

JDS|2019

The Project for Human Resource
Development Scholarship
by Japanese Grant Aid

2 Year Master Degree Scholarship at Top Japanese Universities

Application Closing Date: **18th October, 2019**

Eligibility: Please refer to the website for more details

- To be citizens of Sri Lanka
- Below the age of 40 as of 1st April 2020
- To be Bachelor's degree holders
- "Executives/ Senior Executives", who are mentioned in the Public Administration Circular No.06/2006, Annexure II, Page 2, IV Senior Level, and Page 5, 3.10 & 3.11
- Semi government staffs (BOI, NBRO,CEA, NWSDB, WMA) can apply to the Universities under limited components

Study Component:

- 1-1 Public Policy and Public Finance
- 1-2 Economics including Development Economics
- 1-3 Business Management
- 1-4 Environment Management/
Disaster Management and Climate Change

Promotion Seminars

29th Aug 10:30-12:30	Galle	Auditorium, Divisional Secretariat , Four Gravets, Galle
30th Aug 10:30-12:30	Trincomalee	Management Development Training Unit, Farm Road, Uppuveli, Trincomalee
2nd Sep 10:30-12:00	Jaffna	Northern Provincial Council Conference Hall, Public Library, Jaffna
3rd Sep 10:30-12:30	Kandy	Auditorium, Passenger Transport Service Authority, Pallekkele, Kundasale (Near to the New Central Provincial Council Complex)
5th Sep 10:00-12:00	Rathnapura	Auditorium, Sabaragamuwa Provincial Council Complex, Rathnapura
6th Sep 10:00-12:00	Badulla	Auditorium, Uva Provincial Council Complex, Badulla
9th Sep 10:00-12:00	Kurunegala	Conference Room Deputy Chief Secretary's (Engineering) Office , North Western Provincial Council Complex, Kurunegala
10th Sep 10:00-12:00	Anuradhapura	Auditorium, Provincial Council Administrative Building Complex, Dharmapala Mawatha, Anuradhapura
12th Sep 14:00-16:00	Colombo	Auditorium, Sri Lanka Institute of Tourism & Hotel Management, No. 78 Galle Road, Colombo 03

Doctoral Degree Course is also available!!

Please contact JICE JDS office for more information!

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What is the JDS

The **Project for Human Resource Development Scholarship by Japanese Grant Aid (JDS)** was established by the Government of Sri Lanka with the assistance of the Government of Japan in 2010. The objective of JDS is to support human resources development of Sri Lanka, **targeting young government officials**, who are expected to be leaders of the country, and to engage in formulating and implementing social and economic development policies after their return. JDS Fellows shall contribute to an expanded and enhanced foundation for bilateral relations with Japan as persons having well-rounded knowledge of Japan.

Fields of Study

The framework of the JDS project consists of "**Sub-Program**" and "**Component**", which correspond to and deal with the selected target priority areas and development issues of Sri Lanka. JDS Fellows are selected from "**Target Organizations**" whose mission is closely related to "sub-program" and "component". Accepting Japanese Universities offer educational programs correspond to the needs. The degree to be obtained is **master's degree**. The medium of instruction is **English**.

Allowances for JDS Applicants

All the selection costs will be covered by JDS Project, including Fee for IELTS Test and health check-up

Scholarship Benefits for JDS Fellows

JDS is a FULL scholarship program, including:

- (1) One round trip airfare
- (2) Monthly living allowance
- (3) Full tuition fees at Japanese accepting Universities
- (4) Other designated allowances (Buying books, Shipping, Travel and seminar attendance, Overseas travel insurance, etc.)

Promotion Seminars (Scheduled to be held)

