# Yokohama National University Summer Program 2018

# July 3<sup>rd</sup> to 13<sup>th</sup>, 2018 in Yokohama, Japan

## Your Future Starts Here!

This is a two-week intensive program designed for highly motivated students mainly from our partner universities around the world. This program allows participants to experience the campus life at Yokohama National University (YNU) first-hand and to gain a deeper understanding of Japanese life and culture as well. Participants will also have opportunities to interact with YNU students through various activities, including project work and excursion tours. If desired, academic counseling for future studies at YNU is available. Don't miss this chance to be a part of our Summer Program!

#### Yokohama National University (YNU)

Yokohama, the home of YNU, is widely known as an important base for international business in Japan, having a long history of international trade since 1859, when Yokohama became one of the first trading ports in Japan. Reflecting the history and international atmosphere of the city, YNU has been committed to playing a global role and promoting international exchange activities. It has also been widely recognized as one of the leading universities in Japan for its high quality of education.



### Why Choose the Summer Program at YNU?

#### 1 Lectures on Japanese culture and society Besides attending the lectures, you will also enjoy hands-on learning experience such as Japanese brush calligraphy and flower arrangement.

Note: Contents are subject to change due to the availability of instructors.

- 2 Diverse opportunities to interact with YNU students In addition to working together on a project for a poster presentation, you will find a variety of opportunities to interact with YNU students while attending lectures and going on exciting excursion tours. YNU volunteer students are willing to support you in class and out of class.
- **Exciting excursion tours to Japan's past and present** You will visit intriguing corporate museums and historical sites in the Yokohama area with some YNU students.
- A great opportunity for prospective YNU students If you are considering pursuing your graduate studies at YNU in the future, our summer program could be the perfect option for you ; you will be able to attend some of the lectures and seminars offered at YNU. Japanese language classes are also available as an option.
- 5 Weekend homestay experience with a Japanese family This has been one of the most popular parts of our summer program.



#### Duration

July 3rd –July 13th, 2018 Note: Participating students will be requested to arrive in Japan by July 2nd, 2018.

#### 2 Course Schedule

Program Timetable (Tentative)

	July 2nd (Mon)		July 3th (Tue)	July 4th (Wed)	July 5th (Thu)	July 6th (Fri)	July 7th (Sat)	July 8th (Sun)
8:50-10:20	/		ening Ceremony, gram Orientation		Elective Class	Elective Class	Homestay (With Japanese Family)	
10:30-12:00		Ca	mpus Tour, etc.	All day Excursion	Elective Class	Elective Class		
12:00-13:00			Lunch Break		Lunch Break	Lunch Break		
13:00-14:30			Orientation & roject Work 1		Japanese Culture Class	Japanese Culture Class		
14:40-16:00			TOJECT WORK T		Academic Counseling & Admission Orientation	Homestay Orientation & Homestay		
	July 9th (Mon)		July 10th (Tue)	July 11th (Wed)	July 12th (Thu)	July 13th (Fri)		
8:50-10:20	Project Work 2		Elective Class	All day Excursion	Project Work 4	Project Work		
10:30-12:00	Project Work 3		Elective Class		Project Work 5	6 & 7 (Poster Presentation)		
12:00-13:00	Lunch Break		Lunch Break		Lunch Break	Lunch		
13:00-14:30	Japanese Culture Class		Japanese Culture Class		Japanese Culture Class	Closing Ceremony		
14:40-16:00							]	

Note: Regarding the classes in the white, you are required to select from the following: 1) regular lectures or seminars offered in Japanese; 2) regular lectures or seminars offered in English 3) regular Japanese language courses; and 4) survival Japanese course for homestay (5th and 6th only).

#### Eligibility

This program is designed mainly for students from our partner universities; however, we are also open to considering applicants from other universities.

- The applicants must be able to communicate in English.
- Japanese language ability is advantageous, but not required.

Note: Selection will take place after screening the application documents.

#### 4 Program Fee

JPY 70,000 (Tax included) Note: This cost includes tuition, course material, and excursion fees.

#### 5 Cancellation Policy

If the enrolled student cancels before the 1st day of the course, YNU will provide a partial refund of JPY 50,000. JPY 20,000 (Admission/Enrollment fee and bank charges) will not be refunded.

#### 6 Payment

The procedure for payment will be informed from YNU to the selected students individually after their enrollment has been confirmed.

#### 7 Accommodation

- 1. The students will stay at a budget hotel on weekdays, and stay with a Japanese host family on the first weekend of the course (2 nights). Arrangements for the accommodation during the course duration, including one day before and after the program (Jul. 2–Jul. 14) will be made by YNU.
- 2. Accommodation fees are to be borne by each student; except for the homestay. All the Japanese host families have kindly offered to host the students as volunteers with the exclusion accommodation cost.
- 3. Estimated accommodation fee will be JPY 6,000 per night.

Note: Accommodation fees may vary according to hotel room vacancy.

#### 8 Visas

All participants must obtain a "short term stay visa" at their own responsibility and expense prior to entering Japan. This visa must be valid throughout the entire course duration.

In the case that any supporting documents are required from YNU for the visa application, please contact us.

Note: Citizens of countries and regions with visa exemption agreement with Japan are not required to obtain a visa. For more information, please refer to the following website:

#### http://www.mofa.go.jp/j\_info/visit/visa/short/novisa.html

#### Documents required for application / Application period

Other details for application will be uploaded to our website approximately February – March 2018 (*http://www.ynu.ac.jp/hus/kokukyo/19528/detail.html*) and will be updated as necessary. Detailed information is also available by scanning the QR code on the right.



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