

Traditional Yet Innovative

Keio has a tradition as Japan's first modern institution of higher learning and continues to be one of Japan's top research universities

Keio's Global Initiatives Across the Disciplines

Longevity

Initiative to realize a society where people live better, longer lives

Security

Initiative to assure a safer, more sustainable society



Creativity

Initiative to bolster innovation in education and research

Longevity

Health Science

World-leading research on health and longevity at the Center for Systems Medicine (Center of Innovation Program)

Regenerative medicine for a healthy longevity society (IPS/ES regenerative medicine)

Towards a Healthy Longevity Society

Research on population and family structures, labor conditions of older people, social security and public finance (GCOE)

Public policy research (WHO, EU, World Bank & World Economic Forum)

New Technologies for a Longevity Society

Technological reform for medical nursing care

Nano/micro technology and robotics research

Security

Risks to Security and Our Solutions Environmental Risks

Science and technology to improve the air quality in East Asia

Policy research, economic theory, empirical studies, and international projects at the grassroots level

Public health research (Community/regional medicine, etc.)

Economic Risks

Fiscal and financial research to improve market quality and infrastructure

Cyber security research & Internet governance

Geopolitical Risks

Regional security research, especially within East Asia

Rule of law research

Establishment of International LL.M. Program at Keio University Law School

Creativity

Basic Research

Next-generation communication technologies (Haptic communications)

Component measurement technologies (Human Metabolome Technologies Inc.)

New materials research (Plastic optical fibers)

Media/Expression Research

Future of interactive, social and communication media at the Keio-NUS CUTE Center

Collaboration with the world's top design schools with Keio's Global Innovation Design (GID) Program

Management Research

Advanced research into management, marketing, human resources, and value-added processes at Keio Business School, Japan's oldest internationally accredited business school

Reaching Out to the World

Extensive Network of World-leading Partners

We are always keen to grow our network of 266 leading partner institutions worldwide.

Pioneer of Double/Joint Degree Programs

We boast 23 double/joint degree programs with leading universities around the world—the most of any university in Japan—and will increase this number to 35 in ten years' time.

Keio's Education and Research Abroad

We have plans to increase our overseas research hubs from 3 (NUS CUTE Center, CNRS, and MINATEC) to 15 by 2023.

Welcoming Internationally-Minded Researchers

New Tenure Track Opportunities for Young Researchers

We offer the best young researchers from around the world a chance at tenure.

Cross Appointment Opportunities for International Research Experts

We welcome prolific academics from overseas to advise the next generation of researchers, both remotely and in person at Keio.

Recruitment of Qualified Academic Faculty who...

- Teach English-based, interdisciplinary classes which build students' research skills in our Global Interdisciplinary Courses (GIC).
- Lead the way in publishing transdisciplinary research related to Keio's research initiatives of Longevity, Security, or Creativity.

Diversifying Our Education

Doubling the International Student Population

We will more than double our international student population over the next 10 years.

Degree Programs Offered in English

Each semester more courses will become available in English at Keio. Students from across the globe come together to learn in our ever-expanding degree programs offered in English.

Short Programs in Tokyo & Yokohama

We are increasing the number of intensive short-term programs available for students to experience Japan and get a taste of Keio student life.

Bolstering Our Research

Firm Ties with Industry

We are 9th in the world for alumni CEOs in the Fortune 500. Our ties with industry have made us one of the top universities in Japan for commissioned research, which we will double in ten years' time.

Creating and Protecting Intellectual Property

Keio's innovation and IP creation has long been lauded by industry. We now have plans to double patent acquisitions in our ten-year plan.

Sharing the Wealth

We believe that joint research is crucial to growing internationally. Keio now has more opportunities than ever before to collaborate across borders with new and growing schemes for joint research under our Global Initiatives.

Better University Governance — at the Heart of Keio's Global Initiatives

Strong Presidential Leadership

Strategic Global Advisory Council

Employment Reform to Exceed International Standards