

Name of the Institution:

Headquarters for Planning and Promoting International Strategies, Tottori University

Project title:

Capacity Building for Integrated Resource Management in Drylands

Project Outline:

The aim of this JSPS International Training Program (ITP) is to develop world-class young researchers in the field of dryland study at Tottori University. This human resources development program is designed to train talented professionals to execute their missions at universities, United Nations organizations, and international research organizations.

To achieve this goal, we have created the Joint Master's Degree Program in Integrated Management in Drylands, also known as the "MS Program". The MS Program is offered jointly through a partnership between the United Nations University and five other institutions. We plan on continuing to develop and expand the program to train young researchers, including master's degree students. Specifically, we send students to drylands in Tunisia, Syria, and China for about a year. While there, they attend lectures on wide-ranging subjects in dryland study and conduct field work. All lectures and research guidance are given in English, so students can acquire English-language skills while also studying and researching with an international group of students.

In addition, we support Ph.D. students and postdoctoral fellows under a school-wide project tentatively titled the "Project for Developing Internationally Compatible Young Researchers." This is a comprehensive project that includes Tottori University's international human resources development program and uses the university's overseas headquarters for education and research in collaboration with the Global Center of Excellence for Dryland Science.

Overseas Partner Institutions:

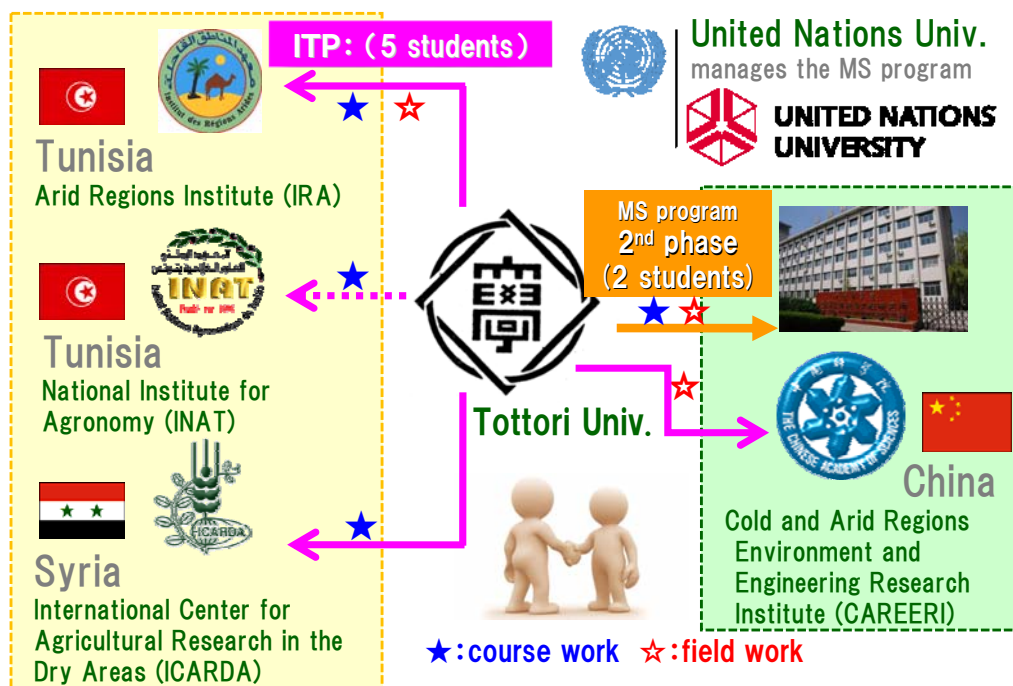
- United Nations University (Canada)
- Cold and Arid Regions Environmental and Engineering Research Institute, CAS (China)
- Institute of Arid Regions (Tunisia)
- the National Agricultural Research Institute of Tunisia (Tunisia)
- International Center for Agricultural Research in the Dry Areas (Syria)

CONCEPTUAL PLAN:

Project for developing internationally compatible young researchers



International Partner Institutions



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