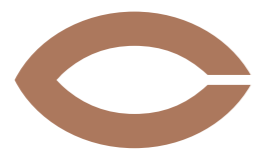


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President's Message

Becoming an “open university” that fosters “Knowledge into Action” for a new era



Founded in 1885, Chuo University has forged a history of tradition and achievement, symbolized by Hakumon, the University's original stone White Gate. From its beginnings, Chuo has embraced a mission of contributing to society by nurturing individuals who go on to support society and to lead the way toward the future, with our founding spirit of “Fostering the Ability to Apply Knowledge to Practice.” Today, as a comprehensive university with eight faculties, eight graduate schools, two professional graduate schools, four affiliated high schools, two affiliated junior high schools, and nine research institutes, this founding spirit has been passed down as the University's message at the heart of diverse academic research and broad, practical education.

Academia always moves with the times and evolves to adapt to changes in society. “Ability” in Chuo's founding spirit, “Fostering the Ability to Apply Knowledge to Practice,” refers to a foundation of skills that can be applied to society, and “fostering the ability” refers to cultivating not only knowledge, but also the capabilities needed to communicate, discuss, and make informed decisions through experiences and interactions with others, while embracing life-long learning.

On the other hand, in order to build sustainable social infrastructure, universities must take an increasingly multifaceted view of academic fields that leads to expansion of interdisciplinary research and education based on the fusion of multiple disciplines, particularly the implementation of research and education integrating humanities and sciences through focusing on the interrelationships between science and technology (natural science fields) and human and social behavior (humanities and social sciences fields). Furthermore, it is essential to improve the academic environment and educational

programs, as well as to promote sports activities so that students can lead healthy and independent lives at the University.

Taking on responsibilities expected by society, and from the perspective of nurturing individuals with the knowledge and initiative to play an active role in the era of Society 5.0, Chuo University has been promoting educational DX (digital transformation) and implementing the Chuo University Interfaculty AI and Data Science Program since 2021. With the relocation of the Law Faculty to the Myogadani Campus in April 2023, “Academic Frontiers” will begin as a joint course of the Faculty of Law, the Faculty of Science and Engineering, and the Faculty of Global Informatics, integrating humanities and sciences to provide students with comprehensive perspectives. This course will be expanded and developed together with the Faculty Linkage Program (FLP), which provides university-wide interdisciplinary education. Furthermore, we will facilitate greater collaboration with foreign universities and international organizations so that our students consistently learn with and about the world and develop the ability to apply their intellect to society while growing together. As we move forward, Chuo will continue to open and share its abundant human and material resources with our various local and extended communities, and actively seek to interact widely with society. In short, we aim to become “a more open Chuo University” in order to realize learning that leads to a solid future.

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President
Hisashi Kawai

Our History



1885 Founder and first President, Rokuichiro Masujima
 1905 Kanda Nishikicho, first location of Chuo University
 1926 Surugadai Campus after completion
 1926 Surugadai Campus completed
 University relocates from Kanda Nishikicho

Our Founding Spirit

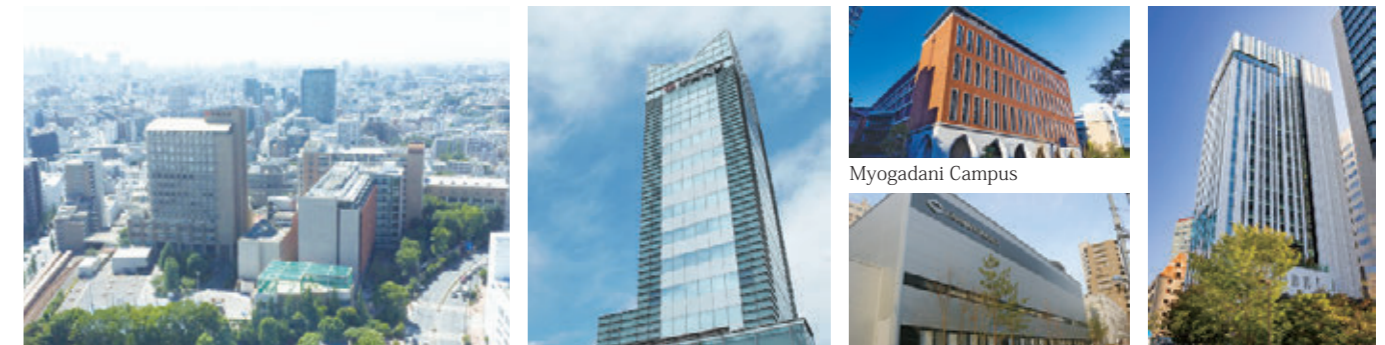
Chuo University was founded as the Igrisu Horitsu Gakko (English Law School) in 1885 by a group of 18 young attorneys. In establishing the school, their aim was to foster young professionals with expertise in common law, those trained in the Anglo-American legal tradition. The school was intended to provide practical education and produce definitive texts in all areas of common law, as well as to build a library of these texts.

The founders established the school with a spirit of providing practical education based on concrete empiricism rather than abstract systems, in the belief that promoting understanding and knowledge of rational and practical common law was indispensable for the development and modernization of Japan. With the philosophy of “Fostering the Ability to Apply Knowledge to Practice,” the founders sought to cultivate legal professionals of outstanding character, thoroughly versed in common law, who could contribute to the improvement of Japan’s legal system. The founders were convinced that common law was best suited to the transformation of Meiji-era Japan (1868-1912) into a modern society under the rule of law, and by teaching this legal tradition with its emphasis on practical experience and respect for liberty, they aimed to cultivate young lawyers ideally suited to the needs of modern society.



