

Complete list of regional collaborations (by prefecture; as of September 30, 2026)

Prefecture	Collaborating organizations, etc	Date of conclusion	Comprehensive (general) collaboration	Department	Details of the collaboration stated in the agreement	Related Links
Hokkaido	Hokkaido Higashikawa Town	June 21, 2018	○	Keio Research Institute at SFC	Collaboration aimed at promoting the creation and implementation of social systems that will globally lead the future by cooperating in research and development.	https://www.keio.ac.jp/files/f8c1a80630302c827b0cefcafb7522ba1e0ec79301618b04a2e9482431b7564 https://bookmeter.com/books/10643665 https://www.keio.ac.jp/ja/about/engagement/society/social/25001
Iwate Prefecture	Iwate Prefecture Hanamaki City	July 9, 2018	○	Keio Research Institute at SFC	Collaboration aimed at contributing to the formation of a regional community full of vitality, development of human resources that will lead the future society, promotion of practical learning (jitsugaku), etc., by carrying out research and development on regional revitalization.	https://www.kri.sfc.keio.ac.jp/ja/news/2018-07-05-press/ https://www.keio.ac.jp/ja/about/engagement/society/social/25003
Iwate Prefecture	Iwate Prefecture Kamaishi City	August 21, 2017	○	Faculty of Policy Management, Faculty of Environment and Information Studies, Graduate School of Media and Governance, Keio Research Institute at SFC	Collaboration that aims to contribute to the development of human resources that will lead the future society, the formation of regional communities full of vitality, and the promotion of practical science (jitsugaku).	https://si.sfc.keio.ac.jp/si-researcher/news/010/20170818pressrelease.pdf https://www.keio.ac.jp/ja/about/engagement/society/social/25002
Miyagi Prefecture	Miyagi Prefecture Town of Minamisanriku	March 31, 2021	○	University-wide	A partnership agreement aimed at contributing to the enhancement and mutual development of local communities, educational opportunities, and research, by focusing on working together to make use of local forests, natural resources, and cultural assets.	https://www.keio.ac.jp/ja/news/20210406-3/
Akita Prefecture	Akita Prefecture Noshiro City	January 23, 2018	○	Keio Research Institute at SFC	Collaboration aimed at developing human resources that will shoulder regional revitalization and social innovation.	https://si.sfc.keio.ac.jp/si-researcher/news/025/20180119pressrelease.pdf
Yamagata Prefecture	Yamagata Prefecture Yamagata Prefecture Tsuruoka City	May 7, 2019	○	Keio Research Institute at SFC	Collaboration aimed at contributing to the formation of a regional society full of vitality, the development of human resources that will lead future societies, and the promotion of practical learning (jitsugaku).	https://www.keio.ac.jp/ja/about/engagement/society/social/25006
Yamagata Prefecture	Yamagata Prefecture and Yamagata Prefecture Tsuruoka City	March 19, 1999	○	University-wide	Based on the outcomes of research and educational activities to date at the Institute for Advanced Biosciences, Keio University (Yamagata Prefecture Tsuruoka City), and with the aim of further revitalizing the region, the expansion of research and educational activities for the formation of a global bioresearch center with the institute at its core as well as initiatives to revitalize the region are promoted. 5th term (AY 2019–2023).	https://www.pref.yamagata.jp/110002/sangyo/giutsu/kenkyu/4th%20keiou-kyoutei.html https://www.keio.ac.jp/ja/about/engagement/society/social/25005
Fukushima Prefecture	Fukushima Prefecture Town of Bandai	April 20, 2021	—	Keio Research Institute at SFC	To carry out collaborative research and development in the Town of Bandai and the Aizu area that will spread to the rest of the world for its future-oriented promotion of creating optimal individual and collaborative learning environments.	https://www.kri.sfc.keio.ac.jp/ja/news/bandaimachi/

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Fukushima Prefecture	Fukushima Prefecture Tamura City	December 21, 2016	○	Faculty of Policy Management, Faculty of Environment and Information Studies, Graduate School of Media and Governance, Keio Research Institute at SFC	The purpose of this agreement is to appropriately address regional challenges, contribute to the creation of vibrant communities, and promote practical learning through mutual cooperation in the utilization of advanced technologies, including drones and artificial intelligence (AI).	https://www.kri.sfc.keio.ac.jp/ja/press_file/201612_12_tamura.pdf https://www.keio.ac.jp/ja/about/engagement/society/social/25007
Tochigi Prefecture	Kanuma City, Tochigi Prefecture	September 1, 2025	○	Graduate School of Health Management	The purpose of this agreement is to contribute to the realization of a vibrant and sustainable Kanuma City (Tochigi Prefecture) while also leveraging specialized knowledge on promoting physical activity and contributing to multidisciplinary collaboration in Japan.	https://www.shimotsuke.co.jp/articles/-/1184946 https://www.keio.ac.jp/ja/about/engagement/society/social/25052
