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International Center

Acceptance of Students from Abroad and Dispatch of KIT Students Abroad

1. Acceptance of Overseas Students

(1) Acceptance of Exchange Students

① Exchange students who wish to take classes at KIT

As a general rule, students will not be accepted at KIT when within 3 months prior to the beginning of the term in which the student wishes to take classes, they are requested to submit a Written pledge (Residence Track), refused entry to Japan, requested to quarantine at home or another place after landing in Japan, or banned from using public transportation from the airport (hereinafter referred to as "entry restrictions, etc.") is in place.

However, if a representative of the target program/major of the prospective student judges that it is possible to guarantee the quality of education through online classes, and the prospective recipient understands the disadvantages of the time differences and language barriers, etc. and wishes to take the classes online, KIT will consider the case on an individual basis and decide whether or not to accept the student.

② Exchange students who will not take classes at KIT, but will conduct research in the prospective host laboratory

Students may begin to physically attend KIT approximately three months after they are no longer subject to immigration restrictions. In principle, KIT laboratory research is only available to persons physically present at KIT.

(2) Acceptance of degree students and research students

(Here, degree students refers to: students who have already enrolled in or been admitted to Joint/Double Degree Programs, Mongolia Twinning Programs, Malaysian government scholarships or accepted at KIT through government programs such as the ABE Initiative and JICA training programs, etc.)

The KIT President will make student acceptance decisions after due consideration of various circumstances, such as requests from the Japanese government and/or a counterpart government. For degree students, consideration will be given to their classes upon request, and for research students, online instruction will be available.

If a student is prohibited from using public transportation from the airport to KIT at the time of his/her arrival in Japan, alternative transportation will not be provided by KIT.

(3) Summer school and other short-term programs sponsored by KIT and international workshops

KIT will not accept summer school and/or other similar program students when there are immigration restrictions on participants (prospective participants).

(4) Other types of student acceptance (e.g., short-term research supervision, internships, etc.)

If there are immigration restrictions on a prospective student, he/she will not be accepted.

2. Dispatch of KIT Students Abroad

(1) Exchange programs (including overseas study through "Tobitate! Study Abroad JAPAN")

If, one month prior to the planned departure date, the infectious disease risk for the country/region concerned is Level 3 or higher, in principle, the student will not be dispatched.

However, if a student wishes to be dispatched at Level 3 after having a proper understanding of the risk information, and if the host institution provides sufficient support to the student to ensure his/her safety, etc., the president of KIT will decide whether or not to dispatch the student after considering various circumstances, such as the necessity of study at the proposed location abroad as it relates to the student's degree acquisition.

For Infectious disease risk at Level 2 and below, students will be dispatched on the premise that they agree in advance to terms separately stipulated by KIT.

(2) Dispatch of Joint/Double Degree Program Students

As a rule, students will not be dispatched to any country or region with a Level 3 or higher infectious disease risk one month prior to the planned date of departure.

However, if the student wishes to be dispatched to a Level 3 location, has a proper understanding of the risk, and the host institution provides sufficient support for the student's safety, etc., the KIT president will consider dispatch on a case-by-case basis, taking into account various circumstances such as the necessity of study at the proposed location abroad as it relates to the student's degree acquisition.

For risk Level 2 and below, students will be dispatched on the premise that they

agree in advance to terms separately stipulated by KIT.

(3) Other short-term dispatch programs organized by KIT, such as summer schools and short-term overseas language study programs.

If risk is assessed at Level 2 or lower, the student will be dispatched on the condition that he/she agrees in advance to the matters separately stipulated by KIT.

(4) Other Student Dispatch (international academic conference attendance, international joint research participation, etc.)

If the infectious disease risk for a student's target country/region is assessed at Level 3 or higher, the student will not be sent to that country/region.

In the case of a Level 2 or lower risk assessment, the student will be dispatched on the premise that he/she agrees in advance to terms separately stipulated by KIT.