

# JSPS

apan Society for the Promotion of Science

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## Outline

- JSPS/JSPS London Overview
- JSPS supports
- UK-JSPS Alumni Association
- Research Opportunities

### **Major Functions of JSPS**

**Established in 1932** 

Largest Funding Agency in Japan covering all fields of sciences

• Funding research initiatives

Competitive research funding: Grants-in-Aid

- Fostering next generation of scientists
   Research fellowships for young scientists
- Advancing international collaborations

Collaborations with overseas partners

Promoting university reform

Joint programmes with MEXT

### JSPS London -strengthen Japan-UK academic linkages -

### Establishd in 1994

14 Stephenson Way, London NW1 2HD

8 Staff Members



JSPS Nairobi Research Station
 JSPS Cairo Research Station

JSPS Washington Office -

**JSPS Overseas Offices** 

### **JSPS Postdoctoral Fellowship Programme Guidelines**

平成22年度 日本学術振興会外国人特別研究員事業 諸手続の手引

The JSPS Postdoctoral Fellowship For Foreign Researchers

> PROGRAM GUIDELINES FY2010

> > 平成 22 年度 日本学術振興会 外国人特別研究員(欧米短期)事業 諸手続の手引

独立行政》 Japan Society for

The JSPS Postdoctoral Fellowship for North American and European Researchers (Short-Term)

> PROGRAM GUIDELINES (FY2010)

独立行政法人日本学術振興会 Japan Society for the Promotion of Science -These booklet provide the details of the terms, conditions, and procedure of this fellowship.

-These are very important for both you and your host researcher.

### JSPS Fellows Plaza -Supports-

### http://www.jsps.go.jp/english/e-plaza/index.html

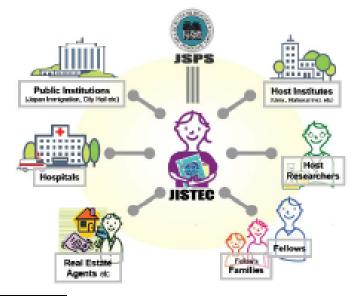
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List of Issues	Science Dialogue Program Guidelines	How to Apply		
Bridging research communities; keeping Fellows updated, while marking JSPS program milestones	🔉 General Inquiries	Experiences and Messages from JSPS Fellows	JISTEC works with JSPS in providing a variety of Fellow	
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- Supports fellow's stays in Japan (JISTEC / TEI)
- Offers information on both living and doing research in Japan
- Orientation (in Tokyo)
- Issues "JSPS Quarterly"
- Publishes "Life In Japan"

### JSPS Fellows Plaza -Supports-

### **OJISTEC** (for Short Term fellows)

http://www.jistec.or.jp/Fellow/fellow\_overview\_e.html



#### For information, contact

Japan International Science and Technology Exchange Center (JISTEC) 2-20-5, Takezono, Tsukuba, Ibaraki 305-0032 Phone: +81-29-853-8250 Fax: +81-29-853-8260 e-mail: fellow@jistec.or.jp Opening hours: Mon. through Fri. 9:00-12:00 13:00-17:00 (English and Chinese speakers will be available.)

### **OTEI** (for Standard fellows)

http://www.life-in-japan.net/

### Science Dialogue -Lectures at High Schools-

10 Dec 2008, Miyazaki, Miyazaki Kita High School Dr. M. KRIENER (Germany)



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28 Jan 2009, Gifu, Ena High School Dr. DJEMETIO, A. (Cameroon) Sustainable Management of we

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Sustainable Management of wetland ecosystem for Human Well-being and ecological Balance

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10 Dec 2008, Aichi,

Aichi Zuiryo High School

The Science of Green Tea

Dr. B. J. RIPLEY(U.K.)

### Japanese Language Textbook -Minna no Nihongo-





Available through Amazon:

http://www.amazon.co.uk/Minna-no-Nihongo/Im/2F99EM018KBX7

### **UK-JSPS Alumni Association**

Established in 2003

Open to all former JSPS fellows (over 250 members)

Useful Scheme for members ~Expanding UK – Japan Academic Linkage~

①Opportunities to revisit Japan for research ★ FURUSATO Award (2008-)

(for short-term visit) Offers an amount up to £2,000

☆ BRIDGE Fellowship (2009-)

