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Nagasaki University
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Application Guidelines

Entrance Examination for International Students

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**Admissions Policy (AP) of the
Graduate School of Global Humanities and Social Sciences (GSGHSS)
Doctoral Course,
Department of Global Humanities and Social Sciences**

1. Philosophy of Nagasaki University & Educational Philosophy of the Doctoral Course

Nagasaki University contributes to the improvement of a well-balanced society through the inherited traditional culture rooted in Nagasaki, cultivating fertile creativity in students, and developing innovative science for world peace.

In relation to the various problems the multicultural social situation of the 21st century has created and based on advanced and specialized knowledge of the global humanities and social sciences, we aim to ascertain the essence of the problems, propose diverse solutions, and train researchers and highly-skilled professionals who are equipped with international communication skills and can contribute to generating and disseminating the values 21st century academia needs, while building a world that is sustainable in terms of life, mind, and social culture.

2. Desired Applicants

Based on the educational philosophy, educational and research aims, the DP, and the CP, we seek students with the following qualities:

- (1) Literacy and knowledge of the humanities and social sciences.
- (2) An ability to understand and empathize with the 21st century multicultural social situation characterized by an asymmetrical and unequal society, growing risks associated with the unequal distribution of resources, and friction and conflict between ethnic groups, religions, cultures, nation states, etc., which are creating various complex problems accompanying greater intersection and convergence in the world.
- (3) An interest in interacting with people from various backgrounds in the world at large and contributing to developing a global society and global welfare

3. Basic Applicant Selection Policy

We conduct four types of entrance examinations: General, Professional, International Students, and Internal Advancement. Please do not fail to contact your prospective supervisor in advance before submitting your application. Consult them fully about your entrance examination, the content of your research, and the language in which guidance will be provided.

4. Applicant Selection Method

In general entrance examinations including those for professionals and international students and regarding the selection of students advancing to university, we select students who possess an education in and knowledge of global humanities and social sciences. The relevant entrance examination will be determined and judged comprehensively based on the application documents and performance in an oral test. We will use the research plan, research results from the master's thesis, etc., and the academic results certificate as the basis for the oral test.

Table for the selection method

Evaluation method for required aptitude and its relative weight (most prioritized: ++, prioritized; +)

Expected Competencies		Literacy and knowledge of the humanities and social sciences	Ability to understand and empathize with the 21st century multicultural social situation characterized by an asymmetrical and unequal society, growing risks associated with the unequal distribution of resources, and friction and conflict between ethnic groups, religions, cultures, nation states, etc., which are creating various complex problems accompanying greater intersection and convergence in the world	Interest in interacting with people from various backgrounds in the world at large and contributing to developing a global society and global welfare
Type of Examination				
General, International students, Professional, Internal Advancement	Oral test (interview)	++	++	++

I. Entrance Examination for International Students

1. New Enrollments

Department	Research and education field	Quota
Department of Global Humanities and Social Sciences	Global Humanities and Social Sciences See “IV. List of Academic Supervisors & Main Research Themes” (pp. 15-20) for details	3 students (Including all examination categories)

2. Entry Requirements

【Applicants category: General, International student, Professional】

For those who fulfill any of the following requirements.

In addition to any of the following being applicable, applicants under “Professional Admission” must be employed at the time of entrance and have the consent from their employer.

Applicants under “International Students Admission” must be non-Japanese citizens, (excluding foreigners with permanent residency permits) who fulfil one of the following requirements

- (1) A person who has obtained (or are expected to obtain by March 2026) a master’s or a professional degree.
- (2) A person who has been conferred (or will be conferred by March 2026) a master’s degree or a degree equivalent to a professional degree in countries other than Japan.
- (3) A person who has been conferred (or will be conferred by March 2026) a master’s degree or a degree equivalent to a professional degree in Japan after the completion of a required correspondence course, conducted by an authorized school outside of Japan.
- (4) A person who has been conferred (or will be conferred by March 2026) a degree equivalent to a master’s or a professional degree after completing a postgraduate course at a foreign education institute in Japan, which is recognized by the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology Japan.
- (5) A person who has completed the courses from the United Nations University and has been conferred (or will be conferred by March 2026) a degree equivalent to a master’s degree.
- (6) A person who has completed or will complete the education program at a foreign school, the United Nations University or an educational facility specified in (4), and those who have passed or are expected to pass by March, 2026 the examination as well as the preliminary screening test prescribed in Article 16 of the Establish Standards of the Graduate School and have had their academic achievements recognized as equivalent to or greater than that of a master’s degree. (See “3. Preliminary Screening”)
- (7) A person who is specified by the Ministry of Education Culture, Sports, Science and Technology-Japan (1989, Ministry of Education, Public Notification No.118) as follows:
 - a) Persons who have been engaged in research for more than two years at a university or research institute after their university graduation and have had their academic achievements recognized as equivalent to or greater than that of a master’s degree. (See “3. Preliminary Screening”)
 - b) Persons who have been engaged in research for more than two years at a university or research institute after completing sixteen years of required school education overseas, or completing sixteen years of required school education by correspondence course conducted by foreign countries within Japan, and have had their academic achievement recognized as equivalent to or greater than that of a master’s degree awarded by GSGHSS, based on the outcome of the research, etc. (See “3. Preliminary Screening”)
- (8) A person who is deemed, through the individual preliminary screening, to have academic ability equivalent to or greater than students with a master’s degree or professional degree and will be at least 24 years of age by March 31, 2026. (Refer to “3. Preliminary Screening”).

Note: Applicants who apply according to (2) through (8) above must contact the GSGHSS Student Affairs Section, Administration Division for School of Global Humanities and Social Sciences and Faculty of Education, Institute of Humanities and Social Sciences Administrative Department, Nagasaki University at least one week prior to the deadline for submitting the preliminary screening.

【Applicants category: Internal Advancement Student】

Students who will have completed master courses at Nagasaki University by March 2026 and wish to pursue doctoral studies at GSGHSS.

