose of CALE is to promote international cooperation in projects and research on Asian law and politics, as well to serve as a nucleus for the gathering and distributing of information relating to Asian legal and political systems.

On 11 March 2016, the Nagoya University Center for Asian Legal Exchange (CALE) officially moved to its new home in the Asian Legal Exchange Plaza. Through its more than twenty years of work and activities in collaboration with the GSL in the area of legal assistance in Asia, CALE have earned a very good reputation as leaders in this field, an achievement which has been recognized by the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (MEXT). Thanks to the support of MEXT and donations from the private sector, CALE has been able to move its base of operations to a brand new purpose-built facility.

The design of the building was based on the Greek concept of Agora – which were central venues in ancient Greek cities that formed the center of athletic, artistic, spiritual and political life. Based on this concept, it is hoped that the Asian Legal Exchange Plaza will develop into a center of intellectual life for GSL's large numbers of international students, and steady stream of visiting academics from around the world.

The Plaza will be a home to our large multicultural family of graduate students who form the heart of our international legal and political science education activities. The Plaza is also equipped with world-class conference facilities and is able to host international symposiums and conferences with up to 200 guests. In addition, the Plaza has multiple rooms that are fitted out with the latest audio-visual and video conference equipment. These facilities provide GSL and CALE with the capability to function as an international educational hub for a range of legal assistance programs which at present include: the Comparative Law Programs, the Transnational Doctoral Programs for Leading Professionals in Asian Countries, the G30 Program, the Leading Graduate School Program and the Japanese Language and Law Program offered through CALE Centers for Japanese Law.

Students Exchange Agreements with Overseas Universities as of 2015

Country	Partner University
UK	† The University of Warwick (May 1985)
CHINA	† China University of Political Science and Law (Nov. 1994)
	† Fudan University (Jan. 25, 1999)
	† East China University of Politics and Law (Feb. 2001)
	† Hainan University Law School (Mar. 19, 2010)
	† Renmin University of China School of Law (2010)
VIETNAM	† Hanoi Law University (Dec. 1999)
	† Ho Chi Minh City University of Law (Feb. 2005)
	† Vietnam National University, Hanoi (Jan. 6, 2012)
CAMBODIA	† The Royal University of Law and Economics (conversion in 2003) (Jun. 2013)
MONGOLIA	† National University of Mongolia School of Law (Jul. 2006)
UZBEKISTAN	† Tashkent State University of Law (Jun. 6, 2006)
	† Samarkand State University Faculty of Law (Jul. 31, 2000)
	† University of World Economics and Diplomacy (Sep. 24, 2010)
TAIWAN	† National Taiwan University (Apr. 2007)
	† National Chengchi University (Apr. 2007)
	† Chung Cheng University (Aug. 2011)
LAOS	† National University of Laos (Apr. 9, 2001)
AUSTRIA	† Johannes Kepler University Linz, Faculty of Law (Apr. 15, 2002)
SWEDEN	† Faculty of Law, University of Lund (Jun. 10, 2003)
USA	† Wisconsin Law School (Dec. 1, 2003)
	† Green Mountain College (Dec. 2007)
GERMANY	† The University of Regensburg Faculty of Law (Mar. 2, 2004)
	† EBS Universität für Wirtschaft und Recht – EBS Law School (Expected Mar. 2014)
KOREA	† Seoul National University College of Law (Apr. 2005)
	† School of Social Sciences, Sung Kyun Kwan University (Oct. 23, 2005)
	† University of Seoul School of Law (Apr. 29, 2008)
KAZAKHSTAN	† Kazakh University of the Humanities and Law (Mar. 2004)
FRANCE	† L'Université Pantheon-Assas Paris II (Jul. 28, 2006)

† Tuition is exempted for exchange students from/to these universities and/or institutes.



Asian Legal Exchange Plaza (March 2016)

Students of the World Unite!

As we enter the 21st Century, people are becoming more conscious of their global connections. In the Graduate School and School of Law, we have currently 190 international students from 33 different countries (as of October 2015). Scholastic exchanges with overseas partner universities are an important element in the education of our students and the enhancement of our scholarships. The number of Japanese students of our School spending time studying abroad at the partner universities overseas has been increasing. Each year, overseas partner universities also send a number of short-term exchange students under the Nagoya University Program for Academic Exchange (NUPACE).



Study trip to National Diet in Tokyo (Jan. 2016)

Along with the individual-level study abroad program, our School is active in offering both inbound and outbound exchange students various study tours. Our one-week study tour to overseas partner institutions, which began in 2000 has taken law students to Mongolia, China, Vietnam, Uzbekistan, Cambodia, Austria, Taiwan, Laos, Ho Chi Minh City Vietnam, Paris France, Poland in 2008 and London & Essex in UK in 2010.

In 2001 the International University Exchange (IUE) Seminar was set up as a pioneering exchange activity in our university to bring outside exchange students to our School for two weeks. In that year 13 students from the Royal



A course of "Japanese Judiciary Institutions" (Jan. 2016)

Overseas students enrolled in Graduate School of Law & School of Law (as of Oct. 2015)

	Graduate Program (Academics)		Graduate Program (Modern Law)		Comparative Law Program (conducted mainly in English)								Undergraduate		Research Student		Campus Asia / Asean Program		Exchange Student	NUPACE Exchange Student	ECIS Japanese Trainees	Total
	Master	Doctor	Master	Doctor	April Entry		Oct Entry						Private	G30	Graduate	Under-graduate	Special Graduate Student	Special Research Undergraduate Student				
					Master	Doctor	Transnational Doctoral Programs	Master Leading	Doctor Leading	Master English	Master Japanese	Doctor										
China		1	8		1	1		2	1	4			1	1	3	16	2	3		4		48
Korea		1											4	2	1		1	4		1		14
Taiwan		2	1					1	1				1						1			7
Uzbekistan					1					5	1	8		2		1				1		20
Cambodia						1	2			9	4	4						1				21
Vietnam			1		1		1			6	6		1	1			2	1				20
Mongolia							1			1	9	2	1									14
Laos					1	1				1												3
Myanmar										4												4
USA														3								3
Argentina																1						1
UK														1								1
Italy																			1			1
India														1								1
Indonesia																		1				1
Ethiopia										1												1
Australia											1									2		3
Ghana								1														1
Canada														1								1
Singapore														1								1
Switzerland																				3		3
Sri Lanka								1														1
Slovak										1												1
Thailand								1	1	1					2					1		6
Germany				1																		1
Turkey								1														1
Hungary						1																1
Bangladesh															1							1
Brazil					1	1																2
France						1				1												2
Bulgaria					1																	1
Poland						1				1												2
Malaysia								1						1								2
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*From 33 Countries

