

JIRCAS VISITING RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM FY2026

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF FELLOWSHIP

1. Recipients shall abide by the directions of the President of JIRCAS or any member of his staff as he may designate and its working rules during the tenure of the fellowship.
2. Recipients shall submit a final report on the research carried out during the tenure of the fellowship to the President of JIRCAS before the termination of the fellowship.
3. Recipients shall transfer to JIRCAS their share of any intellectual property rights including but not limited to patents rights, copyrights or breeder's rights concerning original findings or results during the tenure of the fellowship, in accordance with the JIRCAS policy of intellectual property rights and the JIRCAS regulations concerning intellectual property rights.
4. When, during and after the tenure, recipients intend to formally present at conferences or publish papers or articles on the work carried out during the tenure, they shall obtain prior consent from the President of JIRCAS.
5. If recipients wish to change the tenure of the fellowship, they shall submit explanation statements to the President of JIRCAS for approval.
6. JIRCAS will bear the cost of the following for each recipient:
 - (1) A round-trip airline ticket (economy class) (Note: Not available to dependents)
 - (2) Living allowance of JPY 7,700 per day
 - (3) Housing allowance:
 - a. The housing allowance will be based on government housing regulations.
 - b. A living facility will be provided.

In Tsukuba, Japan: The facility will be.
Tsukuba International House (TIH)
2-1-9, Kannondai, Tsukuba, Ibaraki 305-0856

In Thailand: The facility is yet to be determined.
- (4) Insurance: Fixed-rate insurance package for damages, injuries, and sicknesses. However, this excludes coverage for chronic diseases, dental problems, etc.
(Note: Not available to dependents)
7. When, during, and after the tenure, recipients intend to formally present at conferences or publish papers or articles on the work carried out during the tenure, they shall obtain prior consent from the President of JIRCAS.
8. Recipients shall return to their home countries after completing the fellowship. However, if in the event that recipients are awarded another fellowship for the succeeding year which will commence immediately after the end of their current fellowship, the recipients shall stay in Japan. If the recipients wish to visit their countries before starting their next fellowship term, they must submit a letter requesting permission to the President of JIRCAS.