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Government of India
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions
Department of Personnel and Training
[Training Division]

Block-4, Old JNU Campus
New Mehrauli Road, New Delhi-67
Dated: 02.02.2018

TRAINING CIRCULAR

Subject: Knowledge Co-Creation Program on “Participatory Irrigation Management System for Paddies” to be held in Japan from 16.05.2018 to 04.07.2018 under Technical Cooperation Program of the Government of Japan (**Submission Deadline – 16.03.2018**).

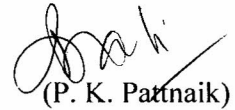
The undersigned is directed to state that the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) has invited applications for Knowledge Co-Creation Program on “Participatory Irrigation Management System for Paddies” to be held in Japan from 16.05.2018 to 04.07.2018 under Technical Cooperation Program of the Government of Japan.

2. The training program aims to improve and strengthen irrigation management system in participant’s countries.
3. The applying organizations are expected to nominate officer in charge of irrigation management (especially in establishing and supporting water users’ groups) who have more than three (3) years of experience in field of irrigation management. The officer should be a university graduate or equivalent; have competent command over spoken and written English; must be in good health (both physically and mentally); be between twenty-five (25) and forty five (45) years of age. More information may be seen in the general information brochure.
4. In addition, the following information in respect of the nominated officers may please be mentioned while furnishing the nomination:-
 - a) Whether attended any foreign training program in the past? If so, the duration/details thereof;
 - b) Whether cleared from vigilance angle;
 - c) Age;
 - d) Whether working in North East State/J&K;
 - e) A brief in 50-100 words justifying the nomination.
5. The course covers the cost of a round-trip air ticket between international airport designated by JICA and Japan; travel insurance from the time of arrival in Japan to departure from Japan; allowances for (accommodation, living expenses, outfit and shipping); expenses

for JICA study tours and free medical care for participants who may fall ill after reaching Japan (costs relating to pre-existing illness, pregnancy, or dental treatment are not included).

6. It is, therefore, requested that the nomination of suitable candidates may please be forwarded (**in two copies**) to this Department in JICA's prescribed format duly authenticated by the HOD of the concerned Ministry/Department in accordance with the eligibility criteria.

7. The applications should reach this Department through the Administrative Ministry/Department not later than **16.03.2018**. Nominations received after the prescribed date may not be considered. An advance copy from the applying organization for nomination(s) and the application form(s) can be sent to the JICA India Office via courier or email at bapalahema.id@jica.go.jp or ShekarD.ID@jica.go.jp. The details of the program (General Information Brochure) and application form may be drawn from the website of DoPT at link <http://persmin.gov.in/otraining/index.aspx>.



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Under Secretary to the Government of India

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To,

- a) Secretary, Department of Agriculture & Cooperation, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi.
- b) Secretary, Department of Rural Development, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi.
- c) Secretary, Ministry of Water Resources, Shram Shakti Bhawan, New Delhi.
- d) Chief Secretaries to State Governments/Union Territories (with request to circulate the same amongst related Departments/Organizations under them).
- e) Senior Representative, Japan International Cooperation Agency, New Delhi -110001.
- f) NIC with request to post the circular along with the JICA's circular on this Department's website.



Knowledge Co-Creation Program (Group & Region Focus)

GENERAL INFORMATION ON

PARTICIPATORY IRRIGATION MANAGEMENT SYSTEM
FOR PADDIES (A)

課題別研修「農民主体型用水管理システム (A)」

JFY 2018

NO. J18-04157 / ID. 1884707

Course Period in Japan: From May 16, 2018 to July 4, 2018

This information pertains to one of the JICA Knowledge Co-Creation Program (Group & Region Focus) of the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA), which shall be implemented as part of the Official Development Assistance of the Government of Japan based on bilateral agreement between both Governments.

‘JICA Knowledge Co-Creation (KCC) Program’ as a New Start

In the Development Cooperation Charter which is released from the Japanese Cabinet on February 2015, it is clearly pointed out that *“In its development cooperation, Japan has maintained the spirit of jointly creating things that suit partner countries while respecting ownership, intentions and intrinsic characteristics of the country concerned based on a field-oriented approach through dialogue and collaboration. It has also maintained the approach of building reciprocal relationships with developing countries in which both sides learn from each other and grow and develop together.”* We believe that this ‘Knowledge Co-Creation Program’ will serve as a center of mutual learning process.

I. Concept

Background

“Farmers participation” for irrigation management is considered essential not only for efficient management and maintenance of irrigation facilities, but also for an effective use of water resources, increase in agricultural productivity as well as farmer’s income generation, and even contributing to community development as a result.

