



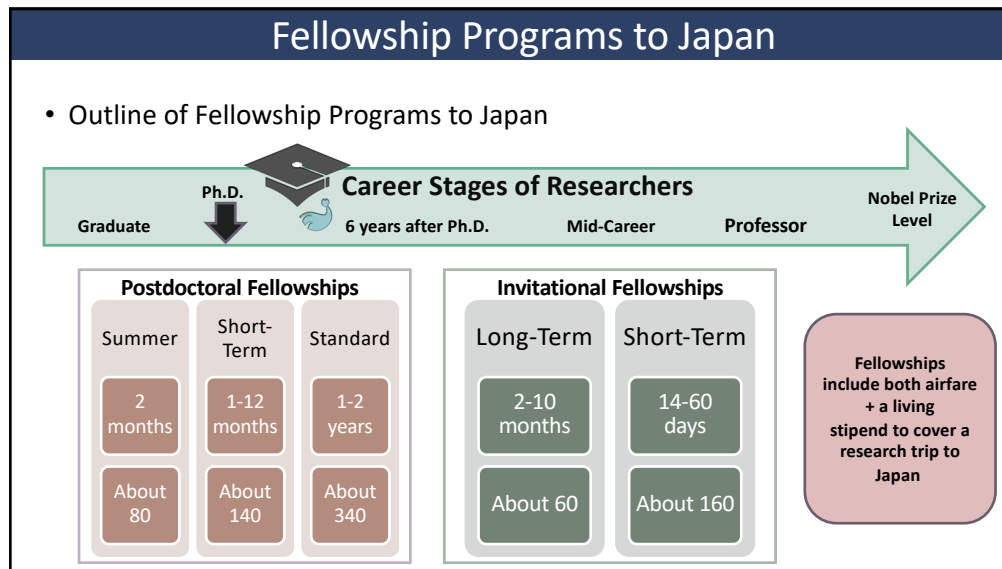
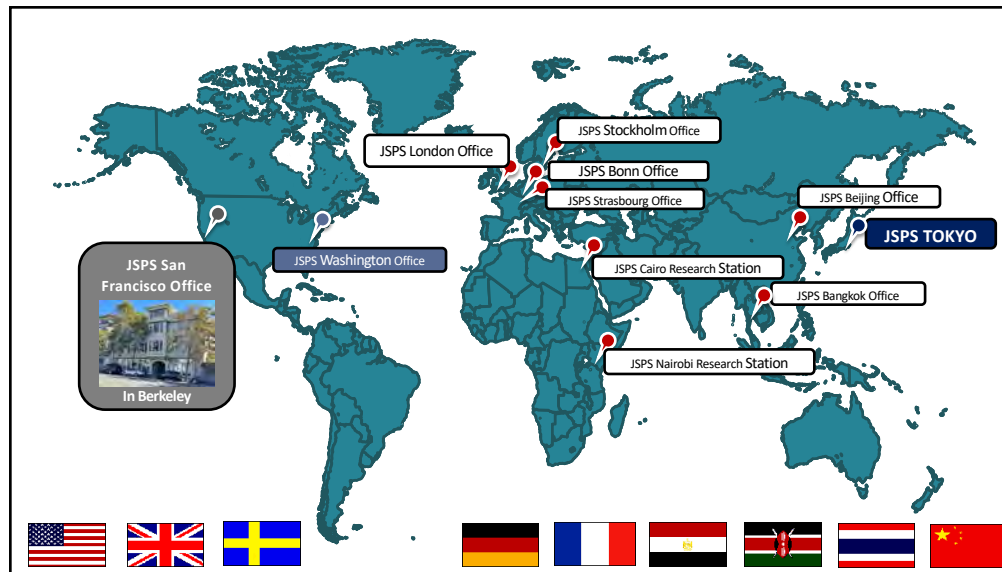
About Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (JSPPS)



JSPPS Headquarters
Established in 1932
The Largest Funding Agency in Japan
Budget FY2023:
Approx. 2.0 Billion USD


JSPPS San Francisco Office
Established in 2003,
Over 20 years!

