JSPS US and Canada Alumni Association Seminar Program FY2024

Washington Office

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What is Seminar Program?

[Purpose]

1) Foster and encourage the Association members to maintain and develop relationships with researchers in Japan

2) Organize events that enhance communication among the Association members and with researchers in Japan

3) Support other academic activities initiated by the Association members

[Applicable Research Fields]

Any fields of humanities, social sciences, and natural sciences.

*JSPS does not support subjects related to military / defense research

What is Seminar Program?

[Eligibility Requirements]

● Regular member of US & Canada Alumni Association

● Researcher affiliated with a research organization in the US or Canada

Regular Member:
Persons who have been funded and/or awarded by JSPS and currently residing or have an affiliation with a research organization in the U.S. or Canada are eligible for regular membership.

To become a member...
Simply scan the QR code below and fill out your information!

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Application Deadline	**April 30, 2024**
Number of Awardees	**2 seminars**
Seminar Venue	US or Canada
Seminar Date	**between August 2024 and January 2025**
Speaker	At least one researcher from Japan as a speaker and/ or discussant
Other requirements	• The seminar should include information session open to university /institute • **Should not be a closed meeting among particular research groups**

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[Invited Speaker from Japan]

The invited researcher from Japan must be a full-time researcher affiliated with university ad research institution in Japan, meet the eligibility to apply for a Grant-Aid for Scientific Research, "KAKENHI."
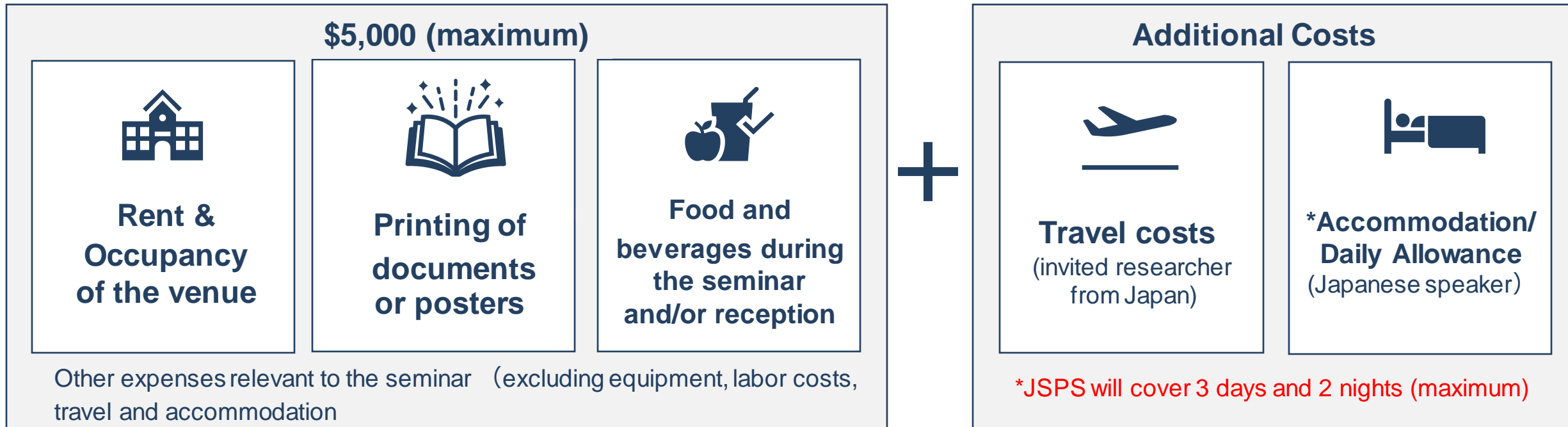
Requirements for KAKENHI application:
KAKENHI is one of the grant-aids provided by JSPS. Researchers who belong to universities, research institutions of private corporations or other organizations designated by MEXT Minister may apply for KAKENHI grants.
https://www.jsps.go.jp/english/e-grants/

Amount of Funding

One seminar will have a maximum funding level of **$5,000 (USD) other than costs for a Japanese researcher.**

$5,000 (maximum)

| **Rent & Occupancy of the venue** | **Printing of documents or posters** | **Food and beverages during the seminar and/or reception** |

Other expenses relevant to the seminar （excluding equipment, labor costs, travel and accommodation

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Additional Costs

| **Travel costs** (invited researcher from Japan) | ***Accommodation/ Daily Allowance** (Japanese speaker） |

*JSPS will cover 3 days and 2 nights (maximum)

- It can be combined with another funding source, but please be careful not to overlap.
- The cost of food and beverage should not exceed 50% of total support from JSPS or $2,000 (USD), whichever is higher.

How to Apply

- Please submit the following documents to JSPS Washington Office: was-seminar@overseas.jsps.go.jp
- The Application Form "Application for JSPS US and Canada Alumni Association Seminar Program": http://www.jspsusa-alumni.org/

Application Documents

1	Applicant Information and Outline of the Seminar (**Form A**)
2	Proposed Budget Plan Requested from JSPS (**Form B**)
3	CV and publication list of the applicant (in any format)
4	CV and publication list of the researcher from Japan (in any format)

Form A & B are available here!

Application Procedure

Form A
11. DRAFT PROGRAM

- Please note that **the plan must include the information sessions for JSPS's international programs.**

(Form A)

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TIME	CONTENTS (Type of contents and themes)	SPEAKERS and/or DISCUSSANTS (Name and Affiliation)	PROGRESS***

Results

The JSPS Washington Office will notify the applicants of the selection results by **early-June**.

Application Deadline	April 30, 2024
Notice of the Results	by early-June, 2024

Application Guideline

Thank you for your attention!

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