

VI. IDE ADVANCED SCHOOL (IDEAS)

IDEAS is an educational wing of the IDE. Since its inauguration in 1990, it has offered post-graduate-level training programs in development studies in order to nurture experts who are able to deal with development issues that developing countries face today.

IDEAS offers two parallel programs: a one-year program for Japanese fellows (first semester: September–March; second semester: March–July) and a six-month overseas fellows program for young government officials from Asian and African countries (October–March). In these programs, overseas and Japanese fellows study in the same office and interact closely.

Table 1. Number of Japanese and Overseas Fellows (1990-2017)

Term	Japanese Students	Term	Overseas Fellows
1 (1990/10~1991/9)	13		
2 (1991/10~1992/9)	12	1 (1991/10~1992/3)	8
3 (1992/10~1993/9)	11	2 (1992/10~1993/3)	11
4 (1993/10~1994/9)	11	3 (1993/10~1994/3)	13
5 (1994/10~1995/9)	11	4 (1994/10~1995/3)	15
6 (1995/10~1996/9)	11	5 (1995/10~1996/3)	15
7 (1996/10~1997/9)	11	6 (1996/10~1997/3)	17
8 (1997/10~1998/9)	11	7 (1997/10~1998/3)	15
9 (1998/10~1999/9)	11	8 (1998/10~1999/3)	15
10 (1999/10~2000/9)	11	9 (1999/10~2000/3)	15
11 (2000/9~2001/7)	11	10 (2000/10~2001/3)	13
12 (2001/9~2002/7)	9	11 (2001/10~2002/3)	15
13 (2002/9~2003/7)	10	12 (2002/10~2003/3)	15
14 (2003/9~2004/7)	11	13 (2003/10~2004/3)	15
15 (2004/9~2005/7)	12	14 (2004/10~2005/3)	16
16 (2005/9~2006/7)	10	15 (2005/10~2006/3)	15
17 (2006/9~2007/7)	11	16 (2006/10~2007/3)	14
18 (2007/9~2008/7)	11	17 (2007/10~2008/3)	21
19 (2008/9~2009/7)	9	18 (2008/10~2009/3)	15
20 (2009/9~2010/7)	13	19 (2009/10~2010/3)	17
21 (2010/9~2011/7)	14	20 (2010/10~2011/3)	14
22 (2011/9~2012/7)	10	21 (2011/10~2012/3)	11
23 (2012/9~2013/7)	9	22 (2012/10~2013/3)	12
24 (2013/9~2014/7)	10	23 (2013/10~2014/3)	17
25 (2014/9~2015/7)	9	24 (2014/10~2015/3)	17
26 (2015/9~2016/3)	14	25 (2015/10~2016/3)	18
26 (2016/3~2016/7)	(13)		
27 (2016/9~2017/3)	9	26 (2016/10~2017/3)	18
27 (2017/3~2017/7)	(9)		
28(2017/9~2018/3)	14	27(2017/10~2018/3)	18
28(2018/3~2018/7)	(12)		
Total	309		405

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Training Program for Overseas Fellows (October 2017–March 2018)

This program consists of several clusters of subjects such as “International Trade, Investment, and Finance,” “Development Experience of Japan,” and “Contemporary Issues of Development.” In the academic year 2017–18, 18 government officials and researchers were invited from 13 Asian and five African countries. All of them were awarded postgraduate diplomas in development studies in March 2017.

Training Program for Japanese Fellows (First Semester: September 2017–March 2018)

In the 28th academic year of this program, 14 Japanese students received training. In addition to the aforementioned clusters, Japanese fellows studied “Development Theories” and “Economics/Methodology Area Studies.” All Japanese fellows graduated with postgraduate diplomas in development studies as of March 6, 2018.

Twelve of them proceeded to the second (spring) program, which started in mid-March 2018.