In many developing countries, however, irrigation management is still fragile, mainly due to the lack of appropriate system, financial sources and necessary skills and knowledge for promoting farmers participation. In addition, irrigation rights are not conferred among farmers equally, thus causing socio-economic disparities within the communities.

In Japan, since Land Improvement Act was enacted in 1949, Land Improvement Districts (LIDs) have functioned as an irrigation management association. LIDs are associations which are composed of farmers and managed by the farmers themselves. They are expected to contribute to the sustainable irrigation management, encourage farmers’ participation and ownership, and further promote community development.

This training program on “Participatory Irrigation Management System for Paddies” will be mainly conducted by the successful LIDs in Hokkaido, in order to transfer their experiences of irrigation management to the developing countries. Thus, it aims to contribute to improve/strengthen irrigation management systems in respective countries.

For what?

This program aims to improve and strengthen irrigation management system in participant’s countries.

※ Rice cultivation technique and irrigation technology are not main of scope of this program.

For whom?

This program is offered to the government officials in charge of irrigation management (especially in establishing and supporting water users’ groups) at the central and local government levels.

How?

Participants shall have opportunities to learn participatory irrigation management system in Japan. The participants are also expected to propose an “Action Plan” describing what he or she will do after their going back to home country with making the best use of the knowledge and ideas acquired and discussed in the program.

II. Description

- 1. Title (J-No.):**
Participatory Irrigation Management System for Paddies (A) (J18-04157)
- 2. Course Period in JAPAN:** May 16 to July 4, 2018
- 3. Target Regions or Countries**
Bhutan, Cambodia, India, Malaysia, Myanmar, Nepal and Timor-Leste
- 4. Eligible / Target Organization**
This program is designed for the central or local government in charge of irrigation management (especially in establishing and supporting water users' groups).
- 5. Course Capacity (Upper limit of Participants) :** 7 participants
- 6. Language to be used in this program:** English
- 7. Course Objective**
Participants acquire knowledge and skills to improve / strengthen irrigation management system and get an idea for applying in respective countries.
- 8. Overall Goal**
Modified action plan to improve / strengthen irrigation management system formulated by participants is started to be implemented in respective countries.

Expected Module Output and Contents

This program consists of the following components. Details on each component are given below:

(1) Preliminary Phase in a participant's home country (April to May 2018)

Expected Output	Activity
To analyze current situation and problems regarding irrigation management system in each country	Preparation and submission of "Inception Report"

(2) Core Phase in Japan (16 May to 3 July 2018)

Expected Module Output	Subjects/Agendas	Methodology
1) Analyze current issues/challenges regarding irrigation management systems in the respective countries	(1) Presentation of "Inception Report"	-Lectures -Site visit -Discussion -Presentation
	(2) Situation and problem analysis	
2) Understand the systems of "Participatory Irrigation Management (PIM)" in Japan	(1) Irrigated agriculture in Japan	
	(2) Irrigation policies and administrative structure in Japan	
	(3) PIM system in Japan	
	(4) Organization & management know-how of LIDs	
	(5) Irrigation techniques of LIDs	
3) Understand various factors and relevant activities surrounding LIDs	(1) Variety of LIDs (based on local characteristics)	
	(2) Coordination of agricultural water use/rights between areas	
	(3) Agricultural cooperatives (JA) system in Japan	
	(4) National federation of LIDs	
4) Consider suitable PIM system for the respective countries and propose a feasible plan to improve/strengthen the irrigation management system as an "Action Plan"	(1) Group discussion	
	(2) Consultation and preparation for Action Plan	
	(3) Presentation of Action Plan	

III. Conditions and Procedures for Application

1. Expectations from the Participating Organizations:

- (1) This program is designed primarily for organizations that intend to address specific issues or problems identified in their operation. Participating organizations are expected to use the project for those specific purposes.
- (2) This program is enriched with contents and facilitation schemes specially developed in collaboration with relevant prominent organizations in Japan. These special features enable the project to meet specific requirements of applying organizations and effectively facilitate them toward solutions for the issues and problems.
- (3) In this connection, applying organizations are expected to nominate the most qualified candidates to address the said issues or problems, carefully referring to the qualifications described in section III-2 below.
- (4) Applying organizations are also expected to be prepared to make use of knowledge acquired by the nominees for the said purpose.

2. Nominee Qualifications:

Applying Organizations are expected to select nominees who meet the following qualifications.

(1) Essential Qualifications

1) Current Duties:

- a central or local government official in charge of irrigation management (especially in establishing and supporting water users' groups)
- a leader of water user's group (in case that more than one nominee are applying from the same country)

※ It is recommended that the nominees who are in charge of same locality (district/community) are selected in pairs from a country.