University of Law and Economics (RULE), Cambodia, were invited to the IUE Seminar. The seminar's theme was "Understanding the Japanese Legal System & Its Role in Legal Assistance to Cambodia". In 2005, the second IUE Seminar sponsored by ACCU (the Asia/Pacific Cultural Centre for UNESCO) was held with 15 students from RULE Cambodia, the National University of Laos and Ho Chi Minh City University of Law, Vietnam. In the same year, nine students from RULE, Tashkent State Institute of Law, Uzbekistan and the Ho Chi Minh City University of Law, Vietnam were invited to the JASMIN IUE Seminar, sponsored by JASSO, the Mizuho International Association and Nagoya University. In 2007, our School organized the fourth IUE Seminar with financial support from the CALE Fund, inviting the students from the University of World Economy and Diplomacy, Uzbekistan, the Soochow University School of Law, Taiwan and the Royal University of Cambodia (RULE).

The IUE Seminar at our School has been continued and developed to be an official curriculum of both programs of the Global 30 International Social Sciences Program and the Campus Asia Program, in strong cooperation with the overseas partner institutions of Seoul University, Sungkyunkwan University in Korea, Renmin University of China, Tsinghua University and Shanghai Jiao Tong University in China, and Tamasaat University in Thailand. The IUE provides students of the Global 30 and the students from these partner universities with opportunities to discover and experience student life in Japan, to interact with students from other Asian countries, to brush up international sense and to create international networks with the study mates of IUE.

These students exchange programs result in the promotion of exchanges among students from partner universities and our law students.

As shown above, our School has become active in enhancing the level and intensity of international exchange. With the aim of taking advantage of these opportunities for cross-cultural exchange, the School of Law Volunteers (SOLV) was set up as a student association in 1999. SOLV is an outreach organization, helping international students adjust to life at Nagoya University and building up relationships between international students and Japanese students. SOLV activities range from hosting cross-cultural parties, holding study groups to learn more about the international students' home countries, offering assistance in coordinating School of Law International Student Exchange activities such as our annual ski trip.



Farewell party for international students organized by SOLV (Sep. 2015)



Ms. Srur Chhun Voleak (right) and Ms. Chea Seavmey from Cambodia

A message from a student

Ms. Srur Chhun Voleak

1st Year of LL.M. (Comparative Law, JDS) program from Cambodia

After being in Nagoya for four months, I am fully satisfied with the facilities that the Nagoya University offers. I have been provided a supervisor who will administer my master thesis and guide me academically all the time. On top of that the foreign student supervisor is very helpful and support-ive, someone to whom I can go to consult with for both private life and academic life issues. Meanwhile, there are various supports from the lecturers and the campus staff which have contributed much to making me feel comfortable. Interestingly, the campus has arranged a number of school trips from which we can acquire an abundance of knowledge and get to know more about the unique culture of Japan.

The course work was designed to give an opportunity to the students to participate, share their knowledge and experiences, and make new international friends. What's more, attending classes helps to ensure that each student will be confident in doing presentations and producing their master thesis in the last year of the program.

Besides the rich academic life here, I find that Nagoya is very safe place to be. The residents here are very kind and friendly. Even though we can't communicate well due to the language barrier, the local people manage to help us somehow, usually by giving us directions to certain places. Since restaurants, convenient stores and grocery stores are very approachable and accessible, I can say that I have a great time living in this city.



Wearing her national dress in welcome party (the third from the right, Nov. 2015)

The Book Stops Here!

– Library and computer facilities

Our Law Faculty Library

Our Law Faculty Library, which is located inside the Law School building, contains approximately 247,497 volumes, including some 102,430 in foreign languages. (An additional 940 Japanese issued periodicals and 100 foreign periodicals in the field of Law and Political Science are available at the Nagoya University Library.) The Law Faculty Library, along with other satellite collections within the University, is covered by the university-wide OPAC (Online Public Access Catalog) system and, for older books, the comprehensive card catalog housed in the Nagoya University Library.

University Network

Internet access is available to students of the University through a University-wide wireless network, which extends to student study carrels in the Graduate School of Law.

Elsewhere on campus, open-access terminals for limited use are available in the Law Faculty Library and the Nagoya University Library, and PC terminals are available in a Computer Room in the Graduate School of Law, where printing facilities are also available with the use of rechargeable copy cards that can be purchased on campus.

Lexis/Nexis Legal Database

The Graduate School of Law carries an institutional subscription to the Lexis/Nexis online legal database service, under which both undergraduate and postgraduate students may apply for access. No fee is charged to the student. Lexis training is provided in the first year through the required subject Academic Writing I.

Nagoya University Library

The Nagoya University Library (NUL) processes all library materials and maintains the unified catalog of all books in the university. It also offers circulation and reference services, including inter-library loans, photocopying, and computer-based information retrieval. In the Library building there are approximately 3,272,188 volumes of books, 2,254 journal titles and 30,880 electronic journal titles which are accessible via the internet from within the University's network domain. All library materials are accessible on open shelving except for special collections and microform materials. Circulation is managed by an ID card system and book detection system. For language education and other educational and research purposes, the Library has access to satellite TV channels, including CNN news, CCTVa, and KBSa. There are 1,000 reading desks in the open-stack area. A large group study space, seminar rooms, an information corner, and an audio-visual room are also provided.

The Library is open from 8:45 to 22:00, Monday through Friday, and from 8:45 to 17:00 on Saturday, Sunday and national holidays. The library is closed on certain days for stack maintenance. Admission to the facilities and borrowing are controlled through the ID card issued to students and members of academic staff. The Library website is the central access point for electronic materials, which are a particularly important resource for students working with non-Japanese materials. Refer to the NUL website: http://www.nul.nagoya-u.ac.jp/index_e.html



Nagoya University Library

Mi casa Su casa

– Information for international students

Educational Assistance & Extra Curricular Activities

Peer tutoring

All international students are eligible to receive tutoring by a Japanese graduate or undergraduate student in the Japanese language or in their field of study for a total of 90 hours, for the first year from the time of enrolment in our School. Home students who support an overseas classmate as a tutor receive a modest allowance from the University in recognition of their contribution. Information about tutoring arrangements will be made to supervising professors, who in turn should inform their supervisees.

