SWU Academic Program for Exchange Students



A campus located in the center of Tokyo

On our Setagaya-campus, which is located 5 minutes from Shibuya, women of all ages mingle and learn from each other. It is a place where you will make lifelong friends and discover who you want to become in the future.

Offering 12 departments relating to humanities, social sciences, natural sciences, global business, and a wide range of liberal arts courses, Showa Women's University (SWU) is a medium-sized university with around 5,000 enrolled students. With a history of more than 90 years, we cultivate independent, socially active, global-minded women who can contribute to society.





A flexible curriculum that matches your needs

The SWU Academic Program for our partner exchange students is designed for those with either intermediate or advanced level proficiency in Japanese. You can choose from 1 or 2 semester programs, focusing on improving your Japanese through both language and liberal arts courses in Japanese. You will also attend classes with SWU students, and experience the real university life in Japan.

You can select courses according to your interest from multiple study areas such as literature, sociology, business, psychology, nutrition and design. Also, there are a series of musical concerts, plays and other Japanese traditional performances held at the "Hitomi Memorial Hall" throughout the year, which you can attend.





Substantial support for International Students

The Center for International Exchange (CIE) will support and encourage you, accepting and solving any troubles and worries you may have during your stay at SWU. CIE plans welcome parties and other cultural and collaborative events for international students annually, helping you get to know other students and making your study abroad experience more

exciting. CIE also offers a Japanese tutor-system, where you can enhance your Japanese level by working on your weaknesses on an individual basis. Feel free to come in and talk with the staff at CIE, anytime!



For more details on the application procedure, check our website or contact the international office at your university! http://cie.swu.ac.jp/english/prospective/inter_program/

