

NUCB Undergraduate School

International Programs

[NUCB Undergraduate School](#) was founded by Dr. Yuichi Kurimoto in 1953 and is recognized by the motto 'Frontier Spirit', symbolizing the strong spirit of being at the frontier of knowledge and communications. It is a private university established by the [Kurimoto Educational Institute \(KEI\)](#) and situated in Nisshin, just outside Japan's third-largest city, Nagoya. NUCB Undergraduate School has just over 3,500 students, and 100 lecturers and professors. The university has a strong commitment to excellence in teaching and research and has developed alliances with educational institutions in Asia, Europe, North America, and Latin America.

NUCB Undergraduate School was the first AACSB-accredited undergraduate institution in Japan by achieving it in 2006 and successfully maintained it to date. AACSB-accredited schools have better programs, better faculty, better students with higher overall GPAs, more international students, more employers that recruit from them, and graduates that receive better salaries. [NUCB Business School](#), our Graduate School of Management, is the first and only Japanese business school to be accredited by AACSB, AMBA, and EQUIS, and thus, achieving the renowned Triple Crown.

Undergraduate Programs:

- Global BBA - EN
- BBA - JP
- BSc in Management - JP
- BSc in Economics - JP
- BSc in Commerce - JP
- BA in International Studies - JP
- BA in Foreign Language - EN

NUCB Undergraduate School has a global network of 116 leading business schools across 52 countries. 86% of these are accredited by at least one of the three international accreditation bodies: AACSB, AMBA, and EQUIS. Over 100 students from leading business schools around the world select NUCB Undergraduate School each year for their study exchange program. These include students from EDHEC Business School, Rotterdam School of Management, University of St. Gallen, ESAN Graduate School of Business, among others. In addition, more than 35% of PIM members are our partner schools. As part of our commitment to excellence and ongoing contribution to international management education, we are actively engaged with these partner schools through various types of programs and initiatives. Agreements with our partner schools include, but is not limited to, the following areas:

- Student Exchange
- Double Degree Programs
- Faculty Exchange
- Joint Research Projects

Core academics from top international schools, including Harvard Business School, MIT Sloan School of Management, Saïd Business School, Warwick Business School, etc., have taught at NUCB Undergraduate School.

Nagoya - The Most Dynamic Area in Japan

NUCB Undergraduate School is situated in Nisshin city, with a rural background just east of Nagoya which is centrally located in Japan, making access to Kyoto and Tokyo fast and convenient. We offer an all-English degree program at the Bachelor level for undergraduate students through our Global BBA program. The goal of our program is to cultivate highly skilled professionals who develop a global perspective, a strong sense of ethics, and the ability to contribute positively to the international business community.

Nagoya is a center of manufacturing craftsmanship, with strong connections to the automotive, aircraft, and industrial robot industries. A distinctive food culture exists full of local delicacies such as Kishimen (noodles), Tebasaki (chicken wings), Miso-nikomi udon (miso boiled udon), and much more. Nagoya's population density is only one-third of that of Tokyo or Osaka. The city has many lush parks that are great for enjoying the weather, jogging, or taking part in the many seasonal events that are held in the city.

It's also a great place for enjoying professional sporting events such as baseball and soccer as well as the annual Nagoya Tournament of the Japan Sumo Association. There are many well-known tourist spots, such as Hida-Takayama in Gifu or Ise and Toba in Mie, which are easily reached by train from Nagoya. Nagoya also has a well-developed public transportation network of subway and bus lines that make commuting or shopping very easy.

<https://www.nagoya-info.jp/en/>



Application Procedures

Nomination periods

- Spring 2023 Oct. 2022 - Nov. 2022
- Fall 2023 Feb. 2023 - Apr. 2023

Application deadlines

- Spring 2023 Dec. 4th, 2022
- Fall 2023 May 1st, 2023

Application steps

- Student nominations by partner university to NUCB US
- Students submit their application package to NUCB US
- NUCB US sends the Certificate of Eligibility (CoE) and Acceptance Letter to each school after CoE is issued by the Immigration Office
- Students apply for a Student Visa at the Japanese Embassy in their home country with the CoE and Acceptance Letter

Academic Calendar*

Spring Semester 2023

- Term 1 Apr. - May
 - Term 2 Jun. - Jul.
- Residence check-in Mar. 23rd & 24th
Orientation days Mar. 27th - 29th
Class starts Apr. 3rd
Class ends Jul. 22nd

Fall Semester 2023

- Term 3 Sep. - Oct.
 - Term 4 Nov. - Jan.
- Residence check-in Aug. 31st & Sep. 1st
Orientation days Sep. 4th - 6th
Class starts Sep. 11th
Class ends Jan. 12th

[Click here](#) for AY2022's calendar, note that this file will be updated with AY2023's calendar in early January.

