

E-JUST TICAD7 African Scholarship for STI

1. Background

This Scholarship program is stipulated in the “Yokohama Plan of Actions 2019” for the implementation of “Yokohama Declaration 2019” which was agreed in TICAD7 in August 2019. The objective of this program is to foster researchers and engineers who will advance STI into the future in Africa. The program is implemented by Egypt-Japan University of Science and Technology (E-JUST) and Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA)’s technical cooperation project. E-JUST started to accept students in the fall semester 2020, and the application for a new batch, fall 2022, is to be opened at the end of December 2021.

2. Outline of Scholarship Program

(1) Objective:

- To develop high quality human resources in the field of STI toward future African STI network and beyond

(2) Number of Students:

- Approximately 150 post graduate students for 3 years (Approximately 50 students for each batch)
- Started receiving 1st batch students in fall 2020

(3) Eligibility

- Applicants shall be researchers or instructors (or potentially expected to become those) who belong to universities or research institutions in Africa and who needs to obtain MSc. degree
- Applicants should hold a Bachelor degree in engineering or science with CGPA ≥ 3 out of 4 / Description $\geq$ very good/ classification $\geq$ second class upper or equivalent to the mentioned before
- Applicants who are not native English speakers must submit an English proficiency certificate with the required minimum score, TOEFL iBT : 79 or Academic IELTS : 6.5.

(4) Schedule

- Early December 2020: Call for application
International Admission page:
<https://ejust.edu.eg/international-admission-adm/>
International Admission Policy:
<https://ejust.edu.eg/wp-content/uploads/2021/08/FOE-BAS-Fall-2022-International-Admission-Guidelines-1.pdf>
- December 30 2021: Application open
- February 12 2022: Deadline for online application
- September 2022: Class starts

(5) Schools to accept students

- **Faculty of Engineering**
 - School of Electronics, Communications and Computer Engineering
 - School of Innovative Design Engineering
 - School of Energy, Environment, Chemical and Petrochemical Engineering
 - Institute of Basic and Applied Sciences

(6) Result of International Admission 2021 (as of 30th Nov. 2021)

In Fall 2021 international admission, the initial number of applicants who applied for TICAD7 Scholarship was 442 applicants from 34 diverse countries. After conducting the eligibility check for the applicants, their number came down to 220 applicants.

Country	No. of Applicants	No. of Students Accepted
Nigeria	52	14
Ghana	44	8
Uganda	32	7
Kenya	25	6
Tanzania	21	3
South Sudan	15	6
Zimbabwe	10	5
Malawi	10	5
Cameroon	2	1
Zambia	2	1
Rwanda	2	0
Algeria	1	1
Sudan	1	0
Burundi	1	1
South Africa	1	0
Liberia	1	0
Total	220	58

*Due to the pandemic of COVID-19, twenty-five (22) students, out of the students accepted for fall 2021, have started their courses at E-JUST (Zimbabwe 5 , Malawi 5 , Nigeria 4 , Tanzania 3 , Ghana 2 , Cameroon 1 , Zambia 1 , Rwanda1) (as of 30 Nov. 2021)

3. E-JUST : Egypt-Japan Univ. of Science and Technology (Web: <https://ejust.edu.eg/>)

(1) Establishment: March 2009

(2) Location : New Borg El-Arab, Alexandria, Egypt

(3) Departments:

- **Faculty of Engineering**

- School of Electronics, Communications and Computer Engineering

- School of Innovative Design Engineering

- School of Energy Resources, Environment, Chemical and Petrochemical Engineering

- Institute of Basic and Applied Sciences

- **Faculty of International Business and Humanities**

- School of International Business

(4) Cooperation from Japan

Japan has supported E-JUST through JICA by Technical Cooperation and Grant Aid in collaboration with 13 Japanese Cooperation Universities (University of Tsukuba, Waseda University, Tokyo Institute of Technology, Kyoto University, Ritsumeikan University, Hiroshima University, Kyushu University, Ritsumeikan APU, Hokkaido University, Tohoku University, Keio University, Nagoya University, and Osaka University)

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