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KAGAWARAN NG KATARUNGAN
Department of Justice
Manila

DEPARTMENT CIRCULAR NO. 035

TO : Undersecretaries/Assistant Secretaries
Chiefs of Service/Staff in the Office of the Secretary
All Heads of Bureaus, Commissions and Offices
Attached to the Department

SUBJECT : NOMINATION TO THE HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
SCHOLARSHIP BY JAPANESE GRANT AID (JDS)

DATE : SEP 05 2018

The Japanese Grant Aid (JDS), through Rolando G. Tungpalan, Undersecretary and Chair, JDS Philippines Operating Committee, is now accepting applicants for their 2-year Master's Degree program covering Japanese Academic Year (AY) 2019 and 2020 and 3-year Ph.D. program covering AY2019 to AY2021 under the Project for Human Resource Development Scholarship.

Attached is a copy of the invitation letter for your reference. For further information on the nomination/qualification requirements, program details and application procedure, you may visit their website <http://jds-scholarship.org/country/philippines/index.html>.

For interested employees, submit a copy of your application documents to the Office of the Secretary thru the Training Section, Administrative Service, for nomination not later than 25 October 2018.

For information and guidance.

MENARDO I. GUEVARRA
Secretary

Department of Justice
CN: 0201809072



Encl.: As stated.



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES

NATIONAL ECONOMIC AND DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

MEMORANDUM

TO : Heads of Constitutional Bodies; Departments, Bureaus, and Agencies of The National Government (NGAs); Local Government Units (LGUs); Government-Owned or Controlled Corporations with Original Charters (GOCCs); Government Financial Institutions (GFIs); and, State Universities and Colleges (SUCs)

SUBJECT : Project for Human Resource Development Scholarship by Japanese Grant Aid (JDS)

DATE : August 15, 2018

1. We would like to formally invite your Office to nominate candidate/s for 2-year Master's Degree program covering Japanese Academic Years (AY) 2019 and 2020, and 3-year Ph.D. program covering AY2019 to AY2021 under the Project for Human Resource Development Scholarship by Japanese Grant Aid (JDS). Since its inception in 2003, the JDS Project has dispatched 340 fellows from different Philippine Government agencies and organizations to various prestigious Japanese universities.
2. The Framework of the JDS Project from 2019-2022 (copy attached as Annex A) will be adopted for the 17th Batch of JDS Fellows who will be dispatched in 2019. Under said framework, twenty (20) fellows from various Philippine Government agencies will be dispatched each year from 2019 to 2022 to take master's degree programs from respected Japanese Universities. On the other hand, two (2) Philippine civil servants will be dispatched each year from 2019 to 2022 to take doctoral degree programs in prestigious Japanese Universities of their choice.
3. Further information on the JDS Project will be provided during the promotion seminars to be held from August to September 2018 in Metro Manila, Bicol, Iloilo and Davao (exact schedule and venue are being finalized). Interested HRD officers and personnel are encouraged to participate in the seminars.
4. The deadline for submission of the candidates' nominations with their application documents is **on October 31, 2018**. Kindly note the following important reminders:
 - a. The application documents should be submitted to the JICE JDS Project Office in the Philippines, either personally or by mail/courier to the address below:


Address: JICE JDS Project Office in the Philippines
Unit 2-F1, Island Plaza Salcedo, 105 L.P. Leviste Street,
Salcedo Village, Makati City, Philippines 1227
 - b. Local Government Units (LGUs) and State Universities and Colleges (SUCs) are requested to directly send nomination letters to the JICE JDS Project Office in the Philippines, copy furnished the Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG) – Office of the Undersecretary for Local Government (c/o Undersecretary

code Juan

Austere A. Panadero) and the Commission on Higher Education (CHED) –
International Affairs Office (c/o Director Lily Freida T. Macabangun-Milla),
respectively; and,

- c. Late submission and incomplete application documents will NOT be accepted.
5. Detailed information on the nomination/qualification requirements, program information and application procedure, as well as updates on the sub-programs and components are in the JDS Promotion materials to be provided during the seminars. The materials may also be downloaded through the JDS website: <http://jds-scholarship.org/country/philippines/index.html>.
6. Should you have further questions/concerns, please feel free to contact Ms. Ruby Deanon and Ms. Joann Murillo of JICE JDS Project Office in the Philippines at telephone no. 02-753-3261 or at email address jds.philippines@jice.org.

We eagerly look forward to your participation.


