



# TOYO UNIVERSITY GRADUATE SCHOOLS GUIDE BOOK 2026

## Graduate Schools

## Degree Courses

Letters	Philosophy
	Indian Philosophy and Buddhist Studies
	Japanese Literature and Culture
	Chinese Philosophy
	English Language and Literature
	History
	Education
	International Culture and Communication Studies
Sociology	Sociology
	Social Psychology
Law	Private Law
	Public Law and Political Science
Business Administration	Business Administration and Marketing
	Business, Accounting and Finance
Economics	Economics
	Public-Private Partnership
Global and Regional Studies	Global Innovation Studies
	Regional Development Studies
International Tourism Management	International Tourism Management
Science and Engineering	Advanced Mechatronics Systems
	Electricity, Electronics and Communications
	Applied Chemistry
	Civil and Environmental Engineering
	Architecture
	Architecture, Civil and Environmental System Design
Information Sciences and Arts	Information Sciences and Arts
Life Sciences	Life Sciences
	Biomedical Engineering
Food and Nutritional Sciences	Food and Nutritional Sciences
Information Networking for Innovation and Design	Information Networking for Innovation and Design
Social Welfare	Social Welfare
Human Life Design	Human Care and Support
	Human Life Studies
	Human Environment Design
Health and Sports Sciences	Health and Sports Sciences
	Nutritional Sciences

# Degree Courses offered in English

## ~ English Track Curriculum ~

Toyo University is a home to 15 graduate schools consisting of 36 courses. In addition to courses taught in Japanese, students can take courses taught in English. In particular, the number of classes taught in English has increased year by year and now there are over 400 graduate classes taught in English.

Toyo University Graduate Schools offers degree programs called English Track Curriculums which are designed for students who wish to complete their course entirely in English.

The courses and programs with English Track Curriculums are introduced in the following pages.

### OFFICIAL WEBSITE

<https://www.toyo.ac.jp/academics/gstop/>



We offer more detailed information on our official website, including messages and videos from faculty members, alumni, and current students, and entrance examination information.



## Graduate School of Letters

### *Course of International Culture and Communication Studies (Master's Program)*



### Outline

Our program offers students the opportunity to engage in multilateral study in two areas: the language communication field, in which students learn English, French, German, and Japanese language education; and the international culture field, in which students study the literature and culture of each language sphere. English track subjects, which are completed entirely in English, are also available (Master's Program only). We aim to foster international, highly specialized professionals and sophisticates with practical adaptability, and talented personnel who can play active roles in the fields of specialist education and research relating to language communication and culture in different areas of the world. We are open to international students and to mature students. Currently, students from diverse countries and regions are studying this course.

## Graduate School of Economics

### *Course of Public-Private Partnership (Master's Program)*



#### Outline

TOYO PPP School (Course of Public-Private Partnership, Graduate School of Economics) is a graduate school for professionals that focuses on Public-Private Partnership (PPP). Since its opening in 2006, TOYO PPP School has implemented a variety of projects in partnership with local governments in Japan and abroad. Those students include employees from the public sector, private sector enterprises such as construction, real estate and finance, and people who are working in projects overseas. In 2015, Toyo University established a specialist Centre of Excellence on PPPs in Local Governments under the auspices of the UNECE. This was in recognition of the achievements of TOYO PPP School's educational activities, and also of research by the Research Center for Public-Private Partnership and Asia Public-Private Partnership Institute. Thus, Toyo University has now become a knowledge hub that gathers PPP information from around the world and disseminates a rich supply of research results.

\* Starting in April 2024, several changes are made, including a new education system and the establishment of Professional Intensive Program that allows students to complete a master's program in one year. Please check our official website for details.

\* <https://www.pppschooll.jp/en/>

## Graduate School of Global and Regional Studies

### *Course of Global Innovation Studies (Master's Program)*



#### Outline

This course was established at the graduate level to contribute to global society through innovation. We will accomplish this by cultivating the next generation of leaders, filled with an entrepreneurial mindset, who have the practical knowledge necessary for solving global issues, specialized skill sets with practical English communication ability, as well as excellent leadership. In principle, all lectures and research guidance will be given in English. Graduate students will work in a cooperative educational environment where Japanese and international students jointly develop their analytical skills and ability to carry out their ideas, enabling them to convert their knowledge into practical activities in the three academic domains. We expect graduate students who complete the course to play immediate, active roles in contributing to solve a variety of important issues in global society by making excellent use of the abilities acquired during the course.



## Graduate School of Global and Regional Studies

### *Course of Regional Development Studies (Master's & Doctoral Program)*



#### Outline

The Course of Regional Development Studies was established with an aim to foster individuals with highly specialized skills who can contribute to “regional development” in Japan and overseas, as regional development leaders contributing to autonomous and sustainable regional development based on their global perspectives, in a global society faced with various issues and possibilities.

In the Master’s Program, we foster individuals with highly specialized skills who can contribute to “regional development” in Japan and overseas, and in the Doctoral Program, we foster academic specialists/researchers with a good balance of theories and practices who can contribute to “regional development” in Japan and overseas.

## Graduate School of International Tourism Management

### *Course of International Tourism Management (Master's & Doctoral Program)*



#### Outline

This course was established based on the foundation of the Faculty of International Tourism Management to develop tourism professionals who can be the driving force for sustainable global tourism. We will develop talent who can manage tourism from various perspectives.

In the Masters’ Program, our objective is to send graduates into society who can become leaders of innovation in inbound tourism, and who can work as a bridge between Japan and various countries in international tourism development projects. In this course, there are many adult students enrolled, who, with their company experience as a backdrop, have returned to campus and are conducting research. There are also those who, after completing the course, are aiming for new highs in the business world, and others who are mostly pursuing a career as teachers in higher education. There are also international students from diverse countries and regions enrolled in the course.

## Graduate School of Information Sciences and Arts



### Outline

The Course of Information Sciences and Arts comprises the following three fields essential to the study of information sciences and arts: "System Informatics," "Media Informatics," and "Psychological and Sports Informatics." **【Field of System Informatics】** Aims to cultivate practical specialists with classes on cutting-edge information and communications technology (ICT) and business administrative informatics. **【Field of Media Informatics】** Aims to cultivate practical specialists with classes on cutting-edge ICT and media informatics. **【Field of Psychological and Sports Informatics】** Aims to cultivate practical specialists with classes on cutting-edge ICT and psychological and sports informatics. Note: In this field, the study of psychology will be newly combined with sports sciences.

## Graduate School of Life Sciences



### Outline

Modern society faces critical issues such as environmental degradation, resource depletion, and a rapidly aging population. In our time, the need to build a sustainable society with low environmental impact is more urgent than ever. Life sciences play a vital role in addressing these challenges. From environmental conservation and food security to healthcare and welfare innovation, this field supports a more resilient, sustainable world. In the Course of Life Sciences, we conduct advanced research in diverse areas: medical and welfare applications, health promotion, agricultural science, extremophilic microorganisms, and environmental conservation, including biodiversity. Our goal is to create new knowledge and technologies that shape the future of people and the planet.



# Graduate School of Life Sciences

## Course of Biomedical Engineering (Master's & Doctoral Program)



### Outline

We provide education to train human resources who have acquired basic knowledge in the field of life science as well as advanced applied technology in the field of medical engineering. In other words, we aim to cultivate talented personnel who have a scientific inquisitive mind to respond to the demands of medical technology at the cellular and molecular levels, as well as acquire cutting-edge technologies in the field of biomedical engineering such as nanodevices, nanomaterials, and immunotherapy.

## Tuition and Fees [Plans in 2026]

Graduate School / Course and Program (Unit: Yen)		Academic fees				Total fee for the year of admission
		Admission fee (Admission confirmation fee)*1	Tuition (Person targeted for a 30% waiver)	Facility fee	Lab fee	Total (Person targeted for a 30% waiver)
<b>Graduate Schools: Letters</b> (International Culture and Communication Studies), <b>Global and Regional Studies, International Tourism Management</b>	Master's Program	270,000	450,000 (315,000)	90,000	—	810,000 (675,000)
	Doctoral Program	270,000	450,000 (315,000)	70,000	—	790,000 (655,000)
<b>Graduate School of Economics</b> (Course of Public-Private Partnership)	Standard Program	270,000	600,000 (420,000)	90,000	—	960,000 (780,000)
	Professional Intensive Program	270,000	990,000 (693,000)	90,000		1,350,000 (1,053,000)
<b>Graduate Schools: Information Sciences and Arts, Life Sciences</b>	Master's Program	270,000	550,000 (385,000)	130,000	120,000	1,070,000 (905,000)
	Doctoral Program	270,000	550,000 (385,000)	80,000	120,000	1,020,000 (855,000)

\*1. If advancing to a graduate school from an undergraduate faculty of Toyo University (excluding correspondence courses and Toyo University Junior College), the admission fee (admission confirmation fee) will be exempt.

If advancing to a Doctoral Program from a Master's Program of Toyo University, the admission fee (admission confirmation fee) will be exempt.

1. The admission fee (admission confirmation fee) is only required in the first academic year.
2. Students can choose to pay the entire amount (full payment) or to pay their tuition, facility fee and lab fee in two installments per year (installment payment).
3. The admission fee (admission confirmation fee) that has been paid will not be refunded for any reason, as it is a "consideration for obtaining a position that will enable the applicant to enroll in a graduate school and course at Toyo University Graduate Schools for which the applicant was accepted." Submitted documents will not be returned.
4. See details of the tuition and fees, etc. for the long-term study plan system on our university website.
5. Cash payments at the counter of the university office and bank transfers from overseas cannot be accepted.

## Scholarships [Plans in 2026]

### Scholarship

#### Toyo University Graduate School Scholarship

This is Toyo University's original scholarship program which aims to contribute to the cultivation of promising intellectual talent through academic encouragement and financial aid.

◆ Amount of Scholarship: 300,000 yen yearly for Master's Programs / Doctoral Programs

### Scholarship

#### Masajuro Shiokawa Scholarship \*Recommendation-Based

This scholarship was created by Toyo University's former Chancellor, Masajuro Shiokawa, for the purpose of contributing to the development of international students' talent and promoting international exchanges in the university. Scholarships will be granted for one year to international students (status of residence: Student) with excellent academic grades.

◆ Amount of Scholarship: 100,000 yen monthly × 12 months  
◆ Number of students who qualified : 2 (Graduate Schools)

### Scholarship

#### Entrance Examination for 'The Top Leading Students Scholarship' of Toyo Graduate Schools

This is an entrance examination system designed to support various activities of outstanding international students (master's program) while they are enrolled at Toyo University, focusing on their research activities, which will contribute to the promotion of globalization at our graduate school.

### Exempt

#### Partial Tuition Waiver for Privately Financed International Students

This is a scholarship equivalent to 30% of tuition for international students with a status of residence of "Student." To select the students, academic grades are considered.

## Research Support [Plans in 2026]

### Grant

Toyo University Grant for Graduate Research Presentation

### Grant

Toyo University Alumni Association Student Research Fund

### Grant

Enryo Inoue Memorial Research Grant



Toyo University Graduate Schools Leading international students Scholars for AY2025 Accreditation Ceremony.

# An International Dormitory for Students' Growth

## Interaction and Learning

AI-House has a group of Resident Assistants (RA) who will support your daily life as residents. Feel free to talk to the RAs if you have any worries or problems during your stay with us. In addition to daily support, RAs play a vital role providing various educational programs and events for the residents. The interaction and learning programs will be an excellent opportunity for the residents to interact, regardless of their backgrounds.



### Meals

Breakfast and dinner will be served from Monday to Friday during the semester according to the university calendar (Included in the accommodation fee).

**V**egitarian and halal options are available  
(Application required when moving into the dormitory).



### Dormitory fees

**Initial moving-in fee: 50,000 JPY**  
(Paid only when you moving in, non-refundable, international exchange students exempted)

**Accommodation fee: 96,000 JPY per month**  
(Single-occupancy bedroom)/  
108,000 JPY per month (Barrier free bedroom)

\* Utilities, Wi-Fi and twice a day meals included.

\* Rental fee for bedding items will be charged in addition to the above monthly rate.



### Location

**Akabanedai 1-7-37, Kita-ku, Tokyo**

- ▶ 8 minutes on foot from the West Gate of Akabane JR station
- ▶ 10 minutes on foot from Akabane Iwabuchi station Metro Namboku Line
- ▶ To Akabanedai campus 3 minutes on foot
- ▶ To Hakusan campus 40 minutes by Tokyo Metro
- ▶ To Kawagoe campus 1.5 hours by JR and Tobu Lines
- ▶ To Itakura campus 1.5 hours by JR and Tobu Lines



\* The mask is removed only when shooting. Residential floors are usually separated by gender.

## Other International Residence

In addition to AI-House, there is an International House located a 15-minute walk from Hakusan campus. Please see the special website below for details on both.

<https://www.toyo.ac.jp/contents/international-exchange/residence/index.php>

### CAMPUSES

#### Hakusan Campus

Graduate Schools: Letters, Sociology, Law, Business Administration, Economics, Global and Regional Studies, International Tourism Management

5-28-20 Hakusan, Bunkyo-ku, Tokyo 112-8606

Email: mldaig-ad@toyo.jp (Education Affairs Section for Graduate Schools)

#### Kawagoe Campus

Graduate Schools: Science and Engineering, Information Sciences and Arts

2100 Kujirai, Kawagoe, Saitama 350-8585

Email: mlkdaigakuin@toyo.jp (Administration Section)

#### Asaka Campus

Graduate Schools: Life Sciences, Food and Nutritional Sciences

48-1 Oka, Asaka, Saitama 351-8510

Email: mlfinkyomu@toyo.jp (Education and Student Affairs Section)

#### Akabanedai Campus

Graduate Schools: Information Networking for Innovation and Design, Social Welfare, Human Life Design, Health and Sports Sciences

1-7-11 Akabanedai, Kita-ku, Tokyo 115-8650

Administration Section (Email)

• ml-iniad-em@toyo.jp (Information Networking for Innovation and Design)

• mlgas@toyo.jp (Social Welfare, Human Life Design, Health and Sports Sciences)

\* This guidebook contains information as of June, 2025. Details are subject to change.

### ACCESS MAP



**TOYO UNIVERSITY**

<https://www.toyo.ac.jp/academics/gstop/>

In 2021, Toyo University applied for the evaluation (certified evaluation and accreditation) of the Japan University Accreditation Association and was accredited as a university that "satisfies the University Standards". This accreditation mark symbolizes the university's constant endeavors to conduct self-inspection/evaluation and guarantees quality as a university to society.

