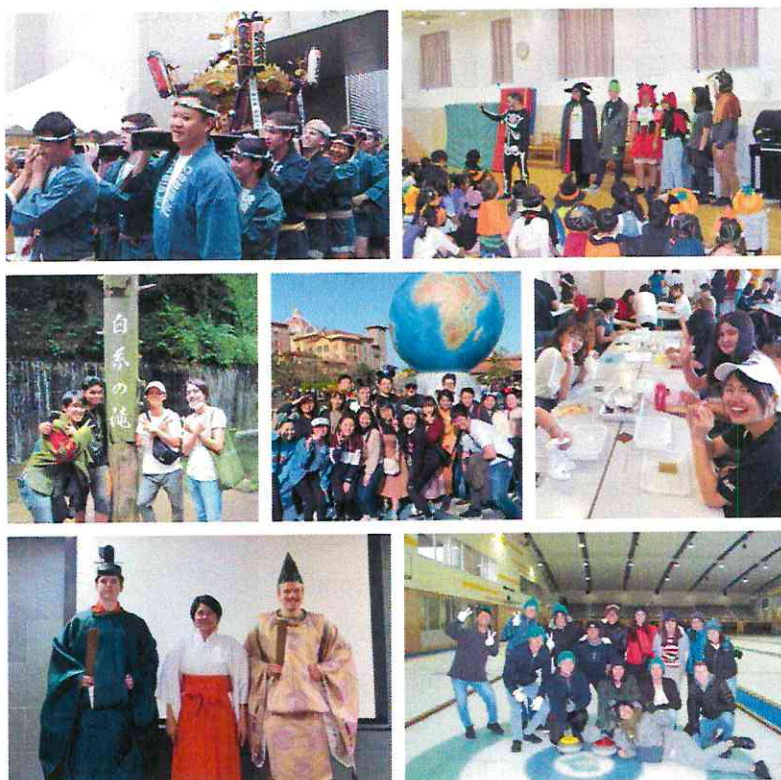


文京学院大学

Bunkyo Gakuin University

# The *Multi-lateral Student Exchange Program 2021*

◀ PROGRAM A ~ E ▶



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## I. Bunkyo Gakuin University



President

Takashi Sakurai

*Bunkyo Gakuin University* (BGU / 文京学院大学) is a private university that was established by *Ishiko Shimada*. Today, BGU has four academic departments - Business Administration, Foreign Studies, Human Studies, and Health Science Technology as well as graduate schools. Its Hongo campus, where the program takes place, is located in the *Bunkyo ward* of Tokyo, which is famous for many shrine and parks and easy access to big city such as Shibuya, Shinjuku, Ueno and Akihabara etc. The Fujimino campus in Saitama prefecture provides students with numerous practical skill development opportunities in the fields such as Childcare, Social Work, Physical Therapy, and Occupational Therapy.

◀ **Motto : Independence and Co-Existence** ▶

BGU DATA (As of May 1, 2020)	
Establish	1924
Faculties and Majores	4 Faculties and 12Majores
Number of Students	4811 students
Number of Teaching Staff	180 people

## II. Multi-lateral student Exchange Program

For students who want to learn about the essence of modern Japan. BGU's "Multi-lateral Student Exchange Program" is the best choice. The program is specially designed for foreign students to get a well-rounded and first-hand experience of Japanese culture, history, and lifestyle.

The program's classes are specifically tailored to provide foreign students with a broad knowledge of contemporary

Japan, ranging in topics such as business, modern literature, region, and more. While experienced students with N3 or higher in JLPT have chance to join regular BGU classes taught in Japanese. All program courses -with exception to the language lessons- are taught in English to best accommodate all program students.