3. Preliminary Screening

Those who intend to apply under the entry requirements between (6), (7) or (8) are subject for screening prior to acceptance of their applications. Preliminary Screening is primarily done with the submitted documents, though some cases may involve an interview. If an interview is needed, notification will be sent directly to the applicant. Application forms can be downloaded from the GSGHSS website (<https://www.hss.nagasaki-u.ac.jp/en/gradschool/selection-doctoral-program.html>)

List of Required Documents for Preliminary Screening

Required documents	Notes
Preliminary Screening Application Form [Form 11]	Use the application form prescribed by this graduate school and fill out the required fields.
Admission Application Form [Form 1]	Use the application form prescribed by this graduate school and fill out the required fields.
Certificate of Graduation or Certificate of Expected Graduation	Original diploma or certificate of expected graduation certified by the dean or president (principal) of the school. However, this submission is not required for students currently enrolled in Nagasaki University School of Global Humanities and Social Sciences. Documents issued by universities or institutions in other countries written in languages other than Japanese and English must be accompanied by Japanese or English translation. International students who are unable to submit the original document must instead submit a copy along with a statement of the reasons (any format).
Official University Transcript(s)	Original official transcript in a properly sealed envelope and certified by the dean or president (principal) of the university. However, submission is not required for students currently enrolled in the Nagasaki University School of Global Humanities and Social Sciences. Documents issued by universities or institutions in other countries written in languages other than Japanese or English must be accompanied by Japanese or English translation. International students who are unable to submit the original document must instead submit a copy along with a statement of the reasons (any format).
Research Achievement [Form 6]	Attach a reprint or copy of dissertations, presentations, research report, and academic conference presentations in the prescribed form (if available).
Academic Research Outline [Form 7]	Applicants must submit a detailed description of their “Research Achievement” mentioned in [Form 6]. As documentary evidence, copies of the research papers must be attached to the prescribed form. The details of any jobs related to the research can be described in this form.

Reprints or copies of documents related to research achievements	Submit reprints or copies of articles related to the achievements listed in the “Research Achievement [Form 6]” mentioned (only for those who have research achievements).
Research (Work) history/content certificate[Form 12]	Use the prescribed form. Provide official verification related to the work history mentioned in “the Academic Research Outline in [Form 7]” Only for those applying under the application requirements No.7.
Copy of residence card or passport	The non-Japanese applicant should submit a copy of a document that certifies the applicant’s status of residence (such as passports, copy the page that contains the relevant visa).
Stamped, self-addressed envelope for receiving the preliminary screening results	Write your name, address and postal code on a 120 mm x 235 mm envelope (called “Nagagata Sango” envelope in Japan) with 460 yen’s worth of stamps affixed to it (postage for sending simplified registered mail).

(1) Deadline for submitting preliminary screening documents.

The application documents must be sent as registered express mail and arrive no later than 5:00 p.m. on September 30, 2024.

(2) Address for submitting application documents

GSGHSS Student Affairs Section, Administration Division for School of Global Humanities and Social Sciences and Faculty of Education, Institute of Humanities and Social Sciences Administrative Department, Nagasaki University, 1-14 Bunkyo-machi, Nagasaki 852-8521 JAPAN

E-mail Address: hss_gakumu@ml.nagasaki-u.ac.jp

(3) Preliminary screening results notification

A notification of the preliminary screening and approval results will be sent directly to the applicant before commencement of the application period.

November 21, 2024 (Tentative)

4. Application Procedures

(1) Examination fee payment period

From November 25, 2024 to November 29, 2024

(2) Application period

From November 25, 2024 to November 29, 2024; the application documents must arrive no later than 5:00 p.m.

1. When applying, **make sure to contact your preferred supervisor in advance** and fully consult them about your entrance examination, the content of your research, and the language in which guidance will be provided. (See III. List of Supervisors & Main Research Themes)

2. If bringing the documents directly to the university, they will only be accepted between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. (except between 12:00 noon and 1:00 p.m.). If mailing the documents by post, the application documents **must be sent by registered express mail** in a 240 mm x 332 mm envelope (called “Kakugata Nigo” in Japan) and arrive at the university by no later than the application deadline (time and date).

3. Be especially careful if remitting the examination fee on the application deadline date because all of the application documents must be delivered by 5:00 p.m. on the same day after the payment has been made.

(3) Address for submission

GSGHSS Student Affairs Section, Administration Division for School of Global Humanities and Social

Sciences and Faculty of Education, Institute of Humanities and Social Sciences Administrative
Department, Nagasaki University, 1-14 Bunkyo-machi, Nagasaki 852-8521 JAPAN
E-mail Address: hss_gakumu@ml.nagasaki-u.ac.jp

5. Application Documents

Applicants must submit the application documents and related materials to the Nagasaki University Institute of Humanities and Social Sciences, Administrative Department, Administration Division for School of Global Humanities and Social Sciences and Faculty of Education (GSGHSS Student Affairs Section) by the specified deadline. Please make sure that all information entered is correct. The admission of a successful applicant will be canceled if any entered information is found to be false.

Download the form prescribed by this graduate school from the GSGHSS website.

(<https://www.hss.nagasaki-u.ac.jp/en/gradschool/selection-doctoral-program.html>)

Required documents	Notes
Admissions Application Form [Form 1]	Use the application form prescribed by this graduate school and fill out the required fields. This form does not need to be resubmitted if it was already submitted for the preliminary screening.
Photo ID Sheet [Form 2] Entrance Exam Admission Ticket [Form 3] Application Fee Payment Form [Form 4]	Use the forms prescribed by this graduate school and fill out the required fields. Photo ID Sheet / Entrance Exam Admission Ticket: A duplicate print of the same photo (color photo with white background, taken within the last three months, full head and shoulders shot, facing forward, and wearing no head covering) must be used. An each copy must be affixed to the ID Photo Sheet and the Exam Admission Ticket. Note that the applicant must be clearly identifiable in the photograph. Applications may not be accepted if there are any issues related to confirming the individual through the photograph, such as photos with fuzzy or blurry focus or with dark backgrounds, or if there are signs that image processing may have been carried out on the photo. Make sure to attach the application fee payment receipt to the Application Fee Payment Form (Form 4) according to the following payment methods. a) Credit card payment → After payment, please access the E-payment website, enter the receipt number you received upon completion of the transaction and your date of birth, print out the inquiry results, and submit them.
Examination Fee	<u>30,000 yen</u> International students on Japanese Government (MEXT) Scholarships do not need to submit [Form 4] (Application Fee Payment Form). Those who are scheduled to complete the Master's Course at Nagasaki University in March 2026 do not need to submit [Form 4] (Application Fee Payment Form). The examination fee must be paid via the E-payment website (https://e-shiharai.net/english/) within the examination fee payment period. (1) Access the E-payment website (and pay by credit card. On the E-payment website (https://e-shiharai.net/english/), you can pay only by credit card.*If you have any questions about the procedures on the E-payment website, please refer to the "User Guide" and "Frequently Asked Questions" of the service, and contact the E-Service Support Center if you have any questions. If you are not able to pay by credit