Saitama Prefecture	Saitama Prefecture Hanno City	July 16, 2015	○	Graduate School of System Design and Management	Under the “Gokinjo Innovation School” project, in AY 2019, the conducting of practical research on methods for creating local communities through the operation of Shiba-no-ie and Gokinjo Innovation Lab Shimbashi (Minato Ward Shiba District regional project “Connecting regions! A project for creating places for exchange” project base) was continued. Additionally, the human resources development course “Gokinjo Innovator Training Course” was held for the 7th time, and 22 people, mainly those living or working in the Shiba district, took part. Collaborations among the projects have generated many personnel rotations, such as the students taking or those who have completed courses becoming involved with the bases or the regional activities in their neighborhood. (There is commissioned research being carried out under comprehensive collaborations [see separate contract]. Furthermore, this research is still underway in AY 2020.)	http://www.sdm.keio.ac.jp/2015/07/17-104208.html
Tokyo Prefecture	Tokyo Prefecture Minato Ward	October 4, 2008	○	University-wide	The aim is to contribute to the development of local communities, education, and research by making use of mutual resources and collaborating and cooperating with each other.	https://www.keio.ac.jp/ja/about/engagement/society/social/25010
Tokyo Prefecture	Tokyo Prefecture Minato Ward Shiba Regional City Office	August 1, 2008	—	University-wide	Under the “Gokinjo Innovation School” project, in AY 2019, the conducting of practical research on methods for creating local communities through the operation of Shiba-no-ie and Gokinjo Innovation Lab Shimbashi (Minato Ward Shiba District regional project “Connecting regions! A project for creating places for exchange” project base) was continued. Additionally, the human resources development course “Gokinjo Innovator Training Course” was held for the 7th time, and 22 people, mainly those living or working in the Shiba district, took part. Collaborations among the projects have generated many personnel rotations, such as the students taking or those who have completed courses becoming involved with the bases or the regional activities in their neighborhood. (There is commissioned research being carried out under comprehensive collaborations [see separate contract]. Furthermore, this research is still underway in AY 2020.)	https://gokinjo-i.jp/shibanoie/ https://www.keio.ac.jp/ja/about/engagement/society/social/25010
Tokyo Prefecture	Tokyo Prefecture Shinagawa Ward	March 28, 2025	—	Faculty of Environment and Information Studies	The purpose of this project is to create a vibrant neighborhood around Oimachi Station, improve pedestrian traffic flow, and revitalize the community in order to make the area appealing to a diverse range of people, including residents, visitors, parents, and the elderly.	https://www.city.shinagawa.tokyo.jp/PC/press_release/press_release-2025/20250326101138.html https://www.keio.ac.jp/ja/about/engagement/society/social/25054

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Tokyo Prefecture	Tokyo Prefecture Toshima Ward	July 17, 2025	—	Faculty of Environment and Information Studies	The purpose of this agreement is to promote academic development while working toward the realization of “a community that values the welfare of its members, where people can remain healthy throughout their lives and live together in harmony” as well as “a community where it is easy to raise children and where children and young people can grow and develop in their own way.”	https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/about/engagement/society/social/25056
Kanagawa Prefecture	Kanagawa Prefecture Kawasaki City	November 14, 2009	○	University-wide	Furthermore, in collaboration with Kawasaki City, various events, including “open seminars” and “business exchange meetings” for citizens, local companies, etc. (held ○ times in AY 2019), as well as the “fun day playing with science” for children were held to widely introduce research achievements, to provide opportunities for learning science and technology, and to provide a place to experience the fun.	https://www.city.kawasaki.jp/280/page/0000157350.html https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/about/engagement/society/social/25012
