

NIHON UNIVERSITY

BRIEF GUIDE 2023



ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY

- Nihon University was established as Nihon Law School on October 4, 1889 by its founder, Count Akiyoshi Yamada and other advocates. Count Yamada played an instrumental role in compiling Japan's modern law system as Minister of Justice under the Meiji government.
- Count Yamada firmly believed that Japan's modernization required education and research of legal principles on the basis of Japanese history, culture and tradition. It was this conviction that inspired him to establish Nihon Law School.
- In 1903, Nihon Law School changed its name to Nihon University. Today, Nihon University, which consists of 19 graduate schools, 12 colleges and 4 schools, a distance learning division, a junior college with 4 departments, numerous research institutes, special training schools, affiliated schools and hospitals, is one of the most distinguished private universities in Japan.



Founder
Count Akiyoshi Yamada

THE AIM AND MISSION

- Nihon University aims to contribute to world peace and the welfare of humanity grounded on the Japanese spirit, valuing Japanese tradition based on its history and culture, abiding by the constitution, cultivating the spirit of independent creativity, and working for the development of culture.
- The mission of Nihon University is to develop cultured people who are of sound mind and body and conduct in-depth academic research by gathering a broad range of knowledge from around the world.



The Old Misaki-cho Campus
1920-1923



College of Science and Technology (The old building)
1928-2000



College of Risk Management / College of Sports Sciences
2016-

FACTS

At a Glance

- Type of University — Private
- Founded — 1889
- Founder — Akiyoshi Yamada, Count
- President — Takeo Sakai,
Doctor of Medicine., Ph.D
(15th President, 2022-present)
- Location (Headquarters) — Tokyo, Japan

Facts

- Number of Students (as of May 1, 2022) — 77,900
 - Undergraduate — 66,395
 - Graduate — 3,028
 - Distance Learning Division — 7,717
 - Junior College — 760
- Alumni — 1,232,558 (as of March 2022)
- University-owned land — 31,148,808.59m² (as of March 2022)
- Budget (AY2022) — 259.2 billion yen (US\$1.96 billion)



- How are different Social Aggregations (Communities, Ethnic Groups, Classes) in Globalization?
- How do those Aggregations affect Globalization?



Globally Recognized Research at Nihon University

Nihon University, as a multi-disciplinary educational institution, encourages cooperation among different fields, and promotes research in a wide range of disciplines.

Nihon University also promotes the transfer of new technologies and knowledge (resulting from research) to the industrial sector, and was a superior class in the ranking, among all private universities in Japan, with their total number of income-generating patents in the academic year of 2021.

In addition, Nihon University is highly regarded in Japan as it was ranked as the fourth among all Japanese private universities in terms of the number of researches that are granted “Grand-in-Aid for Scientific Research” (the largest research grant in Japan).

* Patents were from the 2022 fiscal year, and grants-in-aid for scientific research were from the 2022 fiscal year.

Recent Large-Scale Research Projects

Establishment of “Nihon University Disaster Society” and research and development of “Personal Alerts for Disaster”

Development of human machine interface offering minimally invasive surgery based on current interaction system between surgeons

Interdisciplinary study for practical application of cell-based therapy using technology from Nihon University

- Doctoral Degrees Awarded ————— 13,331 *¹⁾
- Number of Faculty (full-time) ————— 2,590 *²⁾
- Collection of Books ————— 5,678,635 *³⁾
- Grants-in-Aid for Scientific Research (AY2022) awarded by Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (MEXT) and Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (JSPS) ————— 1,088 million yen (US\$8.22 million)

* 1) as of March 25, 2022 * 2) as of May, 2022 * 3) as of April, 2022

Patent Activity

- Total Patent Royalty Income (AY1998-AY2022) — 1,407 million yen (US\$10.63 million)

Invention Submitted	Patent Applications			Registered Patents			
	Domestic	Overseas	Total	Patent Right		Utility Model Right (Active)	Design Right (Active)
				Domestic (Active)	Overseas (Active)		
2,389	2,213	998	3,211	822 (206)	336 (80)	8 (0)	27 (5)

as of December 31, 2022

STUDENT LIFE

● Nihon University has 18 individual campuses in Tokyo and its surrounding areas.

