

## Keio University Education and Research Development Project

### Keio University Global Fellowship (Study Abroad Grant for Privately Financed Students) Project

The Keio University Global Fellowship (Study Abroad Grant for Privately Financed Students) project (hereinafter "this project") was launched in the 2015 academic year. In the 2019 academic year, a total of 14 students selected from a wide variety of fields, are working hard in their research activities at their host institutions (table 1).

More and more people are becoming aware of this scholarship every year, and the number of applicants is also increasing (figure 1). To ensure these opportunities are available to even more students, in the 2020 academic year, the application procedures were simplified, and in addition to traditional notifications, posters were put up and announcements were made at even more meetings. Through these activities, we have received positive responses from many students.

To further develop this project in the future, the issue of how to share the experiences and research activities of students who have studied abroad with those who will study abroad in the future, as well as with students at the affiliated schools, will need to be resolved. Furthermore, while making the active roles that students who have experienced studying abroad are playing around the world more widely known than before both on and off campus, we hope to promote this project as one of the initiatives that makes Keio's research activities highly attractive.

	Study abroad destination (institution)
1	Martin Luther University of Halle-Wittenberg
2	King's College London
3	Illinois Institute of Technology
4	University of Bonn
5	Université Toulouse
6	University of Wisconsin-Madison
7	University of California Los Angeles
8	University of Sussex
9	University of York
10	Northwestern University
11	Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health
12	University of Colorado Boulder
13	Queen Mary University of London
14	University of Waterloo

Table 1. Study abroad destination (institution) list

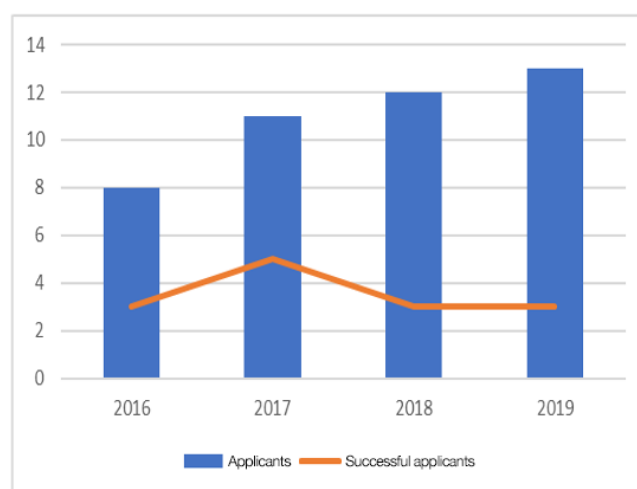


Figure 1. Changes in the number of Global Fellowship applicants and successful candidates

In the 5 years between the 2015 and the 2019 academic years, a total of 14 students studied abroad and 2 students obtained degrees (table 2).

After obtaining their master's degrees, these students are expanding the breadth of their activities through continuing to study abroad to obtain a doctoral degree, etc. There are expectations for an

increase in the number of such students in the future.

Table 2. List of degrees obtained

Academic year of adoption	Study abroad destination		Degree	
2017	University of Sussex	UK	Master of Science	Development Economics
2017	University of Wisconsin-Madison	US	Master of Science	Economics

- Reference <http://www.ic.keio.ac.jp/doc/2020fellow.pdf> (Japanese)  
<https://www.keio.ac.jp/en/news/2019/Jan/28/48-50868/>

### Projects related to the Tokyo 2020 Olympic and Paralympic Games

【AY 2016】

#### ●"Signing Ceremony with Team GB for the Tokyo 2020 Preparation Camp" Held

The British Olympic Association (BOA), Japan Olympic Committee (JOC), Yokohama City, Kawasaki City, and Keio University held a signing ceremony to conclude a cooperation agreement for the 2020 Olympic Games. Sebastian Coe, chairman of BOA, Tsunekazu Takeda, president of JOC, Fumiko Hayashi, mayor of the City of Yokohama, Norihiko Fukuda, mayor of Kawasaki City, and Atsushi Seike, president of Keio University (at the time) assembled for the ceremony, which was attended by over 20 media companies, and expressed their determination to cooperate for the success of the Tokyo Games. (March 21, 2017)

