Requirements of Eligibility for Special Admission for the English Program on Intelligent Information Processing, Graduate School of Information Science and Technology, The University of Tokyo (Admission: September 2021)

The requirements for special admissions for the English Program on Intelligent Information Processing, Graduate School of Information Science and Technology, The University of Tokyo (Admission: September 2021) are as follows. Applicants must satisfy all the requirements stated below.

1. Each applicant must have a desire to enroll at The University of Tokyo as an international student. If selected, he/she must come to Japan as a new international student. The applicants must not be applying to any other MEXT scholarship program including those provided by other universities. Also, in the case that the applicants are applying to MEXT scholarship (embassy recommended) and the applications are ongoing, they must not apply to this admission. Those who are receiving or have received MEXT scholarship are not eligible.

2. In the case that applicants are not currently students, the applicants’ “GPA” (as defined by MEXT) for the latest-earned degree must not be less than 2.30. In the case that applicants are students, the “GPA” for their current degree must not be less than 2.30.
   * The GPA must be calculated according to the format in Form 4.

3. Applicant must have a nationality of a country with diplomatic relations with the Japanese government.
   * Applicants who have Japanese nationality at the time of application are ineligible.

4. Applicant must be born on or after April 2, 1986, in principle.
5. **Academic Background**

Applicants must have the necessary qualifications to be admitted to the master’s program or doctoral program of a Japanese university (including those who are certain to satisfy those qualifications by the time they enter the university).

Refer to the following documents for these requirements:

https://www.i.u-tokyo.ac.jp/edu/entra/e2021_admission-guide_m.pdf
https://www.i.u-tokyo.ac.jp/edu/entra/e2021_admission-guide_d.pdf

Note that the descriptions, except “Requirements of Eligibility,” of those documents are not applicable to this special admission.

6. **Field of Study**

Applicants should have studied information science and technology or related fields at their previous universities.

7. **English Proficiency**

Applicants must satisfy at least one of the following requirements:

(i) At the time of entering our graduate school, applicants have certificates from standard language tests which prove that applicants’ language capability is no less than CEFR B2 (See ※ below).

(ii) Applicants have completed the education required for entrance into the master’s program or doctoral program of a Japanese university (see Section 5 above), using English as the primary language.

(iii) The University of Tokyo evaluates that applicants have English capabilities equivalent to or better than that required in item (i).

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>※ English scores no less than CEFR B2</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Cambridge English Assessment</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>The EIKEN Test in Practical English Proficiency</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>GTEC Advanced/CBT</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>IELTS</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>TEAP</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Test</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>--------------------------</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>TEAP CBT</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>TOEFL iBT</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>TOEIC (L&amp;R + 2.5 x S&amp;W)</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

In the case of (i) and (ii), the applicants must provide documents that prove those conditions. In the case of (iii), a pre-interview will be conducted for preliminary evaluation of English capability, so please contact us before the prescribed deadline.

8. **Health**

Applicants whose evaluation by the University of Tokyo indicates that their mental and physical health will not cause trouble while studying in Japan.

9. **Arrival Time in Japan**

In principle, applicants should arrive in Japan at the period specified by The University of Tokyo, which will be in September or October 2021.

10. **Visa Requirement**

In principle, applicants should first obtain a new “Student” visa at a Japanese embassy or consulate in applicants’ country of nationality, and then enter Japan with a new status of residence of “Student.”

11. **Non-eligibility**

Persons in the following categories are ineligible for this special admission.

1. Those who are military personnel or military civilian employees at the time of their arrival in Japan or during the period of enrollment;

2. Those who are expected to graduate at the time of application and cannot satisfy the prescribed academic background requirements by the deadline given;

3. Those who plan to, from the time of application, engage in long-term research (such as fieldwork or internship) outside Japan or plan to take a long-term leave of absence from the university;
4. Those who have completed a doctoral course and have no intention to obtain a degree:

5. Those who are enrolled at a Japanese university with a “Student” visa status at the time of application, or those who will enroll or have a plan to enroll at a Japanese university as privately-financed international students between the time of application and the time of admission.

12. Notes
During their enrollments at The University of Tokyo, selected applicants must register for “English Program on Intelligent Information Processing.”
https://www.i.u-tokyo.ac.jp/edu/epiip/index_e.shtml

Contact
Office of International Relations,
Graduate School of Information Science and Technology, The University of Tokyo
7-3-1 Hongo, Bunkyo-ku, Tokyo, 113-8656, JAPAN
E-mail Address: ist_oir@adm.i.u-tokyo.ac.jp

Updated on July 29, 2020