The fine facilities that each campus offers, such as libraries and sports facilities, enable students to effectively work on their current objectives and inspire them to attain the future goals. During their time here, students also have many opportunities to nurture good friendships and enjoy the precious time of campus life.

● Nihon University has 34 sports bodies and actively promotes and supports students' sporting activities. There are some students who have gone on to compete in the Olympics and other world-class events. Such great athletes enhance a high reputation of Nihon University.

● Graduates are active in the forefront of various fields both in Japan and abroad with diverse capabilities and skills earned at Nihon University. They also take advantage of the broad network of alumni that have numbered about 1.23 million.



INTERNATIONAL

Nihon University is continuously developing dynamic collaborations with numerous overseas universities and also promoting students' mobility through various international exchange programs.

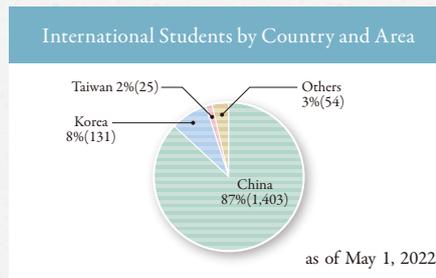


Number of International Students by Program	
Graduate School	330
Undergraduate and Junior College	1,268
Non-Matriculated	15
Total	1,613

as of May 1, 2022

Number of International Students on Japanese Government (MEXT) Scholarship	
Graduate School	3
Undergraduate	0
Non-Matriculated	0
Total	3

as of May 1, 2022



as of May 1, 2022

Scholarships for Privately-Financed International Students

There are scholarship programs offered by public and private organizations, in addition to Japanese Government Scholarships and Nihon University Scholarship of 100th Anniversary of Foundation.

- Main Partner Universities
- Peking University (CHN)
 - Korea University (KOR)
 - Nanyang Technological University (SGP)
 - The University of Toronto (CAN)
 - University of Hawaii at Manoa (USA)
 - Washington State University (USA)
 - University of Cambridge (GBR)
 - Aarhus University (DNK)
 - Stockholm University (SWE)
 - Free University of Berlin (DEU)
 - LUT University (FIN)
 - The University of Avignon (FRA)
- and many others

Colleges (12 Colleges and 4 Schools)

- **College of Law**
Law/Political Science and Economics/Journalism/Business Law/Public Policy and Affairs
- **College of Humanities and Sciences**
Philosophy/History/Japanese Language and Literature/Chinese Language and Culture/
English Language and Literature/German Literature/Sociology/Social Welfare/Education/
Physical Education/Psychology/Geography/Earth and Environmental Sciences/
Mathematics/Information Science/Physics/Biosciences/Chemistry
- **College of Economics**
Economics/Industrial Management/Finance and Public Economics
- **College of Commerce**
Commerce/Business Administration/Accounting
- **College of Art**
Photography/Cinema/Fine Arts/Music/Literary Arts/Theatre/Broadcasting/Design
- **College of International Relations**
International Studies/International Liberal Arts
- **College of Risk Management**
Risk Management
- **College of Sports Sciences**
Competitive Sports
- **College of Science and Technology**
Civil Engineering/Transportation Systems Engineering/Architecture/
Oceanic Architecture and Engineering/Town Planning and Design/
Mechanical Engineering/Precision Machinery Engineering/Aerospace Engineering/
Electrical Engineering/Electronic Engineering/Computer Engineering/
Materials and Applied Chemistry/Physics/Mathematics
- **College of Industrial Technology**
Mechanical Engineering/Electrical and Electronic Engineering/Civil Engineering/
Architecture and Architectural Engineering/Applied Molecular Chemistry/
Industrial Engineering and Management/Mathematical Information Engineering/
Sustainable Engineering/Conceptual Design
- **College of Engineering**
Civil Engineering/Architecture/Mechanical Engineering/Electrical and Electronic Engineering/
Chemical Biology and Applied Chemistry/Computer Science
- **School of Medicine**
Medicine
- **School of Dentistry**
Dentistry
- **School of Dentistry at Matsudo**
Dentistry
- **College of Bioresource Sciences**
Bioscience/Zoological Science/Marine Science/Forest Science/Environmental Science/
Agri-Science/Food Science and Technology/Food Business/Global Coexistence Studies/
Veterinary Nursing/Veterinary Medicine/Agricultural Biosciences/Chemistry and Life Science/
Animal Science and Resources/Forest Science and Resources/Marine Science and Resources/
Bioenvironmental and Agricultural Engineering/Food Bioscience and Biotechnology/
International Development Studies/Applied Biological Science/Bioscience in Daily Life
- **School of Pharmacy**
Pharmacy