2) Experience in the relevant field: have **more than 3 years' practical experience in the field of irrigation management** (basic knowledge and skills in agricultural and/or irrigation engineering are required.)

3) Educational Background: be a graduate of university

4) Language: have **a competent command of spoken and written English** (This program includes active participation in discussions and preparation of an Action Plan, which require high competence of English ability.)

5) Health: must be in good health, both physically and mentally, to participate in the Program in Japan. Pregnant applicants are not recommended to apply due to the potential risk of health and life issues of mother and fetus.

(2) Recommendable Qualifications

1) Age: **between the ages of twenty-five (25) and forty-five (45) years**

3. Required Documents for Application

(1) **Application Form:** The Application Form is available at **the JICA office (or the Embassy of Japan)**.

(2) **Photocopy of passport:** to be submitted with the application form, if you possess your passport which you will carry when entering Japan for this program. If not, you are requested to submit its photocopy as soon as you obtain it.

*Photocopy should include the followings:

Name, Date of birth, Nationality, Sex, Passport number and Expire date.

(3) **Nominee's English Score Sheet:** to be submitted with the application form. If you have any official documentation of English ability. (e.g., TOEFL, TOEIC, IELTS)

4. Procedures for Application and Selection:

(1) Submission of the Application Documents:

Closing date for applications: **Please inquire to the JICA office (or the Embassy of Japan)**.

(After receiving applications, the JICA office (or the Embassy of Japan) will send them to JICA Hokkaido (Sapporo) in JAPAN **by April 3, 2018**)

(2) Selection:

After receiving the documents through proper channels from your government, the JICA office (or the embassy of Japan) will conduct screenings, and then forward the documents to JICA Hokkaido (Sapporo). Selection will be made by JICA Hokkaido (Sapporo) in consultation with concerned organizations in Japan. The applying organization with the best intention to utilize the opportunity of this program will be highly valued in the selection. Qualifications of applicants who belong to the military or other military-related organizations and/or who are enlisted in the military will be examined by the Government of Japan on a case-by-case basis, consistent with the Development Cooperation Charter of Japan, taking into consideration their duties, positions in the organization, and other relevant information in a comprehensive manner.

(3) Notice of Acceptance

Notification of results will be made by the JICA office (or the Embassy of Japan) **no later than April 13, 2018**.

5. Document to be submitted by accepted candidates:

Inception Report -- to be submitted **by May 1, 2018:**

Before coming to Japan, only accepted candidates are required to prepare an Inception Report (detailed information is provided in the ANNEX "Inception Report".) The Inception Report should be prepared in the format of **Microsoft PowerPoint** and sent to JICA, preferably by e-mail to:

Watanabe.Moriaki@jica.go.jp or Ogasawara-Nao@jica.go.jp).

6. Conditions for Attendance:

- (1) to strictly adhere to the program schedule.
- (2) not to change the program topics.
- (3) not to extend the period of stay in Japan.
- (4) not to be accompanied by family members during the program.
- (5) to return to home countries at the end of the program in accordance with the travel schedule designated by JICA.
- (6) to refrain from engaging in any political activities, or any form of employment for profit or gain.
- (7) to observe Japanese laws and ordinances. If there is any violation of said laws and ordinances, participants may be required to return part or all of the training expenditure depending on the severity of said violation.
- (8) to observe the rules and regulations of the accommodation and not to change the accommodation designated by JICA.

IV. Administrative Arrangements

1. Organizer:

(1) **Name:** JICA Hokkaido (Sapporo)

(2) **Contact:** Watanabe.Moriaki@jica.go.jp or Ogasawara-Nao@jica.go.jp

2. Implementing Partner:

(1) **Name:** Taisetsu Land Improvement District

(2) **Remark:** Since Land Improvement Act was enacted in 1949, Land Improvement Districts (LIDs), it was established by farmers themselves, in Hokkaido have not only functioned as an irrigation management association but have encouraged farmers to be independent and have promoted community development. LIDs in Hokkaido have different history and characteristics from LIDs in other parts of Japan and one can find many hints and ideas from their experience to promote development of rural areas by organizing farmers.

3. Travel to Japan:

(1) **Air Ticket:** The cost of a round-trip ticket between an international airport designated by JICA and Japan will be borne by JICA.

(2) **Travel Insurance:** Coverage is from time of arrival up to departure in Japan. Thus traveling time outside Japan will not be covered.

4. Accommodation in Japan:

JICA will arrange the accommodations for the participants in Japan. In Sapporo, the participants are going to stay at JICA Hokkaido International Center (Sapporo). However, they are mainly staying in Asahikawa (about 140km from Sapporo), and the accommodation in Asahikawa will be confirmed when they arrive.