	<p>card, contact the GSGHSS Student Affairs Section.</p> <p>(2) Notes on payment Commission payment is the responsibility of the payer.</p> <p>(3) Important notice for your application</p> <p>a) If you find that you have made an error in writing the examination fee and must replace it with a new Attachment Form for Certificate Proving Examination Fee Payment after pasting the "Certificate of Receipt" (proof of payment that the examination fee has been transferred) onto the Attachment Form for Certificate Proving Examination Fee Payment, do not transfer the examination fee a second time. In such a case, cut out the "Certificate of Receipt" already attached and paste it on the new Attachment Form for Certificate Proving Examination Fee Payment.</p> <p>b) If the examination fee has not been paid or the documents are not as instructed, the application will not be accepted.</p> <p>(4) With the exception of the following cases, examination fees that have already been paid will not be refunded for any reason. If a bank transfer of the examination fee was made but no application was made to Nagasaki University (application documents were not submitted to the university or were submitted but not accepted by the university); or if a bank transfer of the examination fee was erroneously made twice. In these cases, an amount equivalent to the corresponding examination fee will be refunded on request by the person who made the bank transfer of the examination fee. In principle, the transfer handling charge incurred for the refund will be borne by the applicant. Requests for refunds will only be accommodated within 14 days of the final day (close) of the application period.</p>
Research Proposal [Form 5]	<p>Write the research plan in Japanese or English according to the format prescribed by this graduate school. <u>The informal consent and signature of the prospective supervisor must be received in advance.</u></p> <p>In principle, download and use the form posted on the GSGHSS website. https://www.hss.nagasaki-u.ac.jp/en/gradschool/selection-doctoral-program.html</p>
Certificate of Graduation or Certificate of Expected Graduation * Only for most recent academic history	<p>Document certified by the president of the university (original copy). In the case the last school attended was a junior college or other such school that is not a university, a document certified by the principal or other such head of the school (original copy). However, <u>the document does not need to be submitted if the applicant submitted the document for the preliminary screening.</u></p> <p><u>Documents issued in languages other than English or Japanese by schools or institutions outside of Japan must be accompanied by a Japanese or English translation of the content.</u> International students who are unable to submit the original document must submit a copy along with a statement of reasons (in any format).</p>

Academic transcript * Only for most recent academic history	Original official transcript in a properly sealed envelope and certified by the president of the university. In the case of junior colleges and other academic institutions other than universities, an original official transcript in a properly sealed envelope certified by principal or other such head of the last school attended. However, <u>the document does not need to be submitted if the applicant submitted the document for the preliminary screening.</u> <u>Documents issued in languages other than English or Japanese by schools or institutions outside of Japan must be accompanied by a Japanese or English translation of the content.</u> International students who are unable to submit the original document must submit a copy along with a statement of reasons (in any format).
Research Achievement [Form 6]	Attach a reprint or copy of dissertations, presentations, research report, and academic conference presentations in the prescribed form. (If available). However, the document does not need to be submitted if the applicant submitted the document for the preliminary screening. In principle, download and use the form posted on the GSGHSS website. https://www.hss.nagasaki-u.ac.jp/en/gradschool/selection-doctoral-program.html
Academic Research Outline [Form 7]	Applicants must submit a detailed description of their "Research Achievement mentioned in [Form 6]". As documentary evidence, copies of the research papers must be attached to the prescribed form. Also, describe details of any jobs related to the research. However, the document does not need to be submitted if the applicant submitted the document for the preliminary screening. In principle, download and use the form posted on the GSGHSS website. https://www.hss.nagasaki-u.ac.jp/en/gradschool/selection-doctoral-program.html
Reprints or copies of documents related to research achievements	Submit reprints or copies of papers related to the achievements listed in the "Research Achievement [Form 6]" mentioned [Form 6]" (only for those who have achievements). However, <u>the document does not need to be submitted if the applicant submitted the document for the preliminary screening.</u> *Reprints or copies of papers related to the achievements should also be submitted in PDF format to the address below. Send to: hss_gakumu@ml.nagasaki-u.ac.jp *Applicants who are scheduled to complete their Master's Course at Nagasaki University or another university in March 2026 and are unable to submit these documents within the application period must submit them in both electronic and paper formats by 5:00 p.m. on January 7, 2026 at the latest.
Copy of residence card or passport [For non-Japanese applicants]	Submit copies of documents verifying residency status. (In the case of a passport, submit a copy of the page that shows the entry visa).
Published test results of TOEFL iBT, IELTS or Japanese Language Proficiency Test (copy)	If you indicate on the "Application Form 1" that you have a TOEFL iBT (Test Date score only), IELTS, or JLPT score, submit a copy of the appropriate test results.

Application Form for Taking Online Oral Test [Form 8]	<p>Applicants who meet under any of the following categories and who wish to take the online oral test must fill out and submit the prescribed form of the Graduate School.</p> <p>(1) Those who are outside of Japan during the test period.</p> <p>(2) Those who are unable to come to the oral test site during the test period for business reasons.</p> <p>*Note that for (2), depending on their reasons, the applicant may not be permitted to take the online oral test.</p> <p>*In either case, the student must obtain the prior approval of the faculty member with whom the student wishes to work as his/her primary supervisor.</p>
Examination/attendance consent form [Form 9]	<p>Those who will continue working at a company or other institution after April 2026 must submit the prescribed form of the Graduate School. *Applicants who are taking the entrance examination for professionals must submit this form.</p>
Stamped, self-address envelope for sending the Entrance Exam Admission Ticket, etc.	<p>A 120 mm x 235 mm envelope (called “Nagagata Sango” envelope in Japan) with 460 yen’s worth of stamps (simplified registered mail) affixed, with the name, address, and postal code of the applicant clearly written on the envelope.</p> <p>*Not required if you submit "Application Form for Taking Online Oral Test Form 8".</p>
Address Form [Form 10]	<p>Clearly write the address (name, address, postal code) for the applicant to receive the notification in case the applicant is accepted to the graduate school. If there are any changes after the application documents are submitted, promptly notify the GSGHSS Student Affairs Section, Administration Division for School of Global Humanities and Social Sciences and Faculty of Education, Institute of Humanities and Social Sciences Administrative Department, Nagasaki University.</p>

6. Selection Process

The oral test will be given in English only to applicants who wish to have an academic supervisor who is 「completion in English only possible」 in the list of academic supervisors & main research themes on pages 15 to 20, Section III.

The selection process is the same for all examination categories: the general entrance examination, entrance examination for professionals, the entrance examination for international students, and the selection of students advancing to doctoral studies. The process is based on applicants' scores on the oral test, and successful applicants are determined in order of the highest score. However, applicants will not be accepted if there is a significantly low score in any of the evaluation items (specialized knowledge, interest and motivation in conducting research, and outline, originality and novelty of research theme and plan) in the oral test.

Oral test (oral test to examine the contents of the application documents)

In the oral test, based on their submitted research plan and other documents, applicants will be asked to explain their master's thesis or alternative research achievements, research theme, and plan for research after admission. This will be followed by a question-and-answer session in Japanese or English to assess their specialized knowledge, interest and motivation in conducting research, as well as the outline, originality and novelty of their research theme and plan, the language skills required for each applicant's research project, and communication skills needed in practical settings in the humanities and social sciences.

Selection method	Point allotment
Oral test (Interview)	200

7. Examination Schedule and Venue

Date: January 24, 2026

Exam venue: Nagasaki University Bunkyo Campus General Education and Research Laboratory
Building (1-14, Bunkyo-machi, Nagasaki)

Note: While a notification of the examination time is provided when the entrance exam admission ticket is sent, please keep your schedule clear for the entire day.