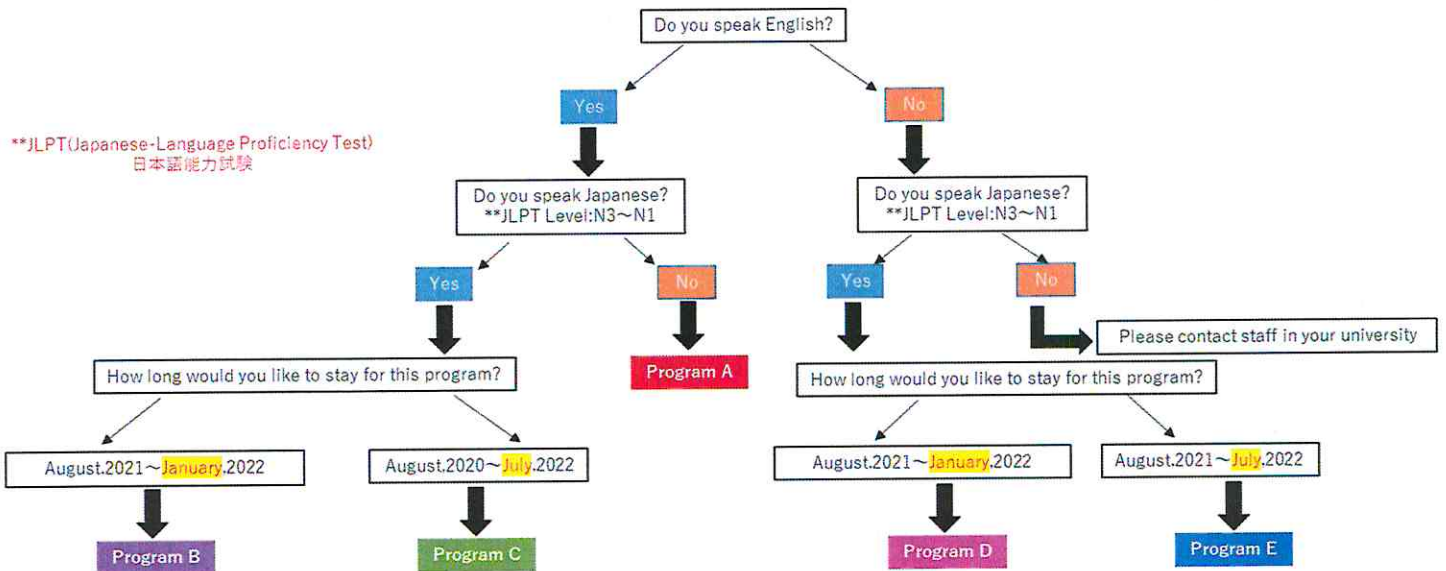


Karuizawa Trip with BGU students

《Program Periods》 ※We will let you know the exact date later

You can choose a program depends on Japanese levels from below.

Program A (Almost English)	August, 2021 – December, 2021
Program B(English&Japanese)	August, 2021 – January, 2022
Program C(English&Japanese)	August, 2021 – July, 2022
Program D(Japanese)	August, 2021 – January, 2022
Program E(Japanese)	August, 2021 – July, 2022



《One student's Timetable of first semester》 ※The schedule is subjected to change

★ You are required to take 7 lessons or more

: These classes are taught in Japanese      : These classes are taught in English

Program A	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
1 <sup>st</sup> period 9:10-10:40		Basic Japanese	Basic Japanese	Basic Japanese	Basic Japanese
2 <sup>nd</sup> period 10:50-12:20		Japanese Literature and Performing Arts			Japanese Society
3 <sup>rd</sup> period 13:10-14:40	No class			Japanese Business	
4 <sup>th</sup> period 14:50-16:20		Social Development in Japan		Cool Japan	Religion in Japan
5 <sup>th</sup> period 16:30-18:00				Japan and International Community	

Program B	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
Program C					
1 <sup>st</sup> period 9:10-10:40	日本語論文の 書き方 IB			Cross Cultural Communication	
2 <sup>nd</sup> period 10:50-12:20	日本語論文の 書き方 IIB				
3 <sup>rd</sup> period 13:10-14:40	日本語コミュ ニケーション		Oral Communication	日本語セミナー	
4 <sup>th</sup> period 14:50-16:20				Cool Japan	Religion in Japan
5 <sup>th</sup> period 16:30-18:00					

Program D	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
Program E					
1 <sup>st</sup> period 9:10-10:40	日本語論文の 書き方 IB				ジェンダー論
2 <sup>nd</sup> period 10:50-12:20	日本語論文の 書き方 IIB	日本文化論		コンピューター リテラシー	
3 <sup>rd</sup> period 13:10-14:40	日本語コミュ ニケーション			日本語セミナ ー	
4 <sup>th</sup> period 14:50-16:20				日本語表現法 応用	
5 <sup>th</sup> period 16:30-18:00					

Partner Universities (*temporary)			
U.S.A	College of St. Benedict   St. John's University	Malaysia	MARA University of Technology
Canada	Thompson Rivers University	Lithuania	Vytautas Magnus University
Bulgaria	University of Veliko Turnovo	Latvia	University of Latvia
Turkey	Ankara University	Thailand	Khon Kaen University
Uzbekistan	Uzbekistan State University of World Languages	Cambodia	University of Health Sciences, Cambodia
Kazakhstan	Al-Farabi Kazakh National University		

### III. Student Clubs

Exchange students have the opportunity to join various BGU club activities such as Dance, International exchange club and so on. Detailed club information will be provided in the program handbook, which will be issued in August.