Kanagawa Prefecture	Kanagawa Prefecture Kawasaki City	April 11, 2016	○	University-wide	The Keio University Tonomachi Town Campus, which opened in the Tonomachi district (King Skyfront) of Kawasaki City Kawasaki Ward in April 2016, established the Wellbeing Research Center as a core center for the Japan Science and Technology Agency's (JST) Research Complex Program (AY 2015 to AY 2019). The campus is involved in the promotion of integrated research through industry-academia-public collaboration centered on production bases in 4 areas (intelligent drug discovery, quality assessment of regenerative and cellular medicine, data and information infrastructure PeOPLe, medical devices and robotics), lectures open to the public, innovation schools, and the continuous development of innovation ecosystem leaders, from children to working adults, such as through the junior doctor development academy. With Keio University at its core, this project was jointly proposed by the 4 local governments of Kawasaki City, Kanagawa Prefecture, the City of Yokohama, and Tokyo Prefecture Ota Ward; universities and research institutions (Kanagawa Institute of Industrial Science and Technology, the University of Tokyo, Tokyo Institute of Technology, Yokohama City University); and corporations (FUJIFILM Corporation, CYBERDYNE Inc.). It is conducting joint research with various institutions, including those around the Tonomachi district, and is contributing to the growth and development of the Tonomachi King Skyfront area.	https://www.tonomachi-wb.jp/news/2016/160418s.html https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/about/engagement/society/social/25013
Kanagawa Prefecture	Kanagawa Prefecture Kawasaki City	August 30, 2023	—	University-wide	Mutual cooperation towards the update of functions, etc. to further grow and develop the Shin-Kawasaki Forest of Creation into a base for the promotion of science and technology, and the creation of new industries that will drive Japan's future growth.	https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/news/20230901-1/ https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/about/engagement/society/social/25012
Kanagawa Prefecture	Kanagawa Prefecture ／ Kanagawa Institute of Industrial Science and Technology ／ K.K.DNAFORM	June 14, 2023	—	Keio Frontier Research and Education Collaborative Square	Project aimed at accelerating research and commercialization towards the social implementation of spinal cord regeneration therapy through industry-academia-public collaboration	
Kanagawa Prefecture	Kanagawa Prefecture ／ Kanagawa Institute of Industrial Science and Technology ／ Cyfuse Biomedical K.K. ／ Fujita Health University	March 19, 2024	—	Keio Frontier Research and Education Collaborative Square	Project aimed at accelerating research and commercialization towards the social implementation of Osteochondral regenerative medicine through industry-academia-public collaboration	

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Kanagawa Prefecture	City of Yokohama	April 1, 2025	—	Keio Leading-edge Laboratory of Science and Technology	The goal of this collaboration is to address the administrative issues of (1) disaster information not reaching every resident and (2) such information not being translated into action even among those who receive it. This initiative also seeks to swiftly embody and implement Yokohama City's Disaster Prevention DX initiatives in the TSST field.	https://tsunashimasst.com/news/%E6%A8%AA%E6%B5%9C%E5%B8%82%E3%80%81%E6%85%B6%E6%87%89%E7%BE%A9%E5%A1%BE%E5%A4%A7%E5%AD%A6%E3%81%A8%E3%81%AE%E7%94%A3%E5%AE%98%E5%AD%A6%E9%80%A3%E6%90%BA%E3%83%97%E3%83%AD%E3%82%B8%E3%82%A7%E3%82%AF https://www.keio.ac.jp/ja/about/engagement/society/social/25048
Kanagawa Prefecture	Kanagawa Prefecture City of Yokohama Kohoku Ward	June 1, 2017	—	Graduate School of System Design and Management	1) For the Graduate School of System Design and Management lecture "System design and management training," the students, while learning among other things about the approaches, processes, and methods of system design, formed groups of roughly 5 members each and proposed and demonstrated concrete systems on the theme of "System design for revitalizing Minamihiyoshi shopping district." Each team, which consisted of a majority of working students along with new graduates with no work experience, identified issues for the Minamihiyoshi shopping district through open data, observations, interviews, etc., before realizing their own unique system designs and prototypes and demonstrating their effectiveness. Some teams are still continuing to collaborate. 2) In addition, at the Hiyoshidai Elementary School, video data and location information data using GPS for tag rugby and running were shown to students to help them discuss and understand the good and bad movements of themselves and others and how they can improve their performances, with the aim of increasing both interest and ability in sports using sports data. As a result, interest and ability in sports increased among many elementary school students. With full cooperation from the Athletic Association Rugby Football Club, it has become possible to provide more specialized advice and acquire and analyze more technical data, and the research findings are being used for the activities of the Keio Kids Performance Academy, which is held every Monday and Saturday evenings at the Shimoda rugby ground.	http://www.sdm.keio.ac.jp/2017/06/08-182454.html https://www.keio.ac.jp/ja/about/engagement/society/social/25014