Transportation access		
From JR Nagasaki Station	By street car	Bound for Akasako from Nagasaki Station → Nagasaki University
	By bus	Get on Nagasaki Bus No.1 for Mizokawa, Uwatoko, or Kamiyokoo from Nagasaki Station and get off “Nagasaki University Stop”.
From JR Urakami Station	By street car	Bound for Akasako from Urakami Station → Nagasaki University
	By bus	Get on Nagasaki Bus No.1 for Mizokawa, Uwatoko, or Kamiyokoo from Urakami Station and get off “Nagasaki University Stop”.
From Nagasaki Airport	By bus	Get on Prefectural Bus No.4, for Showamachi/Urakami from Nagasaki Airport Bus Stop and get off “Chodai Higashimon-mae”.

8. Notes in Relation to Making Applications for Enrollment

- (1) Incomplete application documents will not be accepted.
- (2) Once accepted by the university, no changes to the application documents are permitted for any reason. Application documents that have been accepted will not be returned for any reason.
- (3) An admissions offer may be revoked if submitted application documents are found to contain false information, submitted certificates are found to have been obtained through improper means. The same shall apply if any improper actions take place pertaining to the application.

II. Notification of Successful Applicants and Enrollment Procedures (Overview), etc

1. Announcement of Successful Applicants

February 5, 2026 at 10:00 a.m.

Successful applicants will be notified by post. The examinee (ID) number of successful examinees will also be posted at the time and dates above on the GSGHSS bulletin board at the university. The examinee (ID) number of successful applicants will also be listed on the GSGHSS website from 10:00 a.m. on the dates shown above.

(<https://www.hss.nagasaki-u.ac.jp/en/gradschool.html>)

Telephone inquiries regarding examination results will not be accepted.

2. Enrollment Procedures (Overview)

(1) Enrollment procedures and enrollment fee payment periods

From February 6, 2026 to February 13, 2026

(2) Enrollment fee 282,000 yen

1: The enrollment fee will not be refunded once payment has been made.

2: Tuition (535,800 yen for the academic year) will be remitted in two installments by account transfer.

Tuition for the first semester (267,900 yen) will be remitted in April, and tuition for the second semester (267,900 yen) will be remitted in October.

3: The tuition amount is subject to revision. In the case that the amount is revised while a student is enrolled in the university, the new tuition amount will be applied when the revision is made.

4: There are tuition waiver and deferred payment systems in place for the enrollment fee and tuition. Details can be found in admission procedures-related documents.

5: Those who are scheduled to complete the Master's Course at Nagasaki University in March 2026 are not required to pay the enrollment fee.

6: International students on Japanese Government (MEXT) Scholarships are not required to pay the enrollment fee or tuition.

3. Additional Admissions

Applicants may receive notification of an additional admissions offer if a spot opens up in the admissions quota (number of students to be accepted) due to a successful applicant declining their admissions offer or other such circumstances. Therefore, unsuccessful applicants should stay readily reachable as well as prepared to give an immediate response as to whether they will accept the offer. Note that the applicants will lose their additional admissions qualification if they cannot be reached.

Furthermore, if the filling of vacant spots is difficult to achieve through the aforementioned additional admissions, an additional round of student recruitment may take place according to a new schedule. In such an event, an announcement will be made on the GSGHSS and elsewhere.

4. Scholarships

Enrollees may utilize the scholarships offered by the Nagasaki University and other student financial aid organizations.

5. Degree

Those who complete this course and its major will receive the following degree:

Doctor of Philosophy in Global Humanities and Social Sciences

6. Long-Term Course System

Long-Term Course system allows students who are difficult to complete their studies within the standard course term (3 years) due to circumstances, such as work commitments, to cover the curriculum systematically over a certain period that exceeds the standard course term.

The GSGHSS recognizes a maximum enrollment period of 6 years.

If permission is granted to utilize this system at the time of enrollment, the total amount of tuition to be paid during the standard course term of this program (3 years) will be paid each semester during the term of extended enrollment in equal installments according to the recognized extended term (total amount divided by the length of extended enrollment recognized). Students who are permitted to make an application for extended enrollment are students whose circumstances make it difficult to complete the course within the standard course term and to whom any of the following apply.

- (1) Anyone who have full-time employment and are working
- (2) Anyone engaged in housework, parenting, caregiving, or are in similar circumstances
- (3) Anyone with disabilities
- (4) Anyone recognized as having circumstances commensurate with any of the above

Those who wish to make use of the extended enrollment system must first consult their prospective supervisor in advance after which a request should be made to the GSGHSS Student Affairs Section, Administration Division for School of Global Humanities and Social Sciences and Faculty of Education, Institute of Humanities and Social Sciences Administrative Department, Nagasaki University.

Email Address: hss_gakumu@ml.nagasaki-u.ac.jp

7. For Applicants Requiring Disability-Related Accommodations

Applicants with disabilities who require assistance or special considerations for their entrance examination or for attending classes should consult with the GSGHSS Student Affairs Section, Administration Division for School of Global Humanities and Social Sciences and Faculty of Education, Institute of Humanities and Social Sciences Administrative Department, Nagasaki University (Email Address: hss_gakumu@ml.nagasaki-u.ac.jp) before submitting their applications. They should submit an application (no specified format) that includes the following information accompanied by a physician's certificate. Note that applicants will not be negatively affected in the admission selection process by what is discussed in an advance consultation. If necessary, an interview may be held with the applicant or a spokesperson from the university where the applicant received his/her last degree. Failure to apply in advance may result in no assistance being provided.

Information that must be included on the application for disability-related accommodations:

- (1) Category of the Entrance Examination and the name of the program to which the application is being made
- (2) Type and condition of the disability
- (3) Description of assistance requested for the entrance examination
- (4) Description of assistance requested for after enrollment
- (5) Description of assistance services received at previous academic institution
- (6) Additional information (state of day-to-day life)
- (7) Applicant's Name, Address, and Phone number

Note: The Nagasaki University Student Accessibility Office will support students and applicants with disabilities.

8. Handling of Personal Information

- (1) Personal information contained in the application documents is used for selecting enrollees. Additionally, the personal information contained in the application documents, such as the name and address, of successful applicants and enrollees is used after completing the selection of successful applicants, for making notification of enrollment procedures, student registration, etc.
- (2) The grades of the entrance examination and other personal information are used as references for the recommendation of first year scholarship students, as well as for the selection of applicants for exemption of entrance and tuition fees.
- (3) Personal information obtained for the selection of enrollees and for the entrance examinations is also used in statistical surveys and research related to the selection of enrollees.
- (4) Personal information, such as the results of the entrance exam, obtained for the selection of enrollees and for the entrance examinations is not used for purposes other than those mentioned above, nor is it provided to third parties, except in cases as provided for in Article 9 of the Act on the Protection of Personal Information.