Tama Campus

Our Strengths



1963 Korakuen Campus opens
 1978 Tama Campus opens
 2002 Ichigaya Campus opens
 2010 Ichigaya Tamachi Campus opens
 2023 Myogadani, Surugadai, and Koishikawa Campuses open

Distinctive University Education

In a society where things cannot simply be divided into the fields of humanities and sciences, a flexible and multifaceted perspective is required. With more than 700 faculty members from diverse fields representing knowledge cultivated over the institution’s long history, Chuo University promotes educational and research activities from interdisciplinary and diverse perspectives. In order to foster talented individuals who can properly meet the needs of society, Chuo offers various and numerous educational programs.

Faculty Linkage Program (FLP)

The goal of the FLP Program is to foster specialists in various fields through comprehensive and systematic learning. FLP courses offers educational opportunities that cross and combine disciplines, such as environment, governance, and international cooperation.

Global FLP Program

This Program seeks to nurture global professionals who can leverage the expertise and skills that they acquire through practical education in global society. All courses are offered in English or Chinese.

Interfaculty AI and Data Science Program

Chuo University established its AI and Data Science Center in April 2020. The Center now offers courses related to AI and data science from introductory to advanced level for all students.

Chuo is also proud of its strong alumni network. With more than 590,000 graduates, Chuo is one of the largest and most prestigious private universities in Japan. Over the years, many of these graduates have become top-level executives at major corporations globally.

Notable Rankings

Rankings prove that Chuo stands out among leading universities in Japan with unique strengths in many areas.

- 1** Number of graduates hired as Court Officials (General Service)
(2023 University Rankings by Asahi Shimbun Publications)
- 1** Number of private university students who have passed the National Public Service Exam (General Service)
(2023 University Rankings by Asahi Shimbun Publications)
- 3** Number of graduates who are Prefectural Governors in Japan
(2023 University Rankings by Asahi Shimbun Publications)
- 5** Number of students who have passed the National CPA Exam
(Chuo University Institute of Accounting Research, 2022)
- 5** Number of graduates who are presidents of listed companies in Japan
(2023 University Rankings by Asahi Shimbun Publications)
- 8** Number of graduates who have passed the National Bar Exam
(The Japan Ministry of Justice, 2022)

Chuo Vision 2025

Guided by our founding spirit of “Fostering the Ability to Apply Knowledge to Practice,” Chuo University continuously strengthens and reinforces traditions. By gathering wisdom from across the University, Chuo nurtures individuals who possess the ability to apply knowledge to practice with advanced and global perspectives, and who can lead the transformation of society. “Chuo Vision 2025,” a ten-year development plan formulated in 2015, entered its second phase in 2021. Chuo will continue to strive for excellence and develop our historical and newly emerging institutional strengths in order to make a deeper and longer lasting contribution to global society.

Establishing a stronger global presence

Mission	To develop individuals possessing global vision and the ability to apply knowledge to practice, who can contribute to society and all humanity.		
Vision	Education Chuo University will offer and expand educational platforms for comprehensive and practical learning that meet the demands of society, and foster individuals who can contribute to humanity.	Research Chuo will promote professional and interdisciplinary research, providing solutions for complex global challenges.	Contribution to Humanity Chuo will continue to offer and enhance networking platforms for personal connections and collaborative efforts for the betterment of communities and society through distinctive education and research.
	Campus Chuo will construct and continue to develop comprehensive campuses that create social value and are committed to leading into the future.	School Management Chuo will strengthen and enhance its stable foundation of management to secure the resources needed to achieve its plans and ensure continuous renewal.	

Law Faculty Relocation to Downtown Tokyo for Enhanced Legal Education

The Faculty of Law and the Graduate School of Law relocated to the Myogadani Campus in 2023. Through collaboration between the Faculty of Law and the Graduate School of Law, this relocation enables Chuo to integrate operations, including cooperation with the Chuo Law School at the Surugadai Campus, and further strengthen the promotion of legal education at Chuo. This integration with the Law School offers a new legal training system for students who aspire to be legal professionals, enabling students to graduate from the Faculty of Law in three years and then study for two years at the Law School.

In addition, with the relocation of the Law Faculty to Myogadani, Chuo opened the “Academic Frontiers” course in 2023. This is a joint course of the three Faculties located in proximity, the Faculty of Law, the Faculty of Science and Engineering at the Korakuen Campus, and the Faculty of Global Informatics at the Ichigaya Tamachi Campus. Interdisciplinary perspectives that integrate humanities and sciences are required in contemporary society, where events and social challenges are becoming extremely complicated. Through lectures from diversified perspectives, students develop knowledge that will be the foundation for broader and deeper perspectives.