Distance Learning Division

- **College of Law**
Law/Political Science and Economics
- **College of Humanities and Sciences**
Literature (Japanese, English)/Philosophy/History
- **College of Economics**
Economics
- **College of Commerce**
Commerce

Junior College Business and Management Studies/Food and Nutrition/Architecture and Living Design/ Science and Manufacturing Technology

- **Advanced Course for Junior College**
Food and Nutrition

Academic Calendar

April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	January	February	March
	Entrance Ceremony			Summer Vacation			NU Foundation Day			Graduation Ceremony	
1st Semester						2nd Semester					

Graduate Schools (21 Schools)

as of 2023

- **Graduate School of Law**
Public Law/Private Law/Political Science
- **Graduate School of Journalism and Media**
Journalism and Media
- **Graduate School of Literature and Social Sciences**
Philosophy/History(Master's Program Only)/
Japanese History(Doctor's program only)/Foreign History(Doctor's program only)/
Japanese Language and Literature/Chinese Studies/
English Language and Literature/German Language and Literature/
Sociology/Education/Psychology
- **Graduate School of Integrated Basic Sciences**
Earth Information Mathematical Sciences/
Correlative Study of Physics and Chemistry
- **Graduate School of Economics**
Economics
- **Graduate School of Business Administration**
Commerce/Business Administration/Accounting
- **Graduate School of Art**
Master's program only : Literary Arts/Image Arts/
Fine Art and Design/Musical Arts/Performing Arts
Doctor's program only : The Arts
- **Graduate School of International Relations**
International Relations
- **Graduate School of Risk Management**
Risk Management
- **Graduate School of Sports Sciences**
Sports Sciences
- **Graduate School of Science and Technology**
Civil Engineering/Transportation Systems Engineering/Architecture/
Oceanic Architecture and Engineering/Town Planning and Design/
Mechanical Engineering/Precision Machinery Engineering/
Aerospace Engineering/Electrical Engineering/Electronic Engineering/
Computer Science/Materials and Applied Chemistry/Physics/
Mathematics/Geography/Quantum Science and Technology
- **Graduate School of Industrial Technology**
Mechanical Engineering/Electrical and Electronic Engineering/Civil Engineering/
Architecture and Architectural Engineering/Applied Molecular Chemistry/
Industrial Engineering and Management/Mathematical Information Engineering
- **Graduate School of Engineering**
Civil Engineering/Architecture/Mechanical Engineering/
Electrical and Electronic Engineering/
Chemical Biology and Applied Chemistry/Computer Science
- **Graduate School of Medicine (Doctor's Program Only)**
Physiology/Pathology/Social Medicine/Internal Medicine/Surgery
- **Graduate School of Dentistry (Doctor's Program Only)**
Dentistry
- **Graduate School of Dentistry at Matsudo (Doctor's Program Only)**
Dentistry
- **Graduate School of Bioresource Sciences**
Bioresource Production Sciences/Bioresource Utilization Sciences/
Applied Life Sciences/Natural Environment Studies/Bioresource Economics
- **Graduate School of Veterinary Medicine (Doctor's Program Only)**
Veterinary Medicine
- **Graduate School of Pharmacy (Doctor's Program Only)**
Pharmacy
- **Graduate School of Social and Cultural Studies (Graduate Program in Distance Learning)**
Master's Program Only :International Political Science and Economics/
Culture and Communication Studies/Human Science
Doctor's Program Only :Social and Cultural Studies
- **Law School (Professional Course)**
Advanced Legal Studies

CAMPUSES

Scenery in the vicinity of Koriyama and Mishima Campuses.



Campuses in Tokyo in fusion of history and modernity.

