

Multicultural Coexistence?  
Garden Tourism?  
Science Communication?  
Cosmosciences?  
Space Policy?  
Biomedicine?  
Oral Rehabilitation?  
Bioimaging?  
Japanese Literature?  
Medical Physics?  
Big Data?  
Art?  
Social Ecology?  
Green Energy?  
Bioimaging?  
Acoustics?

*This summer,  
discover  
the world anew*



2018  
June - September



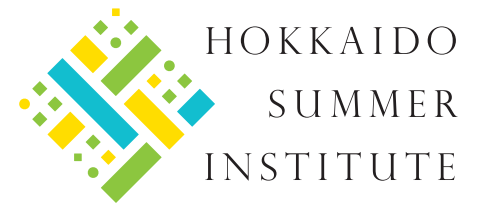
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*Seemingly unrelated worlds will link to each other somehow.  
Join us and have new experiences along with  
international students at HSI this summer.*

Hokkaido Summer Institute (HSI) is a program that brings together world-leading researchers with proven educational and research records, and provides educational courses in cooperation with the Hokkaido University (HU) faculty members. In 2018, more than 160 researchers from over 110 universities/research institutes from all over the world will gather at HU.

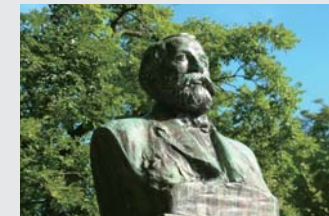
HSI also allows its participants to expand their knowledge of subjects in world-class research fields of HU which used to be open only to students of the University. Program participants have an opportunity to attend classes by attractive educational techniques such as field training using Hokkaido's extensive land, and active learning to develop human resources capable of thriving on the world stage.

The medium of instruction at HSI is English. This provides international students with a stress-free learning environment without having to worry about language barriers, and also creates a special opportunity for Japanese students, who can audit classes taught by internationally acclaimed researchers. The University has high expectations that the HSI students cultivate a better understanding of other cultures and improve communication skills through exchanges with researchers and students from other countries. Off-campus events and field trips are also planned to let the participants enjoy Hokkaido's beautiful summer.



## Hokkaido University

Hokkaido University is one of the oldest, largest, and most prestigious universities in Japan. The university has the largest number of faculties out of Japan's national universities, covering almost all area of the humanities and social and natural sciences. Furthermore, we are one of the leading institutions for research activities in Japan and worldwide. We offer a comprehensive educational experience, world-class research facilities, and all the attractions of living in the cosmopolitan city of Sapporo. The atmosphere is warm and welcoming, our campuses clean and safe, and we are located in a breath-takingly beautiful setting.



## Sapporo and Hokkaido

Sapporo is the 5th most populated city in Japan with a population of 1.9 million. Even though it is a big city, Sapporo is surrounded by a beautiful natural environment that makes one forget that you are in an urban setting. Sapporo strength is not only its beauty, but also its safety, delicious and fresh foods, and its comfortable climate. During Hokkaido Summer Institute, numerous cultural events will be held—such as the YOSAKOI Soran Dance Festival, the Annual Hokkaido Shrine Festival, Pacific Music Festival, Sapporo Beer Garden, and river-side fireworks display—and we know that participants will make the most of their time with us at HU; and of course, visitors can enjoy stunning views of nature by traveling a short distance to our surrounding towns to get a complete Hokkaido experience.



