

# The Japan Foundation Indo-Pacific Partnership (JFIPP) Research Fellowship

Application Form: **JFIPP-R**

Section in Charge: **International Operations Section I,  
Global Partnerships Department**

This program provides support for researchers and practitioners in Japan, Australia, India, or the U.S. to conduct research activities on the common policy issues in the Indo-Pacific, mainly in the four countries, excluding the fellow's country of origin.

Duration: 4 to 12 months

At least half of the fellowship tenure period must be in Japan for non-Japan-based fellows or in one of the other three countries (Australia, India, or the U.S.) for Japan-based fellows.

## Eligibility

Applicants must meet all of the following criteria:

- 1 Applicants must be citizens of Japan, Australia, India, or the U.S., or must have at least five years of strong and serious professional experience at an institution in one of these four countries;
- 2 Researchers must hold a Ph.D. or the highest academic degree in their field of expertise. Non-research professionals must have a total of seven or more years of work experience in a field related to their proposed research.

## Benefits

- 1 Round-trip discount economy class international airfare (only for Fellow);
- 2 Accommodation and research allowance;
- 3 A one-time lump-sum payment for relocation expenses;
- 4 Additional allowance for dependent family members that accompany the fellow overseas for a minimum of 3 continuous months;
- 5 Overseas travel insurance.

## Number of Fellowships (Reference)

N/A (New program as of FY 2023)

### Selection Policy

- 1 See p. 3 for the selection policy applicable to all programs.
- 2 Projects are evaluated on their policy-relevance and foreseeable contribution(s) to the maintenance and strengthening of a free and open international order in the Indo-Pacific region, that will bring about peace and prosperity to the entire region.

### Application Deadline

Summer, 2024 (TBD)

### Notification of Results

Autumn, 2024

\* Application documents (Guidelines and Application Forms) will be available on the Japan Foundation website Spring, 2024.