

JAPAN SOCIETY FOR THE PROMOTION OF SCIENCE

**JSPS RONPAKU (Dissertation PhD) Program for FY 2014
APPLICATION FORM**

1. Name in full	shade ■ (FAMILY NAME) (First Name) (Middle Name)		(Write in Chinese characters, if any)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Mr. <input type="checkbox"/> Ms.		
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) Form 3 must be submitted together with this form to your Japanese advisor. PDF files are accepted when sending Form2 and Form3
 - (6) Form 1 is to be filled out by your Japanese advisor.

6. Details of Previous Higher Education

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

School	Location	Degree	Field	Year of graduation

7. Details of Previous Employment

Institution	Location	Position/Duties (State full-time or part-time)	Year (from/to)

8. Language Proficiency Information

① First language									
② Language Ability(5:excellent.....1:Poor)									
	Reading	Writing	Understanding	Speaking					
Japanese	5 4 3 2 1	5 4 3 2 1	5 4 3 2 1	5 4 3 2 1					
English	5 4 3 2 1	5 4 3 2 1	5 4 3 2 1	5 4 3 2 1					
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③ Study of Japanese language (State period of study; name and place of institution, if applicable)									

9. Past course study in a Japanese university

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 (shade ■)		
<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

11. Year Master's degree was awarded, if applicable

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:

① Fiscal year* you expect to be awarded your degree (No later than JFY 2016) * 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
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. Your 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, or other publication.

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

(Keep length within this block.)

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, or other publication.

18. Awards(Please indicate title, organization and year)

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19. Exchange Visit Plan

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	(a)Your visits to Japan	(b)Your Japanese advisor's visits to your country
2014	days/ time(s)	days/ time(s)
2015	days/ time(s)	days/ time(s)
2016	days/ time(s)	days/ time(s)

* RONPAKU fellows and their Japanese advisors can visit each other's countries multiple times during a fiscal year. However, the combined days of visits by (a) the fellow and (b) his/her Japanese advisor should be at least 30 days during a fiscal year. For example, if a fellow schedules one visit for 60 days and another for 30 days during FY2014, then "90 days/2 times" should be entered in the FY2014 (a) column.

20. 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

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

[Empty text box for abstract]

22. Nominating Organizations

If your institution comes under the jurisdiction of one of the JSPS nominating organization listed below, you must contact that organization in your home country to be nominated to JSPS. If your institution is not in a country listed below, you are not required to contact a JSPS nominating organization.

(1) Please check “✓” the nominating organization that you have contacted in your home country to be nominated to JSPS.

check	Country	Nominating Organizations
	Bangladesh	University Grants Commission of Bangladesh (UGC)
	China	Chinese Academy of Sciences (CAS)
		Chinese Academy of Social Sciences (CASS)
		China Scholarship Council (CSC)
	Indonesia	Directorate General of Higher Education (DGHE), Department of National Education
		Indonesian Institute of Sciences (LIPI)
	Malaysia	Vice Chancellors' Council of National Universities in Malaysia (VCC)
	Mongolia	Ministry of Education, Culture and Science of Mongolia (MECS)
	Philippines	Department of Science and Technology (DOST)
	Thailand	National Research Council of Thailand (NRCT)
	Vietnam	Vietnam Academy of Science and Technology (VAST)
	Egypt	Ministry of Higher Education (MOHE)

(2) If you have not checked a nominating organization, even when your institution is located in one of the above countries, please state your reason for not doing so.

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

Date

Applicant's signature*

*Note: Electronic signatures and attached digital images are accepted by JSPS.