# Tama University



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Tama University was founded in 1989 at a turning point in history for globalization and the development of information technology. With just under 2000 students studying on its two undergraduate campuses, students get individual attention from Tama faculty and staff both in and out of the classroom.

A Tama University education is based on interactive learning, where classes are small and discussion-based. In addition to well-designed core courses, students are encouraged to pursue their interests by choosing diverse elective courses to expand their intellectual horizons and prepare them for promising careers in the field of their choice. Each campus has dedicated career services staff which provide students with career guidance throughout their education.

# School of Management & Information Sciences (SMIS)

Management and information are two fields that are crucial to the modern business world. At SMIS, these are combined in an interdisciplinary approach to learning, which puts an emphasis on practical learning of both technical and international communication skills and teaches students to become creative and logical individuals. Our small size lets us focus on the students in small classes and selective seminars. At the same time, we can be aware of nuances of students' individual personalities and learning styles, helping us to encourage students to grow into confident and successful adults.

# Characteristics

### "Zemi" seminars

SMIS offers more than 24 different "zemi," or faculty-guided programs, in which students take the initiative to learn at the same time as they get real-world experience in their fields throughout the year.

### Career placement

SMIS takes pride in its record for graduates' job placement after graduation. Last year 93.8% of graduates who looked for jobs had employment at the time of graduation.

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#### Data (As of May 1, 2010)

Student body	1,452	
Student : Faculty ratio	16.5 : 1	
Male : Female	Male: 80% Female: 20%	
Average class size	10-20 students	
International students	China	





# Messages from Tama University



Masayuki Morohashi School of Management and Information Sciences Dean

Tama University does not have a long history of hosting international students, but over the past few years, that has started to change. Now both campuses are passionate about welcoming students from overseas for exchange or degree-seeking programs to further energize our classrooms and change our institution for a global future. Our small, caring university community is such that we can dedicate time and resources to making the transition to life here in Japan as seamless as possible for international students. I hope you will consider joining us.



Dr. Aigul Kulnazarova School of Global Studies Professor International Relations

In the 21st century, to be a successful man, it's necessary to have both broad knowledge about many things in different fields, and at the same time deep knowledge and skill in one area. Our three majors are part of an interdisciplinary program that helps students to think across disciplines, to move between the scales of the local and global, and to appreciate the many diverse cultures of the world. The Greek ideal of the "well-rounded man," the one who is able to link information from different areas and disciplines and create new knowledge, is at the heart of SGS education.



Janu Sauramo School of Global Studies Exchange Student Bremen University of Applied Sciences, Germany

With two other students from my university, I was one of the first exchange students at SGS. We were welcomed very warmly and right from the beginning the whole atmosphere, including students, professors and staff was very friendly and warm. The size of the campus is perfect for international students, as the whole atmosphere is more familiar and one is not lost in a huge mass of unknown faces. My experience at SGS was a fabulous once in lifetime opportunity, recommendable for every student interested in experiencing a unique, fun and challenging curricular stay in Japan.

## School of Global Studies (SGS)

SGS offers a liberal arts education in a personal setting, where small class size means that students can develop close and lasting relationships with the faculty. First year students who are not fluent in English focus on refining their language skills before moving on to their more advanced major courses. Some courses at SGS are offered in Japanese, including Japanese language for international students, in addition to some courses about Japanese culture and history or that prepare students to enter the workforce in Japan. SGS is the perfect place for international students who want to study in Japan but don't have the language skills to take a full university courseload in Japanese.

### Majors

#### Hospitality Management

For careers in travel, tourism, hotels, interpretation, translation

#### Global Business

For careers in global corporations, trade, finance, communication

#### International Development

For careers in international organizations or continuing to graduate school

#### **Data** (As of May 1, 2010)

Student body	495	
Stude nt : Faculty ratio	9:1	
Male : Female	Male: 49% Female: 51%	
Average class size	15 - 20 students	
International students	Australia, Germany, Nepal,	
	Indonesia, South Korea	

# **Application Information**

Please access the website below for more details and application forms.

#### Language Requirements

	Japanese	English	
SMIS	Level 2 on the old Japanese Language Proficiency Test	n/a	
SGS	Can use Japanese writing system and basic grammar	Japanese speakers: TOEIC 350+ Non-Japanese speakers: TOEFL 500+	

#### **Application Period**

April Admission: August through October September Admission: January through March

#### Tuition and Fees

	SMIS	SGS
Admission Fee	300,000	200,000
Tuition (per semester)	350,000	450,000
Additional Fees (1st year only)	350,000	350,000
Additional fees (from 2nd year)	280,000	280,000

# Financial aid

SGS offers students in Japan on an international student visa a 30% discount on tuition costs. Scholarships and loans are also available through outside sources.

#### JASSO Scholarship

http://www.fap.hq.unu.edu/e/eligibility.html

#### Academic Calendar

#### **Spring Semester**

Early Apr: Orientation Late Apr - Early May: Golden Week Holidays Early Aug: Final exams

> Summer Break Early Aug. - Mid-Sept.

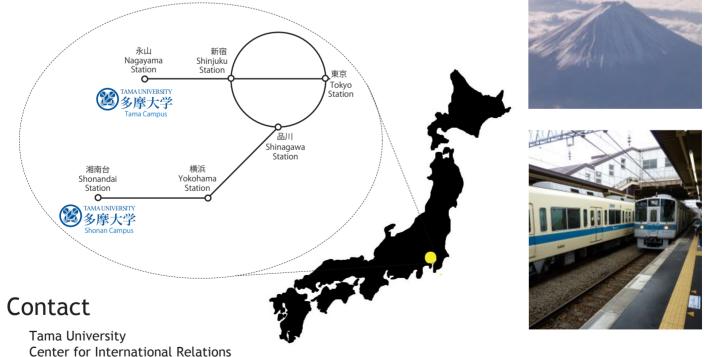
#### Fall Semester

Late Sept: Classes begin Early Nov: School Festival Late Dec - Early Jan: Winter holidays End of Jan: Final exams

#### Spring Break Early Feb. - End of March



# Location



\* It takes about 45 minutes from Shinjuku Station to Tama Campus \* It takes about 1 hour from Shinjuku Station to Shonan Campus

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