

## **Application Requirements of Hiroshima Study Abroad Ambassador 2021**

### 1. Goals of the Hiroshima study abroad ambassador program (hereafter HSAA)

- Learn about and experience Hiroshima, and through rediscovering the appeals of Hiroshima, share the benefits of studying abroad here.
- As an international student leader, help search for resolutions to both regional issues in Hiroshima, and issues for international students.

### 2. Responsibilities/Activities

- Share the benefits of studying abroad in Hiroshima Prefecture and specifically at your own college through SNS or other activities.
- Take action so that international students can learn more about Hiroshima Prefecture, and from your perspective as an international student, make suggestions regarding the problems surrounding studying abroad.

### 3. Recruitment period

7th May (Fri)~ 1st June (Tues) 2021

### 4. Number of recruits

There is no limit on the number of recruits. Those who meet the following requirements will be assigned as an HSAA in September.

(Estimate: 20~30 people)

- (1) Able to take at least 2 of the 3 Hiroshima training sessions, which will have information necessary to serve as an HSAA (3 trainings total between June and August).
- (2) Able in principle to attend the advance training on peace, which is scheduled to be held on July 3<sup>rd</sup> (Sat).
- (3) Able to periodically post on specified themes regarding the study abroad environment in Hiroshima.

### 5. Conditions to apply

- Goes to a university, junior or technical college, or Japanese language school in Hiroshima Prefecture.
- Able to communicate in simple Japanese or be currently studying Japanese.
- Will act with self-awareness and responsibility as an HSAA, and has the will to independently post about the appeals of Hiroshima, as well as to help solve regional problems in Hiroshima.
- Except for unavoidable situations, be able to participate in the HIC's advance trainings, trainings and briefing sessions.

- Able to actively engage with people from other countries, regions and schools, as well as locals from Hiroshima Prefecture.
- Able to periodically post information on their own SNS account, or be able to make an SNS account for their HSAA posts.
- Have interest in the HIC's activities, be able to participate in them, as well as to spread information on these activities to other students.
- Will act as a member of HSAA for at least 1 year (until March 2022).

#### 6. Completion requirements

- As an HSAA, post on SNS at least the required amount about the benefits of studying abroad in Hiroshima.
- Participate in at least 4 of the 6 training sessions.
- Engage in other behavior befitting that of an HSAA.

#### 7. Transportation costs

We will offer financial support for transportation costs of advance trainings/trainings according to the table below.

Event location	People living inside Hiroshima City	People living inside Higashihiroshima City	People living in another location (Fukuyama, Onomichi etc.)
Inside Hiroshima City	No financial support	Between Saijo Station~Hiroshima Station	From the closest major station (Fukuyama Station, Onomichi Station etc.) to Hiroshima Station ※Will be calculated via JR's conventional train lines (not shinkansen etc.)
Inside Higashihiroshima City	Between Hiroshima Station~Saijo Station	No financial support	From the closest major station (Fukuyama Station, Onomichi Station etc.) to Saijo Station ※Will be calculated via JR's conventional train lines (not shinkansen etc.)

8. Yearly schedule (may be subject to change)

Date	Contents
May	Recruitment · Notification email
June 13 <sup>th</sup> (Sun)	Advance training 1 (Disaster preparedness)
July 3 <sup>rd</sup> (Sat)	Advance training 2 (Peace)
August 20 <sup>th</sup> (Fri), 24 <sup>th</sup> (Tues) ※ Participate on your preferred date	Advance training 3 (Tourism · Industry)
September	Appointment ceremony · Training 1
October	Training 2
November	Training 3
December	Training 4
January	Training 5
February	Training 6
March	Performance report · Ending ceremony ※ Only those who finish the completion requirements will receive a completion certificate

9. Notification email

All applicants will get a notification email by June 8<sup>th</sup> (Tues), 2021

10. How to apply

You can apply online via the link below or the QR code.

Google application form: <https://bit.ly/3wR2zcl>



11. Reference

HSAA Facebook : <https://www.facebook.com/hsaa2014>

HSAA website : <http://hsaa-studyabroad.jimdo.com/>

※ Please be aware that due to the spread of COVID-19, the yearly schedule/operable content/activities etc. may be subject to change.