

VS JAPAN Grant Program Description (Revised)

[Qualifications]

- Master and Doctor Course students who have the U.S. nationality in your university/college.
- Seniors who have decided to take a post graduate course.
- Japanese language capability is not required.

[Study Fields]

History, Economics, Politics, Security, Literature, Arts, Architecture, Culture, Social Science and other subjects relating to Japan and Japan-America relations.

[Recipients]

Maximum 6 students a year. Each recipient will receive one ANA roundtrip Economy Class ticket between the U.S. and Tokyo plus JPY300, 000.

[Other Conditions]

- 1) Length of staying in Japan will be less than 3 months
- 2) The recipient may combine the AJS grant with other grants.
- 3) The recipient must submit a copy of the completed thesis to AJS. Seniors should send an interim report within two months after finishing the research trip.
- 4) In a special case, recipients may be able to receive this grant up to twice in their lifetimes.
- 5) Immediately after arrival in Japan, recipients must visit the AJS Tokyo office.
- 6) During their stay in Japan, recipients should E-Mail to AJS Tokyo office every two weeks.
- 7) Recipients must arrange your own overseas travel insurance in the U.S. before your departure. AJS takes no responsibility for it.
- 8) Recipients are encouraged to participate in the local AJS programs near their locations in Japan.

[Special Co-Sponsor]

ANA (All Nippon Airways Co., Ltd.)

[Application]

Application must include following materials. Please send to the AJS office by E-Mail by Wednesday December 20, 2017 (Japan time).

- 1) Fully completed and signed Application form.
- 2) Recommendation letter from supervising professor.
- 3) Copy of Identity Card issued by the University/college.
- 4) Copy of grades transcript (recent semester or annual)

[Screening and result notification]

- 1) The AJS Selection Committee will start its meetings during January 2018.
- 2) At the end of February 2018, the AJS will announce the result of selection.

Application must be sent to vsjapan@ajstokyo.org by **Jan.20, 2018**

Visit & Study Japan Grant Program (2018) Application Form

1. Name of applicant : _____ Age: _____

2. Name of Department & University/College: _____

3. Contact address in the U.S.: _____

Tel # in the U.S.: _____ Fax # in the U.S.: _____

E-mail: _____ @ _____

Cellular: _____

4. Subject of your study (describe within 1000 words in an attachment) _____

5. About your schedule & study plan in Japan

1) Arrival date _____ Departing date _____

2) Schedule & itinerary in Japan (attach other paper if any)

3) Stay & study location in Japan _____

4) Your previous experience in Japan _____

6. Your Japanese language ability level : Zero---Beginner---Intermediate----Advanced

7. Other things that you want to tell us for the consideration (i.e.: your contribution to U.S.-Japan student exchange, speech contest etc.) _____

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