Myogadani Campus



Entrance

Library

Large Lecture Hall ©WILLMORE

Student Lounge ©WILLMORE

Professional Development – Chuo Law School and Chuo Business School

With two Professional Graduate Schools, the Chuo Law School and the Chuo Graduate School of Strategic Management (Chuo Business School), Surugadai Campus has been reborn as a base to develop professional individuals. By putting these two Schools together on one campus, Chuo can meet the needs of the legal and business communities, and foster “legal professionals who understand management,” and “business professionals who understand the law.” As a university known for its legal education, Chuo also offers recurrent education for legal professionals at the Surugadai Campus. This was Chuo’s main campus for over 50 years until the faculties and graduate schools were relocated to the Tama Campus in 1978. The Chuo Law School and the Business School will continue to develop at Surugadai, a place with a long and distinguished history of producing many graduates.



Moot Courtroom



Mid-sized Classroom

Surugadai Campus



Entrance Lobby



Library




Cafeteria

Graduate School of Global Informatics Established

The Faculty of Global Informatics, established in April 2019 together with the Faculty of Global Management, has reached the year of graduation for its first class of enrolled students. To respond to further social changes, the Graduate School of Global Informatics opened in 2023.

Amid the rapid progress of informatization and globalization, and accelerating changes in society due to the technological innovation of AI, IoT, and Big Data, there is a need for talented individuals who can respond to the complicated social issues inherent in cyber-physical society (Society 5.0) in which cyber space and the physical world are closely connected. The Graduate School of Global Informatics trains individuals who can lead the grand design of society by integrating informatics and jurisprudence, individuals who can envision solutions to various complex problems inherent in modern society using their knowledge of information management and law.

Campuses




Myogadani Campus
Faculty and Graduate School of Law



Koishikawa Campus
Sports Facility



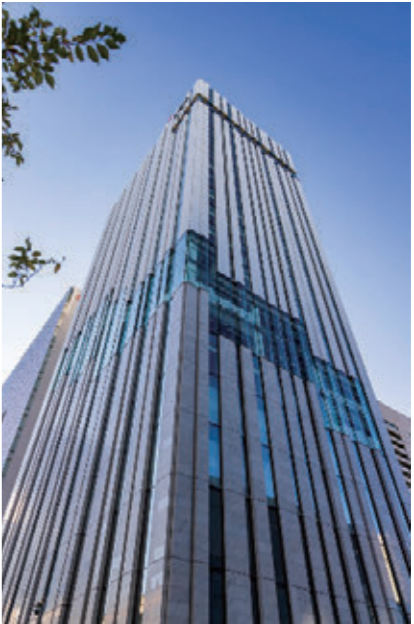
Korakuen Campus
Faculty and Graduate School of Science and Engineering



Tama Campus (Main Campus)
Faculties and Graduate Schools of Economics, Commerce, Letters, Policy Studies, and the Faculty of Global Management



Ichigaya Tamachi Campus
Faculty and Graduate School of Global Informatics



Surugadai Campus
Chuo Law School
Chuo Graduate School of Strategic Management



Faculties

		Number of Students*
Faculty of Law	Law	5,740
	International Law and Business	
	Political Science	
Faculty of Economics	Economics	4,503
	Economic Systems and Information Analysis	
	International Economics	
	Public and Environmental Economics	
Faculty of Commerce	Business Administration	4,327
	Accounting	
	Marketing and International Trade	
	Banking and Corporate Finance	
Faculty of Science and Engineering	Mathematics	4,148
	Physics	
	Civil and Environmental Engineering	
	Precision Mechanics	
	Electrical, Electronic, and Communication Engineering	
	Applied Chemistry	
	Data Science for Business Innovation	
	Information and System Engineering	
	Biological Sciences	
	Integrated Science and Engineering for Sustainable Societies	
Faculty of Letters	Japanese Literature	4,251
	English Studies	
	German Studies	
	French Studies	
	Chinese Studies	
	Japanese History	
	Asian and African History	
	European and American History	
	Philosophy	
	Sociology	
	Socio-Informatics	
	Education	
	Psychology	
	Interdisciplinary Studies	
Faculty of Policy Studies	Policy Sciences	1,236
	Cross-Cultural Studies	
Faculty of Global Management	Global Management	1,172
Faculty of Global Informatics	Global Informatics	595
Total		25,972

Affiliated Secondary Schools

Chuo University High School at Bunkyo	491
Chuo University Suginami High School	948
Chuo University Junior and Senior High School at Koganei	1,681
Chuo University Yokohama Junior and Senior High School	1,579

Graduate Schools

Graduate School of Law	Public Law	78
	Private Law	
	Criminal Law	
	International Business Transaction Law	
	Political Science	
Graduate School of Economics	Economics	48
Graduate School of Commerce	Commerce	39
Graduate School of Science and Engineering	Mathematics	792
	Physics	
	Civil, Human and Environmental Science and Engineering	
	Precision Engineering	
	Electrical, Electronic, and Communication Engineering (Master program only)	
	Applied Chemistry	
	Data Science for Business Innovation	
	Information and System Engineering (Master program only)	
	Biological Sciences	
	Electrical Engineering and Information Systems (Doctoral program only)	
Graduate School of Letters	Japanese Literature	161
	English Studies	
	German Studies	
	French Studies	
	Chinese Studies	
	Japanese History	
	Asian and African History	
	European and American History	
	Philosophy	
	Sociology	
	Socio-Informatics	
Graduate School of Policy Studies	Policy Studies	16
	Global Informatics	—
Chuo Graduate School of Strategic Management	Business Science (Doctoral program only)	11
Total		1,145

*Graduate School of Global Informatics opened in 2023.