JICA Hokkaido International Center (JICA Hokkaido (Sapporo))

Address: Minami 4-25, Hondori 16-chome, Shiroishi-ku, Sapporo,
Hokkaido 003-8668, Japan

TEL: 81-11-866-8383 FAX: 81-11-866-8382

(where "81" is the country code for Japan, and "11" is the local area code)

5. Expenses:

The following expenses will be provided for the participants by JICA:

(1) Allowances for accommodation, meals, living expenses, outfit, and shipping

(2) Expenses for study tours (basically in the form of train tickets.)

(3) Free medical care for participants who become ill after arriving in Japan (costs related to pre-existing illness, pregnancy, or dental treatment are not included)

(4) Expenses for program implementation, including materials

For more details, please see "III. ALLOWANCES" of the brochure for participants titled "KENSU-IN GUIDE BOOK," which will be given before departure for Japan.

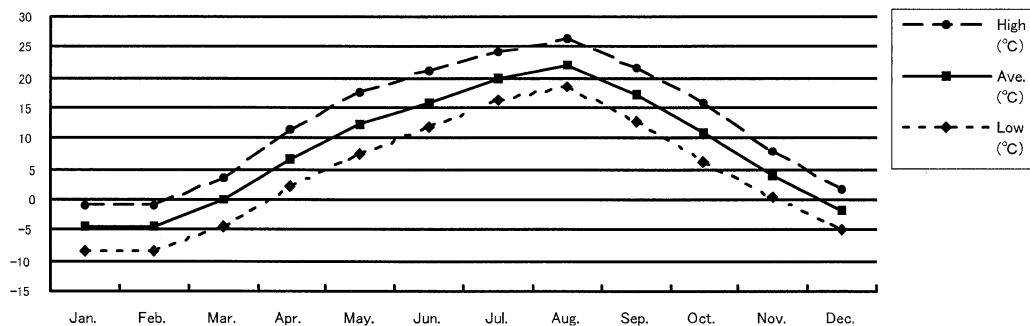
6. Pre-departure Orientation:

A pre-departure orientation will be held the JICA office (or Japanese Embassy) in each country, to provide participants with details on travel to Japan, conditions of the workshop, and other matters.

V. Other Information

1. Japanese language program will be offered to the participants in JICA Hokkaido (Sapporo), to facilitate their daily life.
2. Participants who have successfully completed the program in Japan will be awarded a certificate by JICA.
3. At the end of the course, participants are required to prepare an "Action Plan" and make a presentation on it, which is an activity plan to be implemented after going back to home country with utilizing skills and knowledge obtained in Japan. For the convenience, JICA recommends each participant bring relevant data and reference documents which would be useful in making a well-grounded action plan.

4. Climate in Sapporo



	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
High (°C)	-1	-0.8	3.4	11.4	17.8	21	24.2	26.3	21.7	15.9	7.8	1.7
Ave. (°C)	-4.4	-4.4	-0.2	6.5	12.2	16	19.8	22.1	17.1	11	4.1	-1.6
Low (°C)	-8.4	-8.5	-4.2	2.1	7.3	11.9	16.4	18.7	12.8	6.3	0.4	-5
Snow(cm)	58	83	64	2							5	28

*Typical Seasonal Wear: (May – July) Long-sleeves, Short-sleeves, Light Jacket

5. Recreation

Participants can use gymnasium located next to JICA Hokkaido (Sapporo). The charges will be borne by JICA.

6. Equipment in JICA Hokkaido (Sapporo)

JICA Hokkaido (Sapporo) has the following equipment for the participants.

<Private Room> Bed, Prefabricated Bath, Desk, Refrigerator, Hot pot, Bookshelf, Air Conditioning, In-room Safe, TV sets (CNN, NHK(BS), DVD/VHS Video Player)

