

## Admissions for the Joint Degree Program (JDP) of the School of Interdisciplinary Science and Innovation (Scheduled to be launched in October 2028)

### JDP Admission (tentative name) (October Entry)

The School of ISI, Kyushu University, is planning to launch the first bachelor's-level Joint Degree Program (JDP) ever offered by a Japanese national university, in collaboration with the School of Social and Environmental Sustainability (SES) at the University of Glasgow, in October 2028.

This program will establish a new, independent department (tentative name: International Joint Department), separate from the existing Department of Interdisciplinary Science and Innovation, within the School of ISI. The program aims to cultivate policy-oriented professionals (social innovators) who aspire to careers in international organizations and related fields, and who are capable of proposing, collaboratively implementing, and sustaining field-based solutions to global and context-specific social challenges in Japan and abroad, encompassing policy design, social implementation, and long-term sustainability.

The International Joint Department (tentative name) will introduce a new JDP admission scheme with October entry, with an enrollment capacity of 10 students, including 5 students admitted through Kyushu University. (The remaining five students will be selected by the University of Glasgow.)

#### Notes:

1. Details of the JDP admission (October entry) are scheduled to be announced from September 2027 onwards.
2. For further information on the JDP, please refer to the following URL:  
<https://kyoso.kyushu-u.ac.jp/pages/jdp>
3. The establishment of the new department is currently under consideration, and the content may be subject to change in the future.

#### Reference: Admission Capacity of the School of ISI

Current

Admission Capacity	Admission Method	
Department of ISI 105 students	General Admission	65 students
	Comprehensive Admission I	15 students
	School Recommendation-Based Admission	15 students
	International Entrance Examination (April Entry)	
	International Selection (October Entry)	10 students



#### After the Revision (from AY 2028)

Admission Capacity	Admission Method	
Department of ISI <u>95 students</u>	General Admission	55 students
	Comprehensive Admission I	15 students
	School Recommendation-Based Admission	15 students
	International Entrance Examination (April Entry)	
	International Entrance Examination (October Entry)	10 students
International Joint Department (tentative name) 10 students	JDP Admission (October Entry) (The remaining <u>five students</u> will be selected by the University of Glasgow)	5 <u>students</u>