



Be a Street-Smart Global Engineer

GRADUATE PROGRAM

MASTER'S: 2 YEARS / DOCTORAL: 3 YEARS

September 2022

International Enrollment

GRADUATE SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING

Division of Mechanical and Electrical Systems Engineering

► Application Fee

5,000 JPY (45 USD) (non-refundable)

Payable via credit/debit card or other international payment options. Payment is required when you submit your application online.

► Pre-application Review

All graduate school applicants must go through pre-application review via the KUAS Online Application System before applying.* This is to ensure that students can receive proper supervision for their desired research topic during their study at KUAS. When undergoing pre-application review, applicants must upload **1.** a curriculum vitae with specific academic information, **2.** a detailed research plan, **3.** official academic transcripts of all colleges and/or universities attended, and **4.** a list of research achievements (if any). Applicants may begin their application if their pre-application is reviewed and approved.

*During pre-application review, applicants must choose their prospective research supervisor(s). Applicants to the Doctoral Program may only select one prospective supervisor. Applicants to the Master's Program may select up to three prospective supervisors.

► Pre-application Process

Prepare the required documents for pre-application review (see above)

Register for pre-application review and upload your documents by:
November 15, 2021 for Early Entry
January 31, 2022 for Regular Entry

Prospective supervisor reviews documents

Notification released no later than:
November 26, 2021 for Early Entry
February 7, 2022 for Regular Entry

Applicants who pass the pre-application review stage begin preparing applications

► Admission Schedule

	Early Entry	Regular Entry
Pre-application review	Oct 18 to Nov 15, 2021	Jan 1 to 31, 2022
Online applications open	Nov 16, 2021	Feb 1, 2022
Online applications close	Dec 24, 2021	Feb 20, 2022
Online interviews	Jan, 2022	Mar, 2022
Offers and scholarship proposals released	Feb 18, 2022	Apr 22, 2022
Final offer acceptance deadline	Mar 18, 2022	May 13, 2022

Enrollment: early September, 2022

► Application Eligibility

a) Academic Entry Requirements

Applicants must have graduated from a university, completed a 16-year education, or completed a program designated by the Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology of Japan. For more details, please download the Application Guidelines from the official KUAS website.

b) English Language Requirements

Applicants must meet the minimum scores stated in the table below. At the KUAS Faculty of Engineering, English is the language of instruction. KUAS does not offer an "English as a Second Language (ESL) program". Therefore, all applicants must prove that they can thrive in an English academic environment before enrollment. KUAS accepts the following English proficiency test scores.

Test	TOEFL	IELTS	PTE	Duolingo English Test
Minimum Score	Internet-based (iBT): 80	Academic overall band score: 6.0	Academic: 50	105

* KUAS also accepts TOEFL iBT Home Edition and IELTS Indicator.

▶ Required Documents

- Photograph
- Summary of research (ONLY required for the Doctoral Program)
- Research plan
- Application essay (400 words minimum, 500 words maximum)
- Official academic transcripts from all colleges and/or universities attended (in English)
- Certificates of (expected) graduation from academic institutions attended (in English)
- Evidence of English language proficiency (TOEFL iBT/IELTS/PTE/Duolingo)
- A letter of recommendation
- Passport copy or photo ID copy
- Residence card copy (only for the applicants who have valid Japanese resident status)

▶ Scholarships

KUAS offers two types of scholarships. Applicants who wish to receive a scholarship must indicate so in their application to KUAS. As a rule, scholarships are provided to students who perform exceptionally well in their academic field. While at KUAS, scholarship recipients will undergo a performance review each semester. Scholarship recipients must maintain academic excellence to retain their scholarship.

Super KUAS-E Scholarship	KUAS-E Scholarship*		
	I	II	III
Stipend (for personal expenses) 1,200,000 JPY/year (10,909 USD/year) + Tuition exemption 100% + Admission fee exemption 100%	Tuition exemption 100% + Admission fee exemption 100%	Tuition reduction 50% + Admission fee reduction 50%	Tuition reduction 30% + Admission fee reduction 30%

** Doctoral Program students may only receive the Super KUAS- E Scholarship or the type I KUAS-E Scholarship.
* US dollar equivalents are for reference only.

(1 USD = 110 JPY)

▶ Course Fees

	1st year				2nd year	3rd year
	Admission fee	Tuition	Insurance fee	Total		
Master's Program	200,000 JPY (1,819 USD)	1,000,000 JPY (9,091 USD)	2,640 JPY (24 USD)	1,202,640 JPY (10,933 USD)	1,000,000 JPY (9,091 USD)	-
Doctoral Program	200,000 JPY (1,819 USD)	1,000,000 JPY (9,091 USD)	3,770 JPY (34 USD)	1,203,770 JPY (10,943 USD)	1,000,000 JPY (9,091 USD)	1,000,000 JPY (9,091 USD)

* All prices are subject to change without prior notice due to currency fluctuation, etc. * Tuition includes facility and laboratory fees.
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▶ Please read the Application Guidelines carefully before applying. Please download them from the official KUAS website: www.kuas.ac.jp/en/downloads



Kyoto University of Advanced Science (KUAS) is an accredited private university founded in 1969, located on two campuses in Kyoto city and Kameoka city.

In April of 2020, KUAS established the Graduate School of Engineering, where students can learn in an "on-the-job" environment under globally active professors and industry professionals. This approach, combined with

cutting-edge facilities, is ideal for developing students into specialists in materials science, energy, information processing, and systems engineering.

Kyoto is home to many world-leading tech companies, and graduates can expect to acquire the advanced knowledge and superior creative skills that will enable them to become global leaders in their field.



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