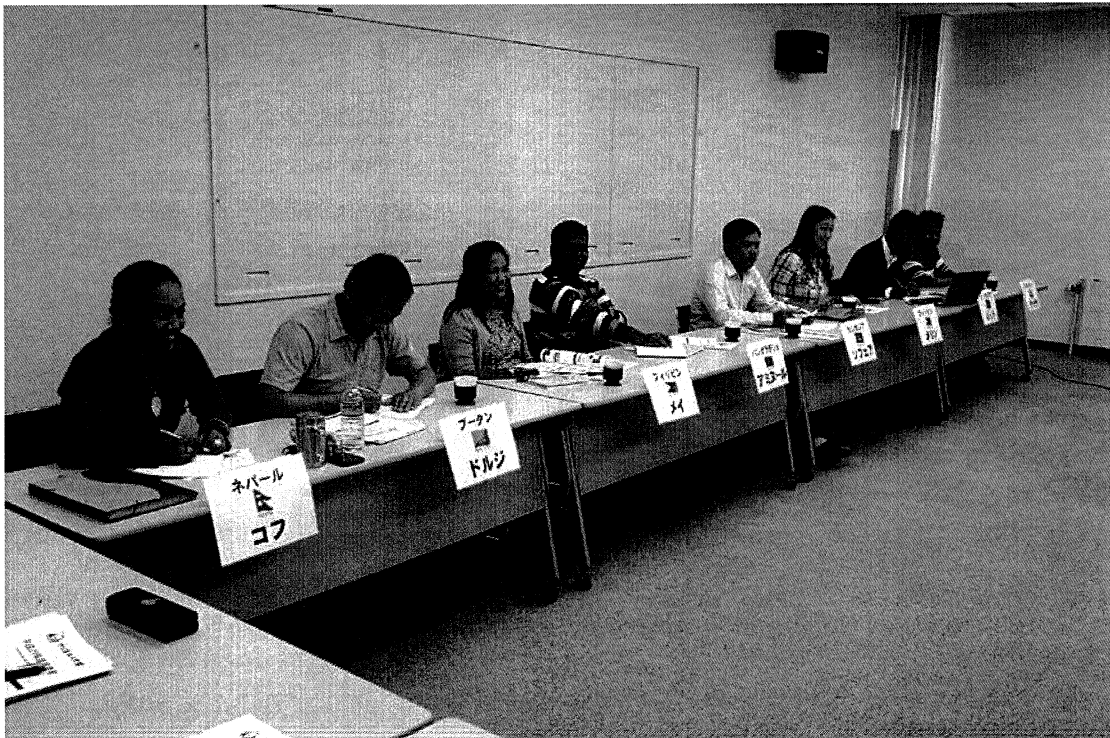
<Audio-Visual equipment for training> Video recorder, Overhead projector, Slide Projector, Multimedia Projector (available to use Microsoft Power Point 2002).

Photos of training course on JFY 2017

In the field



In the seminar room



VI. ANNEX

INCEPTION REPORT

After being selected, the participants are expected to collect necessary information and data, and prepare and submit an “inception report” **by 1 May 2018**. The report should be prepared in the format of **Microsoft PowerPoint**, since all the participants are expected to make a presentation on it after they arrive in Japan. Expected contents of the report are given below:

A. General Information

- 1) Name
- 2) Organization

B. Present position and its duty (advantages and disadvantages)

C. Irrigation system

- 1) Current situation (advantages and disadvantages)
- 2) Future images

D. Water users' group (e.g. Water Users Association (WUA))

- 1) Current situation (advantages and disadvantages)
- 2) Future images

D. Issues that you would like to improve / strengthen

- 1) Current situation (advantages and disadvantages)
- 2) Future images

E. Expectations of participants for the training

NOTE:

After arriving in Japan, the participants are also expected to modify the report based on the consultation with the course leader.

For Your Reference

JICA and Capacity Development

The key concept underpinning JICA operations since its establishment in 1974 has been the conviction that “capacity development” is central to the socioeconomic development of any country, regardless of the specific operational scheme one may be undertaking, i.e. expert assignments, development projects, development study projects, training programs, JOCV programs, etc.

Within this wide range of programs, Training Programs have long occupied an important place in JICA operations. Conducted in Japan, they provide partner countries with opportunities to acquire practical knowledge accumulated in Japanese society. Participants dispatched by partner countries might find useful knowledge and re-create their own knowledge for enhancement of their own capacity or that of the organization and society to which they belong.

About 460 pre-organized programs cover a wide range of professional fields, ranging from education, health, infrastructure, energy, trade and finance, to agriculture, rural development, gender mainstreaming, and environmental protection. A variety of programs and are being customized to address the specific needs of different target organizations, such as policy-making organizations, service provision organizations, as well as research and academic institutions. Some programs are organized to target a certain group of countries with similar developmental challenges.

Japanese Development Experience

Japan was the first non-Western country to successfully modernize its society and industrialize its economy. At the core of this process, which started more than 140 years ago, was the “*adopt and adapt*” concept by which a wide range of appropriate skills and knowledge have been imported from developed countries; these skills and knowledge have been adapted and/or improved using local skills, knowledge and initiatives. They finally became internalized in Japanese society to suit its local needs and conditions.

From engineering technology to production management methods, most of the know-how that has enabled Japan to become what it is today has emanated from this “*adoption and adaptation*” process, which, of course, has been accompanied by countless failures and errors behind the success stories. We presume that such experiences, both successful and unsuccessful, will be useful to our partners who are trying to address the challenges currently faced by developing countries.