9. Security Export Control

Nagasaki University performs security export control under the Foreign Exchange and Foreign Trade Act (FEFTA) in order to prevent obstruction of the maintenance of international peace and security due to the content of education and research provided to international students.

Therefore, please keep in mind that due to the above, applicants may be asked to change the content of their desired education or research.

Please inquire with the GSGHSS Student Affairs Section, Administration Division for School of Global Humanities and Social Sciences and Faculty of Education, Institute of Humanities and Social Sciences Administrative Department, Nagasaki University for further details.

10. Contact for Inquiries

Inquiries related to the entrance examination will be accepted at the following. If inquiring by post, you must enclose with the inquiry a self-addressed stamped envelope to receive the reply.

GSGHSS Student Affairs Section, Administration Division for School of Global Humanities and Social Sciences and Faculty of Education, Institute of Humanities and Social Sciences Administrative Department, Nagasaki University, 1-14 Bunkyo-machi, Nagasaki 852-8521

E-mail: hss_gakumu@ml.nagasaki-u.ac.jp

III. List of Supervisors & Main Research Themes

Applicants to this graduate school must contact their preferred (prospective) supervisor in advance without fail before submitting their application documents. The prospective supervisor must be fully consulted about the applicant's entrance examination, content of research, and the language in which guidance will be provided. To find the contact information of the prospective supervisor, refer to the GSGHSS website.

(<http://www.hss.nagasaki-u.ac.jp/en/members.html>)

Research fields/ department	Research guidance approach	Name	Main research areas	Languages for writing the doctoral dissertation	Supervisors accepting students completing the program in English only
Sociocultural Research Department	Literature	HAYANAGI, Kazunori	Cultural Representations, Cultural Sociology, Narratology, European Culture, Locational & Civic and National Imagery	Japanese	
		SUZUKI, Akiyoshi	Comparative Literature, World Literature, Anglophone Literature, General Literature, Foreign Language Education	Japanese English	Completion in English only possible
	History	ANEGAWA, Yudai	European History, Social History, East European History, Nationalism Studies	Japanese	
	Nature, Human, Culture	GUELBEYAZ, Abdurrahman	Semiotics, Linguistics, Social Theory, Sociolinguistics, Cultural Theory, Language Acquisition and Education, Musicology, Music Sociology, Comparative Culture, Conflict Theory	Japanese English	Completion in English only possible

Research fields/ department	Research guidance approach	Name	Main research areas	Languages for writing the doctoral dissertation	Supervisors accepting students completing the program in English only
Sociocultural Research Department	Nature, Human, Culture	MORI, Motonao	Philosophy, Ethics, Contemporary Thought, Social Thought, Cultural Studies	Japanese English	
		SATO, Yasuaki	Cultural Anthropology, Ecological Anthropology, Ethnobiology, African Studies	Japanese English	Completion in English only possible
		TANURA, Koki	Ethics, Moral Philosophy, Moral Education	Japanese	
Linguistic Research Department	Linguistic, Communication	YANG, Xiaonan	Experimental Phonetics, Comparative Linguistics, Dialectology	Japanese Chinese	
		NISHIHARA, Toshiaki	Linguistics (particularly Syntax & Verb Semantics), Corpus Linguistics, Applied Linguistics (including Linguistics Language Teaching)	Japanese English	
		CUTRONE, Pino	Intercultural Pragmatics, Applied Linguistics/TESOL, Discourse Analysis	English	Completion in English only possible
		NISHIKAWA, Mikako	Applied Linguistics (Linguistics, Language Assessment), English Language Education	Japanese English	Completion in English only possible
		HARADA, Soichiro	Dialectology, Descriptive Linguistics	Japanese English	

Research fields/ department	Research guidance approach	Name	Main research areas	Languages for writing the doctoral dissertation	Supervisors accepting students completing the program in English only
The Japan, Nagasaki, and Maritime Area Studies and Asian Research Department	Cultural Property, Cultural Heritage	NOGAMI, Takenori	Early Modern Archaeology, Underwater Archaeology, History of Ceramics, History of Maritime Exchange	Japanese	
		SAITSU, Yumiko	Folklore Studies & Cultural Anthropology, Cultural Resources, Cultural Heritage, Cultural Policy	Japanese	
	Areas Surrounding the Sea of Japan	MAEDA, Keiko	Dialectology, Japanese Language Studies, Modern Languages, Grammar	Japanese	
		KIMURA, Naoki	History of Early Modern Japan, Historical Research, History of Diplomacy, History of Cultural Exchange, Political History	Japanese	
		KIRA, Fumiaki	Japanese Literature, History of Ideas, History of Art	Japanese	
	Migration	WANG, Wei	Cultural Anthropology, Ethnomusicology, Migration Studies, Culture & Ethnicity, Regional Studies	Japanese Chinese	

Research fields/ department	Research guidance approach	Name	Main research areas	Languages for writing the doctoral dissertation	Academic supervisors accepting students completing the program in English only
The Japan, Nagasaki, and Maritime Area Studies and Asian Research Department	Migration	HOSODA, Naomi	Cultural Anthropology, Migration Studies, Southeast Asian Area Studies	Japanese English	
		SAIHANJUNA	Family Sociology, Migration Studies, Gender Studies, International Marriages, Ethnicity	Japanese Chinese	
		MINAMI, Makoto	Historical Sociology, Transnationalism, Modern East Asia National Border Culture Studies, Population Movement & Ethnic Minorities	Japanese Chinese	
Public Policy Research Department	Policy	IDA, Yoko	Public Policy, Nationalism, Peace Studies, Separation of Church and State	Japanese English	
		KOMATSU, Satoru	Development Economics, Environmental Economics, Sustainable Development	Japanese English	Completion in English only possible

Research fields/ department	Research guidance approach	Name	Main research areas	Languages for writing the doctoral dissertation	Academic supervisors accepting students completing the program in English only
Public Policy Research Department	Policy	KAWAMURA, Arinori	Asian and African Law, Criminal law and Criminal Procedure, International Comparative Criminal Law, International Human Rights Law (including Gender and Law) , Jurisprudence	Japanese English	Completion in English only possible
	Education	NAKAJIMA, Yuri	Sociology of Education, Transitioning from School to Work and Society, Social Stratification, Gender, Regional Disparities	Japanese English	
		HATANAKA, Taiji	Education Administration, Education Management	Japanese	
The Abolition of Nuclear Arms and Peace Studies Department	Nuclear Issues, Peace	YOSHIDA, Fumihiko	Nuclear Deterrence, Nuclear Disarmament & Non-Proliferation, Arms-Control Pacts, National Security, Peace	Japanese English	Completion in English only possible
The Abolition of Nuclear Arms and Peace Studies Department	Nuclear Issues, Peace	COMPEL, Radomir	Comparative Politics, Political History of Japan, International Politics, Okinawan Studies	Japanese English	Completion in English only possible

