

Sub-Program (Target Priority Area)	1. Improvement of Economic Infrastructure and Human Security
Component (CP) (Development Issues)	1-1. Enhancement of Public Administration, Finance and Governance
Expected Research Areas	Please refer to the university information available on the JDS website for details of the research area. * <u>Take the following "Direction of Study (Background of Component)" into account before making your research plan.</u>
Accepting University	<u>International University of Japan</u> (Acceptable number of seats: 7) GS of International Relations <u>(1) International Development Program (IDP)</u> <u>(2) Public Management and Policy Analysis Program (PMPP)</u> <Available degree> (1) Master of Arts in Economics Master of Arts in International Development (2) Master of Arts in Public Management Master of Arts in Public Policy <u>If applicants do not fulfill a regular period of school education (16 years from primary school to university), the eligibility will be assessed.</u> <u>Meiji University</u> (Acceptable number of seats: 2) GS of Governance Studies <u>Major in Governance Studies (International Public Policy Course)</u> <u>(1) Public Policy</u> <u>(2) International Development Policy</u> <u>(3) Community Planning and Management</u> <Available degree> Master of Public Policy <u>If applicants do not fulfill a regular period of school education (16 years from primary school to university), the eligibility will be assessed.</u> <u>Ritsumeikan University</u> (Acceptable number of seats: 2) GS of Economics <u>Master's Program in Economic Development (MPED)</u> <Available degree> Master of Economics <u>If applicants do not fulfill a regular period of school education (16 years from primary school to university), the eligibility will be assessed.</u>
Target Officers	Cadre officers of occupational groups of federal government of Pakistan Ex-Cadre officers of federal government of Pakistan (BPS 17 and above)
Target Organizations	Please refer to the Target Organization List provided in this Application Guidelines.
Direction of Study (Background of CP)	Pakistan's long-term development plan "Uraan Pakistan" positions political stability, policy sustainability, peace and security, and continuous reform as essential requirements for the country's development. Under the Japan's "Country Development Cooperation Policy for Pakistan", the government of Japan aims to ensure human security and strengthen society through investment in human capital and the expansion of social services, promote high-quality economic growth by improving the investment environment, and establish peace and stability. The development of human resources in the fields of public policy, finance, and governance directly leads to appropriate policy formulation that expands the middle class and ultimately stimulates economic growth, as well as benefits wealth distribution and the provision of social infrastructure so that all citizens fairly enjoy the benefits of economic growth. In addition, the protection of human rights and the establishment of a corruption-free government will contribute to the building of a more resilient society. This component is expected to enhance the capacity of government officers to manage the country's revenue and expenditure, to formulate financial and economic policies, to manage sound public finances including maintaining and improving law and order as well as to formulate various public policies, build institutions and the rule of law.