

## 1-4 Information of Sub-Program / Component (Toyo)

<b>Sub-program (Target Priority Area)</b>	1. Improvement of Administrative Function
<b>Component (CP) (Development Issues)</b>	<b>1-4 Capacity Building for Urban and Regional Development Plans/ Policies</b>
<b>Expected Research Areas</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Urban Planning</li> <li>• Regional Development/ Local Development</li> <li>• Urban Infrastructure planning (Transportation, Water and sewage, Waste, etc.)</li> <li>• Environmental Management, Climate Change Countermeasures</li> </ul>
<b>Accepting University</b>	<p><b><u>Toyo University</u></b> (3 slots)  <b>Graduate School of Global and Regional Studies</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Course of Regional Development Studies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Master of Regional Development Studies</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>Direction of Study (Background of CP)</b>	<p>Due to rapid urbanization and urban population growth, Kenya is experiencing problems including an increase in demand for access to water supplies and sanitation services in cities, a worsening of public sanitation due to an increase in the amount of rubbish generated, health problems associated with environmental pollution, and severe traffic congestion due to lack of urban transport. In addition, 80% of the land is arid or semi-arid land (ASAL), and the preservation of environmental resources such as water resources and forests is a critical issue. Response to damage due to droughts which have become even more apparent in recent years due to the effects of global warming has become an urgent issue.</p> <p>Given these circumstances, it is anticipated that the expertise of administrative personnel who will formulate policy and systems in the fields of urban planning and urban infrastructure planning and undertake effective implementation of related initiatives will be strengthened.</p>