

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES FOR JAPANESE STUDENTS AND RESEARCHERS

WALLONIA-BRUSSELS INTERNATIONAL EXCELLENCE GRANTS (1/2)

Type of grant: Research

Level: Post doctoral studies

Study fields: Primary focus areas: transport and logistics, mechanical engineering, life sciences, agriculture-industry, aero-space, environmental technologies.

All other fields will be taken into account, whether in the human sciences, fundamental or applied:

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| ■ Agricultural and bioengineering | ■ Architecture and urban planning |
| ■ Arts and art sciences | ■ Biomedicine and pharmacy |
| ■ Criminology | ■ Dance |
| ■ Dentistry | ■ Economics and management |
| ■ Engineering and technology | ■ History, history of art and archeology |
| ■ Information and communication | ■ Languages, letters and translation studies |
| ■ Law | ■ Medicine |
| ■ Motor sciences | ■ Music |
| ■ Performing arts and broadcasting and communication techniques | ■ Philosophy |
| ■ Plastic, visual and spatial arts | ■ Political and social sciences |
| ■ Psychology and education | ■ Public health sciences |
| ■ Sciences | ■ Theatre and drama |
| ■ Theology | ■ Veterinary sciences, Veterinary medicine |

DESCRIPTION

- **Programme description**

The Wallonia-Brussels International Excellence Grants Programme (IN WBI) enables the Universities of the Wallonia-Brussels Federation to receive foreign researchers for Postdoctoral studies or Postdoctoral research programmes.

Awards of:

- ◇ **Long-term** scholarships (minimum 1 year, renewable once) at postdoctoral level.
- ◇ **Short-term** scholarships (1 to 3 months, non-renewable) at postdoctoral level.

WALLONIA-BRUSSELS INTERNATIONAL EXCELLENCE GRANTS (2/2)

APPLICATION DEADLINE

- **For long-term scholarships:**

No later than the **1st of March** preceding the academic year during which the stay is requested.

- **For short-term scholarships:**

- ◇ For stays between February and May: no later than the preceding **1st of October**.
- ◇ For stays between June and September: no later than the preceding **1st of February**.
- ◇ For stays between October and January (starting the 1st of November at the latest): no later than the preceding **1st of May**.

FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS

- **For long and short term scholarships:**

- ◇ Monthly amount 2,120 euros covering living expenses, accommodation, educational materials and travel expenses within the country.
- ◇ WBI will cover international travel costs (one round trip for the total duration of the programme).
- ◇ WBI covers « healthcare » insurance for non-EU fellows.
- ◇ WBI takes responsibility for « repatriation assistance » insurance (only for long-term scholarships).

APPLICATION

Please read carefully the file named « Call for application_IN WBI »:

- in appendix on www.studyinbelgium.be and use the Application form (page 5 of the file) or

- [on www.wbi.be/fr/inwbi](http://www.wbi.be/fr/inwbi).

The file should be sent by e-mail to c.barattucci@wbi.be

Important notes:

- ◇ The form must be typed and sent in one single PDF file (maximum 10 MB);
- ◇ Files that are incomplete, submitted after deadline or those not meeting eligibility criteria will be considered inadmissible.

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES FOR JAPANESE STUDENTS AND RESEARCHERS

1 YEAR FUNDING FOR JAPANESE STUDENTS AND RESEARCHERS WALLONIA-BRUSSELS FEDERATION & JAPAN STUDENT SERVICES ORGANIZATION (1/2)

Type of grant: Studies and Research

Level: Advanced Master programme, Postgraduate Doctoral programme

Study fields: The scholarships cover all fields of study available at Belgian universities:

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| ■ Agricultural and bioengineering | ■ Architecture and urban planning |
| ■ Arts and art sciences | ■ Biomedicine and pharmacy |
| ■ Criminology | ■ Dance |
| ■ Dentistry | ■ Economics and management |
| ■ Engineering and technology | ■ History, history of art and archeology |
| ■ Information and communication | ■ Languages, letters and translation studies |
| ■ Law | ■ Medecine |
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DESCRIPTION

The Wallonia-Brussels Federation offers 3 scholarships of a term of one year to Japanese students who wish to continue their studies (Advanced Master programme and PhD programme) at Belgian universities.

1 YEAR FUNDING FOR JAPANESE STUDENTS AND RESEARCHERS WALLONIA-BRUSSELS FEDERATION & JAPAN STUDENT SERVICES ORGANIZATION (2/2)

FINANCIAL TERMS

- ◇ Monthly amount: €982,56 to cover general expenses.
- ◇ International travel costs (one round trip): €1800 (max).
- ◇ Monthly amount: €400 (max) to cover accommodation expenses.
- ◇ A one-time allowance for installation: €123,95 (max).
- ◇ Travel expenses within the country: €250 (max).
- ◇ Luggage exceedant costs: €247,89 (max).
- ◇ Registration fees: €835 (max).
- ◇ Thesis expenses: master thesis €185,92 (max), doctoral thesis €619,73 (max).
- ◇ WBI covers health care insurance and liability insurance.

APPLICATION

The candidates are required:

- ◇ to submit the application form specified by the Wallonia-Brussels Federation to the Embassy of Belgium in Tokyo, **and**
- ◇ to submit the Japanese application form to JASSO (Japan Student Services Organization)

A preliminary written and oral selection examination is organized by the Embassy.

The deadline for submission of the applications is late February / early March of the previous academic year.

See more details on:

- ◇ <https://japan.diplomatie.belgium.be/en/scholarships-and-business-training/scholarships-and-research>
- ◇ http://ryugaku.jasso.go.jp/scholarship/scholarship_foreign/belgium/scholarship_be_consortium/

Download guidelines and application files on:

- ◇ <http://www.studyinbelgium.be/en/content/scholarship-opportunities-japanese-students>

Do not hesitate to contact the Embassy of Belgium in Tokyo at +81 3 3262 5192 or tokyo@diplobel.fed.be if you have any question.

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES FOR JAPANESE STUDENTS AND RESEARCHERS

VULCANUS IN EUROPE - RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT INTERNSHIP

Type of grant: Industrial placements in R&D

Level: Master

DESCRIPTION

Vulcanus in Europe offers EU based companies the possibility to host a Japanese trainee in R&D for 8 months (from August to March). This programme offers to the trainee a full immersion in the European business culture and the opportunity to acquire a know-how in view of a future career in relation with Europe.

APPLICATION & DEADLINE

The Vulcanus year is structured in the following way:

- ◇ **Deadline to apply: September 23, 2019**
- ◇ Early April: students attend a seminar in Brussels on European culture, industry and the EU;
- ◇ From April to July: students attend a 15-week intensive language course, to gain a working knowledge of the language spoken in their future host company;
- ◇ From August 2020 to March 2021: students do a 8-month placement at an industrial company located in the EU.

FINANCIAL TERMS

Who pays what?

The EU-Japan Centre funds the student's 15-week language course and the 1-week seminar in Europe and pays the student a grant to cover the travel and the accommodation costs.

The host company's costs for the complete training period of 8 months are :

- a total amount of € 6,600 ;
- national taxes & costs linked with wages, visas, work permits, if applicable.

More info: <https://www.eu-japan.eu/events/vulcanus-europe>