ROLANDO G. TUNGPALAN
Undersecretary, and
Chair, JDS Philippines
Operating Committee

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Enclosed: *Framework for the JDS from JFY 2019 to JFY 2022 Flyer of the JDS Project*

Framework of JDS Project (17th - 20th Batch of JDS Fellows)

University Graduate School	Course/ Program	Degree to be obtained	Study Period	Sub-Program	Component	Slot
International University of Japan Graduate School of International Relations	Public Management and Policy Analysis Program (PMPP)	Master of Arts in Public Management	2y	1. Public Policy-Science and Technology and Infrastructure for Sustainable Economic Growth	1-1. Enhancement of Public Administration and Finance	1
Meiji University Graduate School of Governance Studies	(a.) Public Policy Program (b.) International Development Policy Program (c.) Community Planning and Management Program	Master of Public Policy	2y			2
International Christian University Graduate School of Arts and Sciences	Public Policy and Social Research Program	(a.) Master of Arts in Public Administration (b.) Master of Arts in International Relations	2y			2
Hitotsubashi University School of International and Public Policy	Asian Public Policy Program (APPP)	Master of Public Policy (Public Economics)	2y			1
International University of Japan Graduate School of International Relations	International Development Program (IDP)	Master of Arts in International Development or Economics	2y		1	
Kobe University Graduate School of International Cooperation Studies	Special Course for Development Policy	(a.) Master of Economics (b.) Master of International Studies	2y		1-2. Enhancement of Industrial Promotion	2
Rikkyo University Graduate School of Business	Master of Public Management and Administration (MPMA) Course	Master of Public Management and Administration	2y			1
Yokohama National University Graduate School of Urban Innovation	International Graduate School of Infrastructure (IGSI)	(a.) Master of Engineering (b.) Master of Philosophy	2y			2
Nagoya University Graduate School of Environmental Studies	Nagoya University Global Environmental Leaders Program	(a.) Master of Environmental Studies (b.) Master of Engineering	2y		1-3. Improvement of Transportation Infrastructure Development	1
Hiroshima University Graduate School for International Development and Cooperation	Division of Development Science, Development Technology Course	(a.) Master of Engineering (b.) Master of Science (c.) Master of Agriculture (d.) Master of International Cooperation Studies	2y			1
Hokkaido University Graduate School of Engineering	English Engineering Education Program	Master of Engineering	2y	2		
Yokohama National University Graduate School of Urban Innovation	International Graduate School of Infrastructure (IGSI)	(a.) Master of Engineering (b.) Master of Philosophy	2y	2. Overcoming Vulnerability and Stabilizing Bases for Human Life and Production Activity	2-1. Disaster Risk Reduction and Management	1
Nagoya University Graduate School of Environmental Studies	Nagoya University Global Environmental Leaders Program	(a.) Master of Environmental Studies (b.) Master of Engineering	2y			1
The University of Tokyo School of Engineering	Graduate Program for Intl Students in Urban and Environmental Studies, Department of Urban Engineering	Master of Engineering	2y		2-2. Environmental Management, Infrastructure Development in Regional Cities	2

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MAILING LIST:

Executive Branch (and its attached agencies):

Office of the President
Office of the Vice President
Presidential Communications Operations Office (PCOO)
Department of Agrarian Reform (DAR)
Department of Agriculture (DA)
Department of Budget and Management (DBM)
Department of Education (DepEd)
Department of Energy (DOE)
Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR)
Department of Finance (DOF)
Department of Foreign Affairs (DFA)
Department of Health (DOH)
Department of Information and Communications Technology (DICT)
Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG)
Department of Justice (DOJ)
Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE)
Department of National Defense (DND)
Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH)
Department of Science and Technology (DOST)
Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD)
Department of Tourism (DOT)
Department of Trade and Industry (DTI)
Department of Transportation (DOTr)

Legislative Branch:

Senate of the Philippines
House of Representatives

Judicial Branch:

Supreme Court of the Philippines
Court of Appeals
Court of Tax Appeals
Sandiganbayan

Constitutional Offices:

Civil Service Commission
Commission on Audit
Commission on Elections
Commission on Human Rights
Office of the Ombudsman

Government-Owned and/or –Controlled Corporations (GOCCs)

Government Financial Institutions (GFIs) (thru the DOF)

Local Government Units (thru the DILG):

Provincial Governments
City Governments
Municipal Governments
Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao

State Universities and Colleges [thru the Commission on Higher Education (CHED)]