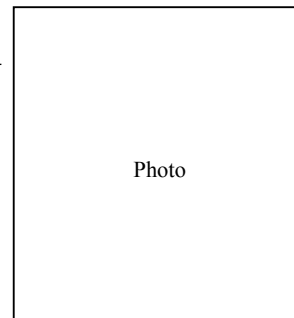


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1. PERSONAL DATA

NAME (as in passport)			
Last name or surname:			
First name:	Middle name(s):		
Citizenship:	Birth Date:	Age:	Gender (<i>male/female</i>):
	<i>(Month/DD/YYYY)</i>	<i>(as of October 1, 2009)</i>	
WORK ADDRESS			
Country:			
Agency/Organization			
Department			
Division:			
Title:			
Street:			
City:			
Postcode:			
Email (office):			
Tel. (office, general):			
Tel. (office, direct):			
Fax (office):			

2. EDUCATION

Please insert in chronological order, starting with the most recent.

School or University:	<i>(Month/Year)</i>
City / Country:	From:
Degree or Qualification:	To:
Language of Instruction:	
School or University:	From:
City / Country:	To:
Degree or Qualification:	
Language of Instruction:	
School or University:	From:
City / Country:	To:
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Total number of years of formal education (starting from primary school): _____ years.

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List five subjects taken in Economics, Statistics, Mathematics or other subjects relevant to the program. Please also indicate whether the course was taken at the undergraduate or graduate level.

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| 1. _____ | 4. _____ |
| 2. _____ | 5. _____ |
| 3. _____ | |

Previous scholarship awards or training courses:

Have you ever received a scholarship, or attended a training course provided by the International Monetary Fund or any other relevant international institutes? If yes, please state below:

Scholarship or training course: (name of scholarship/courses and provider)	From: To:
Scholarship or training course: (name of scholarship/courses and provider)	From: To:
Scholarship or training course: (name of scholarship/courses and provider)	From: To:

3. PRESENT POSITION

Employer: Department: Division: Position:	From:
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Summarize your present duties and responsibilities, or those you will have when you take up your position.

4. PREVIOUS POSITIONS

(please state in chronological order, starting with the most recent)

Employer: Division/Department: Position:	From: To:
Employer: Division/Department: Position:	From: To:
Employer: Division/Department: Position:	From: To:

OTHER RELEVANT EXPERIENCES

(membership of committees, contribution to publications, participation in special projects, attendance at international conferences, etc.)

Membership/Publication/Project/Conference:	Date:
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5. ENGLISH PROFICIENCY

English Testing

TOEFL Test	Score:	Date of test:
IELS Test	Score:	Date of test:

Describe how/when you use English.

6. RESEARCH PROPOSAL FOR THESIS OR POLICY PAPER

Please submit a proposal for your thesis or policy paper. It should describe carefully the project you wish to undertake. The subject should be grounded solidly on important policy issues and challenges facing your country and should help you contribute more effectively to macroeconomic stability, economic growth, and/or overall development. Please note how your research might contribute more effectively to these objectives. The proposal must be typewritten and should be *no more than 500 words*. Please attach it to this application form. Also, note that you cannot substitute your proposal by listing courses you intend to take.

7. PARTNERSHIP UNIVERSITY PREFERENCE

Please circle one university for each choice:

First Choice: GRIPS Hitotsubashi IUJ YNU

Second Choice: GRIPS Hitotsubashi IUJ YNU

8. APPLICATION FOR OTHER SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMS

This information is gathered for statistical purposes only, and will not affect the selection process.

Have you applied for, or will you apply for, any other scholarship or financial aid programs for 2009-2010?

YES / NO (circle one)

If yes, please provide the information below:

Scholarship Program Information

Name of Scholarship Program:	
Scholarship or Financial Aid Provider:	Country:
University or Institution:	Country:
Field of Study and Degree:	
Dates of Notification/Attendance:	

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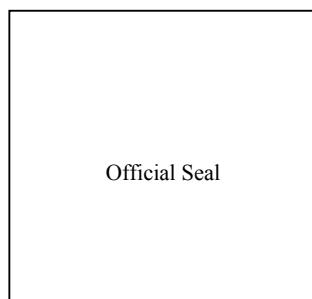
I, the undersigned (name of sponsor) _____,

Surname

Given name

acting on behalf of (name of agency) _____
hereby:

1. nominate (name of applicant) _____,
Surname Given name
for graduate studies under the Japan-IMF Scholarship Program for Asia;
2. certify that the information supplied by the applicant is correct to the best of my knowledge;
3. certify that the applicant, if accepted, will receive a leave of absence for the duration of his/her studies in Japan under the JISPA and upon return will be employed:
as (title of position) _____
in (name of agency) _____
4. certify that the applicant, if accepted, will not be assigned duties that will conflict with devoting full time and attention to his/her studies;
5. certify that my agency will assist in the applicant's repatriation if any personal difficulties or circumstances arise during his/her studies that make repatriation desirable or necessary;
6. certify that the candidate, if accepted, will undergo a comprehensive medical examination immediately before arriving in Japan, to ensure that he/she is in good health, free from any contagious disease, and free from any medical conditions that would impair his/her studies;
7. guarantee, in addition, that the IMF will be reimbursed promptly by my agency for all expenses incurred as a result of any of the conditions mentioned in 5 and 6 above, as well as for any medical expenses not covered by medical insurance.



Sponsor's Signature _____ Date _____

Name Mr./Ms. _____, _____
Last name First name

Title _____

City and Country _____

Tel. _____ Fax _____

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DECLARATION

1. I certify that the information I have written on the application form and the documents I have submitted to be true and accurate.
2. I understand and agree that any false or misleading information will justify a denial of admission into the university, revocation of the scholarship, and/or dismissal from the university.
3. I certify that I have carefully read the [General Information](#) and [Application Guidelines](#) sections on the IMF Website and I understand all requirements and restrictions for the scholarship.
4. I authorize the IMF to collect from and release to the universities and the Government of Japan my personal information (including application information and academic records) for the purpose of selection and monitoring under the scholarship program.

Date: _____
(Month/DD/YYYY)

Signature: _____

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9. APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Please read and check the boxes, and make sure all necessary documents (1 to 10) are provided as requested. Incomplete applications will not be processed. Please submit five sets of application documents (one original set and four sets of photocopies) in the order below. Each set of application material should be bound by a clip (staples should not be used). **Please also send the five sets in one package to.**

Japan-IMF Scholarship Program for Asia
IMF Regional Office for Asia and the Pacific
21 Floor Fukoku-Seimei Building
2-2-2 Uchisaiwai-cho
Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 100-0011
Japan

- 1. One original copy of the application form (download):** The application form must be completed by the applicant.
- 2. One original nomination letter :** The letter must be completed, signed, and dated by the sponsor with an official seal of the sponsoring agency.
- 3. One original letter of declaration (p. VI):** The letter must be completed, signed, and dated by the applicant.
- 4. Two letter of reference:** As described in the [Application Guidelines](#) section.
- 5. Research proposal for thesis or policy paper:** As described in the section 6 of the application form (p.IV).
- 6. Official copies of diploma or degree certificates:** As described in the [Application Guidelines](#) section.
- 7. Official transcripts:** As described in the [Application Guidelines](#) section.
- 8. Official English translations:** Translations are required if supporting documents are not presented in English. Each translation must be clipped to the original document written in the native language.
- 9. TOEFL Score Record or IELTS Test Report:** As described in the [Application Guidelines](#) section.
- 10. Passport copy:** If available, please attach a copy of your valid national passport.
- 11. Check List (p. VI):** Check list must be completed by the applicant.