JSPS Fellowship Programs for Overseas Researchers
APPLICATION FORM FOR JSPS POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM (SHORT-TERM) FOR NORTH AMERICAN AND EUROPEAN RESEARCHERS
FY2016

<Application should be typed>

1. Name in Full
   FAMILY   First   Middle
2. Date of Birth:
   /       /       Day   Month   Year
3. Nationality
4. Citizenship
   *If dual nationality, enter names of both countries. If one is Japan, you're not eligible to apply.
5. Permanent Resident
6. Current Appointment and/or Status
   Title:
   Division:
   Institution:
7. Academic Degree (Ph.D. or an equivalent) (i.e. Doctor of Science, etc.)
   Type:
   Field:
   Institute:
   Date Obtained (or Expected)
   /       /       Day   Month   Year
8. Higher Education (Start from the latest one)
   Name of University/Institution
   Location
   Degree
   Field
   Completion Date
   (Month/Year)
9. Previous Employment (Start from the latest one)
   Name of Institution
   Location
   Position
   From – To
   (Month/Year)
10. Academic Awards (Please indicate title, year and conferrer.)
11. Field of Specialization
12. Name of Proposed Host Researcher and Host Institution
   Host Researcher:
   Title:
   Division:
   Host Institution:
13. Research Theme in Japan (around 100 letters including spaces and symbols)
   2nd Recruitment: 1 September, 2016–31 March, 2017, Total: 12 months)
   From:
   /       /       Day   Month   Year
   to
   /       /       Day   Month   Year
   Total:
   /       /       Day   Month   Year
   Months
15. Research Plan in Japan: Please include at least the following items:
   a. Present research related to research plan
   b. Purpose of proposed research
   c. Proposed research
   d. Expected results and impacts
16. Subject and Achievement of Past Research
17. List of Major Publications

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### 18. Language Ability (5: excellent ........1: poor)

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### 19. Past Stay(s) in Japan

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### 20. Name(s) of other fellowship(s) for which you are now applying

- [ ] [ ]

### 21. Mailing Addresses

 Approximately four months after receiving an application JSPS will send out a notice of selection decision, so care should be taken to ensure that the address will remain valid. Please check Office or Home.

- [ ] Office:
- [ ] Home:

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### 22. If you have been previously awarded as a JSPS fellowship or participated in another JSPS research program, please indicate the name of the program and the period of your participation.

- [ ] I have been awarded a fellowship under the JSPS Postdoctoral Fellowship Program for the period of (Day / Month / Year) to (Day / Month / Year).
- [ ] I have been awarded a fellowship under the JSPS Summer Program in (Year).
- [ ] Other Program
  - Name of the program:
  - Period of participation:

I certify the above information to be accurate and correct.

Date: ____________________________

NAME (Print): ____________________________

Signature: ____________________________

(Applicant Signature)
NOTE:
The following documents must be attached.

1) A letter of acceptance/invitation from the candidate’s prospective host researcher in Japan, stating that s/he accepts the candidate at his/her institution.

2) A letter of reference/recommendation from the candidate’s current or previous supervisor (not from his/her prospective host researcher in Japan.)

3) A copy of the candidate’s PhD degree diploma. If the degree has not yet been awarded, a letter is required from the candidate’s institution stating the date when s/he will officially receive the degree. In that case, the candidate should submit to JSPS the original of the degree certificate or copy of the diploma promptly before starting his/her fellowship. Those who are not scheduled to receive a PhD degree by the day before the fellowship starts must submit ORIGINAL of one of the following documents.
   - Certificate/Verification of doctoral course enrollment at the time of application.
   - A document written and signed by the candidate’s advisor stating that you are scheduled to receive a PhD degree within two years of the fellowship starting date.

4) Supplementary documents (If necessary)

5) The application form submitted must be the original. PDF files are also acceptable.

6) All documents must be in either English or Japanese. When the original document is in another language, please be sure to attach an English translation (which does not need to be an official translation, but may be done by the host or candidate.)

7) Image data of candidate’s signature pasted on the form is acceptable.

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