(JICA Development Studies Program) Frequent Asked Questions (FAQ) on Guideline on online program of Japanese Modernization Lecture Series

Here below are some frequent asked questions on the captioned online program.

1. What is my login ID and password?

Your login ID and initial password will be sent from the Open University of Japan (OUJ) titled "Login ID for the online program 'Japanese Modernization Lecture Series Chapter 1-15'(JICA) from <u>ouj-pro@ouj.ac.jp</u>. You can use the same ID to access to both courses, 'Seven Chapters on Japanese Modernization' (Chapters 1 to 7) and 'Japanese Modernization Lecture Series' ("Chapters 8 to 15")

Please login with the provided ID and password by accessing to <u>https://aoba.ouj.ac.jp/rpv?en</u> using Google Chrome or Microsoft Edge browser. Internet Explorer browser does not support the course.



2. I cannot open the learning content. Why?

When you access to the online course with your ID and password, please click the red circled part where it say "Register for the course (Free)"



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3. I changed my password but cannot login with the new password. Why?

After you attempt to change your password, you will receive a link from the Open University of Japan (OUJ) titled '【放送大学インターネット配信公開講座】ログイン ID 再通知/パスワード再設定のご 案内' from <u>ouj-pro@ouj.ac.jp</u>

You will need to change your password within 24 hours by clicking the designated link, otherwise it will not be effective.

Also, if you attempt to change your password several times, you will need to login with the most recent link which is sent from the Open University of Japan (OUJ) account <u>ouj-pro@ouj.ac.jp</u>. Otherwise, you will receive the below error message.

(Sample error message when attempting to login with not the recent link sent from OUJ)



Also, please make sure that your password fulfills the two conditions below.

1. Use more than 8 letters but fewer than 20 letters

2. Use a number, a small letter and a capital letter at least once

4. Can I start the program after my first semester is done?

This is a mandatory online program for all JICA scholars, aside from your university course.

You are allowed to start the program within your convenient schedule. However, we advise you to complete the program within six months after your arrival to Japan.

5. Will this be graded and will the grade appear on the completion certificate?

There is no grading for the online program. After completion of each part of the program (i.e., Chapters 1 to 7, and Chapters 8 to 15), you will receive a completion certificate and a digital badge. Completion certificate will be downloadable online and printed copy will not be provided.

6. Contact

For any other inquiries, please contact the team below.

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