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日本学術振興会 (JSPS)

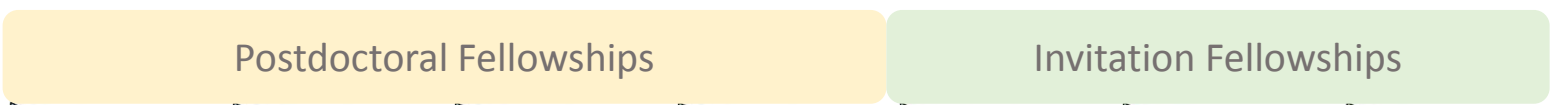
- Established in 1932
- Independent Administrative Institution with the following functions



Major Functions

1. Provide funding support for research initiatives
2. Fosters researchers of the next generation
3. Supports international collaborations
4. Advances university reform

JSPS Fellowship Programs for Research in Japan



Summer Program



Eligibility	Period	Support
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ A citizen of US, UK, France, Germany, Canada or Sweden ▪ Master student, Ph.D. candidate, or Ph.D. (within past 6 years) or 	<p>June 14 to August 24, 2016</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Round-trip airfare ▪ Maintenance Allowances (534,000 yen) ▪ Insurance ▪ Research-related expenses at the host Institution (158,500 yen) <p><i>* Subject to change</i></p>

Submission
 ▪ Through **DAAD**

Submission Deadline
 January 15, 2016



Postdoctoral Fellowship (Short-term) for North American and European Researchers

Eligibility	Period	Support
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ US, Canada, EU Countries, Switzerland, Norway and Russia ▪ Ph.D. (within past 6 years) or Ph.D. candidate (scheduled to receive within 2 years) 	<p>1 to 12 months</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Roundtrip air ticket ▪ Monthly allowance (¥362K/€2,784 for PhD; ¥200K/€1,538 for pre-PhD) ▪ Settling-in allowance of ¥200K/€1,538 (for more than 3 months stay) ▪ Research support allowance up to ¥81K or €623/month ▪ Overseas travel insurance coverage

Submission

- Through **DAAD** (PhD candidates and Postdoc for less than 6 months' stay)
- Through **AvH** (Postdoc for more than 6 months' stay)
- Japanese host submits applications to JSPS (Tokyo)

Submission to Japan	Starting*
July 2015	Jan. 2016 – Mar. 2016
October 2015	Apr. 2016 – Mar. 2017
January 2016	July. 2016 – Mar. 2017
April 2016	Oct. 2016 – Mar. 2017



Postdoctoral Fellowship (Standard)

Eligibility	Period	Support
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ All countries* ▪ Ph.D. (within past 6 years) <p><small>*countries that have diplomatic relations with Japan</small></p>	<p>12 to 24 months</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Roundtrip air ticket ▪ Monthly allowance (¥362K/€2,784) ▪ Settling-in allowance of ¥200K/€1,538 ▪ Research support allowance (up to ¥1.5M/year ≈ €11,538/year) to cover cooperative research expenses ▪ Overseas travel insurance coverage

Submission

- Through **AvH**
- Japanese host submits applications to JSPS (Tokyo)

Submission	Starting date	Number of Awarded
September 2015	April-September 2016	120 person
May 2016	September-November 2016	120 person



Invitation Fellowship Program (Long-term)

Eligibility	Period	Support
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ All countries* ▪ Assistant & Associate professors, and Professors ▪ Ph.D. more than 6 years 	<p>2 to 10 months</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Roundtrip air ticket ▪ Monthly maintenance allowance (¥369K ≈ €2,838) ▪ Domestic research trip allowance (¥100K ≈ €769) ▪ Research expenses (¥40K ≈ €307) ▪ Overseas travel insurance coverage

*countries that have diplomatic relations with Japan

Submission

- Japanese host submits applications to JSPS (Tokyo)

Submission	Starting Date	Number
September	April 1- March 31 of the following year	80 person



Invitation Fellowship Program (Short-term)

Eligibility	Period	Support
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ All countries* ▪ Researchers in a position equivalent to a professor or associate professor in Japan <p style="font-size: small; margin-top: 10px;">*countries that have diplomatic relations with Japan</p>	<p>14 to 60 days</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Roundtrip air ticket ▪ Daily allowance (¥18K ≈ €138) ▪ Domestic Travel Allowance (¥150K ≈ €1,153) ▪ Overseas travel insurance coverage

Submission

- Through **DAAD**
- Japanese host submits applications to JSPS (Tokyo)

Submission	Starting Date	Number
September 2015	April 1, 2016 — March 31, 2017	110 person
May 2016	October 1, 2016 – March 31, 2017	100 person



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Features of JSPS Fellowships

- **Open** to applicants around the world
- Applied to **all fields of research** including the humanities, social sciences and natural sciences
- Tailored to a full spectrum of researchers **from young researchers to eminent scientists**
- Given flexible durations **from short to long terms**
- Made available to **all universities and research institutions in Japan**
- You have to have a **host researcher** in Japan



To apply for JSPS Programs

Find a matching Japanese host, please contact well in advance.

