Nagoya University International Programs for AY2020
Physics and Mathematics Graduate Program
(Doctoral Program)

Admission Requirements (October Admission)

Nagoya University invites students to apply for AY2020 admission to the Physics and Mathematics Graduate Program, a Doctoral Degree Program with English as the medium of instruction, according to the terms and conditions below.

Admission Policies
For Nagoya University's general admission policies, please see the following website:

I. Eligibility for Application
In order to be eligible to apply for Nagoya University's International Programs, the applicant must satisfy one of the conditions below:

1. The applicant has been awarded a master’s degree in an educational system(s) other than the Japanese one, or is expected to be awarded the degree in an education institution located in a foreign country on or before September 30, 2020.

2. The applicant has completed a 12-year curriculum in an educational system(s) other than the Japanese one in an education institution located in a foreign country, and has earned a master's degree from a graduate school of a Japanese university, or is expected to have earned a master’s degree by September 30, 2020.

3. The applicant has earned a master's degree from a graduate school of a Japanese university, or is expected to have earned a master’s degree by September 30, 2020; provided that this is limited to persons who have completed (or are scheduled to complete) their master's degree program in the English language.

4. The applicant is deemed by a Graduate School of Nagoya University to possess academic ability equivalent or superior to that of a master's degree or professional degree holder based on the individual eligibility review.

[Notes]
Persons wishing to apply under condition 4 of the terms of eligibility above must contact the University, as indicated in the "VIII. Contact" section, at least one month prior to the application deadline for each recruitment category and complete the prescribed procedures for eligibility review.

II. Number of Available Places

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<th>Program (Graduate School(s))</th>
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<tr>
<td>Physics and Mathematics Graduate Program (Graduate School of Science, Graduate School of Mathematics)</td>
<td>Limited</td>
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[Note] Please write the names of the program and the graduate school of your choice on your
III. Application Procedure

1. Important notes before you apply

   (1) Please refer to the tables containing the names of departments, research laboratories/research groups, research areas, research projects and faculty members on the website (https://admissions.g30.nagoya-u.ac.jp) and select your preferred program, graduate school and laboratory/research group (if selecting the Graduate School of Mathematics, also select your preferred supervisor).

   * Inquiries regarding research projects prior to application
   The applicant must make a pre-application inquiry regarding research projects to research laboratory/ies (for laboratories in the Graduate School of Mathematics, make an inquiry to an academic advisor) to which the applicant wishes to belong in order to receive supervision for his/her doctoral thesis before submitting application documents.
   If the applicant decides to apply to the University based on the information gained through this pre-application inquiry, he/she must submit all application documents (including application fee) to the appropriate address as specified in "Application documents submission" by the prescribed deadline for each recruitment category.
   Also, when submitting documents ii, iv, and ix, please make sure to submit original and/or official copies.

   (Please note: even if you have already submitted documents to your preferred laboratory/supervisor in the course of your pre-application inquiry, those documents may not be deemed to be the formal application documents, and thus cannot be accepted as your application.)

   * Other inquiries
   For any other inquiries, please contact us via the contact information indicated in "VIII. Contact."

   (2) In the designated area of the Application Form, applicants to the Graduate School of Science should indicate only one choice of a preferred research laboratory/research group. Applicants to the Graduate School of Mathematics should indicate both your preferred research laboratory/research group and your preferred supervisors.

2. Application periods

   Applicants must submit all the application documents and pay the application fee during the appropriate application period specified in the table below:
   (The deadlines below apply to all required documents including those that must be submitted in hard copy.)

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<th>Recruitment Categories</th>
<th>Starting</th>
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<td>First Round</td>
<td>January 6, 2020 9:00 (Japan Time)</td>
<td>January 16, 2020 16:00 (Japan Time)</td>
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<td>Second Round</td>
<td>May 8, 2020 9:00 (Japan Time)</td>
<td>May 20, 2020 16:00 (Japan Time)</td>
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(1) Each applicant may only apply once, for either First Round or Second Round.
(2) If a complete submission of the application fee and application documents is not made by the First Round deadline, the application will be processed under the Second Round category.
(3) In case of situation (2), an e-mail notification to that effect will be sent to the applicant.

(4) Applicants who wish to advance to a Final Three-Year Program (doctoral program) at a Graduate School of Nagoya University directly after the completion of an Initial Two-Year Program (master's program) at a Graduate School of Nagoya University must apply under the Second Round category. Applicants will be separately notified of selection methods and admission results by the administration section responsible for admissions at the Graduate School of Science.