IDEAS Program Curriculum (for FY 2017)

Table 2. Lectures for the 27th Class of Overseas Fellows (October 2017–March 2018)

Subject	Lecturer	Position	No. of Class
International Trade, Investment, and Finance			16
Theory of International Trade and Investment, and the Asia Pacific Economy	ISHIDO Hikari	Professor, Chiba University	6
Infrastructure Development and Finance	KOYAMA Masahisa	Professor, Ritsumeikan University	6
	SHINOYAMA Zenko	Director General, Japan Bank for International Cooperation	
Political Economy of Regional Integration	AOKI-OKABE Maki	Researcher, Area Studies Center, IDE	4
	YANAI Akiko	Deputy Director, Senior Research Fellow, Inter-disciplinary Studies Center, IDE	
Development Experience of Japan			2
Social Development and Poverty Reduction	SATO Hiroshi	Chief Senior Researcher, Inter-disciplinary Studies Center, IDE	2
Contemporary Issues of Development			23
Trade in Value-added: A New Perspective of International Trade	INOMATA Satoshi	Chief Senior Researcher, Inter-disciplinary Studies Center, IDE	1
Development and Education	KOMATSU Taro	Professor, Department of Education, Faculty of Human Sciences, Director, Center for Global Discovery, Sophia University	8
Growth and Equality in Development	HIRASHIMA Shigemochi	Professor Emeritus, Meiji Gakuin University / Research Fellow Emeritus of IDE	4
Conflict, Peace, and Development	TAKEUCHI Shinichi	Chief Senior Researcher, Inter-disciplinary Studies Center, IDE / Professor and Director, African Studies Center, Tokyo University of Foreign Studies	2
Project Appraisal: Costs-Benefits Analysis	KOBAYASHI Nobuyuki	Consultant, OPMAC Corporation	4

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Disasters and Development	HARAGUCHI Masahiko	Research Associate, The World Bank / Postdoctoral Fellow, Harvard University, Kennedy School of Government / PhD student, Department of Earth and Environmental Engineering, Columbia University	2
Gender and Development	YAMAGUCHI Aya	Senior Advisor on Gender and Development, Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA)	2
Environment and Energy			4
Energy	HORII Nobuhiro	Associate Professor, Kyushu University	2
Environmental Policy in Japan	KOJIMA Michikazu	Chief Senior Researcher, Inter-disciplinary Studies Center, IDE	2
International Cooperation			7
International Cooperation: Principles and Practices	YAMAGATA Tatsufumi	Director-General, International Exchange and Training Department, IDE	6
International Cooperation of Japan: Outline of JICA	TANAKA Satoko	Director, Transportation and ICT Group, Infrastructure and Peacebuilding Department, Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA)	1
Intensive Lectures			20
Development Strategies in a Changing World	Andrés Rodríguez-Pose	Professor of Economic Geography, President of the Regional Science Association International Department of Geography and Environment, London School of Economics	10
Trade and Development	Michael ROBERTS	Head, Aid for Trade Unit, Development Division, World Trade Organization (WTO)	10
Special Lectures			2
Understanding Africa: An Introduction	TAKEUCHI Shinichi	Chief Senior Researcher, Inter-disciplinary Studies Center, IDE / Professor and Director, African Studies Center, Tokyo University of Foreign Studies	1
Democracy: Measurement and Innovations	David Altman	Professor, Instituto de Ciencia Política, Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile	1
Lectures for Overseas Fellows			52
Japanese Industry and Organization			12
Practical Approaches to International Trade, Investment and Finance	TSUJI Tetsuhiko	Former General Manager, Sumitomo Corporation NPO Action for a Better International Community AT Consulting	6
Japanese Style Management	MIYAJIMA Hideaki	Professor, Waseda University	3
Economic Theory and Practice of Public Finance	SATO Motohiro	Professor, Hitotsubashi University	3
Industrial Development in Developing Countries			5
Firm's Strategy: Production, Marketing and Innovation	YAMAGATA Tatsufumi	Director-General, International Exchange and Training Department, IDE	1
	KAWAKAMI Momoko	Deputy Director-General, Area Studies Center, IDE	
	KUROIWA Ikuo	Chief Senior Researcher, Development Studies Center, IDE	1
	SHIMIZU Tatsuya	Senior Researcher, Area Studies Center, IDE	1
	FUKUNISHI Takahiro	Director, Area Studies Center, IDE	1

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	FUJITA Mai	Deputy Director, Area Studies Center, IDE	1
International Development			11
Development Economics	YAMAMOTO Kazumi	Former Professor, Aichi University / Research Fellow Emeritus of IDE	10
Refugees and Asylum Seekers	YAMAGATA Tatsufumi	Director-General, International Exchange and Training Department, IDE	1
Seminar			12
Economics in Practice	YAMAGATA Tatsufumi	Director-General, International Exchange and Training Department, IDE	12
	MINATO Kazuki	Researcher, Area Studies Center, IDE	
Japanese			12
Japanese Language for Daily Life	ADACHI Naoko MIYAZAKI Michiko ITO Mieko	Japan International Cooperation Center (JICE)	12
TOTAL			126