However, it is rather challenging to share with our partners this whole body of Japan’s developmental experience. This difficulty has to do, in part, with the challenge of explaining a body of “tacit knowledge,” a type of knowledge that cannot fully be expressed in words or numbers. Adding to this difficulty are the social and cultural systems of Japan that vastly differ from those of other Western industrialized countries, and hence still remain unfamiliar to many partner countries. Simply stated, coming to Japan might be one way of overcoming such a cultural gap.

JICA, therefore, would like to invite as many leaders of partner countries as possible to come and visit us, to mingle with the Japanese people, and witness the advantages as well as the disadvantages of Japanese systems, so that integration of their findings might help them reach their developmental objectives.



CORRESPONDENCE

For enquiries and further information, please contact the JICA office
or the Embassy of Japan. Further, address correspondence to:

JICA Hokkaido International Center (JICA Hokkaido (Sapporo))

Address: Minami 4-25, Hondori 16-chome, Shiroishi-ku , Sapporo,
Hokkaido, 003-8668, Japan

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Guidelines of Application Form for the JICA Training and Dialogue Program

The attached form is to be used to apply for the training and dialogue programs of the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA), which are implemented as part of the Official Development Assistance Program of the Government of Japan. Please complete the application form while referring to the following and consult with the respective country's JICA Office - or the Embassy of Japan if the former is not available - in your country for further information.

1. Parts of Application Form to be completed

1) Which part of the form should be submitted?

It depends on the type of training and dialogue program you are applying for.

>Application for Group and Region Focused Training Program

Official application and Parts A and B including Medical History and Examination must be submitted.

>>Application for Country Focused Training Program including Counterpart Training Program

Part B including Medical History and Examination will be submitted. Official application and Part A need not to be submitted

2) How many parts does the Application Form consist of?

The Application Form consists of three parts as follows;

Official Application

This part is to be confirmed and signed by the head of the relevant department/division of the organization which is applying.

Part A. Information on the Applying Organization

This part is to be confirmed by the head of the relevant department/division of the organization which is applying.

Part B. Information About the Nominee including Medical History and Examination

This part is to be completed by the person who is nominated by the organization applying. The applicants for Group and Region Focused Training Program are required to fill in **every item**. As for the applications for Country Focused Training Program including Counterpart Training Program and some specified International Dialogue Programs, it is required to fill in the designated "**required**" items as is shown on the Form.

Please refer to the General Information to find out which type the training and dialogue program that your organization applies for belongs to.

2. How to complete the Application Form

In completing the application form, please be advised to:

- (a) carefully read the General Information (GI) for which you intend to apply, and confirm if the objectives and contents are relevant to yours,
- (b) be sure to write in the title name of the course/seminar/workshop/project accurately

- according to the GI, which you intend to apply,
- (c) use a typewriter/personal computer in completing the form or write in **block letters**,
 - (d) fill in the form in **English**,
 - (e) use or ~~☐~~ to fill in the () check boxes,
 - (f) attach a picture of the Nominee,
 - (g) attach additional page(s) if there is insufficient space on the form,
 - (h) prepare the necessary document(s) described in the General Information (GI), and attach it (them) to the form,
 - (i) confirm the application procedure stipulated by your government, and
 - (j) submit the original application form with the necessary document(s) to the responsible organization of your government according to the application procedure.

Any information that is acquired through the activities of the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA), such as the nominee's name, educational record, and medical history, shall be properly handled in view of the importance of safeguarding personal information.

3. Privacy Policy

1) Scope of Use

Any information used for identifying individuals that is acquired by JICA will be stored, used, or analyzed only within the scope of JICA activities. JICA reserves the right to use such identifying information and other materials in accordance with the provisions of this privacy policy.

2) Limitations on Use and Provision

JICA shall never intentionally provide information that can be used to identify individuals to any third party, with the following three exceptions:

- (a) In cases of legally mandated disclosure requests;
- (b) In cases in which the provider of information grants permission for its disclosure to a third party;
- (c) In cases in which JICA commissions a party to process the information collected; the information provided will be within the scope of the commissioned tasks.

3) Security Notice

JICA takes measures required to prevent leakage, loss, or destruction of acquired information, and to otherwise properly manage such information.

4. Copyright policy

Participants of the JICA Training and Dialogue program are requested to comply with the following copyright policy;

Article 1. Compliance matters with participants' drafting of documents (various reports, action plans, etc.) and presentations (report meetings, lectures, speeches, etc.)

