

2021 DATEntre Tohoku Innovation Human Resources Development Program  
9th Semester Students (October Entrants)  
Student Application Requirements

1. Purpose

This program aspires to achieve high-level, innovative, and work-ready human resources through the study of business Japanese, training in career development and problem solving, and internships. We also seek to aid the Japanese proficiency of international students and their understanding of Japan's work culture. We support outstanding international students from Tohoku Gakuin University, Tohoku Industrial University, Miyagi Gakuin Women's University, Tohoku fukushi University, Miyagi University, National Institute of Technology Sendai College, and Tohoku University who seek employment at Japanese companies in the Tohoku region and across Japan.

2. Program Features and Number of Positions

(1) Features

DATEntre program include thorough Japanese educational programs on business Japanese, adjusted to each student's command of Japanese, as well as participation in PBL (problem-based learning) Coeducation Projects with Japanese students and internships with corporations in Miyagi Prefecture.

(2) Number of Positions: 30 members

3. Qualifications

(1) You must be a bachelor or graduate student of one of the universities that are a part of the Tohoku Innovation Human Resource Development Consortium (Tohoku Gakuin University, Tohoku Industrial University, Tohoku University, Miyagi Gakuin Women's University, and Tohoku Fukushi University), including students that will enter one of the aforementioned schools from April of 2021.

(2) You received a score of 65 or higher on the online Japanese proficiency test, SPOT90 (Simple Performance-Oriented Test Ver. 90). Applicants must take the test set "SPOT90 + Grammar90 + Kanji50" in advance. See <http://ttbj1.cegloc.tsukuba.ac.jp/apply/agree/>

(3) You are able to actively participate in this program.

(4) You wish to find employment in Japan after finishing this program.

4. Application Period

17:00 Friday, September 24th, 2021

5. Application Process

Download and fill out the application form posted on the Tohoku Innovation Human Resources Development Program website. Send it to the Office for DATEntre along with the other paperwork mentioned below within the application period by email.

(1) Submit to [datentre@grp.tohoku.ac.jp](mailto:datentre@grp.tohoku.ac.jp)

Make the email subject the following: **【DATEntre Application】**

## (2) Additional Paperwork

- ① College transcript
- ② Printout of the results of “SPOT90 + Grammar90 + Kanji50”
- ③ Copy of both sides of your residence card
- ④ Copy of your JLPT certificate (for those who have taken the JLPT)
- ⑤ Copy of your score sheet from an English proficiency test like TOEFL or TOEIC (for those who have taken an English proficiency test)

Download the application form from: [https://datentre.ihe.tohoku.ac.jp/?page\\_id=3114](https://datentre.ihe.tohoku.ac.jp/?page_id=3114)

## 6. Selection Process

Selection will be based on your application form and interview.

## 7. Announcement of Results

The results will be individually announced towards Wednesday September 29<sup>th</sup>, 2021.

## 8. Program Orientation Session

18:30 Friday, October 8<sup>th</sup> (Subject to change)

## 9. Program Completion Certificate

A certificate of completion is awarded to all those who complete the curriculum.

## 10. Program Fee

Free of cost

(You may be billed separately for transport expenses, accommodation, etc.)

## 11. Other

(1) Those who have distinguished grades will be recommended for the Monbukagakusho Honors Scholarship for Privately Financed International Students (International Student Employment Promotion division; apply in October)

(2) If a student from this program finds employment at a company that is associated with the Consortium, paperwork to change the student's status of residence may be reduced.

## 12. Contact

Office for DATentre

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