

## General Information

**Location** 5-37-1, Gion, Asaminami-ku, Hiroshima-shi, 731-0192, Hiroshima, JAPAN

**Website** <http://www.hue.ac.jp/english>

### Overview

Hiroshima University of Economics (HUE) was established in 1967. There are approximately 3,000 students on campus as of May 2017. Since the start of international cooperation with overseas schools & universities, HUE has accepted more than 500 short-term exchange students from a wide variety of countries & regions, including China, Korea, Poland, Germany, France, Denmark, Indonesia, Mexico, Portugal, Georgia, Slovenia, Russia, Turkey, Taiwan, Ukraine, Vietnam and Spain, Brazil.

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### Academic Calendar

**Spring/Summer** beginning of April to the beginning of August

**Fall/Winter** mid of September to the beginning of February

**Application Procedure** \*also see [http://www.hue.ac.jp/english/entr/step\\_admissions.html](http://www.hue.ac.jp/english/entr/step_admissions.html)

Please be sure to prepare all documents and send them  
(via International coordinator/advisor) to:

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## Office of International Exchange

## Incoming Exchange Student Information



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#### Language Requirement (for English program)

Note that we require every applicant to enclose his/her language proficiency certificates such as TOEFL/TOEIC/IELTS.

<Score/Mark/Result requirement>

TOEFL ITP... 500 or above

TOEFL IBT... 70 or above

TOEIC... 750 or above

IELTS... 5.5 or above

Other certificates under CEFR... B2 or above

For [Onsite Area Studies Program conducted in Japanese, JLPT N3 or above](#) is preferred

#### Programs available for exchange students

##### **Undergraduate Program**

##### **Area of Concentration**

Business/Management, Law, Finance, Economics: taught in English

Japanese Language courses (required): taught in both English and Japanese

**OASP students may take intensively Japanese language courses but number of courses could vary depending on the language proficiency of the applicants.**

##### **Grading System**

Japan based. Every course is 2 credits (or 4 ECTS),

but Japanese Language course is 1 credit each (or 2 ECTS)

The grades run from AA to C, and F.

AA is the highest grade and C is the lowest passing grade.

Below C is an F or Fail. (AA... 100-90, A... 89-80, B... 79-70, C... 69-60, F... 59-0)

#### Orientation

The incoming students will have to attend an orientation session which takes place a week before the semester begins. The first half will involve Japanese students taking students to the Ward Office, around the campus and accommodation, and to the city center. The second half of orientation will involve information regarding classes, program calendar, some important schedule and etc..

#### Immigration

The incoming students for this exchange program are required to apply for the International Student VISA. The HUE CIEE will provide the matriculation certificate and certificate of eligibility, which you will need to apply for VISA.

#### International student guide

The CIEE staff member will provide the link or access information regarding the website information where incoming students can collect necessary information about their stay.



## General Background

### Food

Lunch is provided in the school cafeteria.  
The cost is between 200 and 550 yen.

\* 1US\$ = ¥111.32 / 1€ = ¥124.64  
(as of June 26, 2017)

### Transport

On the day the students arrives, one of the CIEE staff members will pick up him/her at either Hiroshima station or Nakasuji station. The detailed pickup information will be given 1-2 weeks prior to arrival.



### Campus facilities

Free access to the Wi-Fi system, computers, study rooms available in the campus. Use of sports facilities\* such as the gym are also available free of charge.

(\*available during periods when facilities are not in use by club students)



### Housing

CIEE will assign the students to accommodation facilities. Details will be sent from the CIEE once students are confirmed.

### Health Insurance

All international students are required to purchase and hold their own health insurance covering illnesses and accidents during the period of time they stay in Japan. Furthermore, students who stay for more than 3 months will be required by Law to attain the Japan National Insurance.