<https://www.keio.ac.jp/en/news/2017/Mar/27/48-20197/>

【AY 2017】

#### ●PR Plan (Development of Branding System)

A branding system (joint logo, etc.) to be used jointly by Yokohama City, Kawasaki City, and Keio University was created to mutually promote and build momentum toward the hosting of the preparation camps of the British national teams. Of the design companies that participated in the proposal competition in November 2017, the company that designed Keio's 150th anniversary logo was selected as the outsourcing company and the following logo was created.



The GOGB logo, for shared use by Yokohama City, Kawasaki City, and Keio University



Decorations on campus with the logo (inside the Hiyoshi Campus Collaboration Complex [Kyoseikan])

### ●Preparation of a Base for the Project (Collaboration Complex [Kyoseikan] Communication Plaza)

Preparations went ahead on the Communication Plaza on the 2nd floor of the Collaboration Complex (Kyoseikan) on Hiyoshi Campus, which was decided on as the base for this project. As this project has the potential to incorporate various educational and research activities at Keio University, the base was designed to be a space that can be freely arranged according to its use. For example, assuming that the

Communication Plaza will be used for the activities of student volunteer teams, as a hub for collaborative activities with Yokohama City, Kawasaki City, and the BOA, or as a place to share findings from the university's educational, research, and medical care activities, it will provide a spacious glassed room where the staff members and athletes of BOA and BPA as well as the students, faculty, and staff members of Keio can get together.

【AY 2018】

### ●"MOU Signing Ceremony with the British Paralympic Association for Tokyo 2020" Held

A MOU on hosting the preparation camp of the British national Paralympic team for the Tokyo 2020 Paralympic Games was concluded with the British Paralympic Association (BPA). In addition to cooperating for the preparation camp, the BPA, Yokohama City, Kawasaki City, and Keio University also plan to facilitate exchange in cultural and academic fields as well as with the regional communities. At the venue on Hiyoshi Campus, many distinguished guests were in attendance, including the athletes of the British Paralympic judo team who were also seen chatting with the students. (May 24, 2018)

<https://www.keio.ac.jp/en/news/2018/May/28/48-44213/>

### ●PR activities

Yokohama City, Kawasaki City, and Keio University jointly launched the "GOGB 2020" website (<https://gogb2020.jp/>) in support of the British national teams. The site, which is available in both English and Japanese, introduces the sports and facilities the British national teams will be using for their preparation camps as well as highlighting the appeal of the three hosts domestically and internationally. The goal is to make information useful for supporting the British national teams available, including information on the various events and those related to the British national teams (Team GB, ParalympicsGB), until the end of the Games.

<https://gogb2020.jp/en/>

### ●British Olympic Association (BOA) Team GB Preparation Camp Seminar Series Held

The British Olympic Association (BOA) and Keio University jointly hosted a seminar on the theme of "Sustaining Performance" in the Fujiwara Hiroshi Hall at the Collaboration Complex (Kyoseikan) on Hiyoshi Campus. The lecture was followed by a Q&A session with the 3 lecturers, which included Mr. Brendan Purcell, the Director of Performance of British Rowing, and there was a lively exchange

of opinions with the 140 or so participants in attendance, which included students, staff and faculty members, members associated with the Athletic Association, and Keio alumni.

This seminar is the first in a series of 6 seminars that will be hosted in turn with Yokohama City and Kawasaki City in the run-up to 2020 (October 19, 2018).

<https://www.keio.ac.jp/en/news/2018/Oct/24/48-49006/>



During the seminar hosted jointly with BOA (held on October 19, 2018)