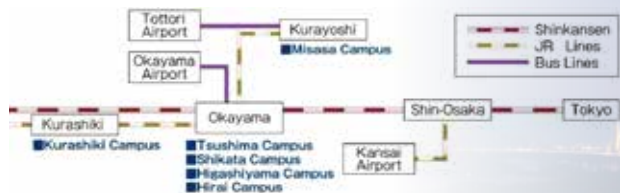


## Access



■ [https://www.okayama-u.ac.jp/eng/access\\_maps/index.html](https://www.okayama-u.ac.jp/eng/access_maps/index.html)

### From Okayama Airport

Take an Okaden or Chutetsu bus to Okayama-eki Nishiguchi (West Gate of Okayama Station) at bus stop No. 2, and get off at the terminal. Use public transportation from the station (see below).

### From Okayama Station

#### [ By bus ]

At Okayama-eki Nishiguchi (West Gate of Okayama Station), take an Okaden bus No. 47 for Okayama Rika Daigaku and get off at Okadai Nishimon.

#### [ By taxi ]

About 7 minutes from Okayama-eki Nishiguchi.



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# PROGRAM GUIDE

Master's English Program



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Okayama University

2018

## Overview

- Master's English Program starts in 2018
- Students can complete their MA degree only in English

Graduate School of Humanities and Social Sciences (GSHSS), Okayama University, is accepting Master's English Program applicants for April 2018 enrollment in all divisions of the Master's course.

This program consists of interdisciplinary courses conducted in English. Students can complete their MA degree in English, but there is also the option of doing part of the coursework in Japanese. Courses offered in the Department of Letters include anthropology, history, linguistics, literature, philosophy, and sociology, all with a focus on Japanese Studies. From other departments, courses such as law, political science, economics, and management complement the program.

The Master's English Program fosters individuals with a strong command of the English language who can apply the diverse range of interdisciplinary skills acquired through this program to current social, legal, and economic problems. To accomplish this, Japanese and international students interact with one another using English, both in and outside of the classroom. Students are encouraged to develop a research proposal by studying abroad and participating in domestic and international internship programs. To graduate from the program, a Master's thesis is to be completed on a topic of the student's choice, which should be written in English.

During the program, students are affiliated with one of the departments of our graduate school, and are supervised by one of our faculty members. Prior to submission, applicants should contact potential supervisors, and applications must include the name of the supervisor of their choice with their application.

## Application Procedure

1. Applicants wishing to be admitted to the English Master's program should obtain (via e-mail) approval from the supervisor under whom they want to work during the program. The application form should include the name of the potential supervisor. See: [https://www.okayama-u.ac.jp/user/hss/eng/For\\_Pro prospective\\_Students/Masters\\_Course.html](https://www.okayama-u.ac.jp/user/hss/eng/For_Pro prospective_Students/Masters_Course.html)  
New Staff Arrangement in Master's Course from April 2018
2. Applicants must contact the student support office of GSHSS to obtain the application form.
3. Unless you are a native speaker of English or you finished your undergraduate degree at an English-speaking institution, proof of your English-language skill must be included with your application (TOEFL-IBT, IELTS, or TOEIC test score, or other similar official document demonstrating your English language skills will be accepted).



## Professional Researcher Programs

Divisions	Professional Researcher Programs
International Society	International Languages and Cultures International Law and Politics International Comparative Economics
Japanese and Asian Culture	Japanese and Asian Literature and Culture Linguistics
Human Socio-Culture	Philosophy and History of Ideas Aesthetics and History of Art History and Archeology Field Science Psychology
Legal and Political Theory	Legal and Political Theory
Economic Theory and Policy	Economic Theory and Statistics Socio-Economic Planning and Policy Science
Management Sciences	Business Administration Accounting

Note: The English Master's program accepts applicants for all of the above divisions.