3. Application fee payment and application documents submission
To apply, please prepare and submit all required documents in accordance with the prescribed methods and be sure to pay the application fee by the deadline. Please pay close attention to the notes below the table on the following page when preparing your documents.

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<th>Notes</th>
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<td>i</td>
<td>Please submit the application form via the Nagoya University Online Admissions System.</td>
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<td>ii Bachelor's Degree Diploma and Master's Degree Diploma (or Prospective Diplomas of Bachelor's Degree and Master's Degree) (Original Copies)</td>
<td>These degree certificates (or prospective certificates) must include the date of graduation/prospective graduation and the school's official seal or signature. * Please submit certificates pertaining to your Eligibility for Application.</td>
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| iii | Research Proposal | Submit a proposal stating what research you want to pursue in the doctoral program, etc. |
| iv | Two Letters of Reference (Original Copies) | Have two referees each send a signed, and sealed Letter of Reference directly to Nagoya University. Please request for the full name of the applicant to be mentioned in the letter. |
| v | Summary of Master's Thesis | Submit a summary of your thesis written in English using the set form (download the form from: https://admissions.g30.nagoya-u.ac.jp). Submit also your master's thesis, if available. |
| vi | Major Publications | If available, please upload up to three reprints/offprints of your major publications to the Online Admission System. |
| vii | Documents Showing Other Strengths | If available, please upload these documents to the Online Admission System or submit them by postal mail. |
| viii | Document Validating Your Nationality and Residence Status | This document may be, for example, a copy of your passport or a certificate issued by an embassy or consulate in Japan. The certificate should be prepared in English. Attach a translation if it is issued in any other language. If you reside in Japan, you must also submit a copy of your Resident Card. |
| ix | Certificate of Enrollment (Original Copy) Only applicable to Nagoya University students | Applicants who are research student or are due to graduate from Nagoya University need to upload a copy to the Online Admissions system and submit the original. Japanese format of the certificate is also accepted. |

[Notes]

1) Applications will be accepted only if all required documents for application are received by the deadline. It is recommended that you send documents by registered express mail or an equivalent air courier (e.g. Federal Express, DHL, UPS, etc.). **Incomplete applications cannot be considered for the selection processes.** No changes to any of the documents will be allowed after submission.

2) For non-English documents, the document-issuing school or authority must provide a corresponding English translation of the original language. If the school or authority does not provide such a service, the documents must be translated and verified by an outside translation organization and certified to be the same as those issued by the school or authority. Be sure to submit both the original documents and the certified translations.

3) If a subject title, an evaluation result, or any other information in the certificates requested in item ii above contains codes or abbreviations, an explanation must be attached.

4) Application documents submitted will not be returned for any reason; upon request however, certain materials that are unable to be reissued may be returned. Please attach a note to this effect if applicable.

5) If, after admission, it is discovered that any of the documents have been falsified or that any necessary details or documents have been omitted, admission will be revoked even in the event that the candidate has already been admitted to the University.

6) Applicants will be notified of the receipt of their application documents via the Online Admission System's messaging function. If you are unable to check your messages, please send a message to the International Admissions Office.

7) Applicants who wish to advance, directly after the completion of master's program at Graduate School of Science in Nagoya University, for doctoral program at the Graduate School of Science in Nagoya University, must submit all the above-listed documents except iv. Applicants for doctoral program at the Graduate School of Mathematic in Nagoya University, directly after the completion of master’s program at the Graduate School of Mathematics in Nagoya University,
should submit the following documents listed above: i, iii, vii and ix.

4. Applicants with special needs
Applicants with special needs, who require special support in making their application, should consult Nagoya University before the submission of their admission application, as follows (documents must be submitted in English):

(1) End of consultation period: December 6, 2019
(2) Contact:
Nagoya University International Admissions Office for the International Programs (GSID Bldg., 1st floor, room 105)
(3) Consultation Process: Please submit the following three documents. If necessary, the applicant or a representative of the school from which the applicant graduated or will graduate who can speak for the applicant will be interviewed by Nagoya University.
   1) A document stating the program to be applied for, the desired major, the nature of the applicant's special needs, the arrangements desired for examinations, and the applicant's contact details. (A4 paper. Any format may be used.)
   2) A doctor's diagnosis of the applicant's special needs, the written opinion of a social worker, etc. (a copy is acceptable), or a copy of a disability certificate or equivalent document.
   3) A document from an official of the school from which the applicant graduated or will graduate. (A document stating the nature of the arrangements made at the school for their classes and studies.)
      (Please use A4 (or letter size) paper. Any format may be used.)
(4) If you would like to consult with us regarding the admissions process or your studies after your enrollment, please inquire with us by the application deadline.