Kanagawa Prefecture	City of Yokohama	December 26, 2025	—	Keio Leading-edge Laboratory of Science and Technology	Memorandum of understanding on implementing the "Research Study on Promoting and Raising Awareness of Decarbonization Efforts"	https://www.city.yokohama.lg.jp/city-info/kohokocho/press/minami/2025/1226datsutanso.html https://www.keio.ac.jp/ja/about/engagement/society/social/25055
Kanagawa Prefecture	Kanagawa Prefecture Kawasaki City	April 1, 2026	—	Keio Frontier Research and Education Collaborative Square	The purpose of this memorandum is to establish the respective roles of the parties, confidentiality requirements, allocation of costs, and other necessary matters in order to facilitate the smooth and effective implementation of the "The Kawasaki Aging and Wellbeing Project (KAWP)."	https://www.keio-centenarian.com/research/kawp
Niigata Prefecture	Niigata Prefecture Sanjo City	August 9, 2017	○	Faculty of Policy Management, Faculty of Environment and Information Studies, Graduate School of Media and Governance, Keio Research Institute at SFC	Collaboration that aims to contribute to the formation of a regional society full of vitality, the development of human resources that will lead future societies, and the promotion of practical learning (jitsugaku).	https://www.kri.sfc.keio.ac.jp/ja/wp/wp-content/uploads/2024/07/SANJO_JICA_SFC.pdf https://www.keio.ac.jp/ja/about/engagement/society/social/25017

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Toyama Prefecture	Toyama Prefecture Himi City, Kagoshima Prefecture Nagashima Town	August 3, 2015	○	Keio Research Institute at SFC	Collaboration aimed at contributing to regional revitalization by supporting the activities all around the world of the citizens and townspeople of places associated with the yellowtail fish, as well as their further activities upon returning to the region.	https://www.kri.sfc.keio.ac.jp/ia/press_file/20161222_buri.pdf https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/about/engagement/society/social/25018
Ishikawa Prefecture	Ishikawa Prefecture Komatsu City	September 14, 2026	—	Graduate School of System Design and Management	This initiative aims to promote local industry through the creation of new sectors, including space startups, while developing high-level human resources through advanced educational programs capable of supporting these efforts.	https://www.city.komatsu.lg.jp/soshiki/1018/shoukoushinkou_monodukuri/19067.html
Fukui Prefecture	Fukui Prefecture Sabae City, Sabae Chamber of Commerce and Industry	July 4, 2017	○	Graduate School of Media Design	Together with Sabae City, the Sabae Chamber of Commerce and Industry, and Echizen Lacquerware Cooperative, activities under the theme of “tradition and innovation” are underway. Through branding that takes advantage of the beautiful blackness of “Echizen Lacquer” and the development of collaborative products with household goods, support is being provided to young people to obtain new skills and new sales channels are being developed. Furthermore, the building of regional business models that anticipate the arrival of a circular economy are being planned, such as the development of materials with low environmental impact including paint and resin, business modelling based on reuse through “repair (repainting),” and the use of robots.	https://chiki-mirai.localinfo.jp/#:~:text=%E3%83%97%E3%83%AD%E3%82%B8%E3%82%A7%E3%82%AF%E3%83%88%E3%81%AE%E7%89%B9%E5%BE%B4%E3%82%82%E7%89%B9%E9%9B%86%E3%81%95%E3%82%8C%E3%81%A6%E3%81%84%E3%81%BE%E3%81%99%E3%80%82 https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/about/engagement/society/social/25019
Yamanashi Prefecture	Yamanashi Prefecture, Yamanashi Prefecture Fujiyoshida City	December 4, 2007	○	University-wide	With the goal of leading the future from the site based on the forest culture at the northern foot of Mount Fuji, we are aiming to fully exert the strengths of each person and cooperate with one another to create new values through innovation, and to develop communities and nurture human resources capable of contributing to the global community in agreement with these values.	https://www.city.fujiyoshida.yamanashi.jp/page/1388.html https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/about/engagement/society/social/25020
Yamanashi Prefecture	Yamanashi Prefecture, Yamanashi Prefecture Hokuto City	July 14, 2024	○	Graduate School of System Design and Management	This collaboration aims to advance innovations in the co-creation of a carbon-neutral and healthy future society in order to accelerate efforts towards a “sustainable city where all citizens can enjoy prosperity and happiness.”	https://yamagata.sdm.keio.ac.jp/project/hokuto/ https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/about/engagement/society/social/25049