Table 3. Lectures for the 27th Class of Japanese Students (March 2017–July 2017)

Subject	Lecturer	Position	No. of Class
Intensive Lectures			10
The Role of Finance in Development	Ulrich Volz	Head of Department of Economics, SOAS, University of London	10
Development Theories			21
Disability and Development	MORI Soya	Deputy Director, Development Studies Center, IDE	4
Environmental Issues in Developing Countries	OTSUKA Kenji	Deputy Director, Inter-disciplinary Studies Center, IDE	2
	TERAO Tadayoshi	Senior Research Fellow, Inter-disciplinary Studies Center, IDE	2
	MICHIDA Etsuyo	Researcher, Inter-disciplinary Studies Center, IDE	1
Environment and Agriculture	YAMADA Nanae	Researcher, Inter-disciplinary Studies Center, IDE	1
Population Issues in Developing Countries	TAKAHASHI Hideyuki	Operating Director, Japanese Organization for International Cooperation in Family Planning (JOICFP)	2
Program Evaluation	TSUKADA Kazuya	Researcher, Development Studies Center, IDE	2
Development Cooperation Practice of Emerging Donors	KOBAYASHI Takaaki	Associate Professor, International Graduate School of Social Sciences, Yokohama National University	2
Commercialization of Products from Developing Countries	NAGAI Noriyuki	Senior Researcher, Foundation for Advanced Studies on International Development	1
Politics in Developing Countries	NAKAMURA Masashi	Director, Area Studies Center, IDE	3
Refugees and Asylum Seekers	YAMAGATA Tatsufumi	Director-General, International Exchange and Training Department, IDE	1
Area Studies			33
East Asia	South Korea	ABE Makoto	Senior Researcher, Inter-disciplinary Studies Center, IDE
	Taiwan	SATO Yukihito	Director, Inter-disciplinary Studies Center, IDE

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	China: Macro Economy	ONISHI Yasushi	Chief Senior Researcher, Inter-disciplinary Studies Center, IDE	1
	China: Enterprise	DING Ke	Researcher, Development Studies Center, IDE	1
Southeast Asia	Indonesia	KAWAMURA Koichi	Researcher, Area Studies Center, IDE	1
	Economy	ISHIDA Masami	Director-General, Development Studies Center, IDE	1
	Vietnam	SAKATA Shozo	Director, Area Studies Center, IDE	1
	Philippines	SUZUKI Yurika	Deputy Director, Area Studies Center, IDE	1
	Thailand	FUNATSU Tsuruyo	Researcher, Inter-disciplinary Studies Center, IDE	1
	Myanmar	OSADA Noriyuki	Researcher, Area Studies Center, IDE	1
	Cambodia	HATSUKANO Naomi	Researcher, Area Studies Center, IDE	1
South Asia	India: Government	KONDO Norio	Director, Area Studies Center, IDE	1
	India: Economy	SATO Hajime	Deputy Director, Area Studies Center, IDE	1
	Sri Lanka	ARAI Etsuyo	Deputy Director, Area Studies Center, IDE	1
	Bangladesh	MURAYAMA Mayumi	Senior Researcher, Inter-disciplinary Studies Center, IDE	1
Central Asia		SHIMIZU Manabu	Professor, Teikyo University	2
Middle East	Iran	IWASAKI Yoko	Deputy Director, Area Studies Center, IDE	1
	Socioeconomic Development	TSUCHIYA Ichiki	Researcher, Area Studies Center, IDE	1
	GCC Economies	SAITO Jun	Researcher, Area Studies Center, IDE	1
	Turkey	IMAI Kohei	Researcher, Area Studies Center, IDE	1
	Economies and Politics in GCC Countries	FUKUDA Sadashi	Chief Senior Researcher, Inter-disciplinary Studies Center, IDE	1
Latin America	Venezuela	SAKAGUCHI Aki	Director, Area Studies Center, IDE	1
	Cuba and Haiti	YAMAOKA Kanako	Deputy Director, Area Studies Center, IDE	1
	Peru	SHIMIZU Tatsuya	Senior Researcher, Area Studies Center, IDE	1
	Brazil	KONTA Ryohei	Researcher, Area Studies Center, IDE	1
	Argentina	Hirokazu Kikuchi	Researcher, Area Studies Center, IDE	1
Africa	Industry	FUKUNISHI Takahiro	Director, Inter-disciplinary Studies Center, IDE	1
	Ethnic Group and Politics: Kenya	TSUDA Miwa	Deputy Director, Area Studies Center, IDE	1
	Young People in Rural Societies in Africa	KODAMA Yuka	Researcher, Area Studies Center, IDE	1
	Land Reform and Agricultural Development in South Africa	SATO Chizuko	Researcher, Area Studies Center, IDE	1
	Social Protection	MAKINO Kumiko	Researcher, Area Studies Center, IDE	1
	Peace Building	AMINAKA Akiyo	Researcher, Area Studies Center, IDE	1
Seminar				13
Social/Economic Development		SATO Hiroshi	Chief Senior Researcher, Research Planning Department, IDE	13
		TAKEUCHI Shinichi	Director, Area Studies Center, IDE	
		SATO Hajime	Deputy Director, Area Studies Center, IDE	