1. Any contents of the documents and presentations shall be created by themselves in principle.



2. Comply with the following matters, if you, over the limit of quotation, have to use a third person's work (reproduction, photograph, illustration, map, figure, etc.) that is protected under laws or regulations in your country or copyright-related multinational agreements or the like:

- (1) Obtain license to use the work on your own responsibility. In this case, the scope of the license shall meet the provisions of Article 2.
- (2) Secure evidential material that proves the grants of the license and specifies the scope of the license.
- (3) Consult with the third party and perform the payment procedure on your own responsibility regarding negotiations with a third person about the consideration for granting the license and the procedure for paying the consideration,.

Article 2. Details of use of works used for training

- (1) The copyright on a work that a participant prepares for a training course shall belong to the trainee. The copyright on the parts where a third party's work is used shall belong to the third party.
- (2) When using texts, supplementary educational materials and other materials distributed for the JICA training courses, participants shall comply with the purposes and scopes approved by each copyright holder.



Application Form for the JICA Training and Dialogue Program

OFFICIAL APPLICATION

(to be confirmed and signed by the head of the relevant department / division of the applying organization)

1. Title: (Please write down as shown in the General Information)

2. Number: (Please write down as shown in the General Information)

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3. Country Name:

4. Name of Applying Organization:

5. Name of the Nominee(s):

1)	3)
2)	4)

Our organization hereby applies for the training and dialogue program of the Japan International Cooperation Agency and proposes to dispatch qualified nominees to participate in the programs.

Date:		Signature:	
Name:			
Designation / Position		Official Stamp	
Department / Division			
Office Address and Contact Information	Address:		
	Telephone:	Fax:	E-mail:

Confirmation by the organization in charge (if necessary)

I have examined the documents in this form and found them true. Accordingly I agree to nominate this person(s) on behalf of our government.

Date:		Signature:	
Name:			
Designation / Position		Official Stamp	
Department / Division			



Part A: Information on the Applying Organization

(to be confirmed by the head of the department / division)

1. Profile of Organization

1) Name of Organization:

2) The mission of the Organization and the Department / Division:

2. Purpose of Application

1) Current Issues: Describe the reasons for your organization claiming the need to participate in the training and dialogue program, with reference to issues or problems to be addressed.

2) Objective: Describe what your organization intends to achieve by participating in the training and dialogue program.



3) Future Plan of Actions: Describe how your organization shall make use of the expected achievements, in addressing the said issues or problems.

4) Selection of the Nominee: Describe the reason(s) the nominee has been selected for the said purpose, referring to the following view points; 1) Course requirement, 2) Capacity /Position, 3) Plans for the candidate after the training and dialogue program, 4) Plan of organization and 5) Others.

**9) Contact Information**

Office	Address:	
	TEL:	Mobile (Cell Phone):
	FAX:	E-mail:
Home	Address:	
	TEL:	Mobile (Cell Phone):
	FAX:	E-mail:
Contact person in emergency	Name:	
	Relationship to you:	
	Address:	
	TEL:	Mobile (Cell Phone):
	FAX:	E-mail:

10) Others (if necessary)

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4. Career Record**1) Job Record (After graduation)**

Organization	City/ Country	Period		Position or Title	Brief Job Description
		From Month/Year	To Month/Year		

2) Educational Record (Higher Education)(required)

Institution	City/ Country	Period		Degree obtained	Major
		From Month/Year	To Month/Year		

**3) Training or Study in Foreign Countries; please write your past visits to Japan specifically as much as possible, if any.**

Institution	City/ Country	Period		Field of Study / Program Title
		From Month/Year	To Month/Year	

5. Language Proficiency (required)

1) Language to be used in the program (as in GI)					
Listening	() Excellent	() Good	() Fair	() Poor	
Speaking	() Excellent	() Good	() Fair	() Poor	
Reading	() Excellent	() Good	() Fair	() Poor	
Writing	() Excellent	() Good	() Fair	() Poor	
Certificate (Examples: TOEFL, TOEIC)					
2) Mother Tongue					
3) Other languages ()		() Excellent	() Good	() Fair	() Poor

¹ Excellent: Refined fluency skills and topic-controlled discussions, debates & presentations. Formulates strategies to deal with various essay types, including narrative, comparison, cause-effect & argumentative essays.

¹ Good: Conversational accuracy & fluency in a wide range of situations: discussions, short presentations & interviews. Compound complex sentences. Extended essay formation.

¹ Fair: Broader range of language related to expressing opinions, giving advice, making suggestions. Limited compound and complex sentences & expanded paragraph formation.

¹ Poor: Simple conversation level, such as self-introduction, brief question & answer using the present and past tenses.



