

Summer Program 2023

Engineering Design for Social Resilience

July 3-July 28 at Tokyo Tech's Ookayama Campus

In 2023, Tokyo Institute of Technology will offer a 4-week summer program consisting of intensive courses for undergraduate students. All participants will have opportunities to learn about Japanese culture while experiencing life in one of the most exciting and technologically advanced cities in the world.

About the program:

Humans and technology can work together to identify societies vulnerabilities for the development of social resilience: the ability to be flexible and recover in the face of numerous global crises such as public health issues like the COVID-19 pandemic, climate change and its impacts like heavy rains, and natural disasters like earthquakes and volcanic eruptions.

This summer program at Tokyo Institute of Technology, which draws in many interested participants, this time will be entitled, "Engineering Design for Social Resilience". Up-to-date lectures regarding energy, information, health management and social situations in Japan will be included in the program, as well as laboratory activities, a fun Japanese cultural event, and interactive class activities every week. Tokyo Tech offers an opportunity for participants to learn technologies necessary for the near future.

Theme:

Engineering Design for Social Resilience

Schedule: Monday, July 3 – Friday, July 28, 2023 (4 weeks)

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
July 3	July 4	July 5	July 6	July 7	July 8	July 9
Check in to	Orientation	Lecture	Lecture	Lecture	Free	Free
dormitory	Welcome			Cultural		
	reception			exchange		
July 10	July 11	July 12	July 13	July 14	July 15	July 16
Class	Lecture	Lecture	Lecture	Lecture	Free	Free
activities	Lab activity			Lab activity		
July 17	July 18	July 19	July 20	July 21	July 22	July 23
Class	Lecture	Lecture	Lecture	Fieldwork	Free	Free
activities			Lab activity			
(Marine Day)						
July 24	July 25	July 26	July 27	July 28	July 29	July 30
Class	Prepare for	Prepare for	Prepare for	Final	Checkout of	Return to
activities	presentation	presentation	presentation	presentations	dormitory	home country
				Closing		
				ceremony		

*Timetables and lecture content are subject to change.











Program:

Week 1 Orientation, self-introductions, welcome reception, Japanese cultural exchange

"What Is Social Resilience?" Prof. Miki Saijo (School of Environment and Society)

"Energy & Security" Prof. Jeffery Cross (School of Environment and Society)

Week 2 "AI & Evacuation" Prof. Takumi Ohashi (School of Environment and Society)

Week 3 "A Future Sustainable Society of Novel Health Conditioning through Open Innovation" Prof. Nobuhiro Hayashi (School of Life Science and Technology)

Week 4 Final presentations, closing ceremony

Eligibility:

Undergraduate students majoring in a STEM field who are enrolled at a partner university with which Tokyo Tech has a tuition waiver agreement. Students must have completed at least their first year of university at the time of participation.

Number of Participants:

Approximately 20 in total, including up to 10 from Tokyo Tech

Credits:

1 credit (Breadth Courses)

* Tokyo Tech will issue an academic record and a certificate of completion. Please note that credit transfer methods depend on the student's home university.

Program Expenses:

-Program fee: JPY 50,000

-Accommodations*: JPY 100,000-150,000 for 4 weeks (to be paid directly to the accommodation management)

-Trip expenses: Airline ticket and local transportation

-Living expenses: JPY 100,000-150,000 or more for 4 weeks for food, daily necessities, and utilities

*Note: Off-campus accommodations will be reserved by Tokyo Tech.

Application Information:

How to apply: Contact staff responsible for international exchange at your home university or institute.

After confirming your eligibility, we will send you the online application form.

Application deadline: February 15, 2023 at 23:59 (Japan time)

Notification: Applicants will be notified of the results in early March 2023.











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