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	FUJITA Mai	Deputy Director, Area Studies Center, IDE	
Special Lecture			15
PCM (Project Cycle Management) Training	IDO Masaharu	IC Net Limited	12
SL VI The 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development and the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs): Process, Content, and Implementation	Paul Ladd	Director, United Nations Research Institute for Social Development (UNRISD)	1
What Emergency Relief Is All About	OSHDARI Kenro	Managing Director, Association for Aid and Relief Japan (AAR Japan)	2
English			10
English Academic Writing	William Slifko	English Instructor, Kanda Gaigo Career College	10
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Development Theories			29	
Social Development	Introduction	SATO Hiroshi	Chief Senior Researcher, Inter-disciplinary Studies Center, IDE	1
	Working for Others' Development: Good will does not guarantee good result	SATO Hiroshi	Chief Senior Researcher, Inter-disciplinary Studies Center, IDE	1
	Poverty Alleviation and Development Assistance	SATO Hiroshi	Chief Senior Researcher, Inter-disciplinary Studies Center, IDE	1
	Development and Business	SATO Hiroshi	Chief Senior Researcher, Inter-disciplinary Studies Center, IDE	3
		Naomi Inoue	Researcher, Inter-disciplinary Studies Center, IDE	1

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	Rural Development and People's Organization	IKENO Masafumi	Deputy Senior General Manager, Consulting Division, Koei Research & Consulting Inc.	1
	Microfinance	YOSHIDA Hidemi	Associate Professor., Hosei University Graduate School	1
	Role of Facilitators in Social Development	OTA Miho	Associate Professor, Tamagawa University	1
	Housing Problem	KONTA Ryohei	Researcher, Area Studies Center, IDE	1
	International Development Cooperation by Japanese NGOs and Those in Asian Countries	ITO Michio	CEO, Asian Community Center 21	4
	Informal Sector	SAKATA Shozo	Researcher, Area Studies Center, IDE	1
	Child Labor	NAKAMURA Mari	Researcher, Area Studies Center, IDE	1
	Refugees and Asylum Seekers	YAMAGATA Tatsufumi	Director General, International Exchange and Training Department, IDE	1
	Nutrition	NOMURA Marika	Senior Researcher, Department of International Health and Collaboration, National Institute of Public Health	1
Development Economics		TSUKADA Kazunari	Researcher, Development Studies Center, IDE	8
Theory and Methodology of Educational Development		KURODA Kazuo	Professor, Waseda University Graduate School of Asia-Pacific Studies	2
Economics / Methodology				68
Microeconomics		YAMAGATA Tatsufumi	Director-General, International Exchange and Training Department, IDE	25
Macroeconomics		SHIBATA Tsubasa	Researcher, Development Studies Center, IDE	10
Mathematics for Economics (Linear and Nonlinear Functions)		KUWAMORI Hiroshi	Senior Researcher, Development Studies Center, IDE	6
(Differential Calculus)		KUDO Yuya	Researcher, Development Studies Center, IDE	7
Statistics		MINATO Kazuki	Researcher, Area Studies Center, IDE	14
Research Design		UETANI Naokatsu	Researcher, Area Studies Center, IDE	6
English				30
IELTS (Elective)		Nicholas Delleman	English Instructor, Kanda Gaigo Career College	15
TOEFL (Elective)		Nicholas Deleman	English Instructor, Kanda Gaigo Career College	15
TOTAL				201