Professional Graduate Schools

Chuo Law School (CLS)	250
Chuo Graduate School of Strategic Management, Business School (CBS)	153

*As of May 2022

Institute of Comparative Law in Japan

The Institute of Comparative Law in Japan was founded in 1948 and was the first such institute in Japan. Since then, the Institute has been highly valued as a leading research institute in this field. The Institute actively engages in research, undertaking joint research projects that bring together Institute members and external researchers. In particular, it is involved in productive academic exchange with other universities and research facilities, both domestic and international. Research results are released in publications such as the Hikakuho Zasshi (Comparative Law Review), Kenkyu Soshu (Research Monographs), Honyaku Soshu (Translated Monographs), and Shiryu Soshu (Documentation Monographs). The Institute's wide-ranging efforts to publicize findings also include international symposia and lectures from visiting foreign researchers.

Institute of Accounting Research

Founded in 1950, the Institute of Accounting Research is dedicated to comprehensive research in such fields as the practice and theory of corporate accounting, tax matters, finance, and corporate legislation and regulation. Lectures on public accounting and bookkeeping are offered for students intending to become certified public accountants. In addition, "Accounting Research" is published biennially on the Institute's website, a pioneering journal of accounting research with a long tradition in Japan that offers an "open university" environment for the wider public, in line with the Institute's proud tradition of accounting education.

Institute of Economic Research

In 1964, the Institute of Economic Research was established for the purpose of promoting research on the actual situations of the Japanese and world economies, as well as theoretical and historical research, through collaborative research and surveys. The Institute's collaborative research teams, made up of full-time faculty members, visiting researchers (external researchers), and associate researchers (graduate students), conduct research activities, mainly at the University, as well as strive to share their findings with society through collaborative research and surveys undertaken with external research institutes and researchers. The teams publicize their work in Kenkyu Soshu (Research monographs) and annual reports, as well as holding numerous public lectures, public research meetings, and symposia to present their research results. In addition, the Institute's library has collected, organized, and preserved a large collection of academic materials from Japan and abroad, mainly on economic statistics.

Institute of Social Sciences

The Institute of Social Sciences opened in 1978 to undertake joint interdisciplinary research primarily in the social sciences. As a joint research institute of politics, law, history, economics, and sociology, the Institute comprises many research teams and engages in joint research on various themes, with research outcomes publicized in various publications and at public research meetings. A key feature of the Institute's library is the collection of newspapers and newsletters from political parties, labor organizations, and agricultural organizations; statistical reports from local governments; and, basic statistical reports from other nations.

Institute of Business Research

The Institute of Business Research was founded in 1979 to conduct theoretical and empirical research on companies and businesses. Researchers specializing in such fields as business administration, accounting, commerce, finance and economics form research teams with visiting researchers and assistant researchers. Their research findings are made public through such publications as Kenkyu Soshu (Research Monographs) and the periodical Kigyo Kenkyu (Corporate Research Reports). Furthermore, the frequent public lectures, symposia, and research meetings where these findings are presented are attended by many leading specialists, and the Institute's research collection includes the histories of numerous Japanese companies.

Institute of Cultural Sciences

The Institute of Cultural Sciences was founded in 1978 to conduct collaborative research on cultural sciences in their broadest sense. With full-time University faculty members and visiting researchers from other universities, this Institute has been addressing a wide variety of topics, frequently holding research meetings and symposia. Findings are made public in publications, such as journals, monographs, and translated monographs, and attract considerable interest from academic associations.

Institute of Health and Sports Science

The Institute of Health and Sports Science was founded in 1978 to conduct collaborative research and contribute to the advancement of knowledge in the fields of Health and Sports Science. It is active in 11 fields of research: effects of physical education, student fitness, outdoor sports, human performance, physical arts, sports medicine, high-altitude training, exercise and health policy, sports for people with physical and mental disabilities, cognitive and psychological sports studies, and system physiology.

Institute of Science and Engineering

Since its founding in 1992, the Institute of Science and Engineering has been conducting strategically cooperative research activities, such as collaborative research. It has also been actively involved in funded research projects, as well as collaborative and sponsored research with private companies. In 2011, the Advanced Science and Technology Center was established to carry out large-scale research projects with external funding and to facilitate joint use of on-campus experimental equipment, contributing to the reinforcement and advancement of research at the Institute.

Institute of Policy and Cultural Studies

The Institute of Policy and Cultural Studies was founded in 1996 to develop comprehensive and multifaceted research methodologies for the study of policy and culture, aimed at contributing to the international community by generating harmony among the peoples of the world. The Institute holds meetings on the fundamental theme of "Japan's Place in the 21st Century" and engages in collaborative research. It also organizes research meetings, lectures, and symposia on matters of policy and culture as they impact all aspects of human activity. Research results are published in the Nenpo (Annual Bulletin of the Institute of Policy and Cultural Studies) and Kenkyu Soshu (Research Monographs).

