

Global 30

Project for Establishing Core Universities for Internationalization

The Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology has launched the “Global 30” Project for Establishing Core Universities for Internationalization, for the purpose of selecting universities that will function as core schools for receiving and educating foreign students. In 2009, thirteen universities were selected. These core universities will play a major role in dramatically boosting the number of foreign students educated in Japan as well as Japanese students studying abroad.

300,000 International Students Plan (2008)

To receive 300,000 international students by 2020

The “Global 30” Project

Internationalization of universities, including the recruitment of international students, along with forming Japan’s centers of internationalization.

To create an attractive educational and research environment for international students

The selected core universities will take the following steps.

- 1) Expand course programs by which degrees can be earned through English-only classes
- 2) Enhance systems for receiving/hosting foreign students
- 3) Provide foreign students with opportunities to learn about Japanese language and culture
- 4) Promote strategic international cooperation

The University of Tokyo Global 30 Action Plan

Under the Global 30 program, the University of Tokyo, as a leading center of knowledge in the world, is geared towards furthering internationalization.

Expansion of course programs given in English

The University of Tokyo (Todai) is expanding course programs by which degrees can be earned through English-only classes.

Presently, Todai offers a number of graduate courses in a wide variety of fields completely organized in English, and we expect other international courses to be prepared in English within a few years.



College of Arts and Science

- International Program on Japan in East Asia (B)*
- International Program on Environmental Sciences (B) *

Graduate School of Economics

- Advanced International Program in Economics (M,D)*

Graduate School of Arts and Science

- International Course on New “Glocal” Citizenship (M,D)*
- International Course on Environmental and Energy Science (M,D)*

Graduate School of Science

- Ph.D. Program at Frontier Physics Research Centers(D)
- Graduate Courses for International Students (M,D)*

Graduate School of Agricultural and Life Sciences

- Special Course for Advancement of Agricultural and Life Sciences (D)
- International Program in Agricultural Development Studies (M)*

Graduate School of Medicine

- Global Health Science: Program in International Health (M,D)*

Graduate School of Information Science and Technology

- English Course in Information Science and Technology (M,D)*

Graduate School of Interdisciplinary Information Studies

- Information, Technology, and Science in Asia (ITASIA) (M,D)

Graduate School of Engineering

- International Graduate Program in the Field of Civil Engineering and Infrastructure Studies (M,D)
- International Graduate Program In Mechanical, Electrical and Materials Engineering (M,D)
- Special Graduate Program in Engineering for Systems Innovation (M, D)
- Graduate Programs for Foreign Students in Urban and Environmental Studies (M,D)
- Specially-Promoted Graduate Program for Creation of the Asian Engineering Framework Based on Tripolar Alliances among Japan, China and Korea. (D)
- International Bioengineering Program (M)*
- Special English- Language Urban Design Architecture Course (M)*
- International Technology Management Program in Department of Technology Management for Innovation (TMI) (M)*
- Special Graduate Program in Nuclear Engineering (M,D)

Graduate School of Frontier Sciences

- Environmental Studies Program-Asian Development Bank (ADB) Japan Scholarship Program (M,D)

- Graduate Program in Sustainability Science (M,D)*

Graduate School of Public Policy

- Master of Public Policy, International Program (MPP/IP) (M)*

* Under the scheme of Global 30
B: Bachelor M: Master course
D: Doctoral course

Enhancement of systems for receiving/ hosting international students

Todai has established an International Office on each campus. International Offices are responsible for the following international student support services.

- Education in the Japanese language
- Adaptation to Japanese culture and customs
- Counseling (immigration, housing, scholarships, jobs etc.)
- Cultural exchange programs