IV. Selection Method
Selection of a successful applicant consists of a document screening and an oral examination. (The oral examination will include a presentation on the applicant's master's thesis or published papers equivalent to the thesis, and an oral examination. If the applicant does not reside in Japan, the oral examination will, as a rule, be conducted via Skype, etc.)
The oral examination will focus on applicants' academic skills required for the courses relating to research in their chosen fields, research plans, master's theses and their foreign language (English) skills.

V. Announcement of Admission Results
Admission results will be announced by the graduate school you applied to via e-mail and also sent by mail to the address indicated on your Application Form by the date shown as the "Date of Notification of Selection Results" in the table below. Applicants on a wait list will be separately notified by e-mail. Admitted students may also verify their results by logging in to the Online Admission System.

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<td>Second Round</td>
<td>July 9, 2020</td>
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VI. Admission Procedure
Documents and forms required for university enrollment will be sent to every successful applicant together with an admission offer letter. The registration fee payment must be made in accordance with the due date specified in the table below.
You will not be required to pay the registration fee if:
- You wish to advance to doctoral program at the Graduate School of Science or Graduate School of Mathematics directly after the completion of master's program at a Graduate School of Nagoya University; or
You are a Government (MEXT)-sponsored scholar.

1. Payment of the registration fee (JPY 282,000)
   For details, please refer to the guidelines for enrollment procedures to be sent with the admission offer letter and be sure to complete the registration fee payment no later than the date below; the registration fee payment is required to secure your admission.

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[Notes]
(1) If the registration fee is revised by the time of enrollment, the new fee after revision will apply.
(2) For details regarding the registration fee payment, please refer to the guidelines for enrollment procedures to be sent with the admission offer letter. The registration fee must be paid via either PayPal (recommended) or Bank Transfer by the date and time indicated in the table above. The sender is responsible for the costs of the processing fee for the Bank Transfer.
(3) Registration fees will not be refunded once received by the University.
(4) If the payment of the registration fee is not completed by the stipulated deadline, the applicant will be regarded as withdrawing from admission to the University. **Please be particularly mindful of this point.**

2. Other fees required for admission (subject to change):

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<th>Program</th>
<th>Tuition Fees</th>
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<tr>
<td>Physics and Mathematics Graduate Program</td>
<td>Per semester: JPY 267,900</td>
<td>JPY 3,620 (for 3 years)</td>
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<td>(Per year: JPY 535,800)</td>
<td>(Premium includes third party liability insurance)</td>
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[Notes]
(1) If tuition fees are revised at the time of enrollment or during enrollment in the University, the new fee after revision will apply from the time of revision.
(2) Tuition fees payment must be made after the semester begins.
(3) Please refer to the guidelines for enrollment procedures for any other details.

3. Reminder to applicants who are expected to graduate from/complete their university/graduate school but have not yet graduated from/completed at the time of application
   Applicants who have not yet been awarded a master’s degree at the time of application must ensure that their master's degree certificates and academic transcripts are sent from their school to the University by **August 1, 2020.**
   Please note: if you are unable to submit the certificate by the above deadline, you must contact us in advance via the contact information indicated in "VIII. Contact."

VII. Other
1. All personal information submitted to Nagoya University is appropriately managed in compliance with the "Act on the Protection of Personal Information Held by Independent Administrative Agencies" and the "Management of Nagoya University Students' Personal Information" regulations.
2. The address, name, date of birth and other personal information of applicants obtained at the time of application will be used only for admissions, the announcement of results, enrollment, and related matters.

3. Furthermore, the personal details of applicants admitted to Nagoya University will also be used for i) academic affairs (student registration, academic advising, etc.), ii) student welfare services (health care, career services, tuition exemption, scholarship applications, etc.), and iii) collecting tuition fees.

4. All times and dates indicated in the Admission Requirements refer to Japan Standard Time (UTC+09).

VIII. Contact
If contacting us from abroad, please make inquiries by fax or e-mail.
For any questions concerning the admission requirements of the Physics and Mathematics Graduate Program, please contact us at:

[Graduate School of Science, Graduate School of Mathematics]
Student Affairs Section
Graduate School of Science, Nagoya University
Furo-cho, Chikusa-ku, Nagoya 464-8601 JAPAN
Tel: +81-52-789-5756
Fax: +81-52-788-6249
E-mail: ri-dai@adm.nagoya-u.ac.jp

Note: For inquiries regarding how to use the Online System, please contact:
Nagoya University International Admissions Office for the International Programs (GSID Bldg., 1st floor, room 105)
Tel: +81-52-747-6556
E-mail: apply@g30.nagoya-u.ac.jp