

An aerial photograph of a university campus. A wide, light-colored brick path curves through a lush green lawn. In the upper right, a portion of a green building is visible. Several sets of white plastic outdoor furniture (tables and chairs) are arranged on the lawn. A person is sitting on one of the chairs in the lower right area. The overall scene is bright and sunny, with long shadows cast across the grass.

# KOMAZAWA UNIVERSITY

Tokyo, Japan  
Established in 1882



**KOMAZAWA UNIVERSITY**



# The Spirit of Foundation

Komazawa University is a university founded on the teachings of Buddhism and the spirit of Zen, which is the basis of both its education and research.

Buddhism teaches us how to nurture our spirits to treat all things with care, and these teachings are based on insights into the core nature of things. In Buddhism, these insights are called “wisdom” and this heart is called “compassion”. Komazawa University is a place where students can develop themselves through deep and broad explorations of various academic disciplines, while at the same time polishing their wisdom and nurturing their compassion.

In Zen, Buddhism and the practice of self-formation through wisdom and compassion is called spiritual training, and the ideal result of this spiritual training is enlightenment. The founder of the Soto sect, Zen Master Dogen, taught that the ideal of enlightenment is not beyond our reach, but is alive and well in our daily spiritual practice, a concept which he called, “shusho itto”, and means that spiritual practice and enlightenment are one and the same.

The ideal path to education and research in universities based on the teachings of Zen Master Dogen can be succinctly expressed as, “Gyogaku ichinyo”, which means that the “spiritual practice” of pursuing self-improvement and the “learning” through academic research are one and the same, and this is the motto by which we aim to educate our students at Komazawa University.

At Komazawa University, “spiritual practice” is the process of making academic research one's own flesh and blood as seen through the high logic of Buddhism, and this is what true “learning” is. The self that is formed in this way will continue to seek both a broader compassionate heart, as well as higher wisdom, in the real world, and will always continue to learn new things even after graduating. This continuous process of spiritual practice and learning is the ideal that Komazawa University stands for.



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Action



Zen

Mind



# Harmony of Tradition & Today



Learning



Doctrine



Buddhism





## An Academic Hub for Global Research and Learning

There are numerous facilities at Komazawa University that support each student's desire to learn. Komazawa University is an academic hub which contributes to global research while assisting the relentless pursuit of learning sustained by Zen culture.



## Shugetsukan (The Moon & Seed Pavillion)

Our new university building Shugetsukan (Building 3) was completed in 2018 to commemorate the 130th anniversary of the university. The name "Shugetsukan" is derived from the Zen phrase "Koun shugetsu", which means "Plow under the clouds, and sow seeds under the moon". Shugetsukan is equipped with large classrooms that can accommodate up to 400 students while also providing group study rooms which overlook Komazawa Olympic Park. Shugetsukan has been selected by the Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism as one of the "Leading Projects for CO2 Reduction in Housing and Construction", and in addition to utilizing natural energy such as wind, light, and heat, it will also contribute to our Business Continuity Plan (BCP) as a disaster response base.



## The Museum of Zen Culture and History ["Kounkan" – The Cloud & Plow Pavillion]

### A Symbol of Komazawa University

The Museum of Zen Culture and History opened in 2002 as part of a project to commemorate the 120th anniversary of Komazawa University's founding, and then opened its museum exhibits in November 2006. It also currently hosts exhibitions and events based on the history and culture of Zen and Buddhism, and represents Komazawa University's founding principles of Buddhist doctrine and the spirit of Soto Zen Buddhism. In addition to being used for classes, the museum is also used as a place for practical training for curatorial certification courses.



Gautama Buddha is seated in the very center, and his golden embodiment has been shining for more than 130 years. At 2.5 meters tall, the Buddha figure is very awe-striking when viewed up close.



In the vicinity of the enlightened one, relief sculptures are displayed in the corridor. The motif of these relief sculptures is based on the life of Gautama Buddha.

## New Library Concept: "Storehouse of Wisdom"

### "Storing Wisdom"

- Open air bookshelves which contain a wealth of materials in a suitable environment.
- Hybrid archives that allow seamless use of both paper and electronic media.

### "Using Wisdom"

- A library that makes it easy to find what you are looking for, with easy access to information in all media.
- A library full of chance encounters and discoveries brought about by open spaces and open shelves.

### "Connecting Wisdom"

- An evolving library with an interactive learning space which gives support through its environment, people, knowledge, and easy to access facilities with copious content.
- A center for "cooperative creation" where people can gather information, meet, and create new knowledge.

The new library will be located on the east side of the current library (on the site of the former University Hall). It will be six stories tall with three additional floors below ground level, and will have a total floor area of 11,000 square meters.

In order to meet the diverse needs of a university library in the modern era, we are constructing a new library based on the concept of a "Wisdom Storehouse". It is currently scheduled to be completed in 2022, when Komazawa University will celebrate its 140th anniversary.



# Facts and Figures

<b>History</b>	Founded in 1882
<b>Campuses</b>	3
<b>Faculties and Departments</b>	7 faculties and 17 departments
<b>Graduate Schools and Courses</b>	9 graduate schools and 15 courses
<b>Students (as of May 2021)</b>	14,238
<b>Male to Female Ratio</b>	6 to 4
<b>International Students (as of May 2021)</b>	262
<b>Alumni</b>	253,332
<b>Full Time Faculties (as of May 2021)</b>	552
<b>Academic Year</b>	Spring Semester/Early April, Fall Semester/Mid-September
<b>Overseas Partner Universities (as of January 2022)</b>	26
<b>Exchange Program Partners (as of January 2022)</b>	15
<b>Number of Books in Library</b>	1,240,000
<b>Clubs and Circles</b>	159



# Clubs and Circles

## Sports Clubs

Sports clubs within Komazawa University are all members of the Komazawa University Athletic Association (one club per sport) for the purpose of promoting student sports and physical education, as well as the fellowship, intercommunication, and coordination among sports clubs.

All sports organizations participate in official games under the banner of the Komazawa University Athletic Association during their respective sports seasons. Through these activities, the students are able to improve themselves physically and mentally while practicing hard for the honor of their club and their university. Even inexperienced sports club members can play an active role (with the exception of a few clubs), as long as they have an interest in sports and a desire to train themselves.



## Culture Clubs

Through cultural, artistic, academic and performing arts circle activities, culture clubs serve as a way to improve student life and promote human development. We have had traditional cultural groups in Komazawa University since before 1972.





## The Health Care Center

The Health Care Center is the place in our university where we seek to maintain and enhance our students' health. The Health Care Center employs expert practitioners who are versed in both general medicine and heart examinations, and students can get advice and clinical examinations on site.

The Health Care Center is also the place where medical certificates are issued, where students can take a test to check their alcohol tolerance level, and where AED and nutrition management seminars, as well as a variety of other events are held.

## The Student Counseling Room

People tend to be burdened by a variety of worries and insecurities during their school years. Because of this, being able to personally deal with worries step by step can be a large factor in being able to make the transition to becoming a functioning member of society. In addition, bottling up worries can lead to the exacerbation of the fear of being bullied, something which is not at all desirable. When things like that happen and students want to visit us, they are able to come into the Student Counseling Room. The Student Counseling Room is staffed by counselors who are clinical psychologists and psychotherapists, advisors who are professors, and legal consultants who are lawyers. Whatever the topic, the discussions here will be handled with sympathy and confidentiality. Topics that students have come to us to talk about before include: study issues, problems with friends, anxiety about the future and planning for it, etc. If a student is wondering, "Is my problem something that I can ask about?" or "Where should I go to talk about this?" then the first step for them is to go to the Student Counseling Room. From there, if it is a problem that can't be solved on site, then we will contact other departments for additional assistance while continuing to work with the student to try and help him or her solve his or her problem.

In addition, The Department of Student Support and Counseling has coordinators who have specialized training in supporting students with disabilities, and we are currently aiding many students with special needs. If you have a visual, hearing, physical, internal, developmental, or other disability, and have a medical certificate or equivalent documentation indicating that you have a disability, and would like assistance with your studies, please contact the Student Support and Counseling Division. We are set up to aid students with special needs in any endeavor in Komazawa University, so all of our students can have peace of mind and enjoy their time here.

## Career Center

Job hunting without using the Career Center is like walking through a new city without a map. You don't know exactly where you are, let alone where your destination is. At Komazawa University's Career Center, we place particular emphasis on meeting with each student individually. This is because each student's destination and current location is different. Job hunting is not a short journey, and if you get lost, even for a moment, please consult the Career Center "map" immediately.

### Individual Consultation

We provide detailed individual counseling so that students can make a career choice based on a solid understanding of themselves and proceed on their desired career path. This individual counseling is a wonderful support system for students who are looking for a job. In addition, we also conduct intensive career interviews for all third-year students who wish to start job hunting.

### Employment Support System (Career Navigation)

To make it easier for students to find jobs, we provide a support system which can be accessed from off-campus. With this system, you will be able to:

- Search and browse job and internship information which has been delivered to our university
- Browse alumni reports on job hunting experiences
- Receive information on various support programs and career paths
- Remotely apply for job fairs
- Manage your list of prospective companies and your schedule



## The International Center

Over the years, Komazawa University has focused on building a global network that allows researchers and students to research and study both overseas and in Japan.

The International Center, established in May, 1988, is the office for international exchange students and scholars. It is an important base of the university, which provides an excellent educational environment in the age of globalization. The International Center offers many study abroad opportunities for students who wish to be active on the global stage.

## Dormitory

### International Exchange House

Komazawa University has two dormitories available only for official exchange students, visiting scholars, and researchers. The International Center assigns the rooms to official exchange students as its first priority, and secondly to visiting scholars, and researchers. These accommodation facilities have 18 private rooms and 3 double rooms with 2 separate bed rooms. All rooms are fully furnished.