Fellowship Information Academic Symposia Tracking US, Canada Academic Trends

The slide contains a world map with two callout boxes. The first callout box points to Japan and contains information about the JSPPS Headquarters. The second callout box points to the San Francisco area and contains information about the JSPPS San Francisco Office. Below the map are three rectangular boxes: 'Fellowship Information', 'Academic Symposia', and 'Tracking US, Canada Academic Trends'.

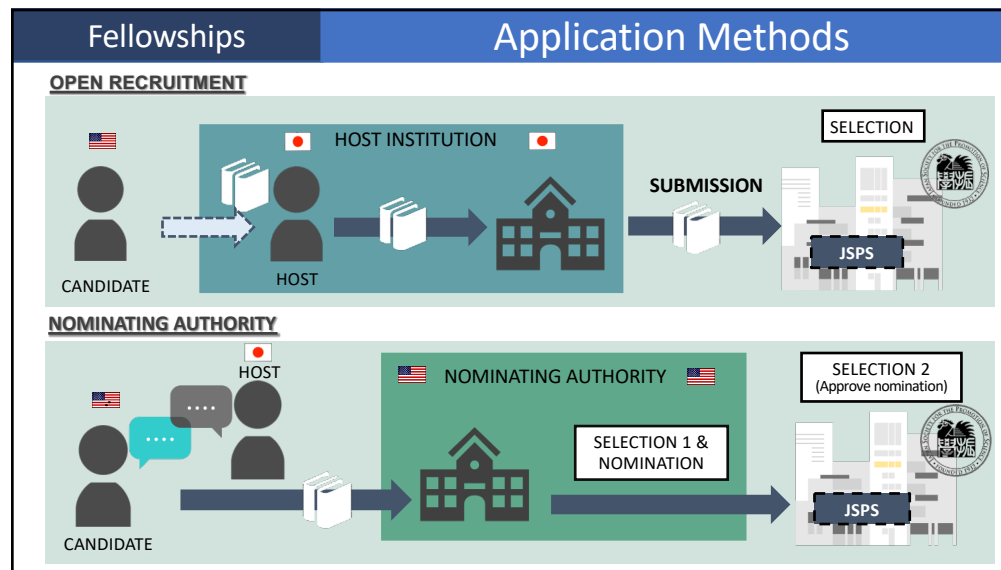


Fellowships	Agenda
 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li data-bbox="856 272 1520 326">Fellowship Overview <li data-bbox="856 337 1520 440">Application procedures <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Via Open Recruitment and Nominating Authority • Application Materials <li data-bbox="856 451 1520 537">Timeframe <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Different deadlines? <li data-bbox="856 548 1520 602">How to find host researchers <li data-bbox="856 613 1520 667">Helpful Information



Fellowships	Overview
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Available to all fields • Includes living stipend, round-trip air travel, travel insurance, research support allowance • Variety of programs to match your career and purpose • Multiple application opportunities available throughout the year • Focuses on academic value of your research plan • Applied for with the cooperation of a host researcher in Japan

Fellowships	Features
<p>We have fellowship programs for:</p> <p style="background-color: #e6e6fa; padding: 2px;"><u><i>US and non-US Citizens</i></u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ph.D. Candidates (within 2 years of receiving Ph.D. degree) • Postdoctoral Scholars • Professors • and Other Researchers... <p style="background-color: #e6e6fa; padding: 2px; text-align: center;"><u><i>of all fields!</i></u></p>	
<p>Please check here for your eligibility:</p> <p>https://www.jpsusa-sf.org/fellowship_eligibility/fellowship_eligibility.html</p> 	



Fellowships		Overview No. 1				
Program Type	Post-doctoral			Invitational		
	Summer	Short-term	Standard	Short-term	Long-term	
Field	All Research Fields (Natural Sciences, Humanities, Social Sciences)					
Eligibility	Career	Graduate Student (includes Masters') Pre/Post-doc*	Pre/Post-doc*	Post-doc*	Mid-career/Professor	Mid-career/Professor
	Nationality	(researched in) US** , Canada, Russia, Switzerland, Norway, EU, UK (for 3 years)	(researched in) US** , Canada, Russia, Switzerland, Norway, EU, UK (for 3 years)	All Countries	All Countries	All Countries
Duration	2 mos.	1 to 12 mos.	12 to 24 mos.	14 to 60 days	2 to 10 mos.	

