

JAPAN SOCIETY FOR THE PROMOTION OF SCIENCE

**JSPS RONPAKU (Dissertation PhD) Program for FY 2010
APPLICATION FORM**

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| 1. Name in full | check <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (FAMILY NAME) (First Name) (Middle Name) <input type="checkbox"/> Mr. <input type="checkbox"/> Ms. | (Write in Chinese characters, if any) |
| 2. Nationality | | 3. Date of birth |
| | | / / (Day) (Month) (Year) |
| 4. Address | (Office) | Telephone: Facsimile: E-mail: |
| | (Home) | Telephone: Facsimile: E-mail: |
| 5. Current employment: | | |
| ① Name of university or institution where you are employed: | (Write in Chinese characters, if any) | |
| ② Department or division in which you work: | (Write in Chinese characters, if any) | |
| ③ Your position/status (associate professor, assistant professor, lecturer, senior scientist, etc.): | (Write in Chinese characters, if any) | |

- Instructions:
- (1) The RONPAKU applicant should fill out this form.
 - (2) Application should be typewritten or printed in block letters in English or Japanese.
 - (3) Confine all information to the space allocated in the application form.
Do not change the size of the blocks in the form or create additional sheets, otherwise the application will be rejected by JSPS.
 - (4) For words with no formal English equivalent, use the original language and provide as close an English translation as possible.
 - (5) Forms 3 and 4* must be submitted together with this form to your Japanese advisor.
 - (6) Form 1 is to be filled out by your Japanese advisor.

*Those whose home institution comes under the jurisdiction of a JSPS nominating organization listed in the accompanying table do not have to prepare a Form4.

6. Details of Previous Higher Education

(State your educational background starting from university undergraduate level.)

| School | Location | Degree | Field | Year of graduation |
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7. Details of Previous Employment

| Institution | Location | Position/Duties (State full-time or part-time) | Year (from/to) |
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8. Language Proficiency Information

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| ① First language | | | |
| ② Other languages (Evaluate your ability using “excellent,” “good,” or “fair”) | Writing | Reading | Speaking |
| Japanese | | | |
| English | | | |
| Other(s) () | | | |
| ③ Study of Japanese language (State period of study; name and place of institution, if applicable) | | | |
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9. Past course study in a Japanese university

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| ① Give name of Japanese university(ies), your professor(s) and your research subject(s) | | |
| ② Duration of your stay | Number of years (years); Period (~) | |
| ③ Degree or certificate awarded | | |
| Degree/Certificate | Name of Japanese university | Year awarded |
| ④ Scholarship (check <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>) <input type="checkbox"/> MONBUSHO (MEXT) Scholarship (Kokuhi-Ryugakusei) (Years awarded: ~) <input type="checkbox"/> Others (give name of the scholarship and/or the funding organization) <input type="checkbox"/> None (self) | | |

10. Past professional visit(s) to Japan

| Place | Purpose | Funded by | Year and Duration |
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11. Year Master's degree was awarded, if applicable

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| ① Name of the university | |
| ② Year obtained | |
| ③ Title | |
| ④ Brief summary of the MA thesis: (Keep length within this block.) | |

12. PhD degree expected:

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| ① Fiscal year* you expect to be awarded your degree (No later than JFY 2014) * Japanese fiscal year: from April 1 thru March 31 | |
| ② Name of the Japanese university to which your dissertation will be submitted | |
| ③ Field of your PhD research | |
| ④ Planned title of your dissertation (within 110 letters) | |
| ⑤ Language you expect to use in your dissertation | |

13. Advisors

| | ① Japanese advisor | ② Home advisor |
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| Name in full | | |
| Position & affiliation | | |
| Prior contact with or relationship to each advisor | | |

14. Brief description of your dissertation thesis

(Keep length within this block.)

15. Past and current research related to your dissertation research

(Keep length within this block.)

16. List of your theses and papers related to your dissertation.

(Keep length within this block.)

- Note
1. Indicate author, title, journal, volume and year of publication in chronological order.
 2. If published with a coauthor, indicate the page of your portion, and list the author's names in the order printed in the publication.
 3. Indicate whether the piece is your graduation thesis, master's thesis, PhD thesis, or other publication.

17. List of your main publications not directly related to your dissertation.

(Keep length within this block.)

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| Note | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Indicate author, title, journal, volume and year of publication in chronological order. 2. If published with a coauthor, indicate the page of your portion, and list the author's names in the order printed in the publication. 3. Indicate whether the piece is your graduation thesis, master's thesis, PhD thesis, or other publication. |
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18. Exchange Visit Plan

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| Note | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. State your tentative plan for visits to your Japanese advisor. These visits should be planned in consultation with both your Japanese and home advisors. 2. Japanese fiscal year: from April 1 thru March 31 | |
| Japanese Fiscal Year | Your visits to Japan (Maximum 90 days per fiscal year) | Your Japanese advisor's visits to your country (Maximum 30 days per fiscal year) |
| 2010 | days | days |
| 2011 | days | days |
| 2012 | days | days |
| 2013 | days | days |
| 2014 | days | days |

19. Your dissertation research plan under the RONPAKU Program

(State your plan for each year of the fellowship. Keep length within these blocks.)

Note 1. After you submit your PhD dissertation, it will take 6 months or more for the Japanese university to examine and judge your dissertation.
2. Indicate the approximate date when you will finish writing your dissertation and will submit it to the Japanese university.
3. Indicate clearly the final fiscal year of your RONPAKU fellowship.
(i.e., the year your PhD degree will be awarded)

(1) First year

(2) Second year

(3) Third year

(4) Fourth year

(5) Fifth year

20. Provide an abstract of your latest publication related to your dissertation research
(Keep length within this block.)

I hereby certify the statements above to be true and correct.

Date

Applicant's signature