Entrance & Patio



Laundry room



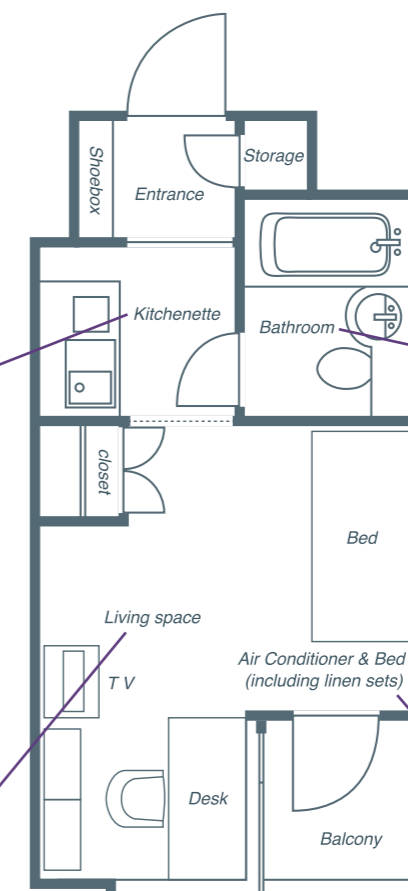
### Kitchenette

- Refrigerator
- Rice cooker
- Electric cooker
- Micro-wave oven
- Pot
- Sink



### Living space

- Chair
- Desk
- Light stand
- Bookshelf
- Shelf
- TV



### Bathroom

- Washbasin
- Shower
- Bath
- Toilet



### Air Conditioner & Bed (including linen sets)

- Mattress
- Pillow
- 2 Pillow cases
- 2 Sheets
- Futon

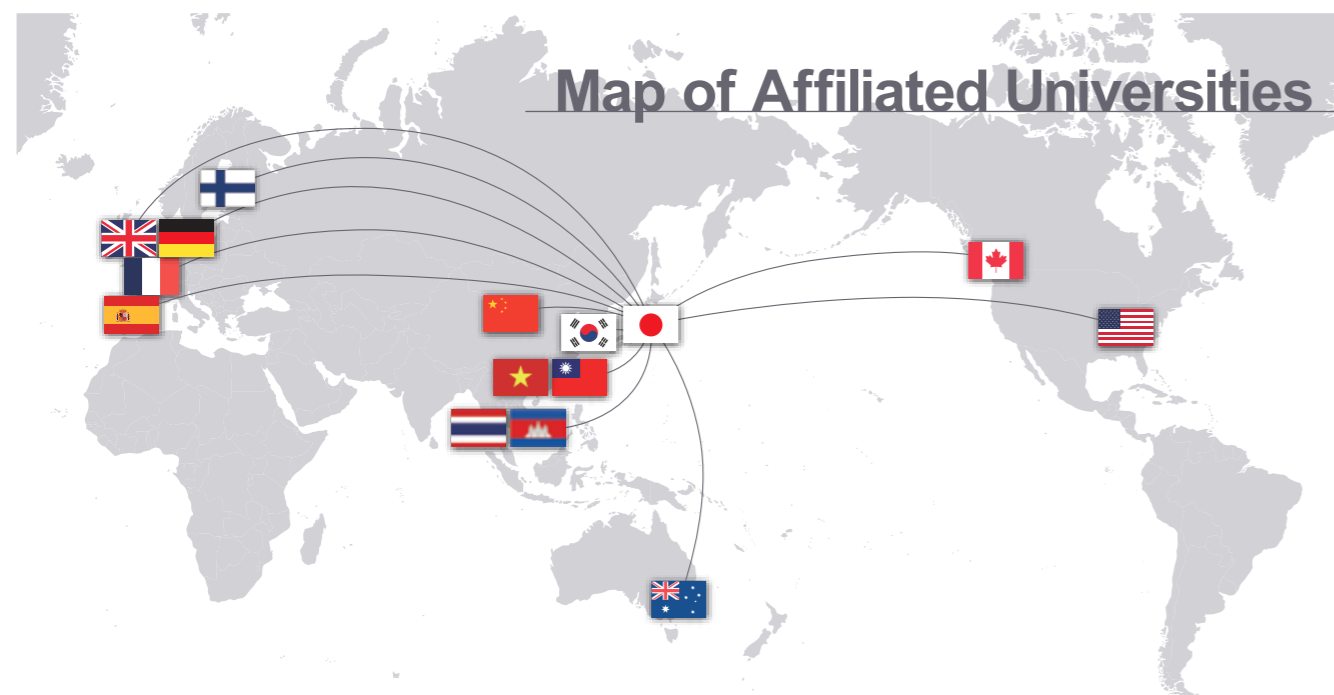
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# International Exchange

International Exchange is an ideal opportunity for changing the way you look at things and think about them and for widening your horizons. Komazawa University has partner school agreements with 26 universities in 14 countries and regions.

University	Country	University	Country
Griffith University	Australia	Central Taiwan University of Science and Technology	Taiwan
Royal University of Phnom Penh	Cambodia	I-Shou University	
University of British Columbia, English Language Institute	Canada	National Central University	
East China Normal University	China	Tamkang University	U.K.
Peking University			
Shenyang Medical College			
School of Humanities, Tsinghua University			
Aix-Marseille University	France	Yuanpei University of Medical Technology	U.S.A.
LUT University	Finland	University of Exeter	
University of Hamburg	Germany	Arkansas Tech University	
Dongguk University	The Republic of Korea	California State University, Los Angeles	U.S.A.
Gyeongsang National University			
University of Alcalá	Spain	University of California, Irvine	Thailand
		Louisiana State University at Alexandria	
		Mahidol University	Vietnam
		Rangsit University	
		Vietnam National University of Agriculture	



# Special Courses for International Students

Class Name	Level
Introduction to Japanese - Written Expressions (1)	Beginner
Introduction to Japanese - Written Expressions (2)	
Introduction to Japanese - Presentations (1)	
Introduction to Japanese - Presentations (2)	
Japanese Comprehension - Written Expressions (1)	Intermediate
Japanese Comprehension - Written Expressions (2)	
Japanese Comprehension - Written Expressions (3)	
Japanese Comprehension - Written Expressions (4)	
Japanese Comprehension - Presentations (1)	
Japanese Comprehension - Presentations (2)	
Japanese Comprehension - Presentations (3)	
Japanese Comprehension - Presentations (4)	
Japanese Comprehension - Career Design (1)	Intermediate (Seminar)
Japanese Comprehension - Career Design (2)	
Japanese Comprehension - Career Design (3)	
Japanese Comprehension - Career Design (4)	
Japanese Development - Written Expressions (1)	Advanced
Japanese Development - Written Expressions (2)	
Japanese Development - Written Expressions (3)	
Japanese Development - Written Expressions (4)	
Japanese Development - Presentations (1)	
Japanese Development - Presentations (2)	
Japanese Development - Presentations (3)	
Japanese Development - Presentations (4)	
Japanese Development - Career Design (1)	Advanced (Seminar)
Japanese Development - Career Design (2)	
Japanese Development - Career Design (3)	
Japanese Development - Career Design (4)	





# Undergraduate Programs

FACULTY	DEPARTMENT	DEGREE
<b>Buddhism</b>	Zen Buddhist Studies Buddhist Studies	B.A.(Zen Buddhism) B.A.(Buddhism)
<b>Letters</b>	Japanese Literature English and American Literature Geography History Sociology: Sociology Program Sociology: Social Work Program Psychology	B.A.(Japanese Literature) B.A.(English and American Literature) B.A.(Geography) B.A.(History) B.S.(Sociology) B.S.(Social Work) B.S.(Psychology)
<b>Economics</b>	Economics Commerce Contemporary Applied Economics	B.A.(Economics) B.A.(Commerce) B.A.(Economics)
<b>Law</b>	Law Political Science	LL.B.(Laws) LL.B.(Political Science)
<b>Business Administration</b>	Business Administration Marketing Management	B.B.A.(Business Administration) B.B.A.(Business Administration)
<b>Health Sciences</b>	Radiological Sciences	B.H.S.(Health Science)
<b>Global Media Studies</b>	Global Media	B.A.(Media)

# Faculty of Arts and Sciences

## The Department of Philosophy and Religious Studies

The Department of Philosophy and Religious Studies is responsible for teaching courses in philosophy, such as Western Philosophy, Eastern Philosophy, and Logic. We also teach courses that examine a wide range of religions and cultures, such as Religious Studies, Cultural Anthropology, and Buddhism and its influence on Humanity.



## The Department of Natural Sciences

The Department of Natural Sciences has six tenured faculty members (and additional part-time lecturers), who are responsible for teaching natural sciences to students in all departments and levels. The six tenured faculty members' fields of study provide a balanced coverage of the various fields of natural science, and include: astronomy, geophysics, geology, biology, chemistry, mathematics, and information science.



## The Department of Teacher Education

The Department of Teacher Education consists of seven tenured faculty members (and additional part-time lecturers) who are in charge of Teacher Education, School Librarianship, and Social Education courses, as well as some general education courses for students of all faculties (excluding students in the Faculty of Health Sciences).



## The Department of Japanese Culture

The Department of Japanese Culture conducts educational and research activities with the aim of deepening students' knowledge of Japanese culture and Japanese language culture in the areas of literature, language, and performing arts. We also aim to foster students who have an open mind, who are able to show understanding of other cultures, and who develop multifaceted knowledge and the sensitivity necessary to contribute to intercultural communication.



## The Department of Sport and Health Studies

The Department of Sport and Health Sciences offers health and physical education courses. This includes practical training in a variety of sports, as well as lectures on both health and sports. We convey the enjoyment of practicing sports and teach the basic concepts of health and physical fitness.



## The Department of English

The Department of English consists of fourteen tenured and 115 part-time faculty members who are in charge of teaching English as a foreign language to most students in Komazawa University as part of their core education. In some departments, students are required to learn English as a foreign language, while in other departments, students can choose English from other foreign language options.



## The Department of Foreign Languages

There are many other cultures in the world besides ones which have roots in English-speaking countries. The Department of Foreign Languages offers classes in German, French, Chinese, Spanish, Russian, Korean, and other languages so that students can come into contact with the society and culture of each linguistic sphere and broaden their cross-cultural understanding.







## Zen Buddhist Studies



## Buddhist Studies



*Learn wisdom, deepen compassion, and reflect on yourself*

Buddhism is a religion that originated in India and spread throughout China, Central Asia, East Asia, and Southeast Asia. It is said that the Silk Road was not only a silk route, but also a route for the spread of Buddhism. In the 20th century, Buddhism was introduced to Western society, and its influence has spread to various fields of thought and art. Through Buddhist and Zen studies, students will encounter a variety of ideas that have been deepened throughout history, as well as a rich culture that has developed in a wide range of regions.

### Department of Zen Buddhist Studies

The purpose of this department is to help students cultivate a rich mind and to acquire inner strength. We will study the teachings of Zen Master Dogen and Zen Master Keizan, the founders of Soto Zen. We will also deepen our insight into Chinese Zen Buddhism and Buddhism as a whole.

