



VIETNAM NATIONAL UNIVERSITY, HANOI

VIETNAM JAPAN UNIVERSITY



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MESSAGE FROM THE RECTOR



We call on all students who possess high motivation and ambitious dreams to join VJU and together build an outstanding university in Vietnam, as a good practice for both Vietnam and Japan!

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Prof. Dr. Furuta Motoo

WHY CHOOSE VJU?

- 1. Liberal arts education philosophy aims for sustainable development and a student-centric model.
- 2. Education programs are jointly developed and operated by leading Japanese university partners.
- 3. International academic environment.
- 4. Study and research opportunities with eminent professors from Japan and Vietnam.
- 5. Special tuition fee support, as well as opportunities for scholarships and internships in Japan.
- Opportunities to work for Japanese or international companies or pursue higher education in Japan or other advanced countries.

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DEVELOPMENTAL MILESTONES

2009 ——	Proposal of the Vietnamese Government to establish a university that embodies the cooperation between Vietnam and Japan at the 1st Conference of University Presidents of Vietnam and Japan in Hanoi.		
2010 ——	The Governments of Vietnam and Japan issued a joint declaration considering the establishment of a high-quality university which incorporates Japanese characteristics in Vietnam.		
2012 ——	JICA, Vietnam Japan Economic Cooperation Forum and VNU conducted basic research on VJU initiative with the strong support of the Japan-Vietnam Friendship Parliamentary Alliance.		
2013 ——	Prime Minister Nguyen Tan Dung and Prime Minister Shinzo Abe agreed to accelerate the establishment of VJU.		
201/	The Prime Minister of Vietnam issued Decision No. 1186/QĐ - TTg dated July 21, 2014 on the establishment of VJU under the VNU.		
2014 —	VNU's President issued Decision No. 2589/QĐ-VNU dated July 30, 2014 on the establishment of the VJU Management Board which was responsible for the preparation towards the inauguration of VJU.		
2015	VNU and JICA signed a cooperation agreement of implementing "The Technical Cooperation Project for the Establishment and Implementation of the Master's programs at VJU 2015 - 2020".		
	VNU and JICA held a seminar for introduction of 6 Master's programs at VJU.		
2016 ——	The President of VNU appointed Professor Furuta Motoo as the first Rector of VJU.		
2016 ~ —	Officially opening the university, focusing on developing facilities, educational programs to meet societal requirements.		

DEVELOPMENT OF EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS



VJU AT A GLANCE

Mission

To nurture high-quality human resources to be the next generation of leaders, managers and experts in Vietnam, Japan, Southeast Asia, and around the world.

To provide research products in advanced technology & engineering and interdisciplinary science for sustainable development; promote knowledge transfer between Vietnam and Japan to serve the society.

To contribute to VNU's missions and Vietnam's higher education system.

To promote Vietnam - Japan cooperation.

Vision towards 2035

To become a flagship research-oriented university in Asia in advanced technology and interdisciplary science by leveraging competitive edges of Vietnam and Japan for sustainable development.



Philosophy

Aiming to become an international university, which is open to Vietnamese, Japanese, regional and worldwide students, VJU has two core philosophies: Liberal Arts Education and Sustainability Science.

- **Liberal Arts Education:** At VJU, students are equipped with extensive and interdisciplinary knowledge foundation; trained to think creatively and critically taking interdiscipliary approach; trained with soft skills and ability to adapt to the environment; nurtured with moral and cultural values to become a new generation of students and with vision.
- Sustainability Science: All education and research programs at VJU aim at contributing to sustainable development through Sustainability Science, a key to bring all relevant scientific, engineering and technology fields together. Most of research programs will be aligned with graduate level education programs. In collaboration with graduate students, VJU research activities will focus on interdisciplinary sciences and advanced engineering/technologies.





Bachelor/Engineer Programs

Faculty of Interdisciplinary Social Sciences	Japanese Studies
	Computer Science and Engineering
	Civil Engineering
Faculty of Advanced Technologies & Engineering	Smart Agriculture and Sustainability
	Food Technology and Health (to be opened in 2023)
	Intelligent Mechatronics System & Japanese Manufacturing (to be opened in 2023)

Master Programs

	Area Studies (Japanese Studies/Vietnamese Studies)	
Faculty of Interdisciplinary	Business Administration	
Social Sciences	Public Policy	
	Global Leadership	
	Nanotechnology	
Faculty of Advanced	Civil Engineering	
Technologies & Engineering	Environmental Engineering	
	Climate Change and Development	

PhD Program

Faculty of Interdisciplinary Social Sciences	Japanese Studies (to be opened in 2023)
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CAREER PATH AFTER GRADUATION

After graduation, students will have the competencies and skills required for leaders and managers, experts and occupations in various fields at domestic or international enterprises and organizations, as well as researchers and teaching staff. Students will also be able to pursue master's or doctoral degrees at leading universities around the world.





UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMS

All undergraduate programs at VJU are honor programs reflecting an educational philosophy in liberal arts and sustainable development; aiming to provide high-quality human resources with holistic and integrated knowledge in the fields of natural and social sciences, competitive capabilities and specialized skills, and an ability to quickly adapt to changes in society.

1.Bachelor's Program in Japanese Studies (BJS)

The program aims at training Japanese studies specialists who possess holistic and in-depth knowledge in one of three areas: Japanese Laws, Japanese Economy - Management, and Japanese Language Teaching. After graduation, students will have the necessary capacity to work at national and international enterprises and diplomatic organizations as well as to become lecturers in Japanese studies and Japanese language teaching.





2.Bachelor's Program in Computer Science and Engineering (BCSE)

The program equips students with in-depth knowledge and competitive capacity in the fields of artificial intelligence, data science, software technology and financial technology. After graduation, students will have the knowledge and skills needed to become experts/engineers in data analysis, software development, system analysis or financial analysis, or to become lecturers or continue their studies to higher levels.

3.Engineer's Program in Civil Engineering (ECE)

ECE equips students with interdisciplinary and specialized knowledge in technology and engineering, as well as transferable skills in the design, construction, operation and management of infrastructure, civil engineering, urban and transportation projects. The program offers a wide range of career opportunities such as civil engineers, technical engineers, construction engineers, appraisers, inspectors, and experts in consulting, supervising, inspecting and examining infrastructure engineering projects.





4. Engineer's Program in Smart Agriculture and Sustainability (ESAS)

ESAS aims to equip students with abilities to adapt knowledge of agricultural science and technology; to apply information technology and other advanced techniques; and to utilize economic analyses. After graduation, students will have the knowledge and skills needed to become the engineers in charge of production technologies and management of high-tech agricultural farms.

5.Engineer's Program in Food Technology and Health (EFTH)

The program equips students with comprehensive knowledge and the capacity to solve problems related to food technology and health. Students will learn how to build and operate food production lines, and ensure efficiency in preservation and distribution systems of food while complying with national/international requirements and regulations, and apply advanced Japanese technology in the production and management of safe foods. Students who graduate can become engineers/specialists in management, manufacturing, research and development of high-quality and safe food at private, foreign, or state-owned enterprises/organizations.





6.Integrated Engineer - Master's Programs in Intelligent Mechatronics System & Japanese Manufacturing (EMJM)

The interdisciplinary program integrates three advanced engineering fields: Automation, Information Technology and Precision Mechanical Engineering. The "Monozukuri" philosophy of Japanese manufacturing is applied holistically throughout the program. After graduation, students can become engineers/specialists in technical designing; control programming, manufacturing, maintaining and operating control systems, automated production lines and smart factories or technology consultants, or directly transfer one more year to become a master of engineering.

GRADUATE PROGRAMS



1. Master's Program in Area Studies (MAS)

MAS provides two specializations, Japanese studies and Vietnamese studies, and equips students with knowledge about language, culture, religion, history and geography, as well as providing an understanding of legal, political, diplomatic and economic issues in Vietnam and Japan. This program equips students with advanced knowledge of Area Studies based on modern theories, methodologies, and interdisciplinary approaches that are used by international scientists, especially in well-known Japanese and Vietnamese universities and institutes. After graduation, students will have the competencies and skills to take up positions that require general and interdisciplinary research skills.

2. Master's Program in Business Administration (MBA)

MBA focusing on sustainable business and Japanese style management aims to develop students who are capable of leading firms to simultaneously achieve acceptable profitability, reduce their environmental footprints and assure ongoing contributions to their communities. The specialization in sustainable business prepares students with a thorough review of sustainability concepts and frameworks, as applied to business, as well as creates options to pursue focused sustainability issues in marketing, operations, human resource management, and business strategy, among other specific disciplines. After graduation, students will have the skills needed to become entrepreneurs or managers in multinational corporations, domestic or international enterprises.





3. Master's Program in Public Policy (MPP)

MPP provides in-depth and interdisciplinary knowledge in both theory and practice in the field of public policy and trains students with deep knowledge and understanding of the complexity and challenges of public policy, its formulation, implementation, and evaluation. This program also aims to equip students with a set of analytical tools and essential skills necessary to be more effective managers, decision-makers, and implementers who have not only a sustainable vision but also the capacity of finding and solving problems as well as taking leadership in achieving the vision. After graduation, students will have the competencies and skills required for planning and implementing public policies as analysts, consultants, implementers, and evaluators.