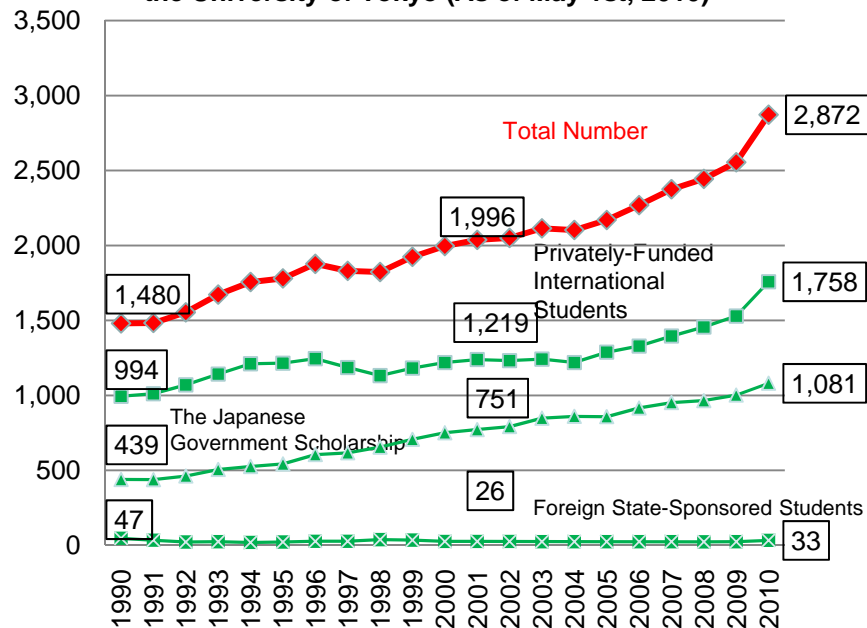
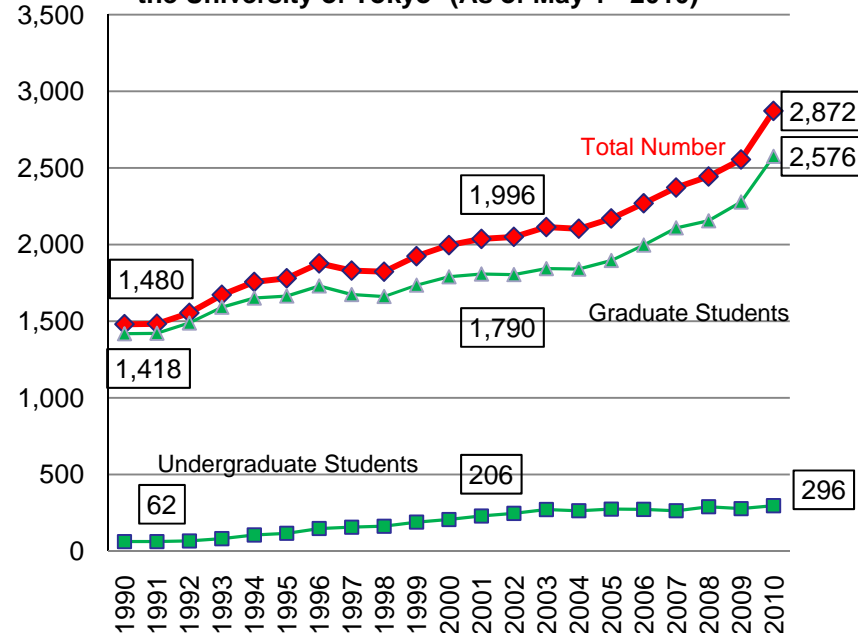
Establishment of liaisons for Study in Japan

Todai will establish a new overseas liaison office for Study in Japan.

Liaison Office in South India

The roles of overseas offices

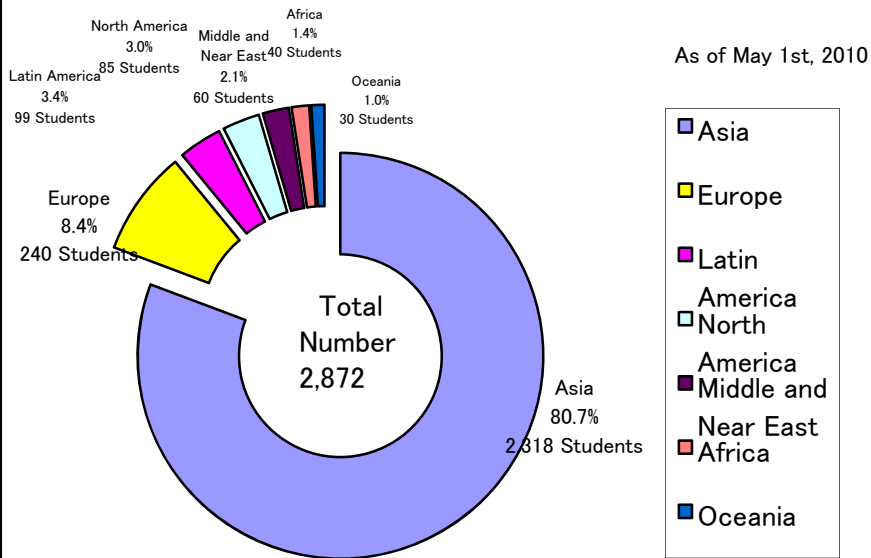
- Provide comprehensive information on Japanese universities overall, including enrollment seminars, admissions tests
- Enable local recruitment through admissions tests
- Boost the number of Japanese students studying abroad through study exchange programs