#### Features of the Department

- ▶ **A wide range of basic education in all aspects of Buddhism**  
In the first and second years of the program, there is no distinction between the Department of Zen Buddhist Studies and the Department of Buddhism, and the common curriculum provides students with a general foundation in Buddhism. The first and second years provide a good foundation for their third year and beyond, where they will pursue specialized research in Chinese and Japanese Zen according to their own interests and goals.
- ▶ **A fulfilling curriculum led by knowledgeable staff which covers all aspects of Zen**  
We have a wide range of faculty members who teach the history of Zen from its earliest days to the present day – from India and China to Japan. Our faculty also teaches classes on philosophy, doctrine, art, and other subjects, and they are always ready and eager to respond to the intellectual interests of students. It goes without saying that students can also learn in depth about the history and doctrines of Soto Zen, which are the base upon which Komazawa University was founded.
- ▶ **Diverse career paths, not just in temples but also business and government work**  
Of course, many of our alumni are active as Soto Zen monks, but there are also alumni who become teachers, civil servants, and people who work in the private sector (in a wide variety of industries). Regardless of their occupation, they are sure to apply what they have learned about Buddhism and Zen to their way of thinking and living. In addition, a number of students go on to graduate school (in Komazawa University or in other universities) to further their studies.

Degree to be awarded  
B.A. (Zen Buddhist Studies)

### Department of Buddhist Studies

The Department of Buddhist Studies aims to develop students' character, intellect, and culture by having them consider how to best live in the present while receiving the teachings of the Buddha in the modern age; while also considering history, thought, and culture from multiple perspectives.

#### Features of the Department

- ▶ **A wide range of basic education, including Zen**  
In the first and second years of the program, there is no distinction between the Department of Zen Buddhist Studies and the Department of Buddhism, and the common curriculum provides students with a basic understanding of Buddhism in general, including Zen. The first and second years provide a good foundation for their third year and beyond, which is when they will smoothly transition into specialized and effective research based on their interests and objectives.
- ▶ **A wide range of staff who teach curricula about many aspects of Buddhist studies, including its various fields, sects, and regional differences**  
We have a wide range of faculty members who specialize in Buddhism and religious studies developed in various regions, from India, Tibet, China, the Korean Peninsula, Sri Lanka, Southeast Asia, and Japan; allowing us to respond to the intellectual interests of students without being limited to any particular sect. In addition, students will also learn about the history and doctrines of Soto Zen, which are the base upon which Komazawa University was founded.
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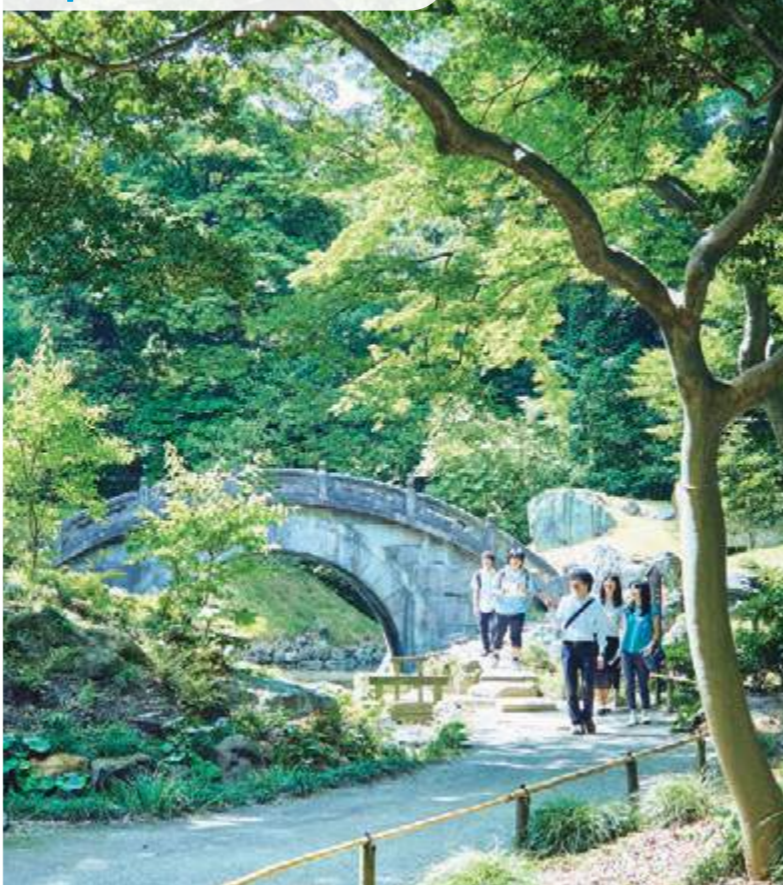
Degree to be awarded  
B.A. (Buddhist Studies)







## Japanese Literature



## English and American Literature

Read the human mind,  
study humankind.

When we say “Faculty of Letters”, “letters” are not limited to literature in the narrow sense of poetry and novels. In other words, it is comprised of many aspects of humanities, and we use it as a general term for studies that explore humankind from various angles. In the Faculty of Letters, students learn about humankind from a variety of perspectives, taking into account the long passage of time and the complex expanse of space, including literature in its literal sense, language and letters, and the action of individual minds and groups. Let’s read about and understand humankind from the inside and out, through all kinds of materials and means: including maps and chronological tables, books and data, indoor experiments, and outdoor research.

Department of  
Japanese Literature

In this Department students study “Japanese Literature”, which is the study of Japanese literary works and materials from ancient times to the present, and “Japanese Linguistics”, in which students deepen their understanding of the Japanese language. We cultivate deep insight, sharpened sensitivity, and theoretical thinking skills.

## Features of the Department

## ▶ Master Japanese literature and Japanese language from ancient times to the present day

Students can study various fields taught by highly specialized faculty members: from classical literature such as *Manyōshū* (‘Collection of Ten Thousand Leaves’), *Genji Monogatari* (‘The Tale of Genji’), and *Heike Monogatari* (‘The Tale of the Heike’), to contemporary literature such as the works of Soseki Natsume, Haruki Murakami, and Shuntaro Tanikawa. In addition, students can gain a broad range of knowledge related to literature through a variety of classes, such as drama, children’s literature and contemporary media culture.

## ▶ Small-group seminars, a variety of classes and qualification courses from the second year

From their second year, students are required to take small group seminars, where they will receive comprehensive instruction. In addition, there are lectures on creative writing by authors of children’s literature, lectures on the research of media such as animation, and lectures on drama and editorial practice which also contain hands-on learning. In terms of qualifications, our department helps students obtain teaching licenses to teach Japanese courses at junior and senior high schools, as well as licenses to teach calligraphy at high schools.

## ▶ Pathways to employment to a wide variety of industries, including teaching and civil service

Many of our graduates are employed as teachers at public and private junior and senior high schools and as civil servants. Many are also employed in finance, distribution, publishing, bookstores, and other general companies. Other graduates are active in various fields, including writing, photography, narration, and theater. Some of our graduates also go on to graduate school.

Degree to be awarded  
B.A. (Japanese Literature)

Department of  
English and American Literature

This Department consists of English Literature, American Literature, and English Linguistics. Students attempt to understand culture and thought through the study of literary works, acquire practical language skills, and develop a cosmopolitan mindset that will enable them to be active in the real world.

## Features of the Department

## ▶ A wide range of study areas, from languages to English and American literature

In addition to strengthening basic English language skills, the Department offers students the opportunity to study and research not only English and American novels, poetry, and drama from the Middle Ages and Shakespeare to the present day, but also diverse cultures (including film and art), and histories of the wider English-speaking world. In the field of English linguistics, students can learn about the history of the English language itself and regional differences in the English language.

## ▶ Acquire practical English skills and in-depth knowledge of specialized fields

In their first and second years, students can strengthen their practical English skills through the compulsory “Speech and Communication” courses taught by English-speaking teachers. In addition, after improving their reading comprehension skills in their core “Practical English” courses in their first year and their core “Readings in Literary Works” courses in their second year, students can pursue their own research according to their interests in elective specialized seminars in their third and fourth years.

## ▶ After four years of study, there are a variety of career paths

Our graduates utilize the English language skills and broad liberal arts education they have acquired during their four years of study to become active in many industries, including: the airline industry, finance, various manufacturers, distribution, publishing companies, and civil services; while others with teacher’s licenses work in public and private junior and senior high schools. Some graduates also continue their research in graduate school.

Degree to be awarded  
B.A. (English and American Literature)







## Geography, Cultural Study Program



## Geography, Environmental Study Program



### Department of Geography, Cultural Study Program

In this program, students study the characteristics of regional cultures and the backgrounds that have nurtured them. Students learn about the lifestyles and climates of different regions through fieldwork and other practical studies and consider the nature of human progress.

#### Features of the Program

##### ▶ Cultivating the ability to think comprehensively about the nature of regional culture

In this program, students will acquire the ability to read and understand regions by observing and analyzing the backgrounds that have nurtured urban and rural life from a geographic perspective through fieldwork, mapping, and other geographic methodologies. We will also cultivate the ability to think comprehensively about the nature of regional cultures in Japan and other parts of the world. From the 2014 academic year, we have made "Cartography", a lecture on maps, the basis of geography, a compulsory subject for second-year students, and our curriculum has become more comprehensive.

##### ▶ The broad field of geography can be studied

We offer a wide range of courses to meet students' needs and interests: from basic courses such as "Introduction to Human Geography" and "Practical Techniques for Physical Geography" to specialized courses such as "Cultural Geography", "Transport Geography", "Urban Geography", "Rural Geography", and "Landscape Geography", as well as more advanced courses such as "Outline of Regional Geography" and "Area Studies". Students can also take specialized courses offered by the Environmental Study Program for a broader study of geography.

##### ▶ Acquire methods of regional analysis through field research

In their first and second years, students learn the basics of geography and regional investigations. In their third year, they gradually acquire techniques for observing and analyzing regions through fieldwork in such courses as the "Field Survey of Cultural Studies" and the "Seminar of Cultural Studies". The observation and examination skills acquired by practicing what is learned during class in the field is required in all occupations. Graduates are active in a wide range of fields, including transportation, tourism, and urban planning.

Degree to be awarded  
B.A. (Geography)

### Department of Geography, Environmental Study Program

By integrating classroom lectures with practical studies such as fieldwork, students consider the regional environment from multiple perspectives and explore the relationship between human beings, nature, and society.

#### Features of the Program

##### ▶ Cultivating the ability to think holistically about environmental issues

In this program, students learn to understand and analyze the relationship between nature and human beings with regards to different elements, such as climate, topography, and water circulation, from multiple perspectives through practical fieldwork. It also offers various lectures and seminars to let students consider ways to coexist with nature, to think about resource use and reflect on regional environmental problems such as natural disasters. From the 2014 academic year, we have made "Cartography" a lecture on maps, the basis of geography, a compulsory subject for second-year students, and our curriculum has become more comprehensive.

##### ▶ Practical and specialized courses are available for students

We offer a wide range of courses to meet students' needs and interests: from basic courses such as "Introduction to Physical Geography" and "Practical Techniques for Physical Geography", and a wide range of specialized courses such as "Climatology", "Geomorphology", "Hydrology", "Applied Geography", "Environmental Studies", and "Surveying". In addition, students can also take more practical and specialized courses such as "Exercise of Climatology", "Exercise of Geomorphology", "Exercise of Hydrology", and "Practical Training in GIS (Geographic Information Systems)". Students can also take specialized courses offered by the Cultural Study Program for a broad study of geography.