4. Master's Program in Global Leadership (MGL)

MGL aims to foster global leadership qualities and competencies, in particular: i) Gain general knowledge and understanding of global leadership, ii) Develop critical insights of global leadership through an interdisciplinary approach to politics and security, economics, cultural and social issues as well as international relations, iii) Develop important skills to work in a globalised world and engage in intercultural dialogues. After graduation, students will have the competencies and skills required for leaders and managers, consultants, policy analysts, strategic advisors of regional international organizations, central and local level national agencies, and international NGOs.



GRADUATE PROGRAMS

5. Master's Program in Nanotechnology (MNT)

MNT puts much emphasis on the abilities of students to look at the nanoscopic view from the quantum-level, and through deep thought and the resolution of complex problems, to make ceaseless breakthroughs in high technology. The program equips students with advanced knowledge related to Nanotechnology in physics, chemistry and biology. Also, the program fosters students with research methods and skills to recognize, analyze and solve issues and then let them have the ability to apply this knowledge to fabricate and investigate nanoscale materials and devices. After graduation, students will have the skills needed to become researchers, technicians and managers at enterprises, or science and technology management staff.





6. Master's Program in Civil Engineering (MCE)

MCE is designed to equip students with knowledge and skills related to engineering, design, construction, and operation, and management of infrastructure projects and/or modern transportation systems in the following fields: i) Transportation engineering, bridge technology, underground civil works, ii) Materials technology in construction, iii) Maintenance of civil engineering, iv) Regional/urban and transportation planning in line with sustainable development. After graduation, students will have the skills needed to become managers, consultants, supervisors and inspectors. Students will also be able to become researchers or members of the teaching staff.

7. Master's Program in Environmental Engineering (MEE)

MEE equips and updates learners with advanced and in-depth knowledge on various aspects in the field of environmental technology and engineering, and initially orients research for students through a master thesis. The program equips students with the principles of environmental engineering based on a fundamental knowledge of chemistry, physics, and biology and provides students with advanced knowledge for assessment, management, and prediction of environmental issues, which is required for high-level research. After graduation, students will have the competencies and skills required for government agencies, researchers and employees at companies working in environmental engineering.





8. Master's Program in Climate Change and Development (MCCD)

MCCD provides basic, interdisciplinary knowledge of the nature, tendency, impacts, vulnerability, adaptation and mitigation of climate change in relation to development. Also the program equips students with competence and skills to discover, analyze, evaluate, and forecast problems related to climate change and development. The program also helps foster skills to propose and create climate change adaptation and mitigation measures for sustainable development. After graduation, students will have a wide range of career opportunities, such as experts for development at enterprises, nature reserves, biosphere reserves, and tourist destinations.



Japanese Language Education Centre (JLEC)

Vietnam is undergoing the most dynamic changes in the Japanese language education industry. The number of Japanese language learners, Japanese language teachers and Japanese language institutions in Vietnam is now the highest in the world.

In March 2022, for promoting Japanese language education in Vietnam, Vietnam Japan University and With Us corporation, a company with over 45 years of experience in the education business through cram school and correspondence high schools signed the contract about JLEC's joint management, aiming to become a Center of Excellence (CoE) for Japanese language research and education not only in Vietnam but also in the ASEAN and Asian region.



Japanese Language Education Program (JLE)

Japanese language is a compulsory module of the academic curriculum for all master and bachelor/engineer programs at VJU. The Japanese Language Education Program is responsible to construct and implement the courses, with the coorperation from Waseda University, one of the most prestigious private universities in Japan.

Besides compulsory modules, the program provides students with supplementary classes and many extra-curriculum activities such as meeting with Japanese students and companies as well as with Japanese lecturers and staff working at VJU, etc. to equip them with further understanding of Japanese, Japanese culture and to assist them in preparing for their further education or future work.

In addition, the program also organizes many workshop and seminar activities to discuss about Japanese teaching activities with the participation of Professors, Associate Professors and lecturers from prestigious Japanese universities.





RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES

Research activities

VJU aims to become a flagship research university, especially in the fields of advanced technology and engineering, and interdisciplinary sciences that is aligned with its philosophy of sustainable development and liberal art education. With this orientation, the university has established two faculties: the Faculty of Advanced Technologies & Engineering and the Faculty of Interdisciplinary Social Sciences.

Research activities at VJU are led by young and talented scientists with the support of special financial mechanisms and the strong sponsorship of the Japanese government. All new researchers at VJU are awarded with seed-funding from JICA to promote their research, collaboration and acquisition of outside sponsorships.

VJU has continued to expand collaboration with international and national scientists through conducting research projects, regular conferences, seminars and research exchange. Each year, VJU handles hundreds of research visits from international scholars, as well as seminar and lecture series with industrial representatives and partner institutes.

The research activities at VJU consist of, but are not limited to, the five following areas which are aligned with sustainable development goals:

- · Advanced technology and engineering;
- · Interdisciplinary social sciences;
- Interdisciplinary life sciences and some related fields;
- · Sustainability science;
- · Cutting-edge integrated research fields.