* Pre-doc = Ph.D. students expected to receive Ph.D. within 2 years after their JSPS Fellowship start date are also eligible.
 ** There are some exceptions. Please refer to the application guideline.
 Please refer to application guidelines for details.

Fellowships		Overview No. 2				
Program Type	Post-doctoral		Invitational			
	Short-term	Standard	Short-term	Long-term		
Open Recruitment	Available slots* [all countries]		140	330	130	50
Nominating Authority	Available slots* In USA	NIH	3	2		
		CIS at UHM	1			

* The number of available slots is approximate.
 Please refer to application guidelines for details.

Fellowships

Slot for Short-term Postdoctoral Fellowship

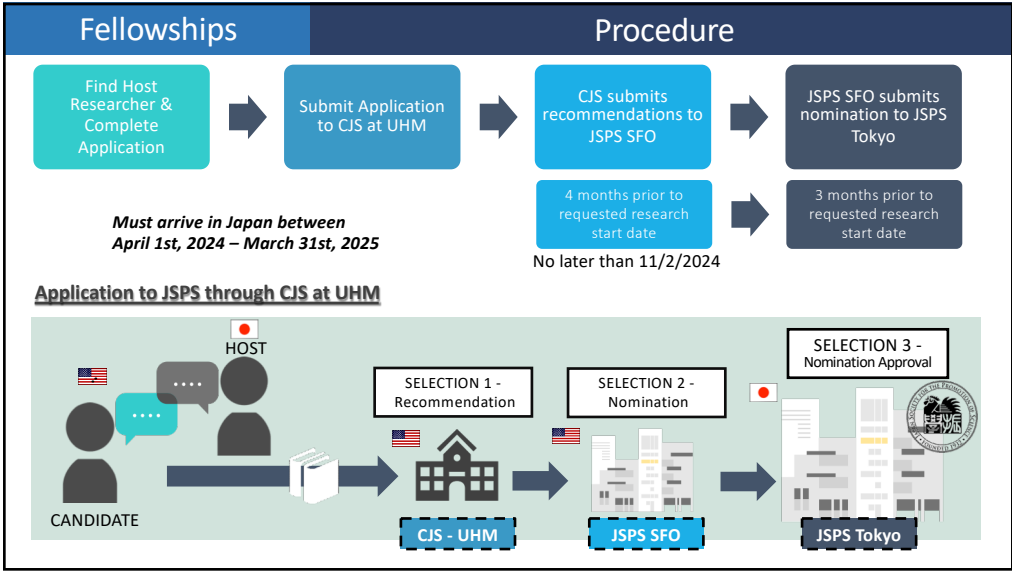
FY2024 Postdoctoral Fellowship for Research in Japan (Short-term) Fellowship

Eligibility

- Graduate Student (Graduating within 2 years) or Postdoctoral Scholar (having received their Ph.D. within 6 years)
- U.S. National, or has been studying in U.S. for 3 years
- Focus on Japan and/or Japanese studies in their research**

Slots

- 1-2 recommendations from CJS to JSPS SFO,
- 1 guaranteed nomination from JSPS SFO to JSPS Tokyo



Fellowships Application Materials

Application Materials – How to Apply!


Application Form from Overseas Candidate

- Personal Information (think CV)
- Have you received a JSPS fellowship before?
- How proficient are you in Japanese?
 - (You are not judged on this)
- Publications, awards, etc.
- **Research Plan for this fellowship**
- Academic Goals/Career Prospects after Fellowship