##### ▶ Improving the skills to analyze regional environment through field research

In their second year, students learn the basics of regional investigations through the "Introduction to Field Survey" course. In their third year, students learn the methodology and analysis skills necessary for regional investigation through fieldwork in the "Field Survey of Environmental Studies" course and the "Seminar on Environmental Studies" so that they are able to hone their skills in observing and examining their field of study. The observation and examination skills acquired by practicing what is learned during class in the field is required in all occupations. Our graduates are active in a wide range of fields, including surveying, meteorology, and environment-related fields.

Degree to be awarded  
B.A. (Geography)





## History, Japanese History Program


**Department of**  
**History, Japanese History Program**

A distinctive feature of this program is that students learn to read history from historical materials as if they are experiencing the lives of their predecessors. This program cultivates the objective understanding of historical facts, an imagination which explores historical backgrounds, and the applied skills necessary to examine contemporary society.

**Features of the Program**
**▶ Students learn practical history**

This program aims to develop comprehensive skills to cope with society by learning how to research and decipher historical materials, construct and demonstrate theories, and write and present discussions. Our curatorial certificate classes are very popular and demand for them has been increasing recently. Through these courses, students will experience classes which focus on archive studies and training for various programs. Students will also have opportunities to visit curatorial sites and practice historical research.

**▶ You can learn "real" history broadly and deeply**

Two of the eight faculty members are specialized in each historical period: Japanese ancient history, Japanese medieval history, Japanese early modern history and Japanese modern history. Komazawa University is one of the best universities in Japan in terms of the number of specialized fields offered. In order to meet the diverse needs of students, this Department provides courses on various subjects such as political history, religious history, cultural history, social history, local history, the history of diplomacy, economic history and the history of thought.

**▶ We will actively return the results of our studies to society**

Many graduates of this department are active in museums and archives throughout Japan, as well as in junior and senior high schools. It is our high honor to give the specialized knowledge our students learned at Komazawa University back to our society and communities. The various skills cultivated in the Department of History can meet many of society's needs and lead students to future employment.

Degree to be awarded  
B.A. (History)

## History, Foreign History Program


**Department of**  
**History, Foreign History Program**

One of the interesting aspects of this program is being able to learn about the variety of values and cultures in each country. By conducting historical research with a broad perspective, which includes both the West and the East, a picture of Japan's place in the world can emerge.

**Features of the Program**
**▶ Comprehensive support system provided by small-group seminars**

This Department provides small-group seminars from the first to the fourth year. In the first-year Preliminary Seminar, full-time faculty members work closely to systematize students' knowledge and skills. The Program offers regular classes using IT and lab courses. The faculty members in charge of classes hold tutorials with individual students, and joint practical training is also provided. As students receive a comprehensive introductory education in their first year, students gain the knowledge and skills to lead them into their second year and into subsequent courses on the methodology of oriental history, on the methodology of occidental history, and Seminars I and II.

**▶ A curriculum that provides freedom of choice and professional development**

In this Department, the scope of world history is the same periods and regions that students dealt with in their world history high school textbooks. The students can choose half-year courses on the implications of foreign history and year-long special lectures which enhance their expertise. This department also offers opportunities to understand different languages, geography and perspectives more deeply through the World History Seminar. The depth and breadth of knowledge and practical skills that students learn will help them understand the world as it is now through a historical lens and how to better live in contemporary society.

**▶ Use knowledge and expertise in world history as a strength for the future**

Many of our students who take teacher license exams go on to work at junior and senior high schools. In addition to public services, our graduates are active in domestic and international companies (travel, publishing, trading, food, cosmetics, IT, etc.). In some cases, they become expert investigators for diplomatic establishments. Some students go on to graduate schools in the United Kingdom, France, Taiwan, and other countries, and the knowledge and expertise acquired in this program are useful in Japan and around the world.

Degree to be awarded  
B.A. (History)

## History, Archaeology Program


**Department of**  
**History, Archaeology Program**

The most exciting part of this program is the excavation of remains and artifacts. Based on artifacts such as earthenware and the remains of dwelling sites, we elucidate the life and culture of the past. In this program, students cultivate a high level of expertise and a rich sense of humanity through practical learning.

**Features of the Program**
**▶ Study professional archaeology**

Komazawa University is one of the few universities in Japan to have an Archaeology program. Students develop basic skills consistently from the first year to cultivate the ability to move on to advanced levels. Students learn practical excavation methodologies from the second year, and in the third year, they work on excavations in Japan and overseas. Through experiencing excavation and learning practical research methods, students will develop the ability to collect, analyze, and interpret archaeological materials.

**▶ Students can experience excavations in Japan as well as in China**

There are no other universities in Japan that conduct excavations overseas as part of their excavation training. Our department has conducted joint excavations projects with Chinese universities and the Institute of Cultural Relics and Archaeology and excavations in Japan throughout the country. We also have more practical training courses than other universities, such as photographic practice and computer information processing, to improve excavation skills.

**▶ Use your expertise in archaeology to become a researcher or curator**

A large number of our graduates are actively in charge of cultural properties at prefectural and municipal boards of education, as excavators at the National Center for Archaeological Objects, curators at museums, investigators at private excavation institutions, and teachers of social studies and geography throughout Japan, and we work closely with them to provide guidance to our students. Of course, the techniques for gathering and analyzing information learned in archaeology are skills that can be used in the real world as well.

Degree to be awarded  
B.A. (History)





## Sociology, Sociology Program

Department of  
Sociology, Sociology Program

The subject of our research is everything that surrounds us. Students will gain a multifaceted understanding of society and develop their research, discussion and presentation skills, while enhancing their personality and problem-solving abilities.

## Features of the Program

- ▶ **A systematic curriculum from the basics to the advanced**  
Students can systematically learn from basic to advanced levels in an attainable way. Small-group seminars and practical courses are systematically arranged from the first year to the fourth year, allowing students to learn about the structure of society in a comprehensive manner and pursue their own interests to advance their own unique studies. Students will be able to acquire the broad and applicable knowledge and skills required by contemporary society.
- ▶ **Use all five senses and develop yourselves in fieldwork**  
There are a large number of small-group seminars and practical courses from the first year to the fourth year, and students develop substantial survey research and fieldwork under close and careful educational guidance. We have some computer-savvy students who aim to become professionals in social research. After gaining competence and confidence in the specialized seminars and various practical training in the third year, students develop their skills further during their graduation research based on their own interests.
- ▶ **Graduates are active in a wide range of fields**  
Graduates can find employment in a wide variety of industries in the private sector, including finance, trading, insurance, securities, real estate, broadcasting and advertising, printing, telecommunications, transportation and travel, and services. There are a number of qualifications that can be obtained while in university that will enable diverse employment opportunities, including careers as public servants and teachers. It is also possible to work for a research company or think tank with a social researcher qualification.

Degree to be awarded  
B.S. (Sociology)

## Sociology, Social Work Program

Department of  
Sociology, Social Work Program

This Program aims to foster human resources with liberal arts who can combine the expertise of social welfare with the spirit of thoughtfulness. With high-quality and practical education, we investigate welfare appropriate for modern society.

## Features of the Program

- ▶ **Students can choose a career program that meets their needs**  
From the first year, the Social Work Program offers step-by-step career education through "experiential learning". Students who want to be social welfare professionals have opportunities to brush up their knowledge and skills through professional courses on social welfare. These classes allow students who want to use their knowledge to build a career in social welfare to take the steps necessary to do so.
- ▶ **Strong support for the acquisition of specialized skills and qualifications in the social welfare field**  
The Program offers intensive exercises and practical training in which students can regularly engage in face-to-face communication with professors. Those who aim to become welfare professionals can obtain a care worker certificate, and a certificate for a psychiatric social worker as well as for a social welfare officer, child welfare worker, and children's instructor. We also offer courses to enhance "social welfare skills" on topics such as sign language and Braille, and we give our full support to students who are studying to acquire qualifications.
- ▶ **As a traditional school of social welfare, many graduates are active in the social welfare industry**  
Human resources with welfare-oriented empathy and consideration are in demand in a wide range of fields. Many of our graduates are engaged in consultation and assistance work at welfare facilities, institutions, hospitals, etc. as social welfare specialists, and are also active as career-track and general employees at welfare companies and major general companies. In addition, there is an increasing number of cases in which students are employed as public servants (both as welfare and regular service staff).

Degree to be awarded  
B.S. (Social Work)

## Psychology

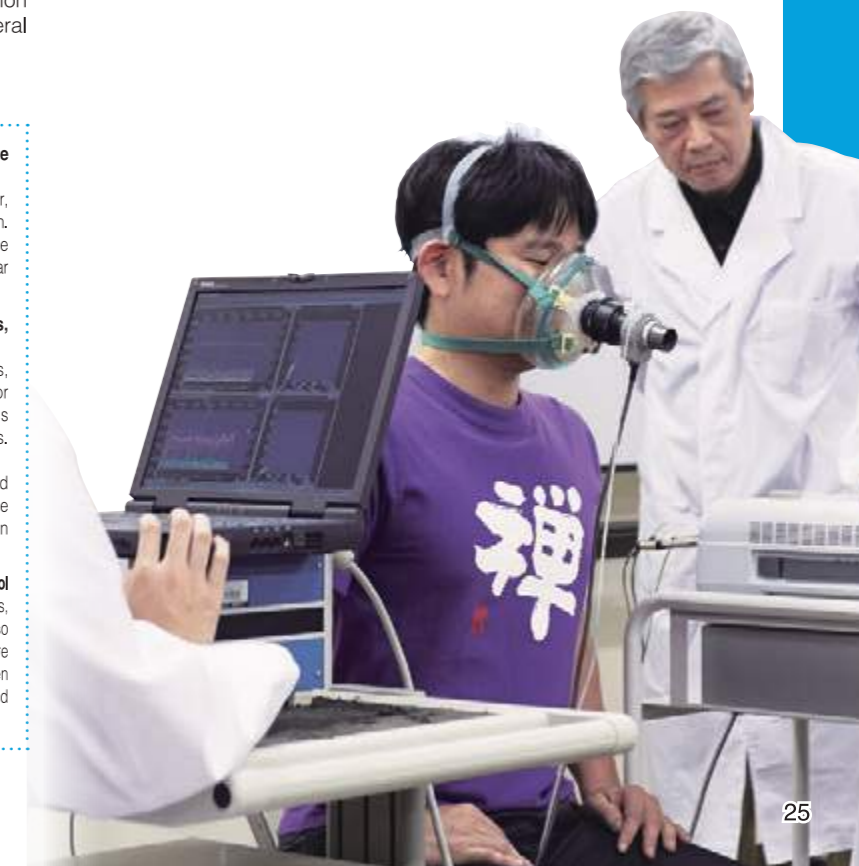
Department of  
Psychology

Psychology is an academic field in which we analyze and understand the mind scientifically. Students can acquire knowledge and skills in psychology to analyze the mind behind action through basic education in the Department. By learning a wide range of knowledge in peripheral fields, students can also develop a rich sensitivity.

