

TOKIO MARINE KAGAMI MEMORIAL FOUNDATION
Scholarship for ASEAN International Students in Japan

Tokio Marine Kagami Memorial Foundation was established in 1939 on the basis of a bequest of Kenkichi Kagami, former chairman of Tokio Marine and Fire Insurance Co., Ltd., in order to promote the development of human resources to contribute to our society widely and to promote of academic research.

From the perspective of promoting international exchange of human resources and academics between Japan and ASEAN countries, as well as promoting friendship and goodwill, the Foundation will recruit ASEAN International scholarship students as follows;

1. Eligibility for application (all of the following conditions must be met)
 - (1) Privately financed international students with nationalities from ASEAN countries, including Brunei, Cambodia, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Myanmar, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand and Vietnam
 - (2) Those who are officially enrolled (or will be enrolled) in the graduate school master's or doctoral program of a Japanese university designated by the foundation for the purpose of obtaining a degree, and will continue their studies at the enrolled university throughout the designated period. There is no designated field of study.
 - (3) Good health condition and excellent academic performance.
 - (4) Those who have not received other scholarships and must not be receiving any other scholarships, except "The Monbukagakusho Honors Scholarship for Privately-Financed International Scholarship for Privately-Financed International Students" and "Awards for Outstanding Grades at Designated Universities".
 - (5) Those who are interested in international exchange and are willing to actively participate in Foundation events and exchanges (including SNS) between scholarship students.
 - (6) Age Limit as of April 1, 2021; 30 or under for Master's Program Students, 35 or under for Doctorial Program Students

2. Designated 14 Schools in Japan

University of Tokyo, Tokyo Institute of Technology, Hitotsubashi University, Tsukuba University, Tokyo University of Foreign Studies, Waseda University, Keio University, Sophia University, Kyoto University, Tohoku University, Osaka University, Nagoya University, Hokkaido University and Kyushu University.

Number of New Grantees is 5 for each year.

3. Contents and Duration

(1) Monthly Stipend

¥180,000 (no repayment required)

(2) Duration

Minimum years required for graduation/completion. However, if the desired degree is obtained without waiting for the final period, it will be until the time of acquisition.

(3) Payment

At the beginning of each month, the scholarship will be transferred to your bank account (Transfers to other person's accounts are not allowed). You are supposed to meet with Foundation personnel, at the Foundation office or on-line, once in a month.

4. Submit the application

Fill out the application forms provided by the foundation ("Scholarship application", "Self-assessment form", "A curriculum vitae", "Personal statement") along with other required documents as below and submit them via your host university to the foundation. Documents to be submitted will not be returned and we cannot answer inquiries regarding the screening results.

(1) "Student registration certificate" (If you are planning to enter the university, "Copy of the admission letter" or "Pass notification of the university")

(2) "A transcript" (Transcript of the undergraduate school of your university if you are going on to a master's course, or a transcript of a master's course if you are going on to a doctoral course)

(3) "A recommendation from your academic supervisor"

(4) "A health certificate"

(5) "A copy of your passport"

5. Where to submit application documents

Each designated university international student section

6. Application period

February 1, 2021 (Monday) -April 9, 2021 (Friday) (must arrive at the Foundation))

7. Selection / result notification / welcome ceremony

First selection (Screening of application documents)

April 21 (Wednesday): Notification of primary selection results by email

Second selection (Interview, only those who passed the first selection)

April 27 (Tuesday): Interview at Tokyo or online by ZOOM

April 28 (Wednesday): Notification of secondary selection results by email

Final results

May 20th (Thursday): Final results will be notified by both email and post
Welcome ceremony

May 31st (Monday) 12: 00-16: 00 including social gathering at Tokyo

Details such as the interview time will be contacted later.

Recruited scholarship students must attend the welcome ceremony (for students outside the Tokyo metropolitan area, the round-trip Shinkansen ticket or airline ticket for both the interview and the welcome ceremony will be borne by the Foundation. Depending on the spread of the COVID-19, it may be carried out online.)

8. Suspension, cancellation, or abolition of scholarships

If the scholarship student is unlikely to succeed due to illness or other reasons, if his / her academic performance or behavior is poor, if he / she loses his / her academic record at the host university, or if he / she loses the application qualifications listed in 1 above, the scholarship payment will be suspended, cancelled or abolished. When the scholarship students of this foundation get married, the salary of one of them will be abolished.

9. Other

Matters not stated in this application guideline shall be as stipulated in the regulations of the Foundation.

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