

AUGUST 15 - SEPTEMBER 8 **21ST CENTURY SKILLS** JOIN STUDENTS IN JAPAN AND ALL OVER THE WORLD!



Work together with your peers in Japan, the Philippines, the United States, Australia, and other countries all over the world in this multinational virtual exchange program designed to enhance your intercultural competence and develop the knowledge and skills to success in the international workplace.



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Main Program (3 weeks): August 15 - September 8 Classes are on Tuesday, Thursday and Fridays 10:00 am - 11:30 am JST Final presentations: September 8





Language: English



Online Platforms: Zoom & <u>ImmerseU</u>



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Announcing the Summer 2023 J-MCP Programs (August 15 - September 8 2023)

The J-MCP (Japan-Multilateral COIL/VE Project) is an online program jointly implemented by multiple universities located in Japan and overseas.

The J-MCP module for Summer 2023 is **21st Century Skills**. This course is designed to help students acquire the knowledge and tools such as critical thinking, digital literacy, intercultural collaboration, cross-cultural communication and presentation skills through collaborative projects with their overseas peers.

[Program Website]

[Course Descriptions]



1. Who Can Apply

- Undergraduate or graduate students
- Currently enrolled in Kansai University or one of its <u>partner universities</u>, <u>UMAP member institutions</u>, <u>AURORA members</u>, as well as IIGE-, J-MCP- and Applied Global Studies (AGS)-affiliated institutions (listed at the end of this document)
- In good academic standing (recommended minimum overall GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale)

2. Program Dates

August 15 – September 8, 2023

Classes are held on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays 10:00-11:30 JST

3. Language

The program will be conducted entirely in English.

The recommended level of English proficiency for non-native speakers is CEFR B2. Submission of a proof of language proficiency is **NOT required**.

4. Technical Requirements

This program will be conducted online, which requires students to have:

- a stable internet connection able to handle video calls without interruption
- a quality microphone/headset
- a functioning camera-equipped PC

5. Commitment

Students **must be available** during the three weeks of the program to join all 10 lectures and participate in group work.

Please note that **group work is an obligatory part** of this program. Students who are unable to commit to the development of the group project are not eligible for this program.

IIGE will notify students' home institutions of the students' performance in this program. Non-committal participation or dropping out partway through the program **without an appropriate reason** will result in students' disqualification from participation in future programs.

6. Digital Badges

Students who successfully complete the program will be eligible for a digital badge to be issued by IIGE (Kansai University) within 3 months of program completion.

Digital badges issued by IIGE are verifiable and meet qualifications for IMS Global Open Badges 2.0.

Please note that IIGE/Kansai University **does NOT** issue credits, transcripts (official or unofficial), letters of credit approval, nor any similar documentation for this program.

7. How to Apply

Students must apply for this program through their home institutions. Individual applications submitted by students **will NOT** be processed.

A maximum of 10 students per institution may apply to this program.

Please note there are **NO application fees** for this program.

STEP 1: Download and complete the application form: <u>https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1tv0XMt7okipdK3KFQymSg5Fod</u> <u>Nz4ccJm/edit#gid=699921977</u>

STEP 2: Send the completed application form to <u>kujmcp-1@ml.kandai.jp</u> with the following title: **Summer 2023 J-MCP Application**

Please encrypt the application form and send the password in a separate email.

Application deadline: 12:00 PM July 10, 2023 (JST)

8. Announcement of Program Selection Results

Program selection results will be sent directly to students' home institutions via email by **July 20, 2023**.

Please note that students are not guaranteed a spot in this program, and selection criteria is at the discretion of Kansai University. All selections are final.

For any further inquiries please email IIGE Secretariat at <u>kujmcp-1@ml.kandai.jp</u> clearly indicating in the subject line that your inquiry relates to "Summer 2023 J-MCP Program"

IIGE-affiliated Institutions

Medicine Hat College Algoma University Universidad Tecnológica de Bolívar Instituto Tecnológico de Santo Domingo Al Azhar Indonesia University Bridgewater State University Clemson University **DePaul University** Eastern Oregon University Fashion Institute of Technology, New York James Madison University Michigan State University Morgan State University North Carolina State University Northern Illinois University Northern Arizona University Portland State University The University at Albany, State University of New York University of California, Berkeley University of Hawai'i at Hilo University of Hawai'i Kapi'olani Community College University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign University of Missouri Kansas City Western Washington University Universiti Malaysia Pahang Western Norway University of Applied Sciences Mariano Marcos State University San Pedro College Nanyang Polytechnic Universidad CEU Cardenal Herrera Zurich University of Applied Sciences Asia University Cheng Shiu University Panyapiwat Institute of Management Language Institute, Chiang Mai University

J-MCP-affiliated Institutions

Chiba University Soka University Osaka Metropolitan University Hokkaido University

Applied Global Studies (AGS)-affiliated institutions

Edith Cowan University Malmo University

M.S. Baroda University Pontificia Universidad Católica de Valparaíso Universitat Rovira i Virgili University of Ghana University of Jordan