<About the Five Research Fields (Systems) Offered by the Department of Global Humanities and Social Sciences Doctoral Course>

The objective of these fields is for students to develop highly specialized knowledge and creative abilities in Multicultural Society Studies and to cultivate human resources who aim to enter the Department of Global Humanities and Social Sciences Doctoral Course. These five research fields are based on the five course groups in the Master's Program (Global Studies, Linguistic Diversity, Japan, Nagasaki and Asian Studies, Policy Science, and Nuclear Disarmament and Non-Proliferation) pertaining to various problems in the multicultural social situation of the 21st century. They will deepen students' expertise in those fields even further, and are necessary for students to acquire the abilities specified in the Diploma Policy. Furthermore, in addition to the aforementioned responsibilities of a national university located in Nagasaki, including efforts to abolish nuclear weapons and promote peace, preservation of cultural assets and traditional performing arts, and the development of research on local history, the Doctoral Course will also realize the integrated creation of "the global world with localities," which is a characteristic of the Doctoral Course. The Sociocultural Research system, Linguistic Research system, and the Japan, Nagasaki, and Maritime Area Studies and Asian Research system are particularly concerned with the cultivation of a more advanced ability to discern the essence of various complex problems in the multicultural social situation of the 21st century, while the Public Policy Research system and the Abolition of Nuclear Arms and Peace Studies system are concerned with the cultivation of a more advanced ability to present various solutions to solve problems. These abilities to discern the essence of problems and to present various solutions to solve problems are indispensable in fostering independent researchers and advanced professionals based on highly specialized knowledge and creative abilities in multicultural society studies.

The skills that students will develop in the five research fields (systems) are as described on the following page.

Research fields/departments	Skills to develop
Sociocultural Research Department	From the perspective of co-existence, we understand the diversity of life, minds, social cultures, and their related societies, systems, organizations, reciprocal actions, structures, and functions, and in perceiving the world as a dynamic equilibrium and different systems composed by the cyclical generation and extinction of events and the materialization (systematization) of events, we explore the formation of a new order and culture that transcend friction and conflict.
Linguistic Research Department	Based on the fact that social realities and problems are linked to language and communication, we pursue the potential of the principal solution of mutual understanding and, in so doing, explore the inherent nature of language from the syntactical nature of symbolic content (i.e., meaning and intention) and symbolic form (i.e., sound and movement) and the sharing of intention through linguistic expression. We also explore the thought and generative grammar related to the adaptive function of language, the potential for creating a society through communication, and the non-linguistic and non-symbolic communication supporting the selection of information as well as its transmission and the understanding of communication.
The Japan, Nagasaki, and Maritime Area Studies and Asian Research Department	As opposed to previous literary-centered Japanese research, we transpose previous results of Japanese research within East Asia and the world, and, from the perspective of Japan and the Nagasaki hub, given their fluidity in terms of people, situations, and things, we explore transdisciplinary Japan, Nagasaki, and maritime area research and Asian research. In other words, we deconstruct the Orientalist perception (the construction of the other as the subject of exploitation and aid and as an inferior existence to give superior significance to the self and the point that egocentric self–other perception of this kind is deeply rooted in the nature of modern academia based on the discourse of controlling the other) through theory and verification, and while focusing on the world through globalization and the decentralization and multi-centralization of academia, we explore a new relationship of self and other that will be the basis for the study of global humanities and social science in the 21st century.
Public Policy Research Department	In relation to international public policy, as well as understanding the roles and limitations of the respective actors at each stage of the policy process in order to set and design projects and form and determine, implement and manage, and evaluate policies, we critically examine current international relations and explore the formation and realization of global public value..
The Abolition of Nuclear Arms and Peace Studies Department	Focusing on the international situation, we analyze and consider a security framework that is non-reliant on a nuclear deterrent and the relationship between the peaceful use of atomic energy and nuclear non-proliferation, and, by cultivating a specialization in nuclear disarmament and non-proliferation, we explore the formation and realization of a world without nuclear arms.

IV. Disclosure of Entrance Examination Results for the Graduate School of Global Humanities and Social Sciences

The score of the entrance examination for the AY2026 admission will be disclosed upon a request by the examinee.

1. Period for Making Request

Course	Type of Examination	Request period
Doctoral Course	General, International students, Professional, Advancement	From February 5 to February 13, 2026

2. Requesters

Requests must be made only by the actual examinee.

3. How to Make the Request

(1) Request by post

The following documents should be mailed to the address below for sending the request. The Examination Results Report will be sent by simplified registered mail within 14 days of receiving the request documents. If sending the request by post, the request must arrive by the last day of the request period.

GSGHSS Student Affairs Section, Administration Division for School of Global Humanities and Social Sciences and Faculty of Education, Institute of Humanities and Social Sciences Administrative Department, Nagasaki University, 1-14 Bunkyo-machi, Nagasaki 852-8521

(a) Examination Results Disclosure Request Form [Form 13]

(b) Entrance exam admission ticket for this graduate school (returned when the Examination Results Report is sent.)

(c) Stamped, self-addressed envelope

(A “Nagagata Sango” envelope with your postal code, address, and name written on it and with 460 yen’s worth of postage stamps affixed.)

(2) Request in person at the service desk

Present your entrance exam admission ticket for this graduate school and submit the Examination Results Disclosure Request Form [Form 13] at the GSGHSS Student Affairs Section, Administration Division for School of Global Humanities and Social Sciences and Faculty of Education, Institute of Humanities and Social Sciences Administrative Department, Nagasaki University. If you make the request in person at the service desk, the request will be accepted between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. on weekdays only, and not on Saturdays, Sundays and national holidays. Your Examination Results Report will be issued at the service desk within 14 days of receiving the request documents. (The entrance exam admission ticket will need to be presented again when picking up the results.)

4. Information Disclosed

The scores of the requestor’s examination subjects will be disclosed.

About the Establishment of the Department of Global Humanities and Social Sciences Doctoral Course

The Department of Global Humanities and Social Sciences Doctoral Course at this Graduate School aims to identify the essence of problems and present various solutions to solve problems, based on highly specialized knowledge of multicultural society studies regarding a variety of issues caused by the multicultural social conditions of the 21st century, and to train researchers and advanced professionals with international communication skills who will contribute to the creation and propagation of values required of 21st century learning, as well as the construction of a sustainable world of life, spirit and social culture. In other words, the further advancement of multicultural society studies aspires to build an interdisciplinary comprehensive research field in the humanities and social sciences, based on the premise of diversity, by connecting the global and local through interaction with different cultures and societies and bringing together disciplines that are interested in life, spirit, and social culture, while simultaneously taking a holistic view of the world. Taking this into account, through the refinement of multicultural society studies at a higher level, the department aims to identify the essence of problems and present various solutions to solve problems posed by complex issues in multicultural social situations, and to train researchers and advanced professionals with international communication skills who will contribute to the creation and propagation of values required of 21st century learning, and the construction of a sustainable world of life, spirit, and social culture.