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Doctoral Degree Course

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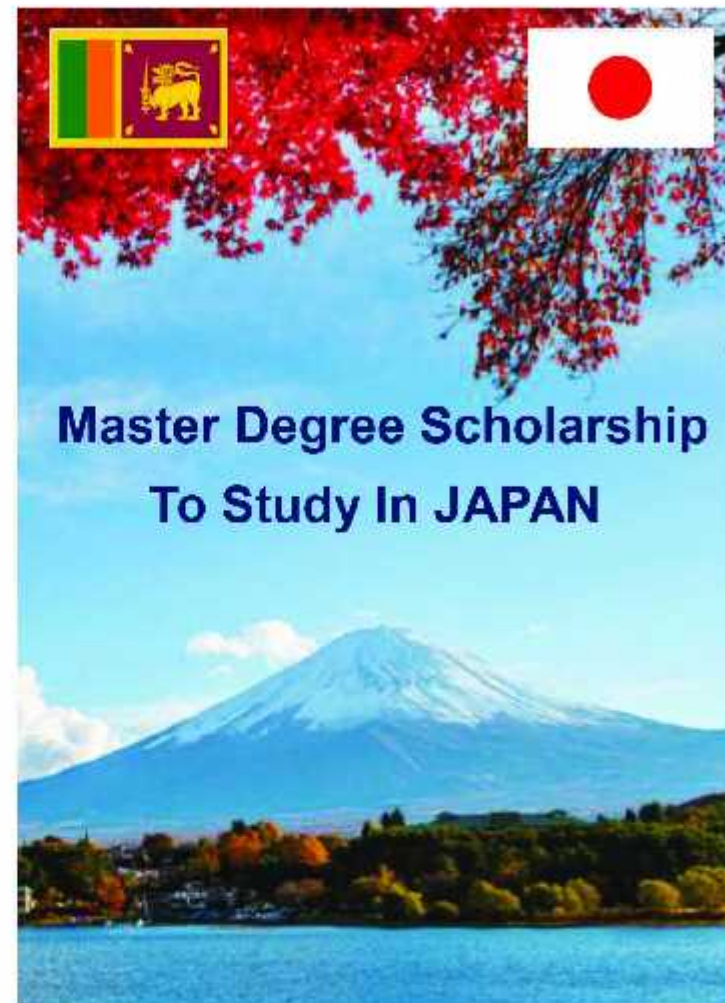
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The People Of Japan



Tentative Schedule of Selection Procedure

August to September 2019
Promotion Seminars



18th October, 2019
Submission of Application Documents to ERD



October 21st - 8th November, 2019
IELTS online Registration



November 16th, 2019
English (IELTS) & Mathematics Examination



December 2019
First Selection: Document screening by the Japanese Universities



January 2020
Medical check-up



March, 2020
Second Selection: Technical Interview by faculty members of the Japanese Universities



March 2020
Final Selection: Comprehensive Interview by Operating Committee Members



Middle of August 2020
Departure for Japan



September to October 2020
Entrance to Japanese University

Application guidelines / documents and university information can be downloaded at the following website:

<http://jds-scholarship.org/country/srilanka/index.html>

Sub-Program (Target Priority Area)	Component (Development Issues)	Accepting University Graduate School	Slots
Human Resource Development for Promotion of Economic Growth	1-1 Public Policy and Public Finance	Meiji University GS of Governance Studies	2
		International University of Japan GS of International Relations	2
	1-2 Economics including Development Economics	Hiroshima University GS for International Development and Cooperation	2
		International Christian University GS of Arts and Sciences	2
	1-3 Business Management	International University of Japan GS of International Management	3
		University of Tsukuba GS of Life and Environmental Sciences	2
	1-4 Environment Management/ Disaster Management and Climate Change	The University of Tokyo School of Engineering	2

Qualifications for Applicants

- (1) Citizen of Sri Lanka
- (2) Below the age of 40 as of 1st April in the year of dispatch (in principle)
- (3) - Completed the undergraduate level (bachelor degree) of education
- Has a good command of both written and spoken English at graduate level
- (4) Completed the probation period and eligible for confirmation
- (5) "Executives/ Senior Executives" mentioned in the Public Administration Circular No.06/2006, Annexure II, Page 2, IV Senior Level, and Page 5, 3.10 & 3.11
 - Officials who belong to Board of Investment (BOI) can apply to only CP 1-3 "Business Management"
 - Officials who belong to National Building Research Organization (NBRO), Central Environmental Authority (CEA), National Water Supply and Drainage Board (NWSDB), Waste Management Authority (WMA) can apply to only CP 1-4 "Environment Management/ Disaster Management and Climate Change"
 - * Study topics that are highly relevant to applicants' career development & beneficial to their organization, their Service Category and development policy of the government will be given high priority
- (6) A person of sound mind and body

Note: Applicants need to take and pass all medical check-up prior to the Technical Interview. This medical check-up is arranged by JDS Project Office. Applicant who cannot take or pass all medical check-up will be disqualified from JDS scholarship.
- (7) Applicants are expected to have special interest in studying in Japan as well as motivation to utilize their experience and human network developed through JDS in their career
- (8) A person falls under any of the following items is not eligible to apply:
 - Military personnel registered on the active list or person on alternative military service
 - Those who are currently awarded or scheduled to receive another scholarship
 - Those who have obtained a master's or higher degree overseas under the support of foreign scholarship