

# Financial support for doctoral students (external)



## 1. Scholarship

### (1) Japan Student Services Organization (JASSO) loans

JASSO is the largest source of academic loans in Japan. About 20% of Tokyo Institute of Technology students take advantage of the program, which is open to students who are Japanese nationals and some foreign students, such as long-term residents. Class 1 loans are interest-free, while Class 2 loans charge interest.

<https://www.titech.ac.jp/student-support/students/tuition/jasso/selection>

### (2) Scholarships for international students

Non-Japanese students attending Tokyo Institute of Technology at their own expense are eligible to apply for two types of scholarships from private scholarship foundations. The procedure for applying for each of these private scholarships is different. In one case, the student can apply directly for the scholarship without any recommendation from the University. In the second case, a recommendation from the University is required.

## 2. Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (JSPS) Research Fellowship for Young Scientists

### (1) Doctoral Course Students (DC)

- Monthly stipend: 200,000 yen / research grant (Grant-in-Aid for JSPS Fellows): Up to 1.5 million yen / year
- Part-time job and scholarship cannot be paid together.

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Title	Financial resources	Annual payment per person	Remarks
Tokyo Tech Tsubame Scholarship for Doctoral Students (Tsubame Scholarship)	Tokyo Tech	480,000 yen/year (standard) 635,400 yen/year (special)	Applications can be made by anyone other than "CPS2" and "Cross the border!" recipients
Tokyo Tech Advanced Human Resource Development Fellowship for Doctoral Students (cyber-physical-social systems: CPS2)	MEXT	1,800,000 yen/year Research expenses 300,000 yen/year (max) Exemption from Tuition	Provisional measures for 7 years from 2021
Cross the border! Tokyo-Tech pioneering doctoral research program	MEXT/JST	1,800,000 yen/year Research expenses 1,800,000 yen/year (max)	Provisional measures for 5 years from 2021
Research Fellow (Institute of Innovative Research, School of Life Science and Technology)	Tokyo Tech	840,000 yen/year	RA equivalent
Tokyo Tech Foundation Scholarship (東工大基金奨学金)	Tokyo Tech	Akira Aoki Memorial Scholarship (M) 50,000 yen/m Hidetoshi Kusama Memorial Scholarship (D) 60,000 yen/m	An income limit applies

# Financial support through educational programs for doctoral students

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<p>Financial support of WISE Program (Doctoral Program for World-leading Innovative &amp; Smart Education)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Tokyo Tech Academy for Convergence of Materials and Informatics (TAC-MI)</li> <li>✓ Tokyo Tech Academy for Super Smart Society (SSS)</li> <li>✓ Tokyo Tech Academy of Energy and Informatics (InfoSyEnergy)</li> </ul>	<p>Sponsorship, donations, joint research funds, etc.</p>	<p>About 1,700,000 yen/year</p> <p>Can be provided along with the Tsubame Scholarship (standard) for a total amount of approx. <b><u>2,200,000 yen/year</u></b> of support:</p> <p>In addition, there are various types of support for research expenses and travel expenses.</p>	<p>You can also apply for "CPS2" or "Cross the border!" and receive even more support.</p>
<p>Tokyo Tech Academy for Leadership (ToTAL)</p>	<p>Tokyo Tech</p>	<p>Exemption from tuition</p>	<p>You can apply for "CPS2" or "Cross the border!" Exemption from half tuition for "Cross the border!" recipients</p>

# Websites with information about the doctoral program

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## ✓ Prospective Students

<https://www.titech.ac.jp/english/0/prospective-students/domestic>

## ✓ Career Support Events

Career-related events of the Student Support Center at the University are held only in Japanese, so please confirm details on the Japanese page. On the other hand, you can receive career counseling in English.

<https://www.titech.ac.jp/english/student-support/students/career/events>

## ✓ Cooperative Education through Research Internships

This is a new internship course that will start in 2022. It is possible to earn credits in an internship at the same time while receiving a salary. Check the job description to see if you can make the most of your expertise.

<https://www.titech.ac.jp/student/students/life/job-i>