Policy for Completion Certification and Granting of Degree (Diploma Policy (DP))

After acquiring the designated units by studying in this course for 3 years or longer and receiving the necessary research supervision, students who possess the following skills (1–3) in relation to the problems of the 21st century multicultural social situation and who also pass the degree dissertation review and final examinations will be conferred the doctor's degree (Doctor of Philosophy).

1. Conduct any of the following research and demonstrate highly specialized knowledge and creative abilities related to global humanities and social sciences.
 - (1) Sociocultural research that aims to establish theories on co-existence and diversity
 - (2) Linguistic research that aims to devise a fundamental solution entailing reciprocal understanding through linguistic and non-linguistic communication
 - (3) From the perspective of Japan and Nagasaki, Asian research that forges a new relationship between the self and the other that will serve as a basis for the study of global humanities and social sciences
 - (4) Public policy research to create global public value
 - (5) Theoretical and practical research related to peacefully contributing to promoting the abolition of nuclear weaponry
2. The restructuring of the humanities and social sciences departments has facilitated more advanced acquisition of fundamental and versatile knowledge and methods pertaining to the global humanities and social sciences, specifically skills for ascertaining the essence of the problems of the multicultural social situation and proposing diverse solutions.
3. By comparing and contrasting different societies' experiences and theories and generating new knowledge and value, one can develop outstanding abilities suitable for conducting independent research and becoming a highly specialized professional.

Curriculum Organization and Implementation Policies (Curriculum Policy (CP))

Based on the educational philosophy, education and research aims, and the DP, we established a policy to form the educational curriculum as follows in order to train researchers and highly-skilled professionals equipped with international communication skills.

[Policy on organizing an educational curriculum/policy to determine educational content and methods of implementing education]

To acquire creative knowledge and outstanding abilities in the global humanities and social sciences through research supervision based on multilateral viewpoints comprising a research supervision team composed of specialists in diverse fields across five departments.

- To acquire more advanced and creative knowledge and fundamental and versatile methods pertaining to global humanities and social sciences, we build a foundation comprising skills for ascertaining the essence of the problems associated with the multicultural social situation from the perspectives of the Sociocultural Research Department, Linguistic Research Department, and the Japan, Nagasaki, and Maritime Area Studies and Asian Research Department. Additionally, we organize lectures (running in the first semester of the first year) that build a foundation in skills for proposing diverse solutions that lead to the generation of new knowledge and value from the perspective of Public Policy Research Department and the Abolition of Nuclear Arms and Peace Studies Department.
- To organize seminar subjects (running throughout the first and second years), to clarify the aims, significance, and methods of each individual student's research topic, and to aim for a more advanced level of skills for ascertaining the essence of the problems and proposing diverse solutions.
- Based on the research results acquired through the study of seminar subjects and toward advancing further analysis and consideration, the objective is to implement research supervision (running throughout the third year) in order to facilitate the composition of a doctoral dissertation.

[Policy on methods of assessing study results]

Assessment of study results will follow the performance assessment method indicated in the syllabus for each taught subject (e.g., regular examinations, reports, and in-class presentations) and will be conducted fairly and strictly. Doctoral dissertations will be assessed via dissertation review and the final examinations.

AY2026 Nagasaki University
Graduate School of Global Humanities and Social Sciences
Doctoral Course Admission Application Form

Examinee (ID) number	* Do not write here		Name (must match your passport name)	
Type of examination (check the box)	<input type="checkbox"/> General	<input type="checkbox"/> International students	<input type="checkbox"/> Professional	<input type="checkbox"/> Internal Advancement
Research theme or area of interest				
Prospective supervisor		<input type="checkbox"/>	I have contacted my prospective supervisor in advance and obtained their approval to take the examination (check the box)	
Date of birth	Month / Day / Year (Age)			
Eligibility	Most recent academic history (University / Faculty / Department)			
	Month / Day / Year	<input type="checkbox"/> Graduated	<input type="checkbox"/> Graduation expected	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Completed	<input type="checkbox"/> Completion expected	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Withdrew		
Current address	Postal code: Phone: E-mail: Important notices regarding the entrance examination may be sent by e-mail after the application is submitted, so be sure to enter an email address that you check regularly.			
Address to send acceptance notification	Postal code: Phone:			

Points to note when completing form

- (1) Enter all information other than examinee (ID) number.
- (2) Under “Personal History” on the next page, enter all of your academic and work experience.
Enter courses of study completed outside of Japan in the specified fields.

Personal History

(For those who have completed courses of study within Japan)

Academic Record (Schools enrolled)		
(Name of School)	(Month / Day / Year)	
Graduated: _____ High School	/	/

(For those who have completed courses of study outside of Japan)

Academic Record	Course of study	Institution	Official length of study term	Year & month admitted & graduated
	Primary education (Elementary school)		Year(s)	Admitted: Month/Year / Graduated: /
	Secondary education (Junior high/middle school and high/preparatory school)		Year(s)	Admitted: Month/Year / Graduated: /
			Year(s)	Admitted: Month/Year / Graduated: /
	Higher education (University, etc.)		Year(s)	Admitted: Month/Year / Graduated: /
			Year(s)	Admitted: Month/Year / Graduated: /
			Year(s)	Admitted: Month/Year / Graduated: /
	Current status			
Additional remarks				

Employment History	From (Month / Day / Year)	To (Month / Day / Year)

<p>Score of TOEFL iBT, IELTS or JLPT</p> <p>*Only answer if you have such a score, and submit a copy of the appropriate transcript</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TOEFL iBT (Test Date score only) () pts • IELTS (overall) () • JLPT () <p>*JLPT score should only be listed by those among the applicants for the entrance examination for international students who have JLPT test results</p>
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Global Humanities and Social Sciences Doctoral Course
Photo ID Sheet

Examinee (ID) number	* Do not write here
Course /Department	Doctoral Course / Department of Global Humanities and Social Sciences
Name	

<p style="text-align: center;">Affix photo</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Photo taken within 3 months prior to application (height 4 cm x width 3 cm) Write your name on the back of the photo before affixing.</p>
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AY2026 Nagasaki University Graduate School of
Global Humanities and Social Sciences Doctoral Course
Entrance Exam Admission Ticket

Examinee (ID) number	* Do not write here
Course /Department	Doctoral Course / Department of Global Humanities and Social Sciences
Name	

<p style="text-align: center;">Affix photo</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Photo taken within 3 months prior to application (height 4 cm x width 3 cm) Write your name on the back of the photo before affixing.</p>
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Application Fee Payment Form

[Graduate School of Global Humanities and Social Sciences Doctoral Course Entrance Examination]

Address			
Course / Department	Doctoral Course / Department of Global Humanities and Social Sciences		
Examinee (ID) number	* Do not write here	Name	

Area to Affix Certificate Proving Examination Fee Payment

Please attach the proof of payment in this frame.

a) Credit card payment; Submit the "Result of Inquiry" along with this form.

