

**Target Countries :**

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**Sector :** Private Sector Development/Industrial Development Institution

**Sub-Sector :**

**Language :** English

**Outline**

Improvement of intellectual property(IP) system promotes foreign direct investment, technology transfer and industrial diversification, and is indispensable for sound social economy development. Thorough the case study of Japanese IP system and its utilization by Japanese enterprises, this course offers participants an opportunity to understand the IP system which promotes economic development and explores the necessary improvements in each country.

Objective/Outcome	Target Organization / Group	
<p><b>【Objective】</b>                      To provide the participants with the knowledge of the global situation (and trends) of IP system, in Japan and the foreign countries. By understanding the relationship between IP system and economic development, the participant will be able to propose necessary and practical improvement of IP system for his/her country and its IP related organization.</p> <p><b>【Outcome】</b>                      1. Country Report which analyses the current challenges of IP system in participants' countries, is produced and submitted.</p> <p>2. By making reference to Japanese IP system (IP right protection, utilization and creation) including its promotion, public awareness, education, and human resource development, suitable action plan (policies/measures) are examined.</p> <p>3. Targeting both short term (a year) and mid-term(3 to 5 years), the action plan for the respective IP organization is discussed and presented.</p>	<p><b>【Target Organization】</b>                      1) IP Office                      2) Agencies related to IPR                      3) Governmental organization relating to economy</p> <p><b>【Target Group】</b>                      More than 3 years of working experience in this field</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Contents</b></p> <p>&lt;Before the course in Japan&gt;                      Submission of Country Report</p> <p>&lt;During the course in Japan&gt;                      -LECTURES: International framework which affects technological trade (TRIPS, Paris Convention, Berne Convention and PCT); IP System for Developing country (patent, trademark, utility model, design, copyright and Geographical Indication); IP and technical innovation (contract law, employment agreement and good treatment measure); IP and technology transfer promotion (technology transfer law and the Antimonopoly Act); Enforcement of IP (IP law and customs law); Human resource development related to IP; New agenda in IP (infringement on internet, folklore and biogenetic resources)</p> <p>-SITE VISITS: Japan Patent Office (JPO), Agency for Cultural Affairs, and copyright management group, Japan Customs, Government organizations (Kansai Bureau of Economy, Trade and industry METI), University, and Small and Medium Enterprises (SMEs)</p> <p>-DISCUSSION/PRESENTATION: Public meeting with IP specialist in Japan, Presentation of action plan</p> <p>&lt;After the course in Japan&gt;                      Sharing of the action plan and progress report</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Course Period</b></p>	<p>2019/8~2019/9</p>
		<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Department in Charge</b></p>
	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>JICA Center</b></p>	
		<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Cooperation Period</b></p>

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