## Features of the Department

- ▶ **A curriculum that allows students to acquire the basics of psychology from both the theoretical and practical aspects**  
The Department emphasizes basic education and offers a variety of courses. In the first year, students acquire basic knowledge of psychology and the methods of its scientific approach. We offer a step-by-step education program where students learn a wide range of cutting-edge theories and practices of various more specialized areas of psychology from the second year onwards. In the fourth year, students explore their chosen field of study in depth.
- ▶ **A full range of educational and research training facilities for experiments, observations, surveys, practical training, and data analysis**  
The Department has educational facilities fully equipped for experiments, observations, and investigations: 15 observation rooms and labs such as observation rooms for clinical psychology, labs for experimental physiology, labs to examine perception, labs for animal testing, and information processing rooms equipped with computers. Students can use all the facilities to study towards graduation. In addition, our graduate school offers one of the most extensive educational and research training facilities in Japan. It also includes clinical psychology training at the Komazawa University Community Care Center, which is a psychological consultation organization affiliated with the university and is open to the community.
- ▶ **Graduates are employed by companies in a wide range of fields. Many students advance to graduate school**  
Our graduates have a wide range of career paths and are employed by companies in various fields, including IT-related companies, trading companies, sales, finance, insurance, and services. We also have students employed in civil services, such as police or municipal offices, and in some cases are hired as psychologists. In recent years, the number of students entering graduate school has been increasing, and many of them study specialized psychology to become clinical psychologists and other mental health professionals.

Degree to be awarded  
B.S. (Psychology)







*We provide educational opportunities that meet the needs of students and society.*

The Faculty of Economics at Komazawa University aims to nurture professionals who have the self-reliance required by modern society. We attend to the various needs of our students by allowing them to coordinate their classes across multiple departments within our faculty, and by giving them a flexible course schedule which contains classes that have a low student to teacher ratio. In addition to our rich and varied curriculum, we provide both introductory freshman seminars, and specialized small-group seminars from the students' second year in order to create an environment which allows each student to learn the materials in depth. The unique learning environment here is made possible by having three departments, and each department has its own unique courses. Here at the Faculty of Economics, we do our best to provide learning opportunities that meet the needs of both students and society because we want nothing more than to help our students realize their dreams. This is the motto by which we run our department.

## Economics

### Department of Economics

The Department of Economics provides a dynamic understanding of the movement of people, goods, and money, while also providing opportunities for students to ponder on the nature of human behavior. Students will develop the knowledge and intellectual ability to think critically about a number of topics including both society and history.

#### Features of the Department

- ▶ **Learn to utilize both data and theory**  
By building a broad knowledge of general economics, students will be able to construct their own theoretical models and analyze data statistically. Our highly flexible and adaptable curriculum is ideal for students who have the desire to take control of their learning and apply themselves. We always keep our students' career paths in mind and provide a system for them to study specialized subjects so that they may be able to enter whichever business venture they choose.
- ▶ **Choose the advanced seminar that fits you best**  
After entering the university, first-year students have many chances to meet new friends at the Freshman Seminar so that they are able to begin their university life smoothly. From their second year, students begin to take seminars in small groups to deepen their specialized knowledge. The Department of Economics is unique in that students have a great deal of freedom and choice in their studies, and the large number of credits that can be awarded for a wide range of elective courses is popular with both students who are in our department and also those who wish to transfer in from other departments.
- ▶ **Finance, IT, Distribution, Service... Unlock career paths into any business industry**  
The Department of Economics aims to nurture self-reliant members of society who are able to understand both the current state and structure of our society's economy, who have the ability to discover and solve social issues, and who can build a just and prosperous society. Graduates of the Department of Economics are trained to respond appropriately in both business and social life, and are active in a wide range of industries, including: finance, IT, telecommunications, trading, retailing, services, manufacturing, and public service.

Degree to be awarded  
B.A. (Economics)

## Commerce

### Department of Commerce

In the Department of Commerce, students will learn the mechanisms of corporate activities and operations. They will put their learning based on economics into practice, and develop a multitude of skills which range from basic theoretical knowledge to applied skills that can be utilized on the front lines of business.

#### Features of the Department

- ▶ **Learn how modern corporations act in the marketplace**  
Commerce originated long ago in the exchange of agricultural products in a local marketplace, and while this activity has grown in size since then, modern economic activities still revolve around the "market" even now, and corporations are important players in this market. In the Department of Commerce, students will study how the natures of both corporations and modern society relate to the modern marketplace, and will develop the ability to think both practically and theoretically.
- ▶ **Distinctive programs to train accounting and IT professionals**  
Our program is unique when compared to other universities as we have established both a "Professional Accounting Class" and a "Professional IT Class". In addition, the Department of Commerce has a partnership with Ohara Gakuen, so students are able to earn credits at Komazawa University through reports and other assignments conducted there. Students are encouraged to devote themselves to their studies so that they are able to earn esteemed qualifications, such as: "Certified Public Accountant", "Certified Public Tax Accountant", and "Fundamental Information Technology Engineer".
- ▶ **Paving the way to the forefront of business**  
The Department of Commerce offers a full range of courses so that students have the training and education necessary for their future career choices. Students are able to learn about the latest business trends from instructors who actually worked in large corporations, and many of our students have gone on to work in various fields such as banking, securities, and trading. There are also students who have obtained qualifications while still in school and have gone on to work as accounting or IT specialists.

Degree to be awarded  
B.A. (Commerce)

## Contemporary Applied Economics

### Department of Contemporary Applied Economics

The Department of Contemporary Applied Economics aims to develop a human workforce which will be able to carry the Japanese economy in the constantly changing world economy. Students who study here will be able to master cutting-edge economics through our creative and practical curriculum.

#### Features of the Department

- ▶ **Macro and micro, global and local**  
In order to unravel the drastically changing economic phenomena of today, students will grasp the trends of the modern economy from both macro and micro perspectives through a systematized curriculum. Our program aims to create a workforce which is capable of contributing to the development of local communities while also possessing the cutting-edge economic knowledge required to navigate the ever-evolving global economy.
- ▶ **Unique classes and freedom of choice**  
We offer a wide range of courses that are not offered at other universities. In addition to orthodox economic theory, students can study advanced theories such as game theory and how economics influences legislation and institutions. At the same time, we offer a curriculum that allows students to choose from a variety of subjects, including classes about business-administration oriented perspectives, and classes about various organizations which support local economies.
- ▶ **Reach out to both the local community and the world through business**  
Our students find employment in a wide range of professions and companies, including finance, trading, manufacturing, and distribution. There are many graduates who have found employment not only in major companies, but also in highly specialized small and medium-sized companies using the research they conducted in our department. Our graduates do business with customers all over the world and play an active role in the local economy. In addition, we also have students who go on to work in a variety of positions requiring official qualifications, as well as those who become civil servants.

Degree to be awarded  
B.A. (Economics)





## Law



## Political Science



## Are you interested in understanding the "framework" of modern society?

Law schools are often associated with students who become lawyers, judges, prosecutors, judicial scriveners, administrative scriveners, and civil servants. But in reality, the majority of university graduates go on to various fields in business. The reason for this is that both society and business are created and operated according to the rules of law, and knowledge of these rules is essential. This is particularly true in today's globalized world, where standardized rules that are common throughout the world have yet to be firmly developed, and the importance of being able to navigate the current system and create a new set of rules is becoming more and more apparent. As a result, there will be even more job opportunities for law graduates in the future.

Located in Setagaya Ward in Tokyo, Komazawa University is able to use its proximity to the heart of Tokyo to provide an environment where students can learn the most up to date legal knowledge. The Department of Political Science is also within the Faculty of Law, which allows students to not only study law, but also gain a solid understanding of social rules, political theory, history, international relations, and policy. In addition, the Faculty of Law offers a wide range of general courses on sociology, psychology, history, critical thinking, and the politics of various regions of the world, so that students can acquire a comprehensive education about society as a whole.

### Department of Law

The Department of Law aims to cultivate students who have the ability to think and make judgments rooted in a legal perspective to derive sound methods for solving the complex problems of today.

#### Features of the Department

##### ► Develop a legal mind

In order to acquire the literacy required of a law student (such as understanding basic legal terminology, how to look up precedents, and how to write reports as a law student), there is a "Basic Seminar" which begins from the students' second year, which is then followed by more advanced seminars in their third and fourth years. All of the seminars in our department are done with small class sizes, which allows students to learn law from its very basics to highly specialized subjects while receiving detailed support through interactive and multidirectional discussions. Our students come from a variety of different circumstances, and as such, we do our best to provide for them by offering evening and weekend classes in addition to those offered during the daytime.

##### ► Practical classes

In response to today's complex legal issues, we offer special law courses such as environmental law, intellectual property law, and consumer law. In addition, we expose students to how law is actually practiced in the real world through classes given by lawyers, civil servants, and tax accountants who are active on the front lines.

##### ► Succeed in a wide variety of fields

Our students become national and local government officials (including court officials and prosecutors), employees of various organizations, financial institutions, and major private companies. We also have students who become judicial scriveners or who continue on to graduate school to further their mastery of law.

Degree to be awarded  
LL.B. (Laws)

### Department of Political Science

The Department of Political Science strives to nurture practical, educated, and mindful students who have the ability to take action, so that they will be able to play an active role in local communities, international society, and the world of media.

#### Features of the Department

##### ► Systematic learning through a four-course system

In addition to learning about the core politics which drive society in their "Contemporary Society and Politics" course, students are exposed to three other courses which correspond to priority areas of society, and these three courses are: "International and Area Studies", "Politics and Media Studies", and "Public Administration and Public Policy". In each course, students are able to study specialized subjects in a systematic and sequential manner.

##### ► A wealth of professors which help you understand the "framework" of modern society

In order to understand the "framework" of modern society, we offer a wider variety of courses which more extensively cover theory, history, and practice than other universities! Our seminars include field research, debates, visits to the National Diet and the courts, and comprehensive activities which have been expertly designed by our instructors. Students will also learn about mass communication practices, including newspaper production and the power of mastering presentations, at our Mass Communication Research Laboratory.