Research and Development Initiative

To meet the growing social demand for university and interdisciplinary research, the Research and Development Initiative (RDI) was founded in 1999 to promote interdisciplinary collaborative research using external funds. RDI also acts as a forum for exchange among industry, government and academia. The research activities of the RDI are conducted by individual research units on a project-by-project basis. Each unit operates within the parameters defined by external funding, with clearly defined topics, objectives, time periods, and conditions of research. The system enables each research unit to produce concrete results based on fundamental research and original technology and theories to aid in the search for answers to issues facing society. The RDI members' offices, shared-use equipment room, and meeting room are located on the Korakuen campus. The RDI provides assistance for information network and administrative support systems for achieving advanced research results.

AI and Data Science Center

Currently, with AI innovation following the emergence of big data, major changes are underway throughout industry and in daily life. At such a turning point it is a key mission for the University to foster individuals who can appropriately respond to such social changes while maintaining the long-term vision needed to contribute to human happiness and the sustainable development of society. In response to these demands, the AI and Data Science Center was established in April 2020.

ELSI Center

At present, even human wisdom cannot keep up with the rapid evolution of AI technology. As a result, the threat of dystopia becoming a reality has been raised, in opposition to a utopia, or ideal society. Under these circumstances, Chuo established the Ethical, Legal, and Social Implications (ELSI) Center in April 2021 to gather the wisdom needed to consider timely and pressing issues, and to promote digital transformation (DX) for the development of an inclusive society through social innovation.

Global Partners

Chuo University Pacific Office

As an extension of a partnership agreement with the University of Hawai'i at Mānoa, Chuo University opened its first overseas hub, located in the East West Center on the premises of UHM, in December 2013. Through the opening of this Office, interaction



University of Hawai'i at Mānoa
<https://www.facebook.com/chuo.hawaii>

between students and academic staff of the two universities has grown rapidly. In addition, there are plans underway for new courses and projects in Hawai'i over the coming years.

Chuo-Thammasat Collaboration Center

Chuo opened its second overseas hub in Thailand in December 2014, the Chuo-Thammasat Collaboration Center, located in Bangkok's Thammasat University. The Center plays a key role in Chuo's globalization initiatives across ASEAN, supporting student exchange, academic programs and research projects, building networks,



Thammasat University
<https://www.facebook.com/chuo.thammasat>

and promoting communication activities internationally. In addition, each year Chuo participates in the International Education Expo hosted by the Office of the Civil Service Commission (OCSC), and is focusing on networking in Thailand through attending "JUNThai" events (the Japanese Universities' Network in Thailand).

Chuo University Shanghai Office

The Chuo University Shanghai Office is Chuo's third overseas hub, opened in October 2016 at the University of Shanghai for Science and Technology (USST). The Shanghai Office gathers information on international exchange, offers overseas study programs for students,



Shanghai Office at USST

provides research support for faculty members, and ensures a base for networking and public relations activities. Above all, the office enables Chuo to implement higher education programs in close cooperation with USST.

Chuo University Hanoi Office

The Chuo University Hanoi Office is Chuo's fourth overseas hub, opened in September 2022. This office is expected to be a public relations locus for Chuo University in Vietnam, which sends many students to study in Japan. In addition, the Japanese International School (JIS), where the Hanoi Office is located, is



Hanoi Office at JIS

Chuo's first international partner school, integrating kindergarten through high school education, and modeled on the Japanese education system. We look forward to the day when students who have studied at JIS, and following their study at Chuo, will play an active role in connecting Japan and Vietnam.

International Partner Institutions

Chuo University has partnership agreements with 211 universities and research institutions in 41 countries and regions worldwide.

Europe

Belgium

Free University of Brussels
 Catholic University Leuven
 Saint-Louis University, Bruxelles

Croatia

University of Zagreb

Denmark

University of Copenhagen
 University of Southern Denmark

France

Aix-Marseille University
 EM Normandie Business School
 ESCP Business School
 Lyon Institute of Political Studies
 Paris Cité University
 University Lumière Lyon 2
 University of Strasbourg
 University of Tours
 University Paris Nanterre
 University Sorbonne Paris Nord
 University Toulouse - Jean Jaurès

Germany

Frankfurt School of Finance & Management
 Free University of Berlin
 Humboldt University of Berlin
 Osnabrück University
 RWTH Aachen University, Faculty of Civil Engineering /
 Faculty of Mechanical Engineering
 University of Munich, Faculty of Law
 University of Münster
 University of Tübingen
 University of Würzburg

Ireland

Dorset College Dublin

Italy

Sapienza University of Rome
 University of Messina, Department of Engineering
 University of Milano Bicocca
 University of Pisa

Malta

University of Malta

Netherlands

Erasmus University Rotterdam, Erasmus School of Law /
 Erasmus School of History, Culture and Communication
 Fontys University of Applied Sciences
 Maastricht University

Poland

University of Lodz

Russian Federation

M. V. Lomonosov Moscow State University
 Pacific National University

Serbia

University of Belgrade

Spain

University of Alicante

University of Cordoba
 University of Salamanca
 University of Santiago de Compostela

Sweden

Linnaeus University
 Stockholm University

Switzerland

University of Applied Sciences and Arts of
 Western Switzerland
 University of Geneva

Turkey

Middle East Technical University

UK

Cardiff University
 Edge Hill University
 Sainsbury Institute for the Study of
 Japanese Arts and Cultures
 University College, London
 University of Cambridge, Cambridge Language
 Sciences Interdisciplinary Research Centre
 University of Glasgow
 University of Leicester
 University of Manchester, Faculty of Humanities
 University of Sheffield
 University of Stirling
 University of Sussex
 University of York