Shizuoka Prefecture	Shizuoka Prefecture	December 16, 2010	—	University-wide	A meeting to exchange opinions on the Pharma Valley project was held on December 17, 2019, and Keio University was represented as a partner institution by Professor Koji Miura of the School of Medicine Clinical and Translational Research Center and Professor Yuko Takeda, dean of the Faculty of Nursing and Medical Care. The meeting began with an explanation of the current status of the project by Ken Yamaguchi, the president of the Shizuoka Cancer Center, and Professor Miura gave advice on reinforcing regional strengths to support health and longevity. Subsequently, opinions were exchanged on future projects.	http://www.fuji-pvc.jp/project/ https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/about/engagement/society/social/25021

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Shizuoka Prefecture	Shizuoka Prefecture	April 18, 2017	—	University-wide	Using IT, the cultivation technique of “melons,” the representative agricultural product of the prefecture, was “visualized,” and a system that allows students at agricultural high schools to understand and learn cultivation techniques at an early stage was built and introduced.	https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/about/engagement/society/social/25022
Osaka Prefecture	Osaka Prefecture Sakai City	June 3, 2026	—	Keio Frontier Research & Education Collaborative Square at Shin-Kawasaki	The purpose of this agreement is to obtain insights that contribute toward increasing the added value of renewable energy and realizing the real-world application of “local production for local consumption,” with the “Sakai Energy Local Production and Consumption Project” as the site for the initiative.	https://www.k2.keio.ac.jp/press/press20260603.html
Hyogo Prefecture	the National Strategic Special Zone of Yabu City	August 10, 2022	○	Graduate School of System Design and Management	Partnership agreement on Cooperation between Keio University Graduate Schools and Yabu City	
Tottori Prefecture	Tottori Prefecture Chizu Town	November 17, 2019	○	Keio Research Institute at SFC	Collaboration aimed at contributing to the formation of a regional community full of vitality, development of human resources that will lead the future society, promotion of practical learning (jitsugaku), etc., by carrying out research and development on regional revitalization.	https://www.kri.sfc.keio.ac.jp/ia/news/chizucooperation/20191031/ https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/about/engagement/society/social/25025
Tottori Prefecture	Tottori Prefecture Daisen Town	November 24, 2017	○	Keio Research Institute at SFC	Collaboration that aims to contribute to the formation of a regional society full of vitality, the development of human resources that will lead future societies, and the promotion of practical learning (jitsugaku).	https://si.sfc.keio.ac.jp/si-researcher/news/021/20171122pressrelease.pdf
Hiroshima Prefecture	Hiroshima Prefecture Jinsekikogen Town	August 1, 2017	○	Faculty of Policy Management, Faculty of Environment and Information Studies, Graduate School of Media and Governance, Keio Research Institute at SFC	Collaboration that aims to contribute to the development of human resources that will lead the future society, the formation of regional communities full of vitality, and the promotion of practical science (jitsugaku).	https://si.sfc.keio.ac.jp/si-researcher/news/008/20170727pressrelease.pdf
Yamaguchi Prefecture	Shimonoseki City, Karato Shopping Street Cooperative, Cocoharete Corporation and YMFG Zone Planning Corporation	May 20, 2022	—	Graduate School of Media Design (KMD)	The aim of this program is to further revitalize the region by creating new value and attractive construction projects using local resources, realizing a fulfilling lifestyle in the countryside, fostering an enterprising spirit, and promoting community development that encourages people to take on challenges.	https://www.city.shimonoseki.lg.jp/site/mavor/72466.html https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/about/engagement/society/social/25044
Yamaguchi Prefecture	Yamaguchi Prefecture Mine City	September 8, 2025	○	Keio Research Institute at SFC	Partnership Agreement on Cooperation between Mine City and Keio SFC Research Institute	https://yama.minato-yamaguchi.co.jp/e-yama/articles/94661 https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/about/engagement/society/social/25043

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Tokushima Prefecture	Kaiyo Town, Kaifu District, Tokushima Prefecture	February 11, 2025	○	Graduate School of Media Design	To address issues faced by depopulated areas such as the declining birthrate, aging population, and shrinking communities, this agreement aims to create a sustainable future for those areas by advancing cooperation in the fields of media, education, and communication design.	https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/press-release/20250212-2/ https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/about/engagement/society/social/25053