## Collaborative Institutions

- Aarhus University   ○Advanced Science and Technology Institute
- Aichi Gakuin University   ○Aix-Marseille University
- Algarve University   ○Arizona State University
- Ateneo de Manila University   ○Barcelona University
- Bogor Agricultural University   ○Budapest Business School
- Ca' Foscari University of Venice   ○Chiba University
- City University of Hong Kong   ○Duke-NUS Medical School
- Economic Research Institute for Northeast Asia   ○English Heritage
- Far Eastern Federal University   ○Free University of Berlin
- Fukushima Medical University   ○Georgia State University
- Hachinohe Institute of Technology
- Hokkaido Pharmaceutical University
- Hong Kong Polytechnic University   ○Hosei University
- Institut français de recherche pour l'exploitation de la mer
- Institut Mines Telecom Atlantique
- Institute of Space and Astronautical Science
- Institute of Technology of Cambodia
- Integrated Ocean Drilling Program   ○International Union of Pupperty
- Irkutsk State University   ○Japan Aerospace Exploration Agency
- Japan Agency for Marine-Earth Science and Technology
- Kaohsiung Medical University   ○Karolinska Institute
- Keio University   ○Kyoto University Design School
- Kyushu University
- Landcare Research (Wildlife Ecology & Management)
- Multimedia University
- Nagasaki University   ○Nagoya University
- National Chiao Tung University   ○National Institute for Defense Studies
- National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology
- National Institute of Information and Communications Technology
- National Taiwan University   ○National Tsing Hua University
- National University of Singapore   ○NHK
- North-Eastern Federal University
- Oregon Health and Science University
- Osaka University   ○Pacific National University
- Paris 13 University   ○Pohang University of Science and Technology
- Princeton University   ○Ritsumeikan University
- Ruhr University of Bochum   ○Sakhalin State University
- San Diego State University   ○Semmelweis University
- Seoul National University   ○Seoul Women's University
- Shanghai Institute of Materia Medica   ○Shantou University
- Shumisha   ○Sigma Space Systems
- Stanford University   ○Stockholm School of Economics
- Sungkyunkwan University   ○Tata Institute of Fundamental research
- Temple University   ○Texas A&M University
- Thammasat University   ○The Chinese University of Hong Kong
- The Pennsylvania State University   ○The University of Auckland
- The University of British Columbia   ○The University of Edinburgh
- The University of Melbourne   ○The University of Western Washington
- Tokyo Institute of Technology   ○Tsinghua University
- Universite de Montreal   ○Universite Paris-sud
- University College Dublin   ○University of Alaska Fairbanks
- University of Alberta   ○University of Calgary
- University of California Santa Cruz   ○University of Cergy-Pontoise
- University of Eastern Finland   ○University of Galway
- University of Genova   ○University of Groningen
- University of Luxembourg   ○University of Massachusetts
- University of Northern Arizona   ○University of Oslo
- University of Otago   ○University of Oxford
- University of Reading
- University of Science and Technology of Hanoi
- University of Technology Sydney   ○University of the Ryukyus
- University of Victoria Wellington   ○University of Western Australia
- Wuhan University of Technology
- Yokohama National University
- Yonsei University   ○York University
- Zhejiang University

### Program

June 4-September 12, 2018

### Courses

HSI 2018 will offer 120 courses.  
Undergraduate: 15 Graduate: 105

### Credit

Credit will be awarded upon completion.

### Accommodation

HU's student dormitories are home to international students and Japanese tutors alike. Estimate monthly rent: 50,000 yen (It is subject to change.) (Rent fees depend on the dormitory and the duration of stay.)

### Fees

Tuition fee: 14,800 yen per credit  
Tuition fee will be waived for students who enroll in the program as exchange students from partner institutions with which HU has concluded a memorandum of understanding on mutual tuition waivers.

### Online Application

February 1-28, 2018

<http://hokkaidosummerinstitute.oia.hokudai.ac.jp>

## Participants' Voices

(as received)



Great!!! It's my best summer!  
I really enjoyed my stay here,  
and I would recommend  
this HSI program to everyone!

It's really nice experience during  
the HSI. I found a newer and  
bigger world! Thanks for  
the wonderful opportunity.



I love Hokkaido! Really enjoyed  
the time studying here.  
This program helps me to build  
relation with other students from  
different nationality, learn many  
things and experience good activities.