Letter of Recommendation from Academic Supervisor

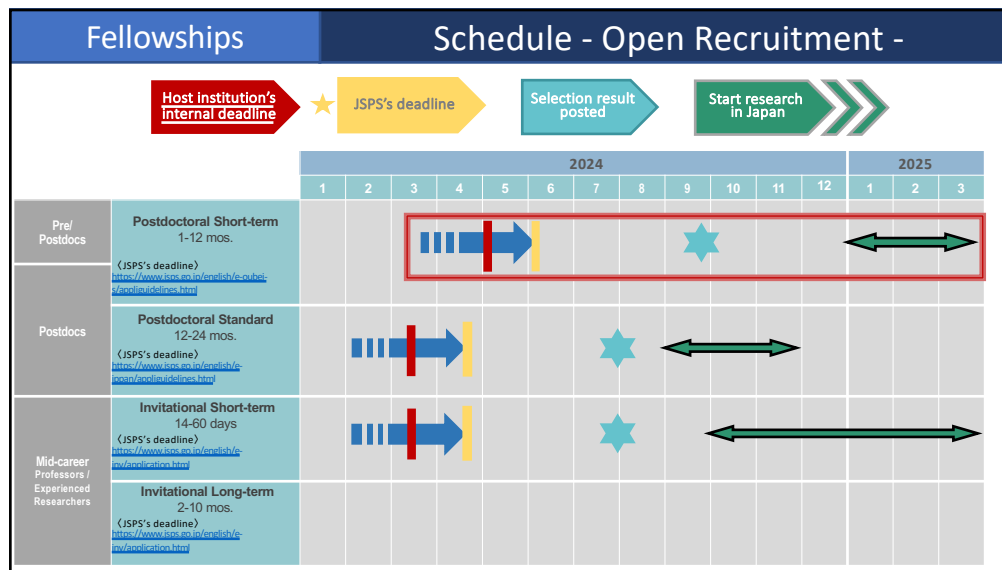
Acknowledgement Form from Applicant (Host Researcher)

* Ph.D. Students who won't graduate before arriving in Japan – an official letter stating you are on track to graduate with your Ph.D. within 2 years



Check here for more detailed information!





Fellowships

Finding a Host Researcher

All successful applicants must have the cooperation of a host researcher

- Ask your professors/colleagues
- Refer to academic journals
- Search for researchers in Japan at:



<https://researchmap.jp/?lang=en>





JSPS Researchers Network

<https://www-jsp-net.jsp.go.jp/COO>





CiNii Articles

<http://ci.nii.ac.jp/en>



Fellowships

Helpful Connections

Our JSPS alumni!





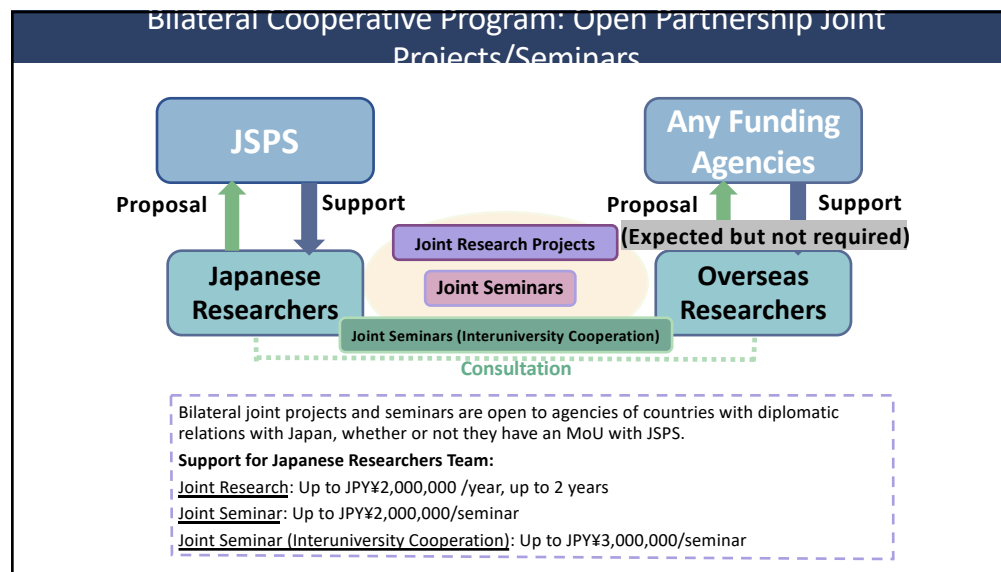
<http://www.jspusa-alumni.org/>

<https://www.jsp.go.jp/english/e-plaza/index.html>






Other International Programs



Core-to-Core Program


A. Advanced Research Networks

- Target: **Any country** in the world
- Grants: Up to 18,000,000JPY/year
- * Counterpart institutions are required to cover the cost of their researchers.
- Project Duration: 5 years