6. Expectation on the applied training and dialogue program

1) Personal Goal: Describe what you intend to achieve in the applied training and dialogue program in relation to the organizational purpose described in Part A-2.

2) Relevant Experience: Describe your previous vocational experiences which are highly relevant in the themes of the applied training and dialogue program. (required)

3) Area of Interest: Describe your subject of particular interest with reference to the contents of the applied training and dialogue program. (required)

***7. Declaration (to be signed by the Nominee) (required)**

I certify that the statements I made in this form are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

If accepted for the program, I agree:

- (a) not to bring or invite any member of my family (except for the program whose period is one year or more),
- (b) to carry out such instructions and abide by such conditions as may be stipulated by both the nominating government and the Japanese Government regarding the program,
- (c) to follow the program, and abide by the rules of the institution or establishment that implements the program,
- (d) to refrain from engaging in political activity or any form of employment for profit or gain,
- (e) to return to my home country at the end of the activities in Japan on the designated flight schedule arranged by JICA,
- (f) to discontinue the program if JICA and the applying organization agree on any reason for such discontinuation and not to claim any cost or damage due to the said discontinuation.
- (g) to consent to waive exercise of my copyright holder's rights for documents or products that are produced during the course of the project, against duplication and/or translation by JICA, as long as they are used for the purposes of the program.
- (h) to approve the privacy policy and the copyright policy mentioned in the Guidelines of Application.

JICA's Information Security Policy in relation to Personal Information Protection

JICA will properly and safely manage personal information collected through this application form in accordance with JICA's privacy policy and the relevant laws of Japan concerning protection of personal information and take protection measures to prevent divulgence, loss or damages of such personal information.

Unless otherwise obtained approval from an applicant itself or there are valid reasons such as disclosure under laws and ordinances, etc., and except for the following 1.-3., JICA will neither



provide nor disclose personal information to any third party. JICA will use personal information provided only for the purposes in the following 1.-3 and will not use for any purpose other than the following 1.-3 without prior approval of an applicant itself.

1. To provide technical training to technical training participants from developing countries.
2. To provide technical training to technical training trainees from developing countries under the CitizensCooperation Activities..
3. In addition to 1. and 2. above, if the government of Japan or JICA determines necessary in the course of technical cooperation.

Date:	Signature:
	Print Name:

**MEDICAL HISTORY AND EXAMINATION****1. Present Status**

(a) Do you currently use any drugs for the treatment of a medical condition? (Give name & dosage.)

<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes >> Name of Medication (_____), Quantity (_____)
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(b) Are you pregnant?

<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes (_____ months)
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(c) Are you allergic to any medication or food?

<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes >>>	<input type="checkbox"/> Medication	<input type="checkbox"/> Food	<input type="checkbox"/> Other:
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(d) Please indicate any needs arising from disabilities that might necessitate additional support or facilities.

(_____)
<i>Note: Disability does not lead to exclusion of persons with disability from the program. However, upon the situation, you may be directly inquired by the JICA official in charge for a more detailed account of your condition.</i>

2. Medical History

(a) Have you had any significant or serious illness? (If hospitalized, give place & dates.)

Past:	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes>>Name of illness (_____), Place & dates (_____)
Present:	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes>>Present Condition (_____)

(b) Have you ever been a patient in a mental hospital or been treated by a psychiatrist?

Past:	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes>>Name of illness (_____), Place & dates (_____)
Present:	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes>>Present Condition (_____)

(c) High blood pressure

Past:	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
Present:	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes>>Present Condition (_____) mm/Hg to (_____) mm/Hg

(d) Diabetes (sugar in the urine)

Past:	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
Present:	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes>>Present Condition (_____)
		Are you taking any medicine or insulin? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes

(e) Past History: What illness(es) have you had previously?

<input type="checkbox"/> Stomach and Intestinal Disorder	<input type="checkbox"/> Liver Disease	<input type="checkbox"/> Heart Disease	<input type="checkbox"/> Kidney Disease
<input type="checkbox"/> Tuberculosis	<input type="checkbox"/> Asthma	<input type="checkbox"/> Thyroid Problem	
<input type="checkbox"/> Infectious Disease >>> Specify name of illness (_____)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Other >>> Specify (_____)			

(e) Has this disease been cured?

<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No (Specify name of illness)
	Present Condition: (_____)

3. Other: Any restrictions on food and behavior due to health or religious reasons?

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I certify that I have read the above instructions and answered all questions truthfully and completely to the best of my knowledge.

I understand and accept that medical conditions resulting from an undisclosed pre-existing condition may not be financially compensated by JICA and may result in termination of the program.

Date:	Signature:
	Print Name: