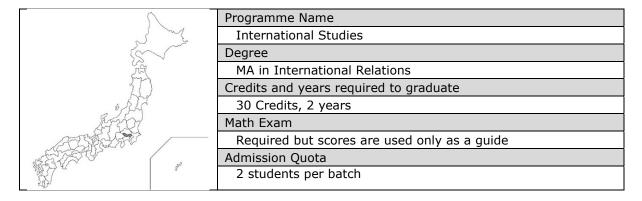
Waseda University

Graduate School of Asia-Pacific Studies (GSAPS)

Address: Nishi-Waseda Bldg.7F, 1-21-1 Nishi-Waseda, Shinjuku-ku, Tokyo 169-0051 JAPAN



Web Links

- University https://www.waseda.jp/top/en
- Graduate School https://www.waseda.jp/fire/gsaps/en/
- Faculty Members
 https://www.waseda.jp/fire/gsaps/en/admissions/project
- Syllabus https://www.waseda.jp/fire/gsaps/en/acade mics/registration

Features of the University

Waseda University was founded as Tokyo Senmon Gakko (Tokyo College) in 1882. Since its foundation, the university has proactively opened its doors to international students.

Waseda University is now known around the world as one of the top universities in Japan. It has produced eight prime ministers so far, and its alumni are widely active in various fields, not only in Japan, but also on the world stage. The university continues to create new eras and culture through education and research activities of a global standard.

Features of the Graduate School

The Graduate School of Asia-Pacific Studies (GSAPS) was founded in April 1998. The mission of GSAPS is to assess and analyse the Asia-Pacific region from a broad analytical perspective.

GSAPS is a cross-disciplinary school that has "International Relations", "International

Development/ Policy Studies", and "Area Studies", and is one of the few educational institutions in the world that offers an interdisciplinary International Relations programme for training students in three specializations.

Features of the Programme

In the Programme of MA in International Relations, students focus on one area of three specializations – "International Relations", "International Development / Policy Studies", and "Area Studies", but at the same time can take courses in all three areas.

GSAPS offers many courses that are especially useful for the study of effective policy administration in Nepal. GSAPS provides guidance to JDS fellows from Nepal in the following ways. In the field of economic policy, GSAPS helps JDS students to acquire the skills necessary for conducting practical research, analysis, and the construction of policy recommendations so that they can contribute to the fostering of international economic ties with Nepal's neighbouring countries in South Asia, China, and emerging economies in Southeast Asia and Northeast Asia.

Curriculum

Required Credits

Core Courses	
Basic Courses	22 credits
Advanced Courses	ZZ Credits
Courses offered by another institution	
Project research / Master's thesis	8 credits
Total	30 credits

Project Research / Master's Thesis

Project research is carried out in seminar style. Under the instruction of their academic advisors, students learn and master skills to prepare and complete their thesis, to compile, analyse and review relevant information fully and to understand the research methodology.

Course Name	Instructor	Credits
Area Studies		
Politics and International	AOYAMA,	8
Relations of China	Rumi	
Popular Culture in Asia	NAKAJIMA,	8
Topulai Culture III Asia	Seio	0
lanan in Acia	HAYASE,	8
Japan in Asia	Shinzo	0
Globalization and	FARRER,	0
Socio-Cultural Change	Gracia Liu	8
Politics of Religion,		
Culture, and Gender,	MIICHI,	0
Politics in Southeast	Ken	8
Asia		
Everyday Life in the	ROBERTS,	_
Asia-Pacific	Glenda S.	8
International Relati		
International		
Relations and	UEKI,	8
Security in East Asia	Chikako	U
Pacific Settlement of	KAWANO,	
International Disputes	Mariko	8
East Asian Economies	NABESHIMA,	8
and Industries	Kaoru	
East Asia and America,	SHINOHARA,	8
Foreign Policy	Hatsue	
Europe and Asia:	BACON,	8
Inter-regional Relations	Paul Martyn	
Culture and Politics in	LEHENY,	8
the Asia-Pacific	David	_
International Develo	pment/ Policy	Studies
Peace, Human Rights		
and Social	KATSUMA,	8
Development in Less	Yasushi	
Developed Countries		
Economic Development	KATO,	8
and Policy in Asia	Atsushi	
Investing in Asia	KIKUCHI,	8
_	Tomoo	
International Education	KURODA,	
Policy in the Globalizing		8
World	Kazuo	
Global Sustainability		
and International	MATSUOKA,	C
Development	Shunji	8
Cooperation Studies	. ,	
•	MITOMO,	-
ICT and Media Studies	Hitoshi	8

^{*}Since the above information may change, please visit <u>GSAPS website</u> for the latest information.

Academic Schedule

Academic Calendar 2022

Facilities

GSAPS Library	MonFri. (9:10-21:00)
Student Dormitories	Please refer to the following website and contact the "Residence Life Center", if you have any inquiries regarding dormitories and housing. https://www.waseda.jp/inst/rlc/en/

Student Support System

GSAPS also has a "TA" system to provide IT environment support such as common PC/printer/network troubleshooting.