

WHAT IS THE JDS?

The Objective of JDS is to strengthen the government administrative capacities in Pakistan through providing opportunities of Master Degree and Doctoral Degree, targeting young civil servants, who are expected to be leaders of the country, and to engage in formulating and implementing social and economic development policies after returned.

APPLICANT ELIGIBILITY

- (1) Citizen of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan
- (2) Age between 25 and 40 for Master Degree as of April 1, 2019
- (3) Possess a Bachelor Degree authorised by the Government of Pakistan or other countries
- (4) CSS/Cadre officers or Federal Ex-Cadre officers (equivalent to federal government officers in BPS 17 and above)
- (5) Has 3 years or more of work experience in duties particularly related to applying 'Sub-Program'/'Component', at the time of application deadline
- (6) Has a good command of both written and spoken English

INELIGIBILITY

A Person corresponds to the followings is **NOT** eligible to apply:

- (1) Those who are currently awarded or scheduled to receive another scholarship
- (2) Those who obtained a master's or higher degree overseas under the support of foreign scholarship
- (3) Those who belongs to the military or other military-related organizations and/or who are enlisted in the military will be examined by the Government of Japan

[For more details, see "Application Guidelines"](#)

BENEFITS OF JDS FELLOWS

- (1) One round trip airfare between Islamabad and Japan
- (2) Monthly living allowance in Japan
- (3) Tuition at Japanese accepting universities
- (4) Other designated allowances
- (5) Support from the agent (Finding accommodation etc.)

FIELDS OF STUDY

Development Issues (Component)	Master
Public Administration and Finance	4
Energy Policy and Implementation	3
Industrial Promotion, Investment Climate and Trade	4
Agriculture, Water Resources and Rural Development	4
Disaster Management Capacity	3
Total	18

The framework of JDS (See reverse side) consists of "Sub-Program" and "Component", which correspond to and deal with the selected target priority area and development issues of Pakistan. Accepting Japanese university offers educational programs corresponded to the needs. The degree to be obtained is master's degree. The Medium of Instruction of language is English.

IMPLEMENTATION AGENCY

Economic Affairs Division of the Ministry of Finance, Revenue and Economic Affairs

In cooperation with Establishment Division of the Cabinet Secretariat &

Embassy of Japan in Pakistan, JICA Pakistan Office

The Project for Human Resource Development Scholarship (JDS) in Pakistan (AY 2019 – 2020)



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Framework of JDS Master Program in Pakistan

Sub-Program (JDS Priority Areas)	Components (JDS Development Issues)	No. of Fellows	Accepting University	Degree to be Earned	Target Officers	Target Organizations	
						All government organizations, especially follows:	
1 Improvement of Economic Infrastructure	1-1 Enhancement of Public Administration and Finance	2	Ritsumeikan Asia Pacific University (Graduate School of Asia Pacific Studies)	• Master of Science in International Cooperation Policy	• CSS/Cadre Officers • Federal Ex-cadre officers (BPS 17 and above)	• Establishment Division under Cabinet Secretariat • Ministry of Finance, Revenue and Economic Affairs • Ministry of Planning, Development and Reform • Attached departments, agencies, institutions and other affiliated entities under the above organizations	
		2	International University of Japan (Graduate School of International Relations)	• Master of Arts in Public Management			
	1-2 Enhancement of Energy Policy and Implementation	2	Kyusyu University (Interdisciplinary Graduate School of Engineering Sciences)	• Master of Philosophy • Master of Science • Master of Engineering		• Ministry of Water Resources • Ministry of Energy • Ministry of Climate Change • Attached departments, agencies, institutions and other affiliated entities under the above organizations	
		1	Hiroshima University (Graduate School for International Development and Cooperation)	• Master of Arts • Master of Science • Master of International Cooperation Studies			
	1-3 Enhancement of Industrial Promotion, Investment Climate and Trade	2	International University of Japan (Graduate School of International Relations)	• Master of Arts in International Development • Master of Arts in Economics		• Ministry of Finance, Revenue and Economic Affairs • Ministry of Planning, Development and Reform • Ministry of Commerce and Textile Industry • Ministry of Industries and Production • Board of Investment under Prime Minister's Office • Attached departments, agencies, institutions and other affiliated entities under the above organizations	
		2	International Christian University (Graduate School of Arts and Sciences)	• Master of Arts in Public Economics			
	1-4 Enhancement of Agriculture, Water Resources and Rural Development	2	Hiroshima University (Graduate School for International Development and Cooperation)	• Master of Arts • Master of Science • Master of Engineering • Master of Agriculture • Master of International Cooperation Studies		• Ministry of National Food Security & Research • Pakistan Agricultural Research Council • National Agricultural Research Centre • Ministry of Water Resources • Pakistan Council of Research in Water Resource	
		2	Ritsumeikan University (Graduate School of Life Science)	• Master of Science • Master of Engineering			
	2 Ensuring Human Security and Improvement of Social Infrastructure	2-1 Strengthening Disaster Management Capacity	3	Hiroshima University (Graduate School for International Development and Cooperation)		• Master of Arts • Master of Science • Master of Engineering • Master of International Cooperation Studies	• National Disaster Management Authority Pakistan • Pakistan Meteorological Department • Federal Flood Commission
	Maximum Number of Fellows for Master's program per year		18	* The 18 fellows will be selected among the candidates based on the competition.			