**The Japanese academic year starts in April.*

Office Hours

Mon. - Fri. 9:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Global BBA Program

Semester and Terms

The academic year is separated into Spring Semester and Fall Semester, and each semester is split into 2 Terms.

- 14 weeks per Semester
- 7 weeks per Term

Course delivery style

- Courses are completed in a single term (7 weeks)
- Each course: 200 mins. x 7 lectures

Tuition and Fees

Tuition is waived for incoming students to NUCB US. However, we require all students from our partner institutions to pay a separate fee of 25,000 JPY per semester that covers the casebooks (used in Global BBA courses), registration and administrative handling fees.

Courses and Credits

Course registration

Students are contacted before their arrival for the course registration. All courses must be approved by the home institution before the students submit their choice as there will be no changes after arrival. Hence, the choice of courses must be final.

Course load

Minimum: 12 NUCB credits (6 courses)
Maximum: 20 NUCB credits (10 courses)
The exact number of credits required depends on the student's home institution.

Grading

Grades	Definition	Grading Points
S	Excellent	4
A	Good	3
B	Passable	2
C	Lowest	1
F-Re* / F	Failure	0
IN**	Incomplete	-1

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*F-Re is a temporary fail grade but the student has the option to submit a makeup report to have a chance to pass the course with a C grade, whereas F is a direct fail grade.

**IN is a result of having insufficient attendance.

Credit calculation

- 2 NUCB credits = 3 ECTS credits
- 2 NUCB credits = 90 hours of study
- 90 hours = 23.3 class hours + 66.7 hours of self-study
- Class hours = 200 mins. x 7 lectures

Attendance is required and continuous evaluation is part of the final grade.

Double Degree Program (2+2)

- 2 years of study must be completed before the Double Degree period at NUCB US
- Students are required to study for 2 years (4 semesters) at NUCB US
- 64 NUCB credits must be acquired
- Completion of an Original Case

English requirements

- TOEFL iBT 80
- TOEFL PBT 550
- TOEIC 750
- IELTS 6.0

(with a min. of 5.5 in all four components)

Native speakers and students enrolled in a program fully conducted in English at their home institution do not need to submit test scores but must provide a letter of recommendation from their academic advisor.

Transcripts

E-transcripts are sent by email to the home institution two months after the completion of the semester. Paper transcripts are available upon request.

Visa requirements

NUCB US assists students in obtaining a student visa. Students cannot enroll under a tourist visa.

Health insurance

Regardless of students having private or other insurance while overseas, if staying more than three months in Japan, it is legally required to

enroll in the National Health Insurance in Japan.

Accommodation

**Some residences might not be available depending on the semester.*

***The monthly rent includes utilities and common service fee. Please note that all amounts are subject to changes.*

Meito Residence

543 Takama-cho, Meito-ku, Nagoya, Aichi

198 fully-furnished rooms for undergraduate students with a mix of Japanese and international students, located in eastern Nagoya.

- 74,250 JPY / month

Higashiyama Annex Residence

3-19-5 Higashiyama Motomachi, Chikusa-ku, Nagoya-shi

A sharehouse for women with a 4:4 ratio of exchange/DDP students to Japanese, individual rooms for residents with common living facilities, located in eastern Nagoya.

- 64,250 JPY / month

Sanbongi Campus Residence

492-1 Fukuike, Sanbongi-cho, Nisshin-shi

101 fully-furnished rooms, newly renovated, close to the campus, common area at the entrance, located near the campus in Nisshin city.

- 46,250 JPY / month
- 38,250 JPY / month for shared room
- 58,250 JPY / month for large room

Sanbongi Residence

17 Ichibanwari, Sanbongi-cho, Nisshin-shi

Traditional style, fully furnished dormitory for women, common area at the entrance, located near the campus in Nisshin city.

- 43,250 JPY / month

Additional Expenses

The following fees apply for our residences:

- 22,500 JPY non-refundable entrance fee for semester exchanges
- 25,000 JPY non-refundable entrance fee for one-year exchanges
- 50,000 JPY non-refundable entrance fee for double degree programs
- 30,000 JPY refundable deposit

Financial Support

NUCB Undergraduate School allocates a limited number of NUCB Housing Scholarships (10,000 JPY - 30,000 JPY monthly) based on the student's academic transcripts, GPA, resume and cover letter.

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Important links

- [Nisshin/Nagakute Campus](#)
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