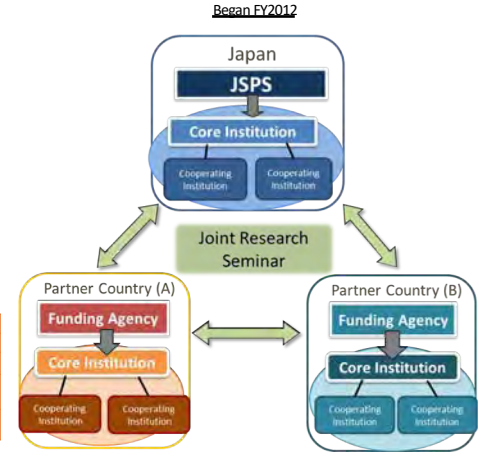
B. Asia-Africa Science Platforms

- Target: Asian and/or African countries/regions



	FY2019		FY2020		FY2021		FY2022		FY2023	
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A. Advanced	52	8	41	9	38	8	17	8	14	8
B. Asia-Africa	74	10	50	10	38	10	33	10	26	8


Began FY2012




Support for Outbound Young Japanese Researchers

Overseas Research Fellowships


- ✓ Tenure: 2 years
- ✓ Financial Support: Roundtrip international airfare, maintenance allowance (JPY ¥4,526,000 - ¥7,500,000/year/person)





Challenge Program for Young Researchers

- ✓ This program gives **doctoral students** an opportunity to go overseas to experience a new research environment
- ✓ Period of Overseas Stay: 3 to 12 months
- ✓ Financial Support: Roundtrip international airfare, maintenance allowance (JPY ¥1,000,000-¥1,400,000), bench fees (Up to JPY ¥200,000)



Fellowship Where to Find More Information

<https://www.jsps.go.jp/english/>

The screenshot shows the JSPS website homepage. The 'Programs' menu item is highlighted with a red box. In the main content area, the 'Inviting Excellent Researchers from Other Countries to Japan' link is also highlighted with a red box. The URL <https://www.jsps.go.jp/english/> is displayed at the top right.

Fellowship Where to Find More Information

The screenshot shows the 'Inviting Excellent Researchers from Other Countries to Japan' page. The 'Short-term Program' section is highlighted with a red box. The page title is 'Inviting Excellent Researchers from Other Countries to Japan'. Below the title, there is a section for 'FELLOWSHIP CATEGORIES' and a sub-section for 'JSPS International Fellowships for Research in Japan'. The 'Short-term Program' is described as providing opportunities for pre- and post-doctoral researchers from the US, Canada, and Europe to conduct research under the guidance of their hosts.

Fellowship **Where to Find More Information**

The screenshot shows the JSPS website interface. The left sidebar contains a menu with 'Program Outline' highlighted in a red box. The main content area is titled 'Short-term Program' and includes an 'Overview' section with text describing the program's purpose and a 'History' section detailing its evolution since 1987. The JSPS San Francisco Office logo is visible in the bottom right corner.

Fellowship **Where to Find More Information**

<p>Short-term Program</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ About the Program ▶ Application Procedure(Open) ▶ Selection process (Open) ▶ Application Procedure (Overseas Nominating Authority) ▶ Program Guidelines for Successful Fellows ▶ List of Fellows ▶ Selections Ratio ▶ FAQ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Selection process • List of Fellows List of current fellows and their research fields • Selections ratio *varies by year, averages around 20-30% 	<p>Standard Program</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ About the Program ▶ Application Procedure (Open) ▶ Selection process (Open) ▶ Application Procedure (Overseas Nominating Authority) ▶ Program Guidelines for Successful Fellows ▶ List of Fellows ▶ Selections Ratio ▶ Research Reports of former Fellows ▶ FAQ
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The slide provides a structured overview of information sources for both Short-term and Standard Programs. It lists various links such as 'About the Program', 'Application Procedure', 'Selection process', 'List of Fellows', and 'Selections Ratio'. The 'Selections Ratio' is specifically noted as varying by year and averaging around 20-30%. The JSPS San Francisco Office logo is located at the bottom right.

For More Information

See:



Application Guidelines
(available on JSPS Tokyo Office Website)



Email us:

sfo-info@overseas.jsps.go.jp

Visit our website:

www.jspsusa-sf.org (San Francisco Office)

www.jsps.go.jp/english (JSPS Tokyo Office)

For More Information

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Thank you for attending!



Question and Answer Section

