## University Recommended Japanese Government Scholarship Procedure (From MuroranIT to MEXT)

[University Recommendation] Muroran Institute of Technology(MuroranIT) will select and recommend scholar candidates to MEXT. We will accept the scholar applicants with outstanding academic records from overseas institutions exchanging academic agreements with MuroranIT. One institution can recommend one student. We will select and recommend limited numbers of candidates (1~3) among all applicants to MEXT. The final decision will be made by MEXT.

Please note that the scholar applicant should contact one of our faculty members with his/her research background and research plan and find an academic supervisor in MuroranIT before the recommendation by home institution.

Meanwhile, the admission application is necessary and should be done by the scholar applicant. The outline of both procedures is shown below. For admission details, please visit our website. <a href="http://www.muroran-it.ac.jp/oia/en/inbound/admissions.html">http://www.muroran-it.ac.jp/oia/en/inbound/admissions.html</a>

## Schedule outline for Doctor Course applicant

At home country before coming to Japan		
November	Recruitment notice to partner institutions	
	Seek an academic supervisor in MuroranIT	
December	Scholarship application to MuroranIT by January 5th (Fri.), 2018	
January	Skype Interview, Screening by MuroranIT	
May (late)	Notification of scholarship screening result from MEXT	
June (middle)	(DC admission) Application to MuroranIT Doctor Course screening	*1
July (late)	(DC admission) Notification of DC screening result	
August-	Immigration Procedures to enter Japan	
In Japan		
September (at the end)	Arrival at Muroran	
October	(DC admission) Registration and begin DC degree program	

<sup>\*1:</sup> Refer to "Doctoral Course > Overseas applications > Enrollment in October: Doctoral course entrance examination for international students" in the above website.

## Schedule outline for Master Course applicant

At home country before coming to Japan		
November	Recruitment notice to partner institutions	
	Seek an academic supervisor in MuroranIT	
December	Scholarship application to MuroranIT by January 5th (Fri.), 2018	
January	Skype Interview, Screening by MuroranIT	
May (late)	Notification of scholarship screening result from MEXT	
July (late)	(MC admission) Application to MuroranIT Research Student	*2
	(MC admission) Application to MuroranIT Master Course screening	*3
August-	Immigration Procedures to enter Japan	
In Japan		
September (at the end)	Arrival at Muroran	
October	(MC admission) Registration as a Research student for six months	
April	(MC admission) Registration and begin MC degree program	

<sup>\*2:</sup> MC degree program begins in April only. MEXT scholarship will support for six months as research student. Refer to "Non-degree admissions > Application for Research Student

<sup>\*3:</sup> Refer to "Master Course > Overseas applications: Master's course entrance examination for international students" in the above website.