Advising and Consultation Services

Academic Advisor

Every international student enrolled in the Graduate School of Law is assigned an academic advisor. The role of the academic advisor is to supervise the research and study of his or her students during tutorial meetings and to provide general academic guidance.

Consultation Services for International Students

The University provides counseling and guidance to help students deal with problems they may face. The University Students' Counseling Office offers advice on general matters. The International Student Advising Office (ISA) of Nagoya University gives international students advice on general matters related to study, research and daily life. On top of this, there are foreign student advisors attached to each faculty in the University, who provide support to international students on a daily basis in specific matters such as enrolment, study, and research at each faculty.

Extra Curricular Activities

There are various extracurricular exchange activities for international students at the Graduate School of Law. Every year, a field study trip is organized to give international students an opportunity to have better understanding of Japanese legal system, history, culture and natural beauty of Japan: a trip to the Hiroshima Atomic Memorial Museum, to the Tokyo Supreme Court and National Diet, the Nagasaki Atomic Memorial Museum, to the Chirun Peace Museum, which displays articles left by the "Kamikaze Suicide Squad" and some historical places in Kagoshima prefecture, to Okinawa, to learn about the horrific history in this region through a visit to the Okinawa Prefectural Peace Memorial Museum and to the religious place of "Koyasan" to know deeply Japanese history and culture.

The GSL International Students Exchange Ski Training Program has been held every year since 1999 in February to the north of Aichi Prefecture. It is very popular among our overseas students. Students can also freely use the sports facilities at the University. Information on the use of the indoor pool and tennis courts can be obtained from the University web-site (in Japanese only); [http:// www.htc.nagoya-u.ac.jp/](http://www.htc.nagoya-u.ac.jp/).



We can be "greedy" while studying here.

Mr. WANG Yaomin

2nd Year of LL.M. (Comparative Law) Program from China

After a few years of work, I gradually realize the necessity of further education. Luckily, the JDS program provides an opportunity for me to make up for long-lost learning time at the Graduate School of Law (GSL) of Nagoya University. The GSL of Nagoya University provides courses both in English and Japanese. The courses cover contents from legal philosophy to contemporary legal disciplines, from conceptual overviews to field visits, and from special instruction to multinational student discussion.

Apart from the courses, we are given the chance to acquire academic writing skills and enjoy the full support of our supervisors. We have guest speakers from all over the world annually, and we can freely join the ones that we are personally interested in. The Japanese courses and the tutor system are amazing. I have personally taken the courses and can tell from experience that even if you are starting Japanese studies from zero, you can pass N1 after one year.

In addition, visits to courts, the public prosecutor's office, the police office, law firms, and the prison gave us the chance for in-depth understanding of the sense of rules and regulations in Japanese society. Thanks to the field trips, we also learned about the importance of energy structure, steel recycling, and the precise management and control of logistics. Not only did we study, but also felt the gentle breeze at the Kurobe dam, enjoyed cuisine at the famous temple in Koya town, enjoyed a peaceful moment under the maple trees in Inuyama, and skied in Norikura.

As is said in the movie Roman Holiday: "you can either travel or read, but either your body or soul must be on the way". There are many programs to support your studies in Japan. While here, let's make great memories!



Lunch with staffs of KYOEI CO & Ltd at study trip. (Nov. 2016)

Language Studies

Japanese Language Studies

The Education Center for International Students of Nagoya University (ECIS) offers the following courses in Japanese language free of charge. (Refer to the ECIS website: <http://www.ecis.nagoya-u.ac.jp/en/japanese/gaiyo.html>)

1. University-Wide Japanese Language Program

University-Wide Japanese Language Programs are open to all international students, including non-degree students, researchers and faculty members of Nagoya University who want to learn Japanese.

Standard Courses in Japanese/Intensive courses in Japanese

The Standard Courses meet for five 90-minute sessions every week, and are offered at eight different levels. The Intensive Courses meet for ten 90-minute sessions every week, and are offered at four levels. Terms for these courses are 12 weeks long.

Online Japanese Courses

The course is for those who cannot attend classroom sessions due to time constraints. The materials are distributed on the net. Only those who have access to the campus network, and who can use Japanese on their terminals can



Study trip to Kochi Castle (Feb. 2016)



Study trip to Kochi prefecture (Feb. 2016)

enroll in this course. Details can be found on the ECIS website.

Kanji

Kanji classes are for those learners who are unsure about how to go about overcoming the kanji roadblock by themselves. Learners may enroll in 100, 300, or 1,000 kanji-level courses irrespective of their placement in Standard/Intensive Japanese courses.

Introductory Lectures in Japanese Studies

Introductory Lectures entail beginning level content courses. Issues in Japanese culture, international relations and linguistics are discussed in Japanese mostly in lecture format. The classes aim at developing Japanese proficiency in addition providing knowledge about Japan, its culture and language. These courses are conducted in Japanese. Students need to have the proficiency comparable to Level Two certificate (*Nihongo Noryoku Shiken*).

2. Special Japanese Program

The ECIS offers two other intensive Japanese training courses for students who hold a *Monbukagakusho* (MEXT) (embassysponsored and university-sponsored) scholarship. One course is the Training Course in the Japanese Language for MEXT Research Students and Teacher Training Students, which last for half a year. The other is the Training Course in Japanese Language and Culture for MEXT Japanese Studies Students, which lasts for twelve months. Further details on these courses are available from the ECIS.

Note: Spoken and written Japanese is the most common medium of expression in both academic studies and everyday life. Students are strongly encouraged to study Japanese both before and after coming to Japan.

Learning Other Foreign Languages

In addition to Japanese, the Graduate School of Language and Cultures offers courses in language studies; English, German, Korean, French, Indonesian, Russian, Chinese, Spanish, Greek, Latin, Esperanto, Italian, Ainu, and Portuguese. Students and foreign researchers affiliated with Nagoya University may enroll in these courses free of charge.

Financial Information

Tuition Costs

The fees for the academic session in 2015 are as follows (in Japanese Yen);

Entrance exam fee

Undergraduate	¥17,000
Postgraduate	¥30,000
Research Student	¥9,800

Registration fee

Undergraduate & Postgraduate	¥282,000
Research Student	¥84,600

Tuition fee

Undergraduate & Postgraduate (per year)	¥535,800
Research Student (six months)	¥178,200
	(monthly ¥29,700)



Summer party of the Aichi Bar Association (Aug. 2015)

Fee Exemptions

Independently financed undergraduate and graduate students with excellent academic records who are in need of financial assistance may be considered for a half or full exemption from tuition fees. However, applicants should note that such exemptions are granted only in exceptional circumstances.

Living Costs in Nagoya

Living in Nagoya is less expensive than in Tokyo, the capital city of Japan. Generally speaking, however, the cost of living in Japan is very high. The current basic cost of living is estimated at about ¥110,000 (Japanese yen) per month for the Nagoya area (excluding tuition and other school fees).

Scholarships

At present, government and semi-governmental organizations offer the following scholarship programs.

MEXT Scholarship

The Japanese Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science, and Technology (*Monbukagakusho*: MEXT) offers a scholarship to international students who wish to study in Japan. At Nagoya University, 411 students are now studying under the MEXT Scholarship Program and 50 under foreign government scholarship programs, while 1,618 students are self-supporting (as of May 1, 2015). Outside of Japan, information concerning the MEXT Scholarship Program may be obtained from any local Japanese Embassy/Consulate.

Short-term JASSO Exchange Program

A scholarship for studying at our University as an exchange student in the NUPACE (Nagoya University Program for Academic Exchange) is available from the Japan Student Services Organization (JASSO). The scholarship targets those students enrolled in universities which have concluded academic and students exchange agreements with Nagoya University. The scholarship may cover the costs of three to twelve months of study. Prospective applicants are advised to first make enquiries at their home institution concerning NUPACE and the availability of the JASSO scholarship and other sources of financial aid.



Miss

Ms. Saliitorn Thongmeensuk **1st Year of LL.D., Leading Graduate Program from Thailand**

I chose to study in Japan largely due to the fact that, when I studied in Australia, I met many Japanese students, some of whom I still kept in touch with.

My research found that Nagoya University offered one of the best international programs in law which would fit my needs and I feel that I have made the right choice.

I have enjoyed studying at Higashiyama campus very much as there are a lot of international students around. For this reason, it has always benefited me to get a different cultural experience, to develop the ability to thrive in unfamiliar circumstances, to be more open-minded and thoughtful, and to become more fluent in Japanese and English.

As for the academic life at Nagoya University, I found that the teaching staff have been very helpful and encouraging. I gained in-depth feedback on my research from my academic advisors and acquired continual support from the professors. What is more, I was also given the opportunity to visit some Japanese judicial institutions, including the Supreme Court, the National Diet, the Aichi Public Prosecutor Office, and the Aichi police headquarter. These unique experiences have given me an insight into how the Japanese judicial system works in practical terms.

I truly believe that my experience at Nagoya University, Japan, will be of a great benefit to my future career development in the international legal field.



Supporting "Japanese Judiciary Institutions" as TA.

Japanese Grant Aid for Human Resource Development Scholarship (JDS)

The JDS program offers a fully-funded scholarship to applicants from a number of target countries in Asia that are receiving development assistance from the Japanese Government. This program was first established under the initiative of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Government of Japan in the 1999-2000 fiscal year. Its objective is to promote human resource development in these countries by offering opportunities to prospective researchers, government officials, and other persons seen to have the potential to play leadership roles in their country's development. The scholarship covers the full costs of study toward a Master's degrees at a Japanese university.

Every year we accept around 10 students under the JDS program from targeted countries, which include Cambodia, Vietnam, Uzbekistan, Myanmar, and China. Currently 19 JDS students (as of October 2015) are enrolled in our Graduate School. Those who are interested in studying at our School under the JDS program are advised to contact a local branch office of the Japan International Cooperation Center (JICE), the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) or a Japanese embassy/consulate.

Financial Aid for Self-supporting Students

Approximately 50 private foundations offer limited financial assistance to international students currently enrolled in Nagoya University. However, applicants are advised not to rely upon securing such financial aid after arrival, due to the limited number of such grants and scholarships for international students. Nagoya University itself has no internal financial aid or scholarship funds available. International students must, therefore, plan to have sufficient funds to cover all expenses required for studying in Japan at least for their first year of study.



Visit to Osu commercial area (at Osu Kannon Temple) in NAGOYA (Oct. 2015)

Accommodation

New students from abroad are generally accommodated in one of the university international residences for a maximum period of half a year, after which they move on to other

accommodation as described below. However, despite our best endeavors to ensure all international students obtain comfortable accommodation, due to the limited number of places available in each housing category, students cannot be guaranteed their first choice of accommodation in every case. Applications for the other forms of accommodation given below (except for private housing) should be made through the International Affairs Division of the University administrative office.

University Residences

Nagoya University provides three dormitories for international students: the International Residence Higashiyama (on Higashiyama campus), the Foreign Students House (off campus), the International Ohmeikan House (off campus), International Residence Yamate and the International Residence Myoken just opened in October 2011 (10 minutes on foot to Higashiyama Campus). As the number of international students exceeds the capacity available so we can only provide a limited number of places, mostly to newcomers, for a maximum period of half a year.

(Refer to: <http://www.nagoya-u.ac.jp/en/academics/daily-life/housing>)

International Student Center

There is another dormitory called the International Student Center, which was established through the collaboration of the local governments of Nagoya City and Aichi Prefecture. Its goal is to accommodate overseas students studying at universities in Aichi Prefecture and to promote exchanges between these students and local residents.

Renting Private Housing

Generally in Nagoya, the monthly rent for an unfurnished, one bedroom apartment with kitchenette, toilet, and bath ranges between 40,000 yen and 60,000 yen for single room, depending on location, size and amenities. A security deposit and a key money payment, both of which are approximately two months' rent are also required at the time the contract is signed. Since the apartment's are usually not furnished, students have to purchase all household appliances and utensils themselves, such as refrigerator, heater, furniture, pots and pans, and cutlery. It should be noted that good quality and inexpensive accommodation is not easily obtained in Nagoya.

Public Housing

Public housing provided by Nagoya City is available for international students who wish to live with their families. The rent is reasonable and has enough space for whole families.

Company Housing

A limited amount of company housing for international students has been made available mostly for single students.

Medical Assistance & Personal Accident Insurance

Insurance Overview

International students who hold a “College Student” visa are required to join the “National Health Insurance (JNHI*)” scheme, under which medical treatment can be obtained at about 30% of the normal charge. Students of Nagoya University are also required to participate in the “Personal Accident Insurance Scheme for Students Pursuing Education and Research”. The premium for this scheme is 950 yen for a one-year policy and 1,700 yen for a two-year policy. The insurance covers physical injury or damage caused as a result of sudden and unexpected accidents while engaged in education or research at the university or by accidents that occur while commuting to one’s school or when in transit between school facilities.

* Japan National Health Insurance (JNHI)

JNHI is a national insurance scheme administered through each local government and funded by participants’ premiums, with subsidies from both the national and prefecture governments. Premiums vary, depending on such factors as the applicant’s annual income and number of dependents. International students, however, may apply for a reduction of the premium at the time of application by declaring that they have not received any income during the previous year. Generally speaking, the premium for international students is approximately 12,220 yen per year, depending upon the policies adopted by the local government where the insured resides. The JNHI policy covers around 70% of the cost of general medical and dental care and hospitalization.

On-campus Medical Assistance

The Health Administration Office on the Nagoya University campus provides first-contact medical services, such as health check-ups, psychiatric counseling, health advice, and first aid treatment for students, researchers and staff of the University. In cases that require further treatment, the office will recommend an appropriate hospital.

Part-Time Work

International students wishing work on a part-time basis are required to apply for permission to participate in activities which is not included in their visa status. Students working without this permit, and those who fail to follow the regulations pertaining to the permit, will be fined, and in some cases, deported. The maximum hours of work, where permission has been granted, are 28 hours per week for degree-seeking undergraduate and graduate students, and 14 hours per week for research students. (In case that research students pursue research on a particular topic under the supervision of their advisors, they will be permitted to work the same hours as degree-seeking students.) During official university long vacations, all students with permits may work a maximum of 8 hours per day.



Internship as an immersion in Japanese society

Mr. Rodrigo Fernando Oliveira Cabeca Neves
2nd Year of LL.M. (Comparative Law) Program from Brazil

Foreigners are usually amazed by the interesting peculiarities of Japan. This country offers a spectacle of beauty with its cheery blossoms in spring, fireworks during summer, maple trees in late autumn and snow (sometimes a lot of it) through out the winter months. Besides these characteristics, one cannot forget the diligent commuters with trimmed suits that complete the landscape. Those people represent the corporate world, which is an important part of Japanese society. Therefore, in order to understand Japan in a deeper way, foreigners should also comprehend the life of these tireless “salary men” and “office ladies.”

The internship program at Nagoya University in partnership with Toyota Industries Corporation was a good opportunity to grasp this aspect of Japan. During the challenging internship, I had the chance to see in practice the ideas of lean manufacturing and management culture, which seem to affect almost everything in this country. In addition, I could meet the people behind this system, the office and assembly line workers, and learn from their stories.

This experience in a typical Japanese company helped me not only to write my thesis, but also to think about my future career steps. Consequently, I highly recommend foreign students enrolled in the Graduate School of Law of Nagoya University to take part in projects such as this internship program in order to make the most of their stay in Japan.



Study trip to the KYOEI Steel CO&Ltd. (Nov. 2015)

Application & Admission for International Students

Graduate School of Law

Before You Apply

Since students will receive classes through the language required in each program and will write a master's thesis under the guidance of their supervisors, an adequate level of language and the ability to complete a master's thesis about a particular research topic within two years after enrolling in our Graduate School is required. It is necessary, therefore, in the recruitment process for the candidate to indicate a concrete research topic that they have in mind for writing their thesis. This concrete research topic should be indicated in the 'Research Plan' section of the application form. Candidates should write about the challenges of this topic, their own awareness of it, details about it, and the method to be used for progressing with the research.

As graduate-level instruction involves direct supervision by a member of academic staff, applications that demonstrate knowledge of the staff and programs of the Faculty will be favored over those that do not. To help with the specification of research topics, visit the Faculty page on the website of our School. Applicants should also pay particular attention to the supervision burdens of the Faculty in their intended area of study. Information in regard to this is available in the Faculty page of our website.

All applicants should be aware that admission to heavily subscribed areas is particularly competitive.

Master's Programs

To be eligible for admission to the graduate programs, applicants are required to satisfy the threshold qualifications* and pass an examination. Each program has its own application requirements and procedures.

* Those who wish to apply for admission to master's program must, in principle, have completed a 16-year curriculum of school education by March or October of the year of anticipated enrolment.

Doctoral Programs

Application to the doctoral program requires in most cases the completion of the master's program, submission of a master's thesis deemed by the Faculty to be of qualifying level and the successful completion of an oral examination. Japanese language proficiency is in most cases required for the doctoral programs. Applicants are reminded that completion of the master's program at our Graduate School does not constitute automatic admission to the doctoral program.

Conditions Applicable to Each Program

Each program has its own conditions for application. For details of specific conditions applicable to each graduate program, contact the Student Affairs Section of the Administrative Office of our School.

LL.M. (Comparative Law) Program in Law and Political Science

• English-taught program

This program, with English as the main language, is designed for international students, mainly from Asian countries. Entrants are accepted in April and in October*.

For the April entry, applications will be accepted both in September and in January.

Titled "Training the Next Generation of Top Asian Legalists: from Self-reliance to Networking", the Program of October entry has its own application procedure. (Visit the website of: <http://gsl-nagoya-u.net/admissions/llm-applications/>)

The selection of students will be made through document screening and an interview, all of which is conducted in English.

• Japanese-taught program (October Entry only)

In keeping with the goals set out in the establishment of the 'Legal Education through Japanese classes,' the targeted students will be those who have completed over 3 years study at one of the Nagoya University Research and Education Center for Japanese Law (See page 3.) and who have completed their university education in law and politics.

LL.D. (Comparative Law) Program in Law and Political Science

This program, mainly conducted in English, is designed for international students who have completed a master's program in the field of law and politics. This program accepts entrants in April and in October*.

For the April entry, applications will be accepted in January. The selection will be made through a master's thesis examination, documents screening and an interview.

* The October entry for the above programs for Comparative Law Programs have their own specific application process with a limited number of candidate places reserved for entrants receiving financing from the MEXT Scholarship. Applicants to these places are restricted to candidates from partner universities of our School that have a close relationship with us through the Legal Assistance Project.

Five-year Doctoral Program for Academics

• The first stage of a Doctoral Program

Applicants are selected by means of a written examination in Japanese, an English language test (depending on the applicant's major), and an oral examination in Japanese, which is held at the beginning of February. A written examination is conducted in the applicant's main area of study and, depending on the applicant's major, in the legal system of Japan, public law, or political science. Applications are accepted in early January.

• The second stage of a Doctoral Program

Students of the first stage of the doctoral program may proceed to its second (final) stage upon successful completion of their master's thesis written in Japanese and passing the special entrance examination for non-Japanese students, which includes an examination of a master's thesis, a foreign



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language test and an oral examination in Japanese.

LL.M. (Modern Law) Applied Program in Law and Politics

A special selection for non-Japanese applicants expecting to conduct studies in Japanese is available in this program. The special selection is made through document screening, a written examination and an interview, all in Japanese. Applications are accepted in September and in January.

LL.D. (Modern Law) Applied Program in Law and Politics for Professionals

This program is primarily designed for those who are currently working as experts in the administrative, political, legal, or business world and are able to complete the doctoral program while still employed. A special selection for foreign applicants is not available for this program.

Five-year Leading Graduate Program: Cross-Border Legal Institution Design

This program is inviting applicants who have an excellent command of English, have demonstrated academic excellence in law and/or political science in their home jurisdiction, have a strong interest in Asia, along with objective insights into diverse cultures and groups, an ability to develop sound research proposals and strong motivation to master an Asian language.

For details, visit the website of: <http://www.law.nagoya-u.ac.jp/project/en/Leading/index.html>

School of Law

General Program

To be eligible for the undergraduate programs, foreign applicants must satisfy the threshold qualifications and pass the entrance examination. A special entrance examination is available for self-supporting foreign applicants.

Those who wish to apply for admission to the undergraduate program must have completed or be expecting to complete a 12 year curriculum of school education by March of the year of anticipated enrolment.

Foreign applicants who plan to study at their own expense

must take the Examination for Japanese University Admission for International Students and the relevant undergraduate entrance examination held by the Nagoya University School of Law.

Information concerning application procedures and entrance examinations can be obtained from:

- Admission Division Student Affairs Department Nagoya University Furocho, Chikusa-ku, Nagoya 464-01, Japan
Tel: +81-52-789-2183

General information concerning the 'Examination for Japanese University Admission for International Students (EJU)' can be obtained from the Japanese Embassy or Consulate in the applicant's country or from the following website:

- The Information Center of the Japan Student Services Organization (JASSO) JASSO website: http://www2.jasso.go.jp/index_e.html

Online Application and Admissions System for G30 Program

Details of Admissions System for the Undergraduate International G30 Program at Nagoya University are available on the website of: http://admissions.g30.nagoya-u.ac.jp/en/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=991&Itemid=1302

Research Students

The university offers an irregular student status of "research student" (*kenkyu-sei*) who independently pursue the study of a specific subject in the School and the Graduate School of Law, outside of our degree programs. Students who wish to be associated with the School as research students may consult with the Student Affairs section of the School. In advance of applying, applicants must obtain the agreement of a faculty advisor in their field. The application form is downloadable from the GSL website: <http://gsl.nagoya-u.net/admission/>.

Research students are admitted two times each year, in April and in October, and the number of places is limited according to available space and the burden on our research facilities. Applications are accepted in three rounds, with deadlines falling on the last working day of June, on the latest working day on or before December 24, and on the last working day of February.

Note: This status is most commonly used as a preliminary step toward sitting a graduate entrance examination.



Norikura Ski trip (Dec. 2015)

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(Graduated schools and awarded degrees, field of specialty and research interest)
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Comparative Law (property, secured claims and related aspects of civil procedure)

Assoc. Prof. FURUKAWA Nobuhiko

LL.B., the University of Tokyo

***Criminal Law**

1. The Theory of Criminal Negligence

Assoc. Prof. Giorgio Fabio Colombo

J.D., University "Luigi Bocconi", Milan

Ph.D., University of Macerata

***Comparative Private Law**

Prof. HARADA Ayako

LL.D., Kyoto University

***Sociology of law**

1. Socio-legal analysis on the current system dealing with children and family issues
2. Comparative study of such system working in Japan and in the United States

Prof. HAYASHI Shuya

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***Competition Law**

1. Competition law and policy
2. Trade regulation law (electricity and telecommunication)

Prof. ICHIHASHI Katsuya

LL.M., Nagoya University

***Administrative Law**

1. Administrative remedy
2. Law on self-administration of local governments

Prof. ISHII Mitsuki

LL.M., Kyoto University

***Legal History (France)**

1. History of penal reform in eighteenth-century France
2. Law and society in the time of the French revolution
3. Institutions and royal ritual of the Old Regime

Prof. JIMBO Fumio

LL.M., Nagoya University

***Legal History (Japan)**

1. Tokugawa Law

Prof. KANEKO Yoshiaki

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***Civil Law**

Prof. KANG Dongkook

Doctor of Laws with the Honor of Highest from the University of Tokyo (Dr.), Graduate School of Seoul National University (M.A.), Seoul National University (B.A.)

***History of East Asian Political Thought**

1. Nationalism and Colonialism in East Asia
2. Conceptual History in East Asia

Assoc. Prof. KATO Tetsuri

LL.M., Kyoto University

***History of Political Thought (Western)**

1. Philosophical Hermeneutics as a Way to Dialogue between Civilizations
2. Tradition of Western Mysticism
3. Politics and Religion

Prof. KOKUBUN Noriko

LL.B., Universitaet Erlangen-Nuernberg

***Asian Law**

Prof. MARUYAMA Emiko

LL.B., Tohoku University

***Civil law, Law on Consumer**

1. Contract law
2. Consumer protection

Prof. MASUDA Tomoko

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***Political History (Japan)**

1. Constitutional Emperor system
2. Ultra nationalism in modern Japan

Assoc. Prof. MATSUDA Takafumi

LL.D., Kobe University

***Civil Law**

Assoc. Prof. MATSUNAKA Manabu

LL.M., Osaka University

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1. Rule making of takeover regulation
2. Law on equity finance
3. Regulation of control shareholders private benefit

Assoc. Prof. MATSUO You

LL.D., Kyoto University

***Jurisprudence**

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LL.D., Kyoto University

***International public law**

1. Jurisdictional Immunity of Foreign States
2. WTO law
3. International investment law

Prof. MIURA Satoshi

M.A., the University of Tokyo

***International Relations**

1. Global governance
2. International political economy

Assoc. Prof. MIYAKI Yasuhiro

LL.M., Doshisha University

***Criminal Procedure**

1. Undercover operations

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LL.D., Nagoya University

***Constitutional Law**

1. Constitutional law in Japan and Germany
2. Law on political parties and constitution
3. Constitutional theory about democracy
4. Constitutional analysis of 'public sphere'

Prof. MURAKAMI Masako

LL.D., Hitotsubashi University

***Civil Procedure**

Prof. NAKAHIGASHI Masafumi

LL.D., Nagoya University

***Corporate Law**

1. Mergers and Acquisitions
2. History of Corporate Law
3. Corporate Law and Securities Regulation in Canada

Prof. NAKANO Taeko

LL.B., the University of Tokyo

***Social Services Law**

1. Sick insurance
2. Social welfare
3. Social Security in Sweden

Assoc. Prof. Nishii Shiori

Degrees: Ph.D., LL.M. & LL.B., the University of Tokyo

***Intellectual Law**

1. Patent Law

Prof. OBATA Kaoru

LL.M., Kyoto University

***International public Law, International Law of Human Rights**

1. Diplomatic protection, state responsibility, status of foreigners
2. European convention of human rights
3. United Nations and human rights

Prof. OHKOHCHI Minori

LL.D., Nagoya University

***Constitutional Law**

1. Constitutional interpretive methodology
2. Constitutional theory in U.S.
3. Judicial review system

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LL.M., Kanazawa University

***International Politics**

1. Contemporary Balkan History

Prof. SAITO Akiko

LL.M., Kyoto University

***Criminal law**

1. Criminal Law
2. Omission
3. Complicity

Prof. SAKAI Hajime

LL.M., Osaka University

***Civil Procedure**

1. International litis abili
2. Provisional Measures
3. Cause of action

Assoc. Prof. SATO Fumito

LL.M., Waseda University

*** Russian Law**

1. Representation System in Russia
2. Russian Judicial System

Prof. TAKEDA Hiroko

LL.M., Rikkyo University

Ph.D., School of East Asian Studies, University of Sheffield

***Theory of Political process**

Prof. TAMURA Tetsuki

LL.D., Nagoya University

***Political Science**

1. Contemporary democratic theory
2. Welfare regime and basic income
3. Gender in policies and political science

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***Comparative law (China)**

1. Private law in China
2. Judicial reform in China

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***Political Science, Public Administration**

1. Nonprofit sector and reorganization of the welfare system
2. New public management
3. Institutional reforms and political realignment in Japan and Italy

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LL.M., the University of Tokyo

***Labor Law**

1. Labor law and civil rights
2. Employment contract theory
3. German labor law

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***Civil Procedure law**

1. Effects of judgment
2. Arbitration
3. Fundamental theory of civil procedure

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***Conflict of Laws**

1. Structure of conflict of laws
2. International aspects of intellectual property
3. International judicial jurisdiction

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LL.M., Kyoto University

***Civil Law**

1. Contract Law

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***Constitutional Law**

1. History of Constitutionalism in UK
2. Constitutional theories

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***Practical Legal Education**

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***Commercial Law**

1. Payment Law
2. Banking Law

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***Administrative Law**

1. Reformation of administrative law in the age of Deregulation
2. Legal limitation on privatization
3. Broadcast law in the US and Japan

Prof. KAMINO Kenji

LL.M., Nagoya University

***Administrative Law**

1. Public values in public law
2. Administrative legal theory
3. Administrative procedure act and administrative guidance

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LL.M., Kyoto University

***Commercial Law**

1. Commercial Law
2. Financial Law

Prof. KOJIMA Jyun

LL.M., Waseda University

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1. Double jeopardy

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***Civil Law**

1. Contract Theory of Consumer

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***Environmental Law, Administrative Law**

1. Environmental Risk Management in Legal System
2. Precautionary Principle in Environmental Law
3. State Redress Law

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***Intellectual Property Law**

1. Law and policy concerning intellectual property
2. International intellectual property system

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***Tax Law**

1. Taxation on business organizations
2. Partnership taxation in Japan and U.S.

<Lectures from court, public prosecutor's office, and lawyer's association>

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***Attorney at Law**

Prof. YASUDA Daijiro***Judge**

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***Public Prosecutor**

<Coordinator for Legal Assistance>

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***Law and Development**

1. Legal relationship between the WTO and regional integration
2. Legal reform and international cooperation in Cambodia
3. Transitional justice

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***Political Science**

1. Comparative/international politics
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- ③ Administration Bureau Building 3
- ④ Administration Bureau Building 4
- ⑤ Annex to the Administration Bureau Buildings
Nagoya University Archives
Office of Gender Equality
- ⑥ Toyoda Auditorium Symposium
- ⑦ University Library
- ⑧ Staff Hall
- ⑨ Green Salon Higashiyama
- ⑩ Information Plaza
- ⑪ School of Letters / Graduate School of Letters
- ⑫ School of Education / Graduate School of Education and Human Development
Center for Developmental Clinical Psychology and Psychiatry
- ⑬ School of Law / Graduate School of Law
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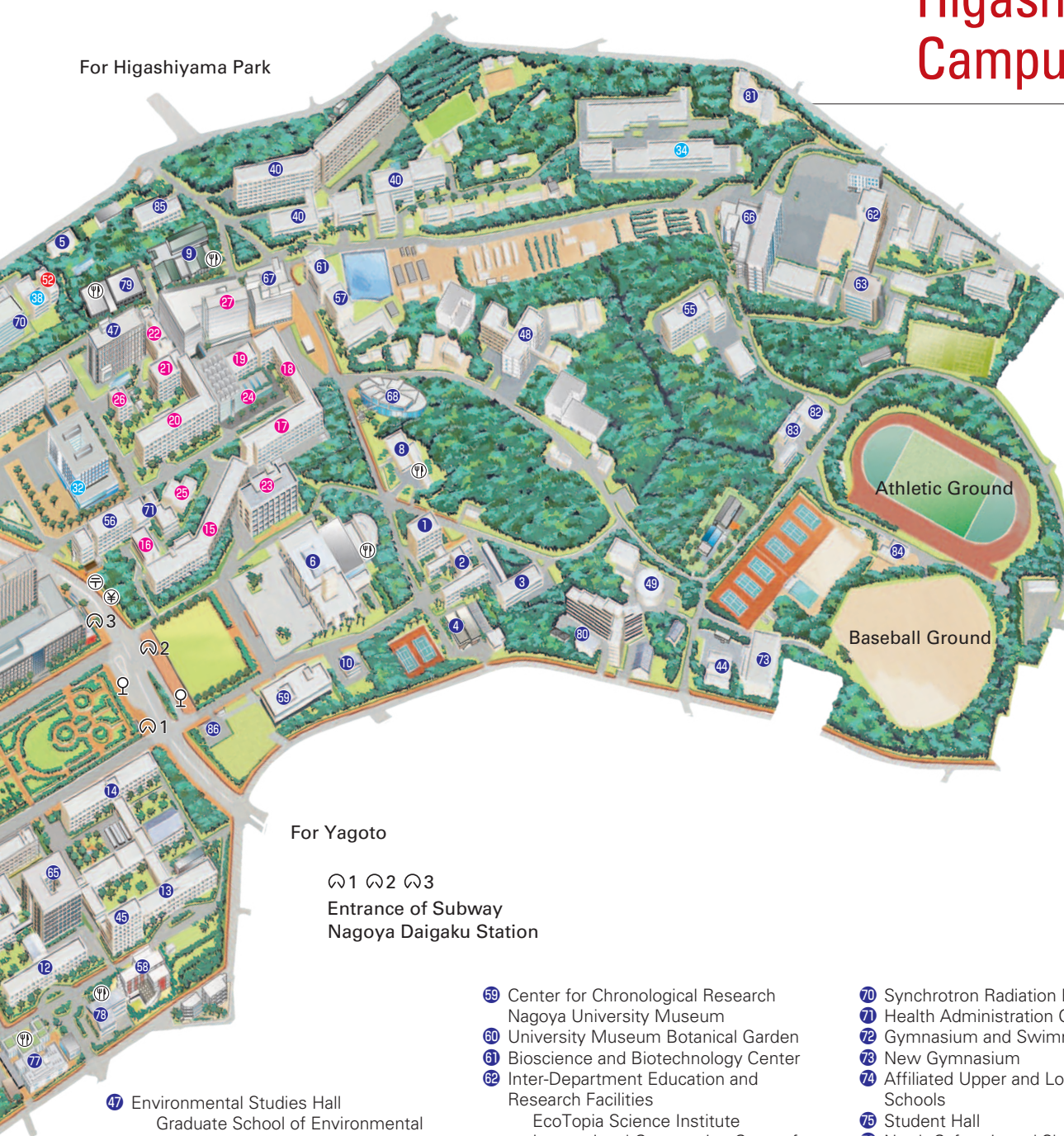
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Center for Gene Research
- ㉒ Building G
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- ㉔ Laboratory of High Voltage Electronmicroscopy
- ㉕ Facilities for Low Temperature Research
- ㉖ Ultra High Pressure Laboratory
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For Higashiyama Park



For Yagoto

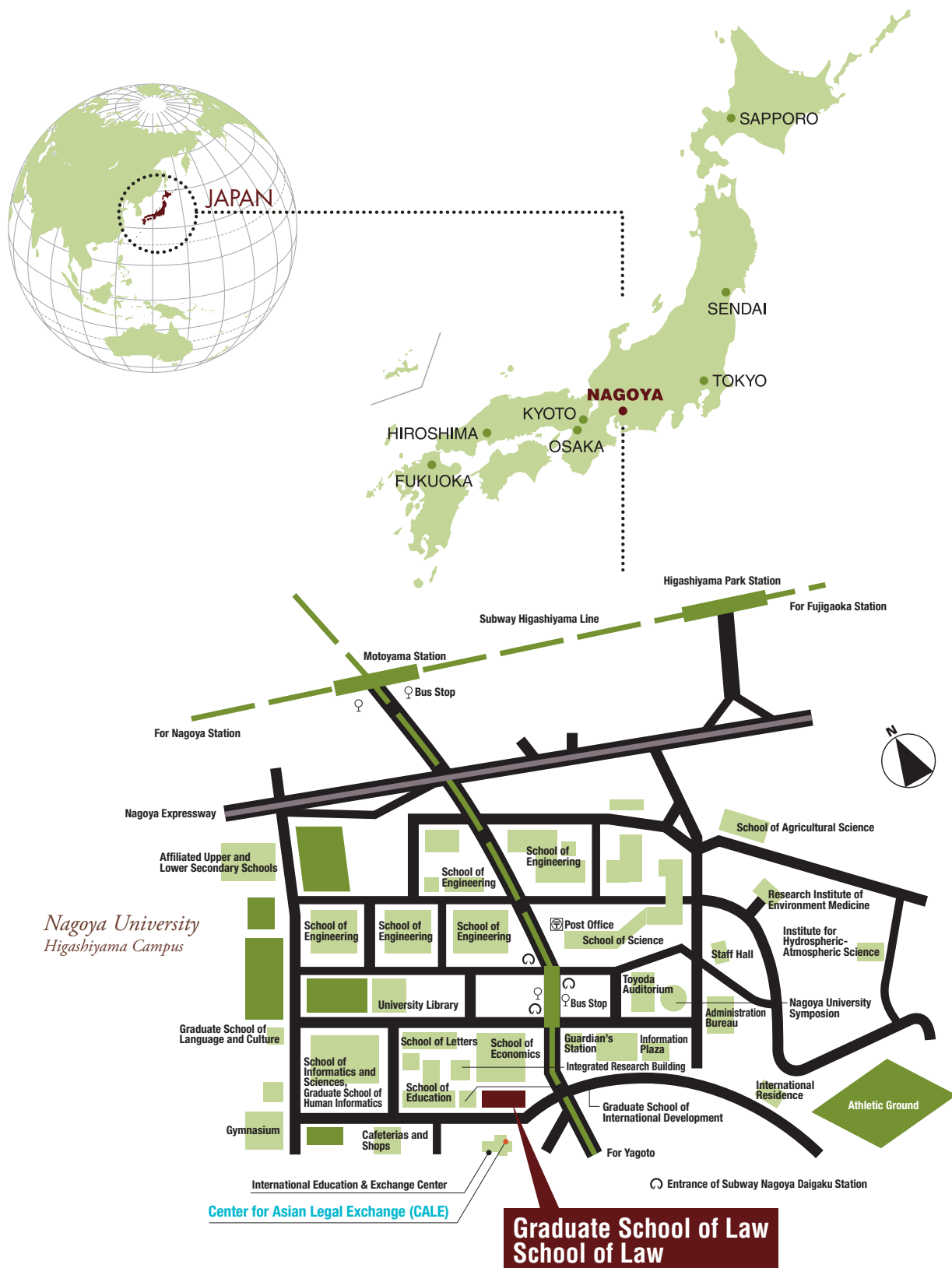
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Akasaki Research Center
Headquarters for Industry, Academia and Government Cooperation

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