Africa

Benin

University of Abomey Calavi

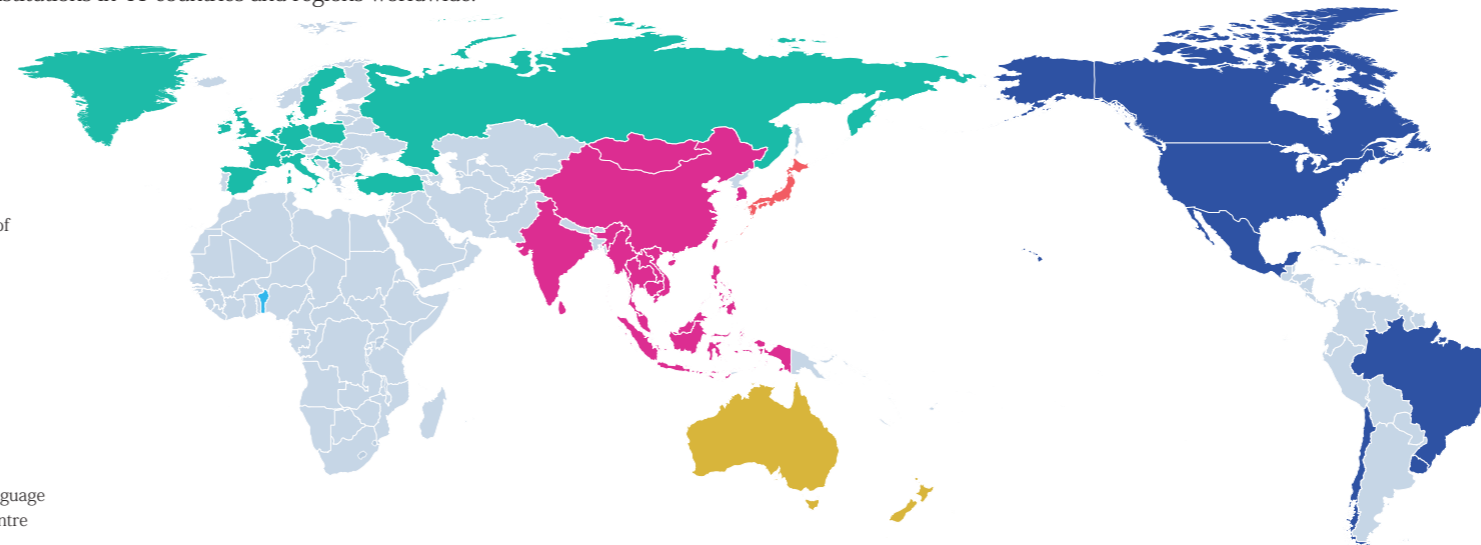
Asia

Cambodia

Royal University of Phnom Penh

China

Beijing Normal University
 Capital Normal University
 China University of Political Science and Law
 Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, Institute of Law
 Chongqing University
 City University of Hong Kong
 Dalian University
 Dalian University of Foreign Languages
 Dalian University of Technology
 East China University of Politics and Law
 Fudan University
 Graduate School of Chinese Academy of Social Sciences
 Hohai University
 Jilin University
 Kunming University of Science and Technology
 Minzu University of China
 Nankai University
 Peking University
 Renmin University of China



Shaanxi Normal University
 Shanghai Jiao Tong University
 Sichuan University
 Soochow University
 Sun Yat-sen University
 Tianjin University of Technology
 Tongji University
 Tsinghua University
 University of Hong Kong
 University of International Business and Economics
 University of Science and Technology Beijing
 University of Shanghai for Science and Technology
 Wuhan University
 Xiamen University
 Yunnan Normal University
 Yunnan University
 Zhejiang University
 Zhejiang University of Technology

India
 Indian Institute of Management Nagpur
 Symbiosis International University

Indonesia
 Gadjah Mada University
 Hasanuddin University
 Institut Teknologi Bandung, Faculty of Civil and
 Environmental Engineering
 University of Indonesia

Laos
 National University of Laos

Malaysia
 University of Malaya
 University of Science Malaysia
 University of Technology Malaysia
 University Utara Malaysia

Mongolia
 National University of Mongolia

Myanmar

University of Yangon

Philippines

Ateneo de Manila University
 University of the Philippines

Singapore

Nanyang Technological University, College of
 Humanities, Arts, and Social Sciences
 Singapore Management University
 Singapore Polytechnic, School of Digital Media and
 Infocomm Technology

South Korea

Chung-Ang University
 Dankook University
 Ewha Womans University
 Hanyang University
 Incheon National University
 Inha University
 Jeju National University, College of Engineering and
 Graduate School (Engineering Division)

Jeonbuk National University
 Kangnam University
 Konkuk University
 Korea University
 Korean Institute of Criminology and Justice
 Kyung Hee University
 Seoul National University
 Sookmyung Women's University
 Sungkyunkwan University
 Yeungnam University
 Yonsei University

Sri Lanka

University of Sri Jayawardenepura

Taiwan

National Central University
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National Chi Nan University, College of Humanities
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 Criminology
 National Kaohsiung Normal University
 National Sun Yat-sen University
 National Taipei University
 National Taiwan University
 Soochow University
 Southern Taiwan University of Science and Technology