### IV. Academic and Social Events

Just as important, the exchange students have the chance on campus to form connections and relationships with BGU students, further facilitated by trips, some festivals and parties.

Previous These Events in 2019		
Disaster Prevention Center	Disney Sea	Ghibli Museum
BGU School Festival	Nezu Shrine Festival	Symposium
Weekend Homestay/Home visit	International Week	Language partner
Xmas Party	Karuizawa Trip	Nikko Trip

*※The fees for these events should be paid by the students.*

### V. Facilities

◆ **Library** (09: 00-22: 00 Monday to Friday /09: 00-19: 00 Saturday)

The Four-story library hosts approximately 184,000 volume along with an audio-visual area and multimedia viewing facility.



◆ **PC room** (07: 30-21: 50 Monday to Saturday)

There are two PC rooms at Building S and Building B. You can also use printer at there. Wifi is available for free within the university.



◆ **B's Dining** (11: 30-14: 00 Monday to Friday)

B's dining offers a large and open dining space for students to enjoy a variety of delicious meal selections.



◆ **B's Café** (11: 30-14: 00 Monday to Friday)

B's Café provides students with an alternative to traditional cafeteria dining by supplying a number of hot drinks, pastries, and snacks



◆ **Chat Lounge** (11: 30-18: 00 Monday to Friday)

Students may freely join casual discussion in the open and friendly Chat Lounge to improve their conversational English, Chinese, Korean, French and Spanish skills.



## VI. Accommodations

All of the exchange students in this program are required to live on our student dormitories. Students will be assigned to Youth House, Annex or Dorm Nishikata, all of which are located within 10 minutes from BGU's Hongo Campus.



**Youth House**



**Annex**



**Dorm Nishikata**

	Youth House	Annex	Dorm Nishikata
Room	1 person / room	2 or 4 or 5 persons / room	1 person / room
Internet	Free WiFi available	Free WiFi available	Free WiFi is available at lounge only. Please set up an internet connection at your room yourself
Equipment	Bed, Closet, Desk, Chair		
Shared equipment	Kitchen, Refrigerator, Shower, Toilet, Washing and Drying machine		
Access	4 min walk from the campus	4 min walk from the campus	7 min walk from the campus

## VII. Costs

Tuition	Exempted if students are from BGU's partner universities
Accommodation	Approx ¥50,000 per month
Estimated personal expenses (e.g. meals, transportations)	At least ¥50,000 per month

*Please note:* Airfare, insurance, visa application fee, textbooks, fares for travels in Japan are NOT included in this table. Meals are not provided in BGU's dormitories. Any additional costs must be paid by students.

## VIII. Transportation from Airport




Students are required to come to dormitories by themselves.

Check-in date : August ○○,2021




Check-in time : 10:00-17:00

\*Prior to August ○○<sup>th</sup>, rooms in our dormitories will not be available.

### [ Narita Airport]

Time	Route	Fare
approx.60 min	Narita Airport Station    <b>Keisei Skyliner</b> Nippori Station <b>Limited Express Train</b>	} approx. ¥2,800
approx.10 min	Nippori Station    <b>Yamanote Line</b> Komagome Station	
approx.10 min	Komagome Station    <b>Namboku Line</b> Todaimae Station	

### [ Haneda Airport]

Time	Route	Fare
approx.20 min	Haneda Airport Station    <b>Tokyo monorail</b> Hamamatsucho Station	} approx. ¥900
approx.20 min	Hamamatsucho Station    <b>Yamanote Line</b> Komagome Station	
approx.10 min	Komagome Station    <b>Namboku Line</b> Todaimae Station	

## IX. Registration

Please scan this QR code to register for this program.

**\*\*Period of Application: 2021-March-〇〇~April-〇〇**

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## X. Inquiries

Please send email to the GSI office if you have any questions.

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