

Glocal Global Spring School Program 2025 in Tokyo Tech Design for Humanity – Preservation and Utilization of Water - Application Guide

This is an intensive program in problem solving and idea creation dealing with world-scale problems, for approximately 40 graduate school students from doctoral and master's degree programs, and professional master's degree program, with different academic or professional background.

“Glocal” is a new internationalization viewpoint that develops excellent “local” technologies and ideas to those of “global” scale.

Under the theme “Design for Humanity: Preservation and Utilization of Water,” we aim to envision projects that contribute to solving “global” issues related to preservation and utilization of water starting from the point of view of “local.”

Graduate students participate in discussions, activities, modeling, and poster presentation working in mixed groups. They can acquire the ability of leadership as a researcher or an entrepreneur, interdisciplinary knowledge and communication skills. In addition, the students will be able to create a collaboration and establish networks with researchers in other specialties, understand the extraprofessional knowledge, and obtain new viewpoints by cultural exchanges.

In the final session, each team will participate in poster presentation.

This Glocal Global Spring School Program is coordinated by faculty members of Tokyo Tech who worked as coaches at the Imperial College London - Tokyo Tech Global Fellows Programme in 2018, 2019, 2023, and 2024.

Glocal Global Spring School Program 2025

[Sessions]

Day 1: Thursday 13 February, 2025 - Session 1 (13:30-15:10)

- Session 2 (15:25-17:05)

Day 2: Friday 14 February, 2025 - Session 3 (08:50-10:30)

- Session 4 (10:45-12:25)

Day 3: Monday 17 February, 2025 - Session 5 (08:50-10:30)

- Session 6 (10:45-12:25)

- Session 7 (15:25-17:05)

[Venue] Room 714, 7th Floor, West 9 Building, Ookayama Campus

[Number of Participants Accepted]

Approximately 40. Due to the nature of this course, the course will not be offered unless there are 6 or more participants.

[Language] English

[Eligibility]

Graduate Student (Master's Program^{*1}, Professional Master's Degree Program^{*1}, and Doctoral Program), Special Auditing Student^{*2}, Research Student^{*2}, International Exchange Student^{*3}, who can participate in all sessions throughout the four days.

- *1 Students entering Tokyo Tech in September 2024 are not eligible to participate in the program. This program corresponds to a 500-level course, and the students can register for 500-level Humanities and Social Science courses six months after their entrance.
- *2 The enrollment to the courses is limited via the requested procedure. The procedure may incur expenses (e.g., examination fee, entrance fee, tuition fee, etc.).
- *3 The entrance is limited and participation permission is obtained only via the requested procedure. The procedure may incur expenses (e.g., examination fee, entrance fee, tuition fee, etc.).
- *4 For *2 and *3, another procedure is required.

[Corresponding Course and Credit Obtained]

By participating in this program, you can obtain **one credit** of the following Liberal Arts Courses:

- LAH.C620: Glocal Doctor Japan Y2 (or LAH.C624: Glocal Doctor Japan Y4):
For students in doctoral program
- LAH.A542: Glocal Japan Y2:
For students in master's degree program and professional master's degree program

[Application Deadline]

Monday 27 January, 2025. Before 12:00 (noon).

LAH.C620: Glocal Doctor Japan Y2
LAH.C624: Glocal Doctor Japan Y4
LAH.A542: Glocal Japan Y2

[How to Apply]

The applicant sends the written application form via e-mail to the Glocal Global Spring School Office. The application form must arrive before deadline.

spring2025@ggs.shs.ens.titech.ac.jp

The subject of the e-mail should be: "Glocal Global Spring School 2025 Application"

You can download the application form from the Glocal Global Spring School 2025 website:

<http://www.ino.shs.ens.titech.ac.jp/ggs2025/index.html>

[Selection of Applicants]

If applications exceed capacity, the selection will be conducted based on the application form.

[Announcement of the Selection Result]

The result of the selection will be notified to all applicants via email by the evening of Friday 31 January, 2025

Students cannot individually register for "LAH.C620: Glocal Doctor Japan Y2" (or "LAH.C624: Glocal Doctor Japan Y4") or "LAH.A542: Glocal Japan Y2". The procedure for course addition will be informed after the selection.

[Inquiry]

Spring School Office

e-mail: spring2025@ggs.shs.ens.titech.ac.jp

The title of an inquiry e-mail should be: "About Glocal Global Spring School 2025"

See also :

Glocal Global School Website:

<http://www.ggs.shs.ens.titech.ac.jp/>