Scientific publications in the 2016-2022 period	Total
ISI/Scopus papers	215
Papers in other int. journals	13
Papers in domestic journal	38
Papers in proceedings of int. conf.	63
Papers in proceedings of domestic conf.	4
Books in Vietnamese	1
Books in foreign languague	13
Patent	4

Cooperation and development

Supporting Organization



Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) has supported VJU to develop its capacity of personnel and education programs through the two phases of Technical Cooperation projects since 2015 (TC1: 2015-2020, TC2: 2020-2025). The current project aims to establish the foundation of providing high-quality education, research and administration for both undergraduate and graduate programs.

Coordinating Universities







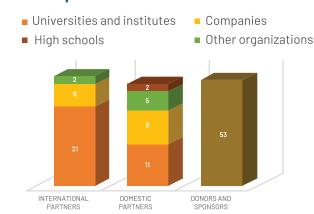








Other partners





STUDENT LIFE AT VJU

Undergraduate level — — —



























Meeting Leaders of the two Governments







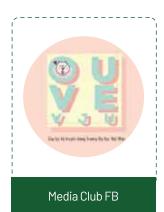








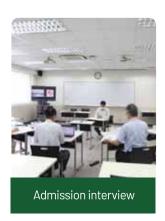








Graduate level —



















STUDENTS' VOICES

The first reason I chose VJU is the university's educational philosophy based on a "Liberal Arts Education" and "Sustainable Development". The knowledge and skills provided through the subjects are crucial in this changing era which puts high requirement on capability and high adaptability of human resources. At VJU, we have very practical and useful experiences related to factories, businesses, and organizations of Japan through field trips and seminars. I feel very honored to become a student of VJU and receive great experiences thanks to the friendly relationship between Vietnam and Japan.



Ms.Pham Ha Trang

Bachelor's Program in

Japanese Studies



Mr.Bui The Trung
Bachelor's Program in Computer
Science and Engineering

I chose VJU for various reasons: career prospects, unique learning and teaching environment, reputation from VJU's university partners, financial aid and scholarships from the Japanese Government, English and Japanese proficiency after graduation, etc. I think VJU is the ideal environment to learn as well as to improve my skills since VJU has many advantages that I mentioned above.

It fascinated me that VJU has a unique blend of Japanese and Vietnamese education, and its courses are suited to current ongoing trends. VJU has many advantages such as collaboration with Japanese universities through various courses, student exchange, opportunities for internships and direct consultation with professors from Japan and Vietnam. In addition, VJU also offers many scholarships to learners.



Mr. Yeshus Umesh
Master's Program in Climate
Change and Development



Ms.Nguyen Thi Lan Anh Master's Program in Public Policy

I was looking for an international standard master's program in Vietnam, and I found VJU to be the best choice for me. I especially like the Master's Program of Public Policy (MPP) for its use of English as a learning medium and its combination between theory and practice. In the near future, I would love to become a policymaker and advisor who works toward effective policies for Vietnamese teachers' salaries, professional learning, and well-being.

It was fascinating that VJU allows me to do research in Vietnam, take classes in English, and study sustainability science since my motivation for research is based on 2 years of experience as a Japanese-language teacher in Vietnam. While at VJU, I studied what it means for Vietnamese people to be Japanese teachers, what environmental factors affect Vietnamese Japanese-language teachers in the process of career development, and so on. Meeting with respected teachers at VJU was a valuable asset for me, and I was able to enjoy a fulfilling campus life.



Mr. Yoshida Hiroyoshi
Master's Program in Area Studies
(Graduated in 2022)

ADMISSION CAPACITY



Undergraduate Program **40-150 students/program**



Graduate Program

10-15 students/program

TUITION FEE (2023 ENROLLEES)

Programs	Enrollment Fee (VND)	Tuition Fee/semester (VND)
Undergraduate (Vietnamese students)	2,300,000	29,000,000
Graduate (Vietnamese students)	1,800,000	23,000,000
Graduate (International students)	1,800,000	27,500,000

SCHOLARSHIPS

There are various scholarships that students can apply for after enrollment:

- Scholarships for graduate students
 - Japan-ASEAN Integration Fund (JAIF) Scholarship: 100% of tuition fee, Admission fee (500,000VND) and Enrollment fee (1,800,000VND)
 - Nippon Steel Vietnam Co. Ltd. Scholarship: 100% of tuition fee
- Scholarships for undergraduate and graduate students
 - Yamamoto Scholarship: 100% tuition fee and support of study expenses per semester
 - Rector scholarship with various levels of support

And some other scholarships from Vietnam National University, Hanoi and such donors as Fast Retailing, Zeon, Sekisho, etc.

APPLY NOW





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