##### ► "Politics" is the cornerstone of a wide range of societal activities

Regardless of the size of the organization, the actions and activities interwoven between people in both public organizations and corporations are greatly influenced by politics. As such, there is a wide range of career paths for our students after graduation, including: banking, securities, trading, manufacturing, IT services, real estate, and both national and local public service, including police and fire departments.

Degree to be awarded  
LL.B. (Political Science)







## Business Administration



## Marketing Management



*Are you interested in learning how corporations produce the things you love?*

The Faculty of Business Administration consists of the Department of Business Administration and the Department of Marketing Management. In the Department of Business Administration, students are able to effectively study the five fields of business which are indispensable for corporate management. These fields are: administration, accounting, economics, management science, and marketing. Our students acquire the critical thinking and communication skills that are useful in the real world, as well as a wide range of knowledge about corporate management, languages for business communication, computer literacy, and basic knowledge about law. At the Faculty of Business Administration, cultivate the skills necessary to play an active role in business society, so that you can become a future leader of corporate society.

### Department of Business Administration

In the Department of Business Administration, students specialize in the field of business they want to become managers in, while also learning how to maintain their relationship with society and the corporate environment around them. We nurture business people who are able to be active on the front lines of the real world, and who are able to usher in a new era.

#### Features of the Department

- ▶ **Training professional managers to respond to the rapid changes in modern society**  
Corporations are facing a rapidly changing environment due to recent developments in IT and a variety of domestic and international influences. The curriculum of this department aims to provide students with the cutting edge of business management knowledge so that they are able to handle all the situations that come their way by making the necessary decisions that are required of today's business people.
- ▶ **Problem-solving skills cultivated through discussion and group work**  
Corporate managers are required to not only have specialized knowledge in management, but also to have the ability to correctly recognize and solve the problems they face. In order for students to acquire such critical thinking skills, our department places emphasis on discussions and group work in their seminar classes, while also promoting various other specialized classes.
- ▶ **To the World of Business and the World of NPOs**  
The majority of our students find employment in corporations. There is a wide range of industries in which students can find employment, but since students at the Department of Business Administration study business management, they can easily imagine their future in the world of business while still in school. In addition to working in corporations, we also have students who pass the Civil Service Examination and become civil servants, as well as those who work for NPOs.

Degree to be awarded  
B.B.A. (Business Administration)

### Department of Marketing Management

In the Department of Marketing Management, students acquire the ability to independently, concretely, and quantitatively solve a variety of issues related to marketing management and strategy.

#### Features of the Department

- ▶ **Create new markets and coordinate resources through marketing strategy and team skills**  
In the Department of Marketing Management, students learn the strategies necessary to create markets for their future companies by maximizing the use of a company's management resources (people, goods, money, etc.) and by collaborating with external partners in order to meet the needs of their customers and to give their companies distinct advantages over their competition. We are firm believers in small-group education in our department, as it allows students to not only develop their individual abilities, but also their abilities in a team. Because of this, we offer seminars to our students through all four years of their time in our department, beginning with the "New Student Seminar" in their first year, and then progressing into more advanced and specialized seminars for their second through fourth years.
- ▶ **Value creation from science and sensitivity, self-improvement through theory and practice**  
In order to read the market, students need to be at the intersection of both theory and practice in order to use various data sources to empirically explain the present and to predict future trends. To get our students to this level, our department assembled a well-balanced faculty who have specialties which range from the sciences to humanities so that our students become strong in both data analysis and logical thinking. From learning theories to polishing their natural market instincts, our students embody Komazawa University's founding principle of "Gyogaku ichinyo" (which means that the "spiritual practice" of pursuing self-improvement and the "learning" through academic research are one and the same.)
- ▶ **Employment skills nurtured through tradition, school culture, and educational curriculum**  
Just under 90% of all our students find employment, with a third of these students going on to work for large corporations. Our students go into a variety of different business fields, with roughly 20% going into trading, 20% going into distribution, and 20% going into service industries. Another 20% apply their data analysis skills in other industries, with over 10% using their skills in the information and communication industry, and over 10% using them in the manufacturing industry. We also have some students who find their way into finance, insurance, and civil service as national government officials, as well as those who continue on into graduate school. Our school has a reputation for producing students who have an honest approach to work and who have the ability to produce results.

Degree to be awarded  
B.B.A. (Business Administration)







## Radiological Sciences

Department of  
Radiological Sciences

The Department of Radiological Sciences trains clinical radiologists who can respond to the ever-evolving medical world. In addition to acquiring a high level of specialized knowledge and skills, students will also advance both their education on a broad range of topics and their reliability as members of society.

## Features of the Department

## ▶ An abundance of both specialized and general education courses with efficient learning outcomes

Our students develop a base in the specialized knowledge and skills in the field of radiological science, and then complement these studies with a wide range of liberal arts courses, allowing them to learn the diverse fundamentals of what it takes to be a medical professional. This is further emphasized by our new curriculum which increases the number of semester-long courses and pushes students towards even better academic results. By the end of their third year, students will have completed all their classes on the national clinical radiologist examination, which allows them to be able to concentrate on their graduation research and further their preparations for the national examination in their fourth year.

## ▶ A course system that responds to the diversifying field of radiological science

In order to respond to the diversifying field of radiological science, we have developed a specialized course system which systematically arranges subjects in order to most efficiently teach our students how to become specialized professionals. This system is implemented from our students' third year, and features medical skills courses and medical imaging & information courses which are only available at Komazawa University.

## ▶ Attain your national qualification and unleash your aptitude to broaden your career path

The majority of our graduates go on to work at relatively large medical facilities such as national or university hospitals, but they may also choose to work at health checkup institutions or clinics according to their individual preferences. We also have dozens of students who go on to graduate school to further their medical knowledge every year. There has also been a recent trend where some of our students resettle in corporations related to radiation and medical equipment after gaining clinical experience in a hospital.

Degree to be awarded  
B.H.S. (Health Science)



## Global Media

Department of  
Global Media

The purpose of the Department of Global Media is to foster the ability to transcend the boundaries of traditional disciplines and tackle global issues through multifaceted and complex methods. We open up new fields of study and nurture a workforce who can take charge of the next generation.

## Features of the Department

## ▶ Attain IT literacy, learn practical English, and take specialized interdisciplinary courses

In order to develop a workforce who can play an active role in a globalizing society, we offer a multitude of courses, including those which help our students acquire English language and IT literacy skills to develop the necessary foundation for their communication skills, and which also help them understand the nature of media and other content through the mixture of economics, business administration, sociology, international cultural studies, international relations, law, communication studies, and IT courses.

## ▶ We give our students overseas experience so that they can play an active role in a globalizing society

As economic and social globalization is advancing in the 21st century, we have a future-oriented faculty that works to nurture students who are capable of solving global issues. Specifically, we train our students to acquire practical English and IT literacy skills as the basis for global communication, study interdisciplinary specialized subjects by using rapidly changing media and content, gain overseas experience through studying abroad, and develop the critical skills necessary to form a broad range of free thought.

## ▶ Our graduates are active in a wide range of industries that have been made necessary by globalization

Since our students acquire practical English and IT literacy skills, understand the nature of media and content, and have mastered interdisciplinary specialized subjects, they are employed by major companies in a wide range of globalized industries. This includes the telecommunications & cell phone industries; the IT & internet business industries; the apparel industry; the construction industry; the financial industry, which includes banks, securities, & insurance; the transportation industry, which includes the airlines & railway networks; and the tourism industry, which includes hotels & travel agencies.

Degree to be awarded  
B.A. (Media)

*Health is necessary for a happy daily life. Would you like to join a medical team that protects people's lives?*

Have you ever thought about what it means to be a useful member of society or what it is like to live with people who are in vulnerable situations? There are people who are struggling their hardest to live their lives through sickness and injury. The imaging tests and radiation therapy that clinical radiologists are involved in give valuable assistance to people so that they can overcome their medical issues and lead healthy social lives. This requires not only advanced knowledge and skills, but also a "heart" that is cultivated through Komazawa University's unique educational program. In addition to giving our students mastery over a wide range of education, it is our hope that our students become true professionals with a caring heart.

*Are you ready to polish your English skills, learn about the media's role in conveying information, and discover the nature of globally distributed information?*

With the spread of the Internet and the new media of cell phones and smart phones, information and content are being distributed and utilized globally. In addition to the information conveyed by mass media such as television and newspapers, ordinary people are steadily sending out information which is being received by people all over the world. Also, with the advent of smartphones and e-readers, electronic information has become commonplace in our daily lives. So come with us and analyze these new phenomena and their social impact from a variety of perspectives beyond the framework of existing academic disciplines, and acquire the literacy to pick out and use your favorites on your own; all while polishing your communication skills in English so that you can make use of your media skills and knowledge on the global stage.



# Postgraduate Programs

At Komazawa University, you can deepen the understanding you gained during your undergraduate degree at Graduate Schools which carry out high level research from a broad range of perspectives. Currently, there are two-year Master's courses and three-year Doctoral courses in fourteen majors in eight Graduate Schools at Komazawa University. In addition, there is also a Juris Doctor program at its Law School. The research results produced by these departments attracts considerable attention in each field, and we aim to produce graduates who can perform in a wide range of areas.

Postgraduate Programs	Department	Degrees	
		Master's Program	Doctoral Program
Buddhist Studies	Buddhist Studies	M.A.(Buddhist Studies)	Ph.D. (Buddhist Studies)
Arts and Sciences	Japanese Literature	M.A. (Japanese Literature)	Ph.D. (Japanese Literature)
	English and American Literature	M.A. (English and American Literature)	Ph.D. (English and American Literature)
	Geography	M.A. (Geography)	Ph.D. (Geography)
	History	M.A. (History)	Ph.D. (History)
	Sociology	M.A. (Sociology)	Ph.D. (Sociology)
	Psychology (Psychology & Clinical Psychology)	M.A. (Psychology)	Ph.D. (Psychology)
Economics	Economics	M.A. (Economics)	Ph.D. (Economics)
Commerce	Commerce	M.A. (Commerce)	Ph.D. (Commerce)
Law	Public Law	LL.M. (Laws)	LL.D. (Laws)
	Private Law	LL.M. (Laws)	LL.D. (Laws)
Business Administration	Business Administration	M.A. (Business Administration)	Ph.D. (Business Administration)
Health Sciences	Radiological Sciences	M.H.S. (Health Science)	D.H.S. (Health Science)
Global Media Studies	Global Media	M.A. (Media)	Ph.D. (Media)
Legal Research and Training (Law School)	Legal Research and Training	Juris Doctor	

# Research Centers and Laboratories

For students aiming high, we provide an environment for specialist research in the form of Research Centers and Laboratories. Komazawa University currently has nine research institutes and two laboratories, which conduct advanced and specialized research in areas such as Law, Accounting, and Journalism. These Centers also help students realize their future goals by supporting them in acquiring qualifications and their post-graduation career path.

