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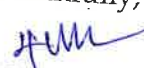
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Application Deadlines by Program and Funding Source 2018-2019
For applicants who are residing in countries other than Japan
(as of August 2017)

Apply directly to GRIPS (Online)				
Program	Notification	Application Deadline		
		Online Entry	Online Application & Supporting Documents	
Master's	MP1, MP2, MEP	Early	November 2, 2017, 17:00 (JST)	November 10, 2017, 17:00 (JST)
		Regular	May 7, 2018, 17:00 (JST)	May 14, 2018, 17:00 (JST)
	PF	Early	February 9, 2018, 17:00 (JST)	February 16, 2018, 17:00 (JST)
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Ph.D.	G-cube, PA, PP, SISP, SBED, STI	Regular only	November 2, 2017, 17:00 (JST)	November 10, 2017, 17:00 (JST)

Early notification option for externally funded and self-financed applicants (MP1, MP2, MEP and PF)

If you wish to receive an early notification, please submit your application along with all supporting documents by the deadline of Early Notification option. Applying by the early deadline guarantees early screening and notification of admission decision.

For scholarship-seeking applicants				
Program	Scholarship	Application Deadline		
		Online Entry	Online Application & Supporting Documents	
Master's	MP1, MP2	MEXT, ADB	November 2, 2017, 17:00 (JST)	November 10, 2017, 17:00 (JST)
	PF	WB (Tax), WCO (Customs)	February 9, 2018, 17:00 (JST)	February 16, 2018, 17:00 (JST)
Ph.D.	G-cube	G-cube Fellowship	November 2, 2017, 17:00 (JST)	November 10, 2017, 17:00 (JST)
	PA, PP, SISP, SBED, STI	MEXT, GRIPS Fellowship		

Apply directly to GRIPS (Paper-based)			
Program	Application Deadline		
Master's	DMP (Water-related)	(tbd)	
Ph.D.	DM	March 2, 2018	
	JLCD	November 30, 2017	

For scholarship-seeking applicants			
Program	Scholarship	Application Deadline	
Master's	EPP	Indonesian Government	February 28, 2018
Ph.D.	DM	ICHARM Research Assistantship	March 2, 2018

Apply through a sponsoring organization				
For scholarship-seeking applicants only				
Program	Scholarship	Contact Organization	Application Deadline	
Master's	YLP	YLP-MEXT	Japanese Embassy	Varies
	MEP	IMF	IMF	December 1, 2017
	DMP (Seismology, Earthquake Engineering, Tsunami)	JICA/BRI	JICA or Japanese Embassy	Varies
	DMP (Water-related)	JICA/PWRI		
	MSP	JICA	JICA or Japanese Embassy	Varies
	JLC	Japan Foundation	Japan Foundation or Japanese Embassy	December 1, 2017
Ph.D.	DM	JICA AUN/SEED-Net	AUN/SEED-Net	September 30, 2017

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From: GRIPS Alumni Office <alumni@grips.ac.jp>
Sent: Saturday, September 09, 2017 8:58 AM
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Subject: Call for Applications for PhD program (2018) at GRIPS

Dear GRIPS alumni members,

This year, we are celebrating the 20th anniversary of GRIPS and the 40th anniversary of its predecessor, GSPS, as you already know. We are also delighted to announce that the **GRIPS Global Governance (G-cube) program** is marking its 3rd anniversary, and that GRIPS is going to grant this program's first PhD at the Graduation Ceremony this month.

The G-cube program is a PhD program providing a unique combination of leadership training and PhD training with a view to cultivating the capacity to lead leaders. Although John F. Kennedy said, "Leadership and learning are indispensable to each other," PhD programs like G-cube are very few in number in the world. As the application deadline for admission in October 2018 is approaching, **I would like to urge you to recommend yourself or promising friends and acquaintances of yours to this program.**

The G-cube program has two courses now: one for those applicants who hold a bachelor's degree but not a master's degree, and the other for only those who already hold a master's degree. The latter course exempts some of the requirements for the former.

We are also pleased to announce that the G-cube program is starting a new collaboration with JICA to strengthen the program's financial basis and networking. Those applicants who already hold a master's degree are eligible for application to a new kind of JICA scholarship as well as G-cube fellowship. Those without a master's degree are eligible for application to G-cube fellowship.

For further details of the G-cube program, please check its website (<http://www.grips.ac.jp/g-cube/en/>). It contains information on the curriculum, financial supports, admissions, and the current students' backgrounds and their research interests.

Sincerely,

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