Fukuoka Prefecture	Fukuoka Prefecture Tachiarai City	June 10, 2021	○	Keio Research Institute at SFC	To contribute to the development of local communities, promotion of practical studies, personnel development, etc.	https://www.kri.sfc.keio.ac.jp/ia/news/20210604_tachiaraimachi/ https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/about/engagement/society/social/25038
Saga Prefecture	City of Tosu, Saga Prefecture	May 30, 2024	—	Graduate School of Media Design	This agreement aims to realize a decarbonized society while advancing sustainable regional development, as well as promote initiatives that contribute to decarbonization efforts that leverage the local qualities of Tosu City.	https://www.city.tosu.lg.jp/site/zerocarbon/80989.html https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/about/engagement/society/social/25051
Nagasaki Prefecture	Nagasaki Prefecture Iki City	October 1, 2019	○	Keio Research Institute at SFC	Collaboration aimed at contributing to the formation of a regional society full of vitality, the development of human resources that will lead future societies, and the promotion of practical learning (jitsugaku).	https://www.kri.sfc.keio.ac.jp/ia/news/ikicooperation20190926/ https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/about/engagement/society/social/25027
Nagasaki Prefecture	Nagasaki Prefecture	April 10, 2009	○	University-wide	While responding appropriately to regional issues through mutual collaboration and cooperation and aiming to contribute to the formation of regions full of vitality and the promotion of practical learning (jitsugaku), collaborations and cooperation will be forged to promote research and educational activities as well as for regional development.	https://www.iukushin.com/archives/2980 https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/about/engagement/society/social/25027
Nagasaki Prefecture	Nagasaki Prefecture Tsushima City, Tsushima agricultural cooperative, Tsushima Local Promotion Association	April 30, 2016	○	Keio Research Institute at SFC	Collaboration aimed at regional revitalization through the use of local resources, research and educational activities for regional development, etc.	https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/about/engagement/society/social/25028
Kumamoto Prefecture	Kumamoto Prefecture Minamata City	February 23, 2015	○	Faculty of Policy Management, Faculty of Environment and Information Studies, Graduate School of Media and Governance	Collaboration for the promotion of “knowledge” partnerships, creation of new values, and development of cities and educational and research activities.	https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/sfc-pem/news/20150226-1/
Kumamoto Prefecture	Kumamoto Prefecture Minami-Aso Village, Kumamoto Prefecture Livestock Agricultural Cooperatives	July 12, 2022	—	Graduate School of System Design and Management	Mutual Partnership and Cooperation Agreement on Agriculture, the Livestock Industry, and Environmental Conservation in Aso	https://www.vill.minamiaso.lg.jp/kii0031985/index.html

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	Association					https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/about/engagement/society/social/25046
Oita Prefecture	Oita Prefecture Nakatsu City	April 16, 2008	○	University-wide	Nakatsu City, Oita Prefecture, is the town where Yukichi Fukuzawa grew up. He contributed to his hometown throughout his life by the establishing the "Nakatsu-shigakkō", environmental efforts to preserve the landscape surrounding the Yabakei Gorge, and other personal initiatives. With the 2019 opening of the "Shin-Nakatsu-shigakkō", a joint research institute between Keio University and Nakatsu City, our goal is to strengthen cooperation between the organizations and—in addition to our previous pledge to promote personal and community development—we aim to promote joint research, learning exchanges, and community participation.	https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/news/20210426-4/ https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/about/engagement/society/social/25030
Miyazaki Prefecture	Miyazaki Prefecture Nobeoka City	December 27, 2021	○	SDM Institute, Graduate School of System Design and Management	Revitalization of Nobeoka City cooperated with SDM Research Institute	http://www.sdm.keio.ac.jp/2022/01/14-092552.html https://www.city.nobeoka.miyazaki.jp/site/kigyoric/hi/13388.html https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/about/engagement/society/social/25039
