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Spring/Fall/Academic Year  
Year-in-Japan Program Application Forms  
【STUDENT INFORMATION】

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**Forms must be typed first.**

**A) Personal Information:**

Last Name (Family Name): \_\_\_\_\_  
First: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name in カタカナ if you know) \_\_\_\_\_

I PREFER TO BE CALLED (NICKNAME) \_\_\_\_\_

Sex: ☐ Male ☐ Female

Date of Birth (Month/Day/Year): \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Place of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_  
City State Country

Marital Status: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Dependents: \_\_\_\_\_

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**B) Academic Background:**

Home Institution Current Major of Study: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Minor of Study (if any) : \_\_\_\_\_

GPA: Overall: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Year in College: \_\_\_\_\_

Anticipated Graduation Date (Month/Year): \_\_\_\_\_

Please check the college most closely corresponds to your field of study.

- ☐ Letters (Liberal Arts, Humanities) ☐ Business  
☐ Law ☐ Economics ☐ Intelligence and Informatics  
☐ Science and Engineering (Department of Physics / Biology / Chemistry of Functional Molecules / Information Science and Systems Engineering)  
☐ Frontiers of innovative Research in Science and Technology

\*For more detailed information, please visit the website

<http://www.konan-u.ac.jp/english/konan/index.html>

**C) Program you will participate in**

- ☐ Fall Program (Sept to Jan)  
☐ Spring Program (Jan to May)  
☐ Academic Year Program (Sept to May)

## D) Two recommenders' Personal Information

1. Recommender : (an academic faculty member, academic advisor or TA at your current institution)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Institution: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Recommender : (a Japanese language faculty member if you have taken any Japanese language classes on campus. If not, any academic faculty member)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Institution: \_\_\_\_\_

## E) JAPANESE LANGUAGE COURSE WORK (if you have any or if you plan to take before leaving for Japan)

List all Japanese language classes taken:

Title	Credit/Hrs.	Where	When(yy/mm-yy/mm)	Texts/Chapters	Grade
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_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
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_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
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Have you studied in Japan? Yes ☐ No ☐

If yes, when, where and how long? :

\_\_\_\_\_

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Rate your ability in any other foreign language(s) you know:

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

List courses you have taken relating to Japan (EXCEPT LANGUAGE):

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**F) ESSAY: "Purpose for studying in Japan"**

- ◆ Your personal goals for participating in the program

- ◆ **Aspects of the program most appeal to you**

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Year-in-JapanProgram  
Application Form 【Signature & Program Query】

Home Institution : \_\_\_\_\_

Name : \_\_\_\_\_

I certify that the information given above is true and complete. I authorize the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign and Konan University (Gakuen) to review any information in the custody of the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign and Konan University for the purpose of determine my eligibility for this program.

Further, I agree to release any and all records and transcripts held by any institution to the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Konan University and any other parties that the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign deems appropriate, as necessary for my participation in this program.

I accepted as a participant in this program, I shall be subject to certain rules and requirements of this University and cooperating Universities in the US and overseas, which I agree to fulfill in all respects, subject to immediate dismissal from the program if I do not do so, and I agree to assume financial responsibility for the program fees as indicated.

a. \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of Student  
Date

B \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent/Guardian  
(if applicant is under 18 years of age) Date

**1. HOW DID YOU FIND OUT ABOUT THE YEAR-IN-JAPAN PROGRAM?**

- ☐ Program Alumni,   ☐ Faculty Members,   ☐ Japanese language teachers,   ☐ Study Abroad Office/Advisor,   ☐ Department Academic Advisor,   ☐ Bulletin Board,   ☐ Website,   ☐ Peterson's Guide,   ☐ Class Announcement,   ☐ Study Abroad Fair
- ☐ Other (please specify below):
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**2. BELOW INDICATE THE RESOURCES WHICH YOU EXPECT TO USE TO PAY FOR YOUR YEAR-IN-JAPAN Program.**

Support from Parents	_____	%
Salary and Wages	_____	%
G.I Bill/other veteran benefits	_____	%
Fellowship/Scholarship source(s)	_____	%
Tuition Waiver/Grant sources(s)	_____	%
Loan source(s)	_____	%
Other public benefits	_____	%
Any other benefits/income	_____	%
Total	100	%