- Date: December 8, 2020
- From: Kyoto Institute of Technology
- To: Foreign nationals living abroad planning to take the Special Entrance Examination for International Students for the Master's and Doctoral Programs of the Graduate School of Science and Technology
- Re: Measures for Overseas Residents regarding the February 2021 Graduate School Special Entrance Examination for International Students

The KIT Special Entrance Examination for International Students is scheduled for February 3, 2021. At this point in time, it is expected to be held face-to-face upon taking infection prevention measures pursuant to the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology's "Guidelines for the Implementation of Examinations taking Measures against the Novel Coronavirus Infection for the Admission Selection of 2021".

However, due to Japanese government mandated immigration restrictions and prevention measures to limit the spread of the novel coronavirus, governing persons who enter Japan from overseas, <u>foreign</u> <u>examinees living abroad who cannot enter Japan, will be able to take the entrance examination online</u>. Details on the implementation of the online examination will be uploaded to the KIT website on January 19, 2021 (Tue).

The application period remains unchanged: January 5 (Tue) – January 12 (Tue). If you are applying from overseas, be sure to prepare and post your application and accompanying documents well in advance so they can arrive within the application period.

For current immigration restrictions and prevention measures, please check the following websites of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and the Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare.

[Ministry of Foreign Affairs]

https://www.mofa.go.jp/mofaj/ca/fna/page4_005130.html (Japanese)

https://www.mofa.go.jp/ca/fna/page4e_001053.html (English)

[Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare]

<u>https://www.mhlw.go.jp/stf/seisakunitsuite/bunya/0000121431_00098.html</u> (Japanese) <u>https://www.mhlw.go.jp/stf/seisakunitsuite/bunya/newpage_00032.html</u> (English)

Note: The above links are valid as of this writing.

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