Research Proposal

Examinee (ID) number	*Do not write here	Name	
Prospective supervisor		Signature of prospective supervisor	

Research theme	
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1. Research Proposal Overview (In 600 words or less)

(Explain your research theme. Include your research objectives and what extent and how it will be pursued through the research.)

2. Background of Research and Reason for Application (In 600 words or less)

(Based on how you came to be interested in the research theme and your academic background in the area, state why you want to study at this graduate school.)

3. Research Method and Schedule (In 400 words or less)

(Write specifically your intended approach and schedule for engaging in your research while enrolled at this graduate school.)

4. Distinguishing Characteristics and Originality of Research (In 400 words or less)

(Write the distinguishing characteristics, original aspects, positioning, and significance of your research as compared to earlier research and other existing efforts.)

5. References

(If works by others were referenced or quoted in preparing the Research Proposal, write the names of authors, titles of books/thesis, publishers/publishing magazines, and year of publication.)

<Points to note when writing the Research Proposal>

1. Write the specified number of characters for each item. The Research Proposal herein should be no more than a total of four pages in length.
2. Sources must be acknowledged when referencing or quoting the written works of others in the Research Proposal. Within the text where sources are referenced, include the following information: (Name of author(s), Year published, and Page of citation/quote). Write bibliographic items under “5. References ”

Research Achievement

Name		Examinee (ID) number	*Do not write here
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Academic Research Outline

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Application Form for Taking Online Oral Test

Examinee (ID) number	*Do not write here	Name	
Address	Postal code:		
Phone:		E-mail	

All of the following items must be completed and submitted together with the application form.

We will conduct the oral test after confirming the applicant's identity based on the submitted Photo ID Sheet and other documents.

1. Choose the reason you wish to take the oral test online

Please check the box which reason indicating why you wish to take the oral test via the Internet.

We plan to hold the online test via Zoom.

Reason for request	Check box
(1) Residing outside Japan during the examination period name of the country ()	<input type="checkbox"/>
(2) Unable to be present at the oral examination venue due to professional commitments during the examination period – Detail of the reason ()	<input type="checkbox"/>

All applicants who submit this form are subject to receiving the prior approval of the prospective supervisor.

***In relation to (2), depending on the reason, the university may not permit you to take the oral test over the Internet in some cases.**

2. About the examination

After the university accept your admission application, it will contact you about the details of exam.

After the university accept your application, we will contact you via email with a timeslot for conducting a test call, so please check your inbox.

Examination/attendance consent form

To the President of Nagasaki University,

I hereby permit (name) to take the examination for your university's Global Humanities and Social Sciences Graduate School Doctoral Course.

If the individual in question enters your graduate school, I will accept their studying at your university while they remain in employment.

Month / Day / Year

Address of Institution

Name of Institution

Name of Representative

Seal

Address Sticker (For Sending Replies)

This form will be used as the address label to which the acceptance notification and admissions documents will be sent in the event that you are accepted for enrollment in this graduate school. Be sure to make it an address where your mail will be delivered to you with certainty. Write your name, address (located in Japan is preferable), and postal code legibly and accurately.

If there is a change of address after submitting your application documents, be sure to send a notification of address change promptly.

<u>Address:</u> _____ _____ _____ (Postal code: _____)		
Name: _____ Doctoral Course		
	Examinee (ID) number	* Do not write in the box marked

<u>Address:</u> _____ _____ _____ (Postal code: _____)		
Name: _____ Doctoral Course		
	Examinee (ID) number	* Do not write in the box marked

Month / Day / Year
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Preliminary Screening Application Form (Doctoral Course)

To the Dean, Nagasaki University Graduate School of Global Humanities and Social Sciences:

Name of applicant: _____

I wish to undergo preliminary screening for taking the entrance examination of your graduate school and hereby submit the following related documents.

NOTE

List of related documents included (Check the applicable box)

- ☐ Admission Application Form [Form 1]
- ☐ Diploma (certificate of completion) or certificate of expected graduation (completion) from the university
- ☐ Academic transcript from the university
- ☐ Research Achievement Form [Form 6]
- ☐ Academic Research Outline [Form 7]
- ☐ Reprints or copies of papers related to research achievements
- ☐ Research (work) history/content certificate [Form 12]

***Only for applicants with Entry Requirements No. 7**

- ☐ Copy of residence card or passport

***Only for non-Japanese nationals**

- ☐ Self-addressed, stamped envelope for receiving results of the preliminary screening

Note: If a document is written in a language other than Japanese or English, the document must be accompanied by a Japanese or English translation.

Research (Work) history / content certificate

Examinee (ID number)	*Do not write here
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(Month / Day /Year)

To the Dean of the Nagasaki University Graduate School of Global Humanities and Social Sciences

Person verifying Head of institution:

Name of institution:

Position:

Name: Seal

I certify the content of the research (work) undertaken by the person named below.

Name	
Job Title	
Employment (activity) type	
Duration	MM DD YY to MM DD YY

Content of research (work)

* For activities outside of your duties, such as social contribution activities, fill in only those that apply.

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and Social Sciences Doctoral Course Entrance Examination
Examination Results Disclosure Request**

Month / Day / Year
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To the Dean, Nagasaki University Graduate School of Global Humanities and Social Sciences:

(Requester)

Address Phone number	(Postal code:) Phone number:
Name	
Date of birth	Month / Day / Year

I hereby request the disclosure of information for the individual results of the graduate school entrance examination that I recently took.

I wish to receive my Examination Results Report (☐ by post ☐ at the service desk).

Academic year of entrance examination	AY2026			
Examinee (ID) number				
Examination category (Circle the appropriate category)	<input type="checkbox"/> General	<input type="checkbox"/> International students	<input type="checkbox"/> Professional,	<input type="checkbox"/> Internal Advancement

Notes

1. Please check the applicable box.
2. Please show or enclose your entrance exam admission ticket for identify confirmation purposes. If you lost your entrance exam admission ticket, please show or enclose another ID document for identifying confirmation purposes (copy of driver's license, passport, etc.). After your application has been received, there are cases in which the requester is contacted by phone to verify that a request has indeed been made by the individual.
3. Submit or enclose a self-addressed stamped envelope ("Nagagata Sango" size envelope with your name, address, and postal code written clearly on it and 460 yen's worth of stamps affixed to the envelope). Note that no self-addressed stamped envelope will be required if you will pick up the results at the service desk.

Identity verification field <input type="radio"/> Entrance exam admission ticket <input type="radio"/> Other ID ()	Received on Month / Day / Year
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