▶ researchmap

<http://researchmap.jp/> (also in English)

Researchers,

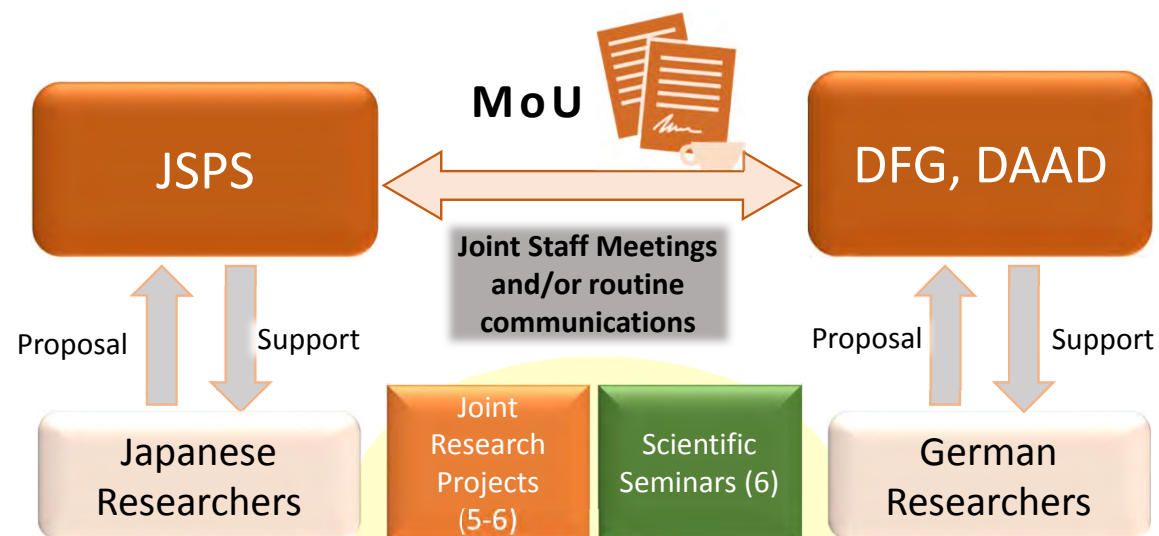
Universities,

Institutes,

Regions,

Research fields

Bilateral Cooperation Based on MoUs



Specific countries, Specific fields, Joint supports prerequisite, based upon agreement

Bilateral Researcher Exchange Program

Eligibility	Period	Support
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ A citizen of Germany ▪ Professoren bzw. promovierte Wissenschaftler an Hochschulen oder akademischen Forschungseinrichtungen 	<p>2 weeks to 3 months</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Air ticket (maximum 1,075 euro) ▪ Daily or monthly allowance ▪ Travel allowance for reseach within Japan (50,000 yen) ▪ Overseas travel insurance coverage

Submission

- Through **DAAD**

Submission	Starting Date
November 15, 2015	April 1, 2016 – September 30, 2016
March 15, 2016	October 1, 2016 – March 31, 2017



Bilateral Joint Research Project

Ziel des Programms ist die Intensivierung der Kooperation zwischen japanischen und deutschen Forschergruppen, die gemeinsam an einem spezifischen wissenschaftlichen Vorhaben arbeiten. Ein besonderes Gewicht liegt dabei auf der Fortbildung und Spezialisierung des wissenschaftlichen Nachwuchses.

Prerequisite	Target	Support
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Application can be made only through institutions. ▪ Japanese partner insitution should make application in Japan. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Wissenschaftler/innen, Hochschullehrer/innen, (Post-)Doktoranden und Graduierten (mind. Bachelorabschluss / Master) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 15,000 euro per year/project

Submission

- Through **DAAD**

Submission
September



Bilateral Joint Seminars

DFG and JSPS agree to jointly support research collaboration between Germany and Japan and provide funding for holding joint seminars.
For details, please refer to the DFG website.

http://dfg.de/dfg_profil/im_internationalen_kontext/internationale_partner/Japan/index.html

Submission

- Through **DFG**



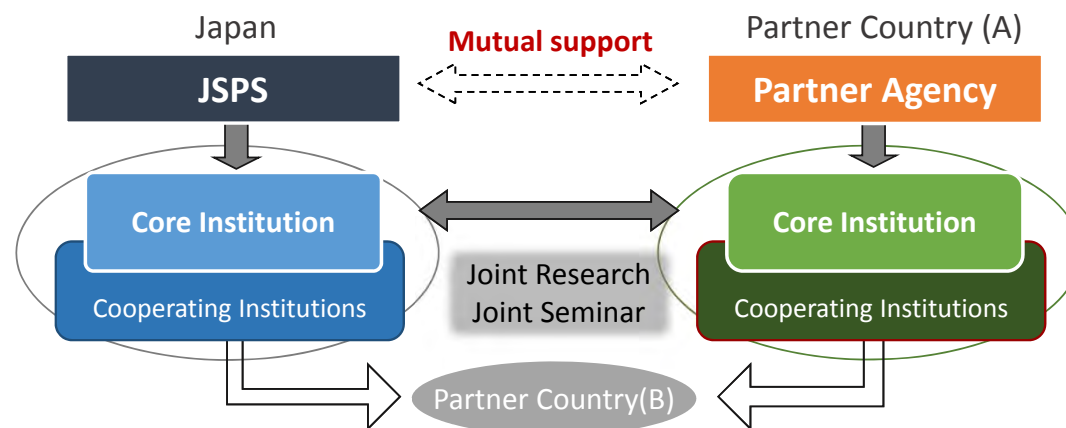
Core-to-Core Program -Type A. Advanced Research Networks-

OBJECTIVE

- ◆ Promote international collaboration in cutting-edge fields and create world-class research hubs
- ◆ Foster young researchers through networks among the most advanced research institutions in Japan and other countries

FUNDING

- ◆ Up to JPY 20 million/year/project x 5 years for Japanese
- ◆ Matching funds in partner countries are required



For more information



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Thank you for your attention!

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