### The Zen Institute

The Institute for Zen Studies brings together not only specialists in Zen and Buddhism but also researchers in literature, psychology, law, linguistics, physical education, and other fields to conduct comprehensive research on Zen thought as a fundamental element of Japanese culture. To achieve this goal, it holds regular research meetings, public lectures, and Sunday classes. It also publishes a research journal, the Annual Report of the Zen Institute, to disseminate the results of the year's research activities and to promote further development.

### The Institute of Zen Buddhism and Economics

The Institute of Zen Buddhism and Economics was established in April 1966 with the aim of conducting research on Buddhism and economics. Our aim is to make concrete statements on the various problems and contradictions peculiar to contemporary society, as well as on the solutions to these various problems, and at the same time to revitalize Buddhism and Zen out of the old mantle of conventionalism. Students are also free to attend the Institute's research meetings.

### The Institute of Legal Research

The Institute of Legal Research consists of two departments: the Research Division and the Training Division. The Research Division invites lecturers from academia and the legal profession to give lectures on current themes. The Training Division offers three types of courses: 1) elementary courses, 2) basic courses, and 3) practitioner courses to help students acquire basic practical knowledge of the law. The elementary courses provide introductory knowledge of Constitutional Law, Civil Law, and Criminal Law, while the basic courses provide subjects that aim to improve these knowledge levels. In addition, the practitioner courses are designed to prepare students for the law school entrance examinations and the judicial scrivener examinations. The elementary and basic courses are taught by university faculty members, while the practitioner courses are taught by lawyers and judicial scriveners in active duty.

### The Institute for Applied Geography

Since its foundation in 1973, the Institute of Applied Geography has aimed to make concrete contributions to regional communities based on fundamental research in geography. It has published the results of research projects--on "Environment and Culture in the Nansei Islands" and on issues related to the growth of developing countries, conducted with Chulalongkorn University in Thailand--in our journal, Regional Views. We expect students to participate in the fieldwork for these projects and in the process of collecting, organizing, and analyzing research materials. Collaborative research conducted by staff with different specialties of the Department of Geography or the Department of Natural Sciences has a different significance from lectures.

### The Institute of Journalism and Policy Studies

The Institute for Journalism and Policy Studies (alias: Jana Ken) conducts comprehensive research on journalism and policy and provides special guidance to students pursuing related fields. Our research results are published in annual reports and books, and we also hold public lectures. Special academic instruction consists of two pillars: "Jana Ken Lectures" by carefully selected lecturers; and self-directed voluntary learning by students such as publishing Komazawa sports newspaper and free papers, video production, and debate/presentation activities. Through these activities, Jana Ken considers journalism and policy deeply, while at the same time nurturing the next generation. Some of the Jana Ken courses are also available online and open to the general public. We look forward to seeing you all there.

### The Research Institute for Accounting

The Research Institute for Accounting offers the "Nissho Bookkeeping Test Level 3 to 1 Course" with the aim of improving the theory and practice of accountancy through research and education in accounting, as well as cultivating specialized professionals. This course is designed for novices (mainly first-year students) at bookkeeping and aims to help them pass the Nissho Bookkeeping Test Level 3 in June and the Level 2 test in November. Nissho Bookkeeping Test Level 2 is a level that business and economics students can put on their resumes. However, once students have passed the Level 2 test, they can challenge themselves with more advanced qualifications. Those who have passed the Nissho Bookkeeping Test Level 1 have an advantage in job hunting, and Level 1 is essential in order to pass the second examination for the public accountant certification. In the case of high school graduates, passing Level 1 is a "qualification to take the tax accountant examination". Therefore, it is a highly sought after qualification. The recession has made it difficult for students to find jobs, but those who have passed Level 1 have found satisfactory employment. We have courses for each level so that students can participate regardless of faculty or department. We provide them guidance until they pass, including retaking the exam. Students can take the second examination for tax accountants and certified public accountants from the third year of university if a certain number of credits have been earned. However, the content of the exam is highly advanced, and it is advised that students take the necessary steps to progress.

### The Institute for Comparative Buddhist Literature

We can find various influences of Buddhism in Japanese literature, performing arts, and social customs. The Institute for Comparative Buddhist Literature conducts comparative research on Japanese Buddhist literature and culture and various aspects of Buddhist thought and literature in regions where Buddhism has taken root--such as in India, China, and Korea--with a focus on the study of Buddhist thought and the religious environment that formed the basis of Japanese Buddhist literature and culture. Our aim is to conduct comprehensive comparative research on various issues in Buddhist thought and culture in all ages and countries. The results of our research projects are published in a research bulletin.

### The Research Institute for Justice

The Institute for Justice is a research institute specializing in judicial research that works closely with law schools, which play a key role in Japan's judicial reform. It consists of three Divisions: the Research Division, which plans and conducts collaborative research by researchers and practicing legal professionals; the Training Division, which provides graduates of the law school with the necessary study opportunities to become legal professionals and assists them in passing the new bar exam; and the Legal Profession Division, which conducts joint activities and exchanges information among legal professionals who graduated from Komazawa University. At the same time, we hope to contribute to the judiciary in contemporary Japan by fostering competent and insightful legal professionals and by actively promoting the activities of the legal professionals we have fostered.

### The Research Institute of Health Sciences

The Komazawa University Institute of Health Sciences was established in April 2017. The Institute hopes to develop research activities that will be useful to students aspiring to become radiology technicians or to those already working as radiology technicians or in various other medical professions.

### The Laboratory of Contemporary Applied Economics, Faculty of Economics

The Laboratory of Contemporary Applied Economics, Faculty of Economics was established in April 2018 as a research center open to local communities, which is dedicated to the realization of a sustainable local economy. The Laboratory aims to become the engine of a regional platform that integrates research, education, and social contributions under the open Industry-Academia-Government-Finance Collaboration rooted in the region, with entrepreneurship at its core. It consists mainly of the faculty members of the Department of Contemporary Applied Economics, Faculty of Economics at Komazawa University; however, anyone can register as a researcher and conduct research activities.

### The Global Media Studies Laboratory

The Global Media Studies Laboratory was established at Komazawa University in 2010 with the aim of stimulating collaborative research within and outside the university, disseminating research results, and contributing to society. It consists mainly of the faculty members of the Global Media Studies at Komazawa University; however, anyone can register as a researcher and conduct research activities. Research on media and Information Technology requires interdisciplinary approaches and industry-academia collaborations. The Global Media Studies Laboratory is expected to be used globally as an institution for such research activities.



# Admission for International Students

## Applicant Qualification (Undergraduate Programs)

Applicants must satisfy each of the following requirements:

- 1) Applicants must be of a nationality other than Japanese.
- 2) Applicants must have undergone a 12-year school education course in a foreign country (including those who are scheduled to complete the course by March 31 when the applicants wish to enroll in the undergraduate program), or be designated and approved as eligible by the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology in Japan (MEXT). [Note 1].
- 3) Applicants must take the Examination for Japanese University Admission for International Students (EJU) administered by Japan Student Services Organization (JASSO), by the due date in November 2020, June 2021, or November 2021.

If you are considering applying, you must follow either A or B in advance.

A. Those who are not sure whether they meet the application requirements.

### Inquiries about applicant qualification (eligibility screening)

Period : Early October  
E-mail address : nyugakukoho@komazawa-u.ac.jp

Please send an inquiry to the e-mail address above with a copy of your academic record attached. A permit to take the examination will be sent by express mail to those who satisfy the applicant qualifications. Please keep this document in a safe place as it is one of the application documents.

B. Those who meet application requirements.

### Pre-check application documents

Period : Mid-October  
Address : Komazawa University Admission Center  
1-23-1 Komazawa, Setagaya-ku, Tokyo,  
143-8525, Japan

Please prepare application documents 2) ~9) and send them to the address above together with a return address label. An application permission form will be sent by express mail to those who satisfy the applicant qualification. Please keep this document in a safe place as it is one of the application documents.

Applications must be postmarked by the deadline (applications from overseas must arrive at the university by the deadline).

[Note 1]

- 1) Cases in which an applicant completed a formal 12-year education in less than 12 years due to "advanced placement" are also included.
- 2) Those who have completed or are scheduled to complete an education at a school corresponding to a high school in a foreign country (limited to a course that satisfies the criteria specified by the Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology in Japan, such as that the person who completes the course is deemed to have completed 11 years or more of school education in the foreign country).
- 3) Those who have transferred to a high school in Japan and are scheduled to graduate on March 31 of the year when the applicants wish to enroll, are eligible to apply as long as they have been in Japan for less than one year.
- 4) If the applicant's 12-year education includes a period of study at a Japanese school, the applicant is eligible to apply if the total number of years of study at junior high school and high school is less than 3 years and the high school from which the applicant graduated is a foreign

school. (\*If the applicant enrolled in a foreign school in Japan or a school in a foreign country that conforms to the Japanese school education system, the enrollment period should be treated similarly to a Japanese school.)

- 5) Those who hold International Baccalaureate, Abitur (Germany), Baccalaureate (France), or GCE A-levels (UK), before entering Komazawa University.
- 6) Those who have completed or are scheduled to complete a 12-year education at an educational facility in a foreign country that has received accreditation for educational activities, etc., from an international evaluation organization (WASC, CIS, ACSI).

## Applicant Qualification (Master's Program)

Individual preliminary qualification screening is required for applicants who do not have a Bachelor's Degree, such as graduates of a junior college, a college of technology, a specialized school, Japanese branch schools of foreign universities, foreign schools, and other educational facilities. Those who have completed a course that requires three years or more for graduation but do not hold a "Bachelor's Degree" from a university or other schools outside Japan must undergo this examination.

### Entrance Examination for International Students

Non-Japanese nationality applicants who have entered or intend to enter Japan to receive an education at a graduate school, and who have or can obtain a status of residence that does not interfere with entrance examinations and enrollment in graduate schools under the Immigration Control and Refugee Recognition Act, and who fall under one or more of the following requirements:

- 1) Those who have graduated or are scheduled to graduate from an undergraduate program in Japanese universities by March 31 of the year when the applicants wish to enroll. However, applicants for the Sociology program in the Graduate Division of Arts and Sciences, Public Law program and Civil Law program in the Graduate Division of Law must take an entrance examination or the special examination for working adults.
- 2) Those who have received or are scheduled to be awarded a Bachelor's Degree from the National Institution for Academic Degrees and Quality Enhancement of Higher Education. However, applicants for the Sociology program in the Graduate Division of Arts and Sciences, Public Law program and Civil Law program in the Graduate Division of Law must take an entrance examination.
- 3) Applicants must have completed or be scheduled to complete 16 years of education outside Japan by March 31 of the year when the applicants wish to enroll.
- 4) Applicants who have been approved by the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology in Japan.
- 5) Those who have enrolled at a university for more than three years, or who have completed 15 years of education outside Japan and have been recognized by the Graduate School at Komazawa University as having acquired all the predetermined credits with excellent academic records (\*Only applicable for the Advanced Placement System, Graduate Division of Economics).
- 6) Applicants who have passed the individual entrance requirements, screening process, and are scheduled to reach 22 years of age by April 1 of the year when the applicants wish to enroll. (Only for applicants for the Sociology program in Graduate Division of Arts and Sciences, Graduate Division of Economics, Graduate Division of Commerce, Graduate Division of Business Administration, and Graduate Division of Global Media Studies)
- 7) Those who have completed an educational program that requires three or more years for graduation and who have received a degree equivalent to a Bachelor's Degree from a university or other school outside Japan.