- **NIHON DAIGAKU KAIKAN**
Central Administration Office
4-8-24, Kudan-Minami, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 102-8275
<http://www.nihon-u.ac.jp>
- **Graduate School of Law**
Graduate School of Journalism and Media
2-3-1, Kanda-Misaki-cho, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 101-8375
<http://www.law.nihon-u.ac.jp/>
- **Law School**
2-3-1, Kanda-Misaki-cho, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 101-8354
<http://www.law.nihon-u.ac.jp/lawschool/>
- **Graduate School of Literature and Social Sciences**
Graduate School of Integrated Basic Sciences
College of Humanities and Sciences
3-25-40, Sakurajosui, Setagaya-ku, Tokyo 156-8550
<http://www.chs.nihon-u.ac.jp/english/>
- **Graduate School of Economics**
College of Economics
1-3-2, Kanda-Misaki-cho, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 101-8360
<http://www.eco.nihon-u.ac.jp/english/>
- **Graduate School of Business Administration**
College of Commerce
5-2-1, Kinuta, Setagaya-ku, Tokyo 157-8570
<http://www.bus.nihon-u.ac.jp/english/>
- **Graduate School of Art**
College of Art
2-42-1, Asahigaoka, Nerima-ku, Tokyo 176-8525
<http://www.art.nihon-u.ac.jp/english/>
- **Graduate School of International Relations**
College of International Relations
Junior College, Mishima Campus
2-31-145, Bunkyo-cho, Mishima-shi, Shizuoka 411-8555
<https://www.ir.nihon-u.ac.jp/index.html>
- **College of Risk Management**
3-34, Shimouma, Setagaya-ku, Tokyo 154-0002
http://www.nihon-u.ac.jp/risk_management/
- **College of Sports Sciences**
3-34, Shimouma, Setagaya-ku, Tokyo 154-0002
http://www.nihon-u.ac.jp/sports_sciences/
- **Graduate School of Science and Technology**
College of Science and Technology
1-8-14, Kanda-Surugadai, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 101-8308
<http://www.cst.nihon-u.ac.jp/en/index.html>
- **College of Science and Technology, Funabashi Campus**
Junior College, Funabashi Campus
7-24-1, Narashinodai, Funabashi-shi, Chiba 274-8501
<http://www.cst.nihon-u.ac.jp/en/index.html>
- **Graduate School of Industrial Technology**
College of Industrial Technology
1-2-1, Izumi-cho, Narashino-shi, Chiba 275-8575
<http://www.cit.nihon-u.ac.jp/en>
- **College of Industrial Technology, Mimomi Campus**
2-11-1, Shinei, Narashino-shi, Chiba 275-8576
<http://www.cit.nihon-u.ac.jp/en>
- **Graduate School of Engineering**
College of Engineering
1, Aza-Nakagawara, Tokusada, Tamura-machi
Koriyama-shi, Fukushima 963-8642
<http://www.ce.nihon-u.ac.jp/english/>
- **Graduate School of Medicine**
School of Medicine
30-1, Oyaguchi Kami-cho, Itabashi-ku, Tokyo 173-8610
<http://www.med.nihon-u.ac.jp/en/>
- **Graduate School of Dentistry**
School of Dentistry
1-8-13, Kanda-Surugadai, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 101-8310
<http://www.dent.nihon-u.ac.jp/en/>
- **Graduate School of Dentistry at Matsudo**
School of Dentistry at Matsudo
2-870-1, Sakaecho-nishi, Matsudo-shi, Chiba 271-8587
<http://www.mascat.nihon-u.ac.jp/>
- **Graduate School of Bioresource Sciences**
Graduate School of Veterinary Medicine
College of Bioresource Sciences
1866, Kameino Fujisawa-shi, Kanagawa 252-0880
<https://www.brs.nihon-u.ac.jp/>
- **Graduate School of Pharmacy**
School of Pharmacy
7-7-1, Narashinodai, Funabashi-shi, Chiba 274-8555
<http://www.pha.nihon-u.ac.jp/english/>
- **Graduate School of Social and Cultural Studies**
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Distance Learning Division
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*Concerning Academics - Departments that are not currently recruiting are excluded.