Kagoshima Prefecture	Kagoshima Prefecture Osaki Town, Hokkaido Higashikawa Town	November 27, 2018	○	Keio Research Institute at SFC	Conducting research, development, and the promotion of the "recycling international students project" and collaborating to promote the construction of a social system and human resources development that will lead Japan and the world.	https://www.sfc.keio.ac.jp/doc/20181127_SDGs.pdf https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/about/engagement/society/social/25033
Kagoshima Prefecture	Kagoshima Prefecture Osaki Town, Kagoshima Sougo Shinyoukinko	April 10, 2018	○	Keio Research Institute at SFC	Collaboration to carry out research and development that contributes to the formation of social systems and the development of human resources to lead the future, and the promotion thereof.	https://www.kri.sfc.keio.ac.jp/ia/press_file/20180410_osaki.pdf https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/about/engagement/society/social/25034
Kagoshima Prefecture	Kagoshima Prefecture Nagashima Town	February 13, 2017	○	Faculty of Policy Management, Faculty of Environment and Information Studies, Graduate School of Media and Governance, Keio Research Institute at SFC	Collaboration for the purpose of contributing to the development of human resources that will lead the future society, the formation of regional communities full of vitality, and the promotion of practical science (jitsugaku).	https://si.sfc.keio.ac.jp/si-researcher/news/001/20170213_nagashima.pdf https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/about/engagement/society/social/25032
Okinawa Prefecture	Okinawa Prefecture Kunigami Village, Kunigami Village Chamber of Commerce	July 12, 2021	○	Graduate School of Media Design (KMD)	To cooperate and support each other in fields such as industry, academia, regional development, education, and culture in order to promote mutual development and create a prosperous future for the region.	https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/press-release/20210827-1/ https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/about/engagement/society/social/25042

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Kanagawa Prefecture	Odakyu Electric Railway Co., Ltd., Kanagawa Chuo Kotsu Co., Ltd.	December 18, 2017	○	University-wide	Through mutual cooperation, the aim is to actively make efforts to solve social issues and sustainably develop together with the region and society.	https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/press-release/20180518-2/ https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/about/engagement/society/social/25016
Kanagawa Prefecture	Kanagawa Institute of Industrial Science and Technology	June 18, 2019	○	Keio Frontier Research and Education Collaborative Square	The Kanagawa Institute of Industrial Science and Technology and the Keio Frontier Research and Education Collaborative Square at Tonomachi will deepen mutual understanding and friendship, cooperate to promote the development of science and technology, and work to promote industry-academia-government collaboration activities that integrate the different areas of advanced fields.	
Kanagawa Prefecture	Kawasaki Institute of Industrial Promotion, The Bank of Yokohama, Ltd.	November 1, 2019	—	Keio Frontier Research and Education Collaborative Square	In order to contribute to the sustainable growth and revitalization of the regional economy centered on Kawasaki City through the social implementation of research seeds, the 3 parties will make use of mutual resources and networks and collaborate and cooperate in a wide range of fields with the aim of making contributions toward solutions for various issues.	https://ssl4.eir-parts.net/doc/8332/ir_material10/129399/00.pdf
Kanagawa Prefecture	Kanagawa University of Human Services	October 1, 2019	—	Keio Frontier Research and Education Collaborative Square (K-FRECS)	Cooperation agreement aimed at deepening mutual understanding and friendship as well as promoting the development of collaborative science and technology.	
Kagoshima Prefecture	Kagoshima Sougo Shinyoukinko	August 23, 2017	○	Keio Research Institute at SFC	Collaboration aimed at contributing to the formation of a regional community full of vitality, development of human resources that will lead the future society, promotion of practical learning (jitsugaku), etc., by carrying out research and development on regional revitalization.	https://si.sfc.keio.ac.jp/si-researcher/news/011/ https://www.keio.ac.jp/ia/about/engagement/society/social/25031
Other	Sompo Japan Insurance Inc.	March 8, 2018	○	Institute for Advanced Biosciences, director	A comprehensive collaboration aimed at making contributions to the region and society by establishing the “Sompo Japan Nipponkoa Business Lab Tsuruoka” and carrying out surveys and research, promoting social implementation, and developing human resources in order to solve social issues such as extending healthy life expectancy through the use of advanced science and technology.	