Transition of the Number of International Students in the University of Tokyo (As of May 1st, 2010)

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The Proportion of Internationals Students

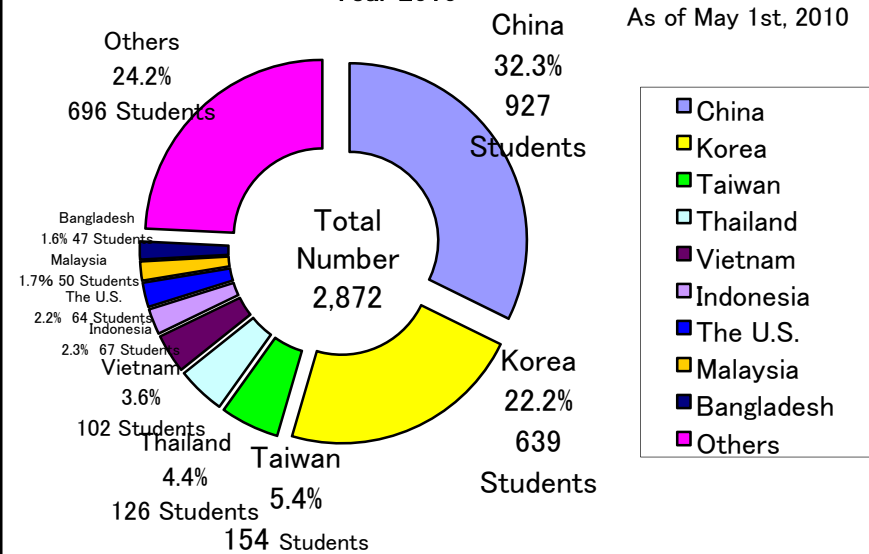
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	A Total Number of Students	B Japanese Students	C International Students	C/A Proportion	Proportion of 2009
Undergraduate Level	14,300	13,817	296	2.07%	1.96%
Graduate School Level	14,553	11,832	2,576	17.70%	15.86%
Total	28,853	25,649	2,872	9.95%	8.96%

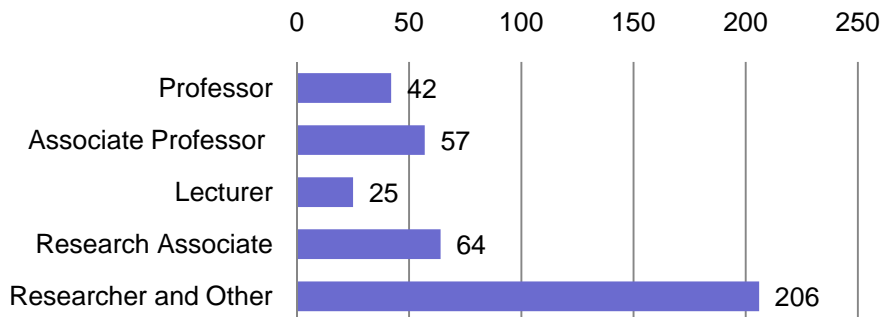
Regional Breakdown of the International Students in the Fiscal Year 2010



Nationalities of the International Students in the Fiscal Year 2010



Number of International Professors /Researchers of the University of Tokyo (As of May 1, 2010) (394 persons in total)



Countries of Origin of International Professors and Researchers at the University of Tokyo (As of May 1st, 2010) N=394