## Applicant Qualification (Doctoral Program)

Individual preliminary qualification screening is required for the applicants who do not have a Master's Degree, such as graduates of a junior college, a college of technology, a specialized school, Japanese branch schools of foreign universities, foreign schools, other educational facilities, and universities (3-year system) outside Japan.

### Entrance Examination for International Students

Those who do not have Japanese nationality and those who have entered or intend to enter Japan to receive an education at a graduate school, and who have or can obtain a status of residence that does not interfere with entrance examinations and enrollment in graduate schools under the Immigration Control and Refugee Recognition Act, and who fall under one or more of the following criteria.

Applicants must satisfy one or more of the following requirements:

- 1) Those who have received or are scheduled to receive a Master's Degree by March of the year when the applicants wish to enroll. However, applicants for the Sociology program in the Graduate Division of Arts and Sciences, Public Law program and Civil Law program in the Graduate Division of Law, and the Graduate Division of Global Media Studies, who have completed or are scheduled to complete an educational program equivalent to a Master's Degree in Japan by March 31 of the year when the applicants wish to enroll, must take an entrance examination or the special examination for working adults.
- 2) Those who have received or are scheduled to receive a Master's Degree outside Japan by March 31 of the year when the applicants wish to enroll.
- 3) Applicants who have been approved by the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology in Japan.
- 4) Those who have been approved by the Graduate School at Komazawa University as those with scholastic abilities equivalent to or greater than Master's Degree holders.
- 5) Non-Japanese nationality applicants who have passed the individual entrance requirements, screening process, and who have been approved by the Graduate School as those with scholastic abilities equivalent to or greater than Master's Degree holders (\*Only applicable for Graduate Division of Economics and the Graduate Division of Global Media Studies).

## Applicant Qualification (Law School)

Application Requirements for Entrance Examinations  
Applicants must satisfy one or more of the following criteria:

- 1) Those who have graduated or are scheduled to graduate from an undergraduate program by March 31 of the year when the applicants wish to enroll.
- 2) Those who have received or are scheduled to receive a Bachelor's Degree from the National Institution for Academic Degrees and Quality Enhancement of Higher Education.
- 3) The applicants must have completed or are scheduled to complete 16 years of education outside Japan by March 31 of the year when the applicants wish to enroll.
- 4) Those who have been in Japan and have completed or are scheduled to complete 16 years of distance education provided by schools outside Japan in March of the year when the applicants wish to enroll.

- 5) Those who have completed or are scheduled to complete an educational program at a foreign university in Japan that is positioned in the educational system of the relevant foreign country as having a course at the above foreign university in March of the year when the applicants wish to enroll (limited to educational programs for which a student who completed the course is deemed to have completed 16 years of school education in the above foreign country), and also that satisfies the criteria specified by the Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology in Japan.
- 6) Those who have completed or are scheduled to complete in March of the year when the applicants wish to enroll a specialized educational program at a specialized school (limited to an educational program that satisfies the criteria specified by the Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science, and Technology in Japan, such as having a duration of 4 years or more).
- 7) Those who are designated by the Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology in Japan.
- 8) Those who have enrolled at a university for three years or more (including those who are specified by the Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science, and Technology in Japan as being equivalent to this) and who are recognized as having obtained the credits specified by the Graduate School at Komazawa University with excellent academic records (see below).
- 9) Those who have been admitted to the graduated school by the Advanced Placement System and recognized by the Graduate School at Komazawa University as having the academic ability adequate for receiving education at our graduate school.
- 10) Applicants who have passed our individual entrance requirements screening process and who have reached 22 years of age.
- 11) Those who have completed an educational program that requires three or more years for graduation and who have received a degree equivalent to a Bachelor's Degree from a university or other school outside Japan.
- 12) Those who have been approved by the Graduate School as those with scholastic abilities equivalent to or greater than Bachelor's Degree holders.

\*For 3), 4), 10), 11), and 12) above, a preliminary qualification screening is required in advance.

### Advanced Placement System

Applicants who wish to apply for the advanced placement system are advised to contact the Law School Administration Office (TEL : 03-5712-4703) in advance, as we will screen applicants for eligibility.



# Fees

## Tuition and Fees (Undergraduate)

(unit: yen)

Items	Faculty	Buddhism, Letters, Economics, Law, Business Administration	Health Sciences	Global Media Studies
Tuition		759,000	800,000	790,000
Equipment Fee		214,000	385,500	214,000
Educational Development Fee		27,000	27,000	27,000
Laboratory Fee		Note 3	300,000	---
Educational Support Association Fee		10,000	10,000	10,000
Other (Collected only when students are admitted to the university.)	Entrance Fee*	200,000	200,000	200,000
	Ed. Support Assoc. Entrance Fee*	5,000	5,000	5,000
	Alumni Assoc. Fee*	35,000	35,000	35,000
<b>Total (First year)</b>		<b>1,250,000</b>	<b>1,762,500</b>	<b>1,281,000</b>
<b>Total (Second year and after)</b>		<b>1,010,000</b>	<b>1,522,500</b>	<b>1,041,000</b>

- Note 1: Figures marked with an asterisk (\*) in the table are collected only at the time of enrollment.
- Note 2: Tuition, Equipment fee, Laboratory fee, and Educational Support Association fee can be paid by installments, divided into half of the annual amount, and paid for each semester.
- Note 3: In addition to the above-mentioned fees, other laboratory fees are collected annually in:  
 the Department of Geography and the Department of History, Major in Archaeology (15,000 yen)  
 the Department of Sociology, Major in Sociology (10,000 yen)  
 the Department of Psychology (30,000 yen)
- Note 4: In addition to the above-mentioned fees, laboratory fees are collected depending on the courses taken.
- Note 5: All students (except students who graduated from Komazawa University or Komazawa Junior College) are required to enter the Alumni Association, and their guarantors are required to enter the Educational Support Association.
- Note 6: The Education Supporter Association admission fee, The Alumni Association fee, and The Education Supporter Association fee are collected by proxy.
- Note 7: The entrance fee will be applied to the enrollment fee after the admission procedure is completed.
- Note 8: Students from universities established by Komazawa University Incorporated Educational Institution will not be charged 5,000 yen for admission to the Educational Support Association or 35,000 yen for the Alumni Association fee. However, the fee will be collected in the following cases.  
 1. Students enrolled in Komazawa University Division 2 (Evening Division) or the Department of Buddhism, Komazawa Junior College before 1994.  
 2. Graduates of Tomakomai Komazawa University and Komazawa University Tomakomai Junior College.

## Tuition and Fees (Postgraduate Programs and Law School)

(unit: yen)

Items	Division	Graduates of Komazawa University or Graduate School			Graduates of other Universities or Graduate Schools		
		Graduate Divisions of Buddhist Studies, Arts and Sciences, Economics, Commerce, Law, Business Administration, Global Media Studies	Graduate Division of Health Sciences	Law School (both for three year standard courses and two year shortened courses)	Graduate Divisions of Buddhist Studies, Arts and Sciences, Economics, Commerce, Law, Business Administration, Global Media Studies	Graduate Division of Health Sciences	Law School (both for three year standard courses and two year shortened courses)
Tuition*1		540,000	600,000	650,000	540,000	600,000	650,000
Equipment Fee		130,000	300,000	300,000	160,000	300,000	300,000
Laboratory Fee		Notes 6,7	150,000	---	Notes 6,7	150,000	---
Educational Support Association Fee		10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000
Others*4 (Collected only when students are admitted to the university.)	Entrance Fee*	120,000	120,000	120,000	250,000	250,000	250,000
	Ed. Support Assoc. Entrance Fee*	---	---	---	5,000	5,000	5,000
	Alumni Assoc. Fee*	---	---	---	35,000	35,000	35,000
<b>Total (First year)</b>		<b>800,000</b>	<b>1,180,000</b>	<b>1,080,000</b>	<b>1,000,000</b>	<b>1,350,000</b>	<b>1,250,000</b>
<b>Total (Second year and after)</b>		<b>680,000</b>	<b>1,060,000</b>	<b>960,000</b>	<b>710,000</b>	<b>1,060,000</b>	<b>960,000</b>

- Note 1: Figures marked with an asterisk (\*) in the table are collected only at the time of enrollment.
- Note 2: Tuition, Equipment fee, Laboratory fee, and Educational Support Association fee can be paid by installments, divided into half of the annual amount, and paid for each semester.
- Note 3: Students who have completed a Master's program at Komazawa University and continue to take the Doctoral program have their Entrance fee waived.
- Note 4: Graduates of Komazawa University include those who have graduated from universities, graduate schools, junior colleges, and junior college majors (including transfer students) established by Komazawa University Incorporated Educational Institution.
- Note 5: The Equipment fee for graduates of other universities (excluding the Graduate Division of Health Sciences) will be the same as that for graduates of Komazawa University (130,000 yen) from the following year.
- Note 6: In the Psychology Program, the Division of Arts and Sciences, 60,000 yen is collected as a Laboratory fee each year after students are admitted.
- Note 7: In the Division of Global Media Studies, 24,000 yen is collected as a Laboratory fee each year after students are admitted.
- Note 8: All students (except students who graduated from Komazawa University or Komazawa Junior College) are required to enter the Alumni Association, and their guarantors are required to enter the Educational Support Association.
- Note 9: The Education Supporter Association admission fee, The Alumni Association fee, and The Education Supporter Association fee are collected by proxy.
- Note 10: The Entrance fee will be applied to the enrollment fee after the admission procedure is completed.
- Note 11: Those who extend their enrollment in the Doctoral program will be granted a half exemption of Tuition and Equipment Fees for the year of admission.

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## Campus Information







**KOMAZAWA UNIVERSITY**

## Contact Address

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1-23-1 Komazawa, Setagaya-ku, Tokyo, 154-8525, Japan  
International Tel: 81-3-3418-9048

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