Early February

Open call for applications



Mid-April to early June

Acceptance of applications via the JSPS Electronic Application System



July to August

First-stage Document Review

Each application undergoes a document review conducted by six reviewers appointed in the applicable field (Evaluation criteria include the idea and originality of the research plan, and the researcher's potentials)



August to September

Second-stage Document Review

Applications close to the borderline are awarded scores for the second time based on the results of the first-stage document reviews