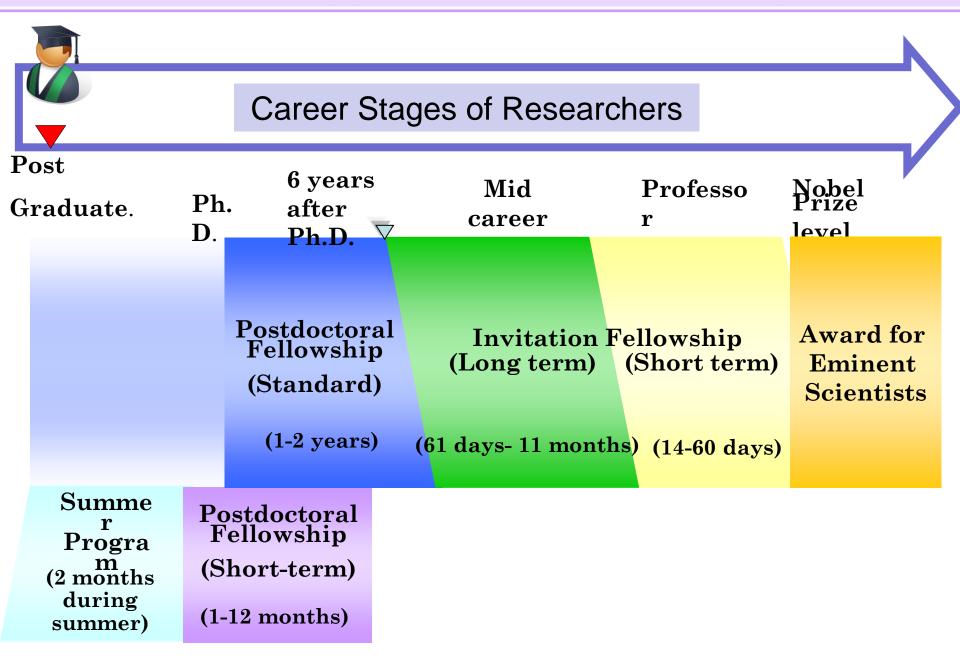
(14 – 45days visit) Fellowship worth about £7,000

### **2**Opportunities to organise UK-Japan symposia

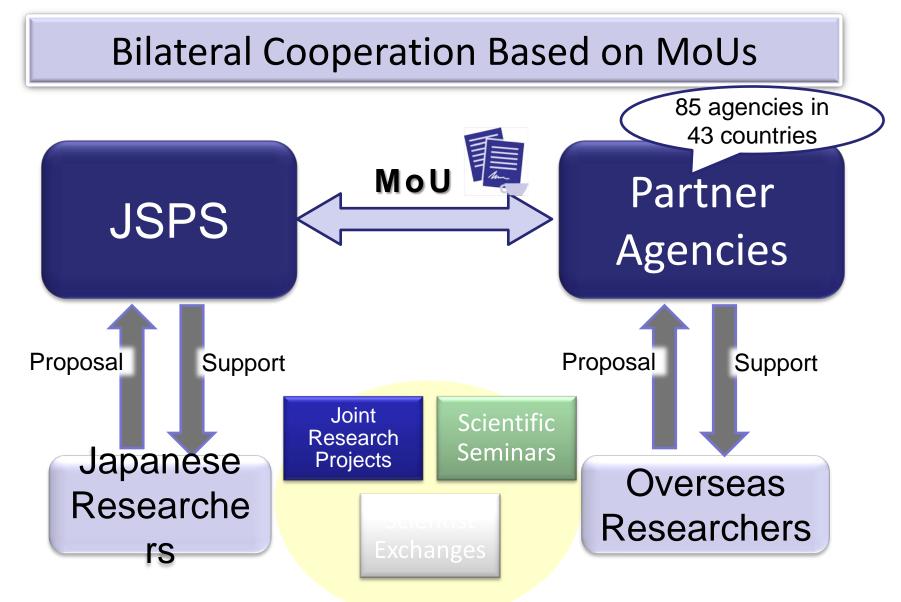
☆ FURUKAWA AIUMNI (now preparing)

- International travel cost : Up to 5 Japanese speakers
- Up to 1,500 for the cost of venue, hospitalities etc..

### More Research Opportunities -Fellowships-



### International Collaboration - Group to Group -



### **UK Partner Agencies**

UK Counterpart Institutions	<b>Collaborative Programmes</b>	Year of Agreement
THE ROYAL Society	<ul> <li>Joint Research Projects</li> <li>JSPS Postdoctoral Fellowships</li> </ul>	1971
BRITISH ACADEMY	<ul> <li>Joint Research Projects</li> <li>JSPS Postdoctoral Fellowships</li> </ul>	1973
	<ul> <li>JSPS Summer Program</li> <li>Fellowships</li> </ul>	2004
Science & Technology Facilities Council	<ul> <li>Core to Core Programme</li> </ul>	2008
E·S·R·C ECONOMIC & SOCIAL RESEARCH COUNCIL	<ul> <li>Joint Seminars</li> </ul>	TBC





If you have any questions, regarding today's presentation or our program,

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Thank you for your attention