

An Entrusted Program by METI and MEXT

Advanced Education Program for
“Career Development Program for Foreign Students in Japan”

“A Program to Foster Highly Innovative and Skilled Technological Leaders”

**Recruitment of Japanese Government
MEXT Scholarship Students
: Fostering Elite Global-minds**



National University Corporation
GUNMA UNIVERSITY

Aim of the Program

The Graduate School of Engineering at Gunma University and local technological industries are forming a consortium in order to offer programs that focus on nurturing exceptionally talented international students from Asia who wish to find employment with Japanese companies. These programs aim to develop students into internationally-minded technological leaders”.

This program offers lectures that cover professional training, business Japanese language, Japanese and business culture which are developed through an association between industries and our university. The program has been designed to nurture students capable of accommodating the needs of Japanese companies developing in Asia, and especially those of local technological industries in Gunma. In addition, it provides support systems for employment placement with Japanese industries, which includes internship participation, employment support lectures and other benefits.

An Image of Fostering Human Resources

This program aims to foster the following human resources.

Persons who can assume leading roles and utilize their highly-specialized knowledge and ability in Japanese technological companies or their overseas offices/plants, while serving actively as bridges between Japan and other Asian countries.

Program Contents

In addition to the regular courses offered at the Faculty of Engineering and the Graduate School of Engineering at Gunma University, students will pursue the following courses.

1. Academic / Industrial Collaboration Course (Production and Management)

A lecturer with an abundance of business experience will deliver the lectures for this course. He/she will be dispatched from a company and will be well equipped with the necessary proficiency to deal with issues that may arise in the classroom.

Students will study highly-advanced knowledge and methodology, both of which are essential elements in the technological portfolio of a technological leader.

This will be done through a series of methods based widely on on-the-job experience and case studies.

2. Gunma University's Advanced Course (Basics of Engineering)

Gunma University faculty members will deliver lectures in this omnibus course designed to help students understand common and basic knowledge in a variety of fields of engineering that are prerequisites for the technological leaders of the future.

3. Business Japanese Language Classes

Several teachers, mainly from the Center for International Studies at Gunma University, will educate students through a team teaching approach. This course aims to help students gain the techniques required for executing the duties of their jobs, such as making presentation, carrying out conversations, writing and listening.

4. Japanese Business Culture Courses

Lecturers dispatched from several industries and organizations participating in this project will be responsible for this omnibus lecture series. Lectures will deal with a wide range of issues that include business manners, the climate of Japanese enterprises, and lectures on problem-solving ability, all of which are essential for working in Japanese companies. In addition, it will offer students a Special Omnibus Lecture Series on Job Duties by lecturers who work at local industries in Gunma.