Thailand
 Chiang Mai University
 Chulalongkorn University, Faculty of Economics
 Kasetsart University
 Office of the Judiciary of Thailand
 Panyapiwat Institute of Management
 Thammasat University

Vietnam
 Foreign Trade University
 Hanoi University of Science and Technology
 Hue University
 National Economics University
 Thuy Loi University
 University of Da Nang
 Vietnam National University, Hanoi

U.S.A.
 American University
 Benedictine University
 Boston University
 California State University, East Bay
 California State University, Monterey Bay
 Carleton College
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 Illinois State University
 Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis
 Lake Forest College
 Maryville College
 Minnesota State University Mankato
 Mississippi State University
 Purdue University Northwest
 Purdue University West Lafayette
 San Diego State University
 The City University of New York, College of
 Staten Island
 The Washington Center
 Tulane University Law School
 University of Arizona
 University of California, Berkeley
 University of California, Davis
 University of Hawai'i at Hilo
 University of Hawai'i at Mānoa
 University of Mississippi
 University of North Carolina at Asheville
 University of North Carolina at Charlotte
 University of St. Thomas
 University of Tennessee, Knoxville

Oceania
Australia
 Australian National University
 Curtin University
 Flinders University
 James Cook University
 Monash University, Monash College
 Swinburne University of Technology
 University of Adelaide

New Zealand
 University of Auckland, English Language Academy

University of Melbourne
 University of New South Wales
 University of Sydney, Centre for Peace and Conflict
 Studies / School of Language and Cultures
 University of Technology Sydney
 University of the Sunshine Coast
 University of Western Australia
 Western Sydney University

Americas

Brazil

University of São Paulo, Escola Politécnica

Canada

Memorial University of Newfoundland
 University of the Fraser Valley
 University of Winnipeg

Chile

University of Magallanes

Mexico

Mexico Autonomous Institute of Technology
 National Autonomous University of Mexico

Uruguay

University of Montevideo

U.S.A.

American University
 Benedictine University
 Boston University
 California State University, East Bay
 California State University, Monterey Bay
 Carleton College
 East Tennessee State University
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As of February 2023

International Programs

Opportunities for International Students

Degree Programs

Chuo University accepts students from around the world who wish to study full-time in degree programs. To enroll in degree programs as international students at Chuo, students are required to pass the Foreign Student Admission Exam of the chosen Faculty or Graduate School, and to take the Examination for Japanese University Admission for International Students (EJU), or the Japanese-Language Proficiency Test (JLPT). There is no Japanese language requirement for those taking the Entrance Exam for Foreign Student Admission (Method B) at the Faculty of Global Management for September enrollment. Admission procedures for undergraduate and graduate degree students are on our website: <https://www.chuo-u.ac.jp/english/admissions/process/>

Faculty of Global Management

The Faculty of Global Management nurtures young leaders possessing a rich sense of humanity eager to embrace the challenge of developing a sustainable global society, and attracts faculty members, including practitioners, and highly motivated students from across the world. Students can obtain a degree taking courses taught in English, though international students are also required to take Japanese language courses. Upon graduation, students value diversity, possess excellent communication skills, and are prepared to organize global businesses, leveraging advanced knowledge of business management and the global economy.

Exchange Programs (Semester or Full-year)

Chuo University Exchange Programs offer an opportunity for international students to take courses or conduct research for one year or one semester at Chuo. This can include comprehensive Japanese language study as an integral part of a degree program at students' home institutions. Upon completion of the Exchange Program, exchange students can transfer credits and/or academic achievements gained at Chuo to their home institutions. For more information, please visit our website: <https://www.chuo-u.ac.jp/english/admissions/exchange/semester-or-full-year/>

Global FLP Program

The Global Faculty Linkage Program nurtures global professionals, providing expertise and skills through practical, hands-on learning, and is a university-wide education program in which all subjects are taught in foreign languages.

The Chuo Law School Summer Program

Chuo Law School (CLS) hosts a summer program, "Introduction to Japanese Law in English." This one-week program focuses on the basic structure of Japan's legal system and its legal culture, as well as specific topics of Japanese law. All lectures are provided in English by CLS professors and are open to law students from around the world. The program also includes optional visits to law firms, courts, and museums. No academic credit is offered for this program. However, those who complete the course will be eligible to receive a certificate of participation.

International Student Support

Scholarships for Degree Programs*

Students at Chuo have opportunities to apply for various scholarships, including those of both public and private scholarship foundations, as well as Chuo's own distinctive scholarships and tuition reduction programs.

Chuo University Support for International Students

Freshman	Providing an amount equivalent to 30% of tuition and laboratory fees for 1 st year undergraduate students with outstanding entrance exam results.
Undergraduate and Graduate	Providing an amount equivalent to 50% of tuition and laboratory fees for graduate and 2 nd year or above undergraduate international students with outstanding grades in the previous year.

Tuition Reduction

Providing an amount equivalent to 30% of tuition fees for privately financed international students with outstanding academic ability and personal character who have difficulty studying due to financial demands.

* Applications for scholarships and tuition reductions can be submitted after entrance to the University.
* Scholarships and tuition reductions will change in 2024.

International Residences

The International Residence Chuo (IRC) opened on the Tama Campus in April 2020. The residence has 50 units containing six private rooms, 300 rooms in total, and students from various backgrounds share community life. The concept of the IRC is to facilitate intercultural exchange among students through daily living together. Based on this concept, various orientations, events, and meetings are held in the IRC.