Other	The Dai-ichi Life Insurance Company, Limited	August 30, 2018	○	Institute for Advanced Biosciences, director	Comprehensive collaboration aimed at making contributions to solve social issues and develop regional communities through the use of advanced science and technology.	
Other	Meiji Yasuda Life Insurance Company	January 11, 2019	○	Institute for Advanced Biosciences, director	Comprehensive collaboration aimed at contributing to solving social issues and developing regional communities through the use of advanced science and technology in the area of health promotion.	
Other	BIPROGY Inc.	September 27, 2019	○	Institute for Advanced Biosciences, director	Comprehensive collaboration aimed at making contributions to solve social issues and develop regional communities through the use of advanced science and technology.	
Other	SMBC Nikko Securities	February 25, 2021	○	Director of the Institute for Advanced Biosciences	Comprehensive cooperation aimed at solving social issues and contributing to the development of local communities by utilizing cutting-edge science and technology.	https://www.smbcnikko.co.jp/news/release/2021/pdf/210225_01.pdf
Other	National Cancer Center, Yamagata Prefecture, and Tsuruoka City	July 7, 2021	—	University-wide	To promote local innovation and regional revitalization by establishing a cancer metabolome research base.	https://www.iab.keio.ac.jp/news-events/2021/07071705.html

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Other	Sumitomo Mitsui Trust Bank, Limited	March 2, 2022	○	Institute for Advanced Biosciences, director	Comprehensive Partnership Agreement between Keio University Institute for Advanced Biosciences and Sumitomo Mitsui Trust Bank, Limited	
Other	Shiseido Company, Limited	June 21, 2022	○	Institute for Advanced Biosciences, director	Comprehensive Partnership Agreement on Creation of Beauty Innovation and Development of Human Resources between Keio University Institute for Advanced Biosciences (IAB) and Shiseido Company	https://www.iab.keio.ac.jp/news-events/2022/06211540.html
Other	Hakuhodo DY Holdings Inc.	April 11, 2024	○	Institute for Advanced Biosciences, director	By solving regional issues, making social innovations, and cultivating professional leaders of innovation, this agreement intends to jointly build synergy between bio-ventures and creative marketing to create new values for consumers.	https://www.iab.keio.ac.jp/news-events/2024/04111134.html
Tokyo, Kanagawa Prefecture	FUJITA ACADEMY	February 1, 2023	—	Keio Frontier Research and Education Collaborative Square	A partnership agreement to promote cooperation and collaboration for the development of personnel in pharmacometrics, a field contributing to the drug approval process	https://www.tonomachi.keio.ac.jp/ia/files/2023/2/1/20230201%E3%83%95%E3%82%9A%E3%83%AC%E3%82%B9%E3%83%AA%E3%83%AA%E3%83%BC%E3%82%B9%E8%97%A4%E7%94%B0%E5%AD%A6%E5%9C%92%E3%83%BB%E6%85%B6%E6%87%89%E7%BE%A9%E5%A1%BE%E3%81%A8%E3%81%AE%E9%80%A3%E6%90%BA%E5%8D%94%E5%AE%9A.pdf
Other	TAKARA BIO INC.	April 10, 2025	○	Institute for Advanced Biosciences, director	This agreement aims to develop professionals with combined skills in gene analysis (genomics) and metabolite analysis (metabolomics), and by collaborating with local areas, to actualize a virtual “omics” structure using informatics technology.	https://www.iab.keio.ac.jp/news-events/2025/04101148.html
Other	Our Lady of the Snow Social Medical Corporation	December 8, 2025	—	Keio Frontier Research and Education Collaborative Square	This agreement aims to promote comprehensive and close collaboration in the fields of clinical practice, education, research, innovation, and social contribution activities. The collaboration includes, but is not limited to, the exchange of students, faculty and staff, remote lectures, shared use of facilities and equipment, and contributions to local and international communities, with the goals of enriching clinical, educational, and research activities, improving the quality of education, fostering human resource development, enhancing the capabilities of faculty and staff, and advancing inter-organizational exchange.	