Private Room



Unit Living



International Residence Chuo (IRC)



Lounge



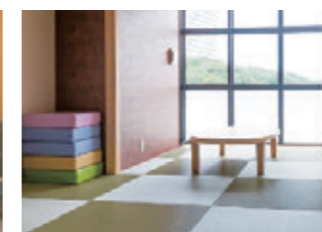
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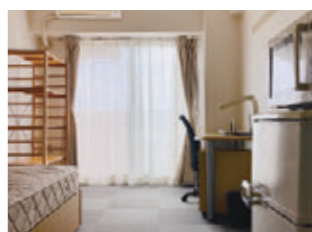
Chuo's another residence, co-managed with a housing company, the Seiseki Sakuragaoka International Residence in Tama-city opened in April 2012.



Bathroom



Japanese Room



Private Room

Seiseki Sakuragaoka International Residence

G² (G-Square)

G² (G-Square), Chuo's Global Lounge on the Tama Campus, is a unique space where Japanese and international students mingle and socialize. The Lounge provides support for students eager to become more globally aware and active. G² offers various types of information on study abroad, as well as opportunities to learn about and share different cultures. G² is an ideal on-campus space for international exchange where students regularly hold social events, cross-cultural seminars, language exchanges, and foreign language discussion groups.



University Libraries

With a history stretching back over 135 years, the Chuo University Library boasts a total collection of approximately 2.5 million volumes. Information on the entire collection is stored on a database, and can be searched from terminals connected to the Library's system, Chuo Online Information System (CHOIS). The Chuo University Library owns a large number of world-class collections as well as many useful databases. The Library provides users with access to a variety of academic information that is indispensable for research and academic study.



International Documents Room

The Chuo University Library International Documents Room has been designated a United Nations Depository Library and also holds EUI (European Info) documents. There are only eight libraries that assume these two roles nationwide and only three in the Tokyo area. The International Documents Room houses and publicly displays over 27,000 documents relating to international organizations for active use in research and education.

Career Support Programs

Chuo University offers a unique career design program, as well as various detailed job search support programs, according to the type of business or industry students seek to enter. In addition to more than 2,400 private sector fields, Chuo University graduates have taken a wide range of career paths, including the national civil service, local civil service, non-profit organizations, as well as going on to graduate schools, overseas study, and the acquisition of professional qualifications. Chuo also provides international students with full support for job hunting in Japan through career guidance, mock interviews, career seminars, and meetings with Chuo alumni, all of which are designed and customized for international students.



Diversity Center

Chuo University strives to guarantee that all students, faculty and staff are fully respected and are able to learn and work without obstruction in the University, ensuring people with diverse backgrounds and values can come together in learning. Based on the "Chuo University Declaration in Support of Diversity," the Diversity Center, established in April 2020, is working with and among departments and external resources to make appropriate changes for students who are facing difficulties or barriers, and to create "an academic environment where all people who wish to learn can gather and learn without facing discrimination and restrictions."

Student Health and Support Services

Chuo strives to offer students help with any problems they may encounter in their student life, providing access to counselors on the academic staff, medical doctors, psychiatric counselors, and contracted legal counsel. A wide variety of seminars and group activities are also offered through the Student Counseling Service. In addition, a comprehensive Health Center is located on the Tama, Korakuen, Ichigaya Tamachi, and Myogadani Campuses, and the Academic Support Center on Tama Campus has a writing laboratory to assist students in writing papers and reports.

University Cafeterias and Shops

On the Tama, Korakuen, and Myogadani Campuses there are cafeterias and shops selling food and other necessities, such as books, stationery supplies, and computers. Travel arrangements, various kinds of tickets, driving school bookings, and mutual society insurance can also be purchased.



Chuo University athletes continue their outstanding achievements in a variety of sports.

Overseas-based athletes (Chuo alumni)

Yuki Ishikawa (graduated 2018)
Powervolley Milano
Italian volleyball league SuperLega



Photo: Kyodo News

Daniel Schmidt (graduated 2014)
Sint-Truidense V.V.
Belgian Pro League



Photo: Kyodo News

Kyogo Furuhashi (graduated 2017)
Celtic Football Club
Scottish Premiership



Photo: Kyodo News

Chuo athletes with outstanding achievements in Japan

1 **Kazuki Imoto** (Law 3)
Inter College Swimming
Championships 2022
Men's 400m & 1500m Freestyle



Photo: Chudai Sports (Newspaper Club)

1 **Hiroto Fujiwara** (Law 2)
World Athletics U20
Championships
Men's 4x100m relay



Photo: Chudai Sports (Newspaper Club)

1 **Kyudo Club**
The 34th All Japan
Invitational College
Championship (Women's)



Photo: Chudai Sports (Newspaper Club)

1 **Mikuto Kaneko** (Comm 3)
The 106th Japan National
Championships
Men's 800m



Photo: Chudai Sports (Newspaper Club)

1 **Kendo Club**
The 40th All Japan Women's
Student Kendo Championships
Team Competition



Photo: Chudai Sports (Newspaper Club)

1 **Rowing Club**
The 49th All Japan University
Championships Women's
Quadruple



Photo: Chuo Rowing Club