

PPPs brigten the future of Local communities



The TOYO PPP School (Course of Public-Private Partnership, Graduate School of Economics) is a graduate school for professionals that focuses on Public-Private Partnership (PPP). Since its establishment in 2006, TOYO PPP School has implemented a variety of projects in partnership with local governments in Japan and abroad. Those students include employees from the public sector, private sector enterprises such as construction, real estate and finance, and people who are working in projects overseas. In 2015, Toyo University established a specialist Centre of Excellence on PPPs in Local Governments initiated by UNECE.

PPPs are not just means of infrastructure development or public services defined by specific laws. They should be much broader concepts to bring public, private and citizens together to discuss how administration should be, roles of legislatures and administrations, rights and obligations of citizens, private business opportunities, contributions to the world etc. to realize sustainable and flourishing society.

The Toyo PPPP School will cultivate PPP leaders in all fields to resolve the human resource shortage for the better development and expansion of PPPs.



Masajuro Shiokawa (1921-2015) Founder of Toyo PPP School, former Chancellor of Toyo University and former Minister of Finance (2001-2003)

Japan's reliance on debt is greater than that of Greece or Spain, and is the worst among the OECD countries. What should we do to maintain and develop our country and regions without leaving burdens to our children and grandchildren? Dependance on public finance and public works can only lead to financial ruin. PPP is the only way forward.



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# **TOYO PPP SCHOOL**

Graduate School of Economics Course of Public Private Partnership

Only Master of PPP Degree program in the World



# Evolving to meet the needs of PPP Professionals

#### Master of PPP.

The degree offered to students (enrolled after April 2024) will be "Master of PPP." (Currently Master of Economics)

# No Japanese language skills required.

Variety of classes are offered in English, no Japanese language skills required to complete your study.

### Flexible learning and Intensive networking.

For the convenience of working professionals, weekdays classes will be entirely online-basis\*. Some of the lectures are on-demand basis (video and online discussion) and others will be real-time interactive sessions. Saturdays are for face-to-face interaction and networking. Many of faculty members and students are from Japanese governments (national/local) and private companies(such as construction, real estate or financial companies). Networking with them will expand your opportunities. \* PPP School is NOT an online-base program, thus international students are required to reside in Japan during the study.

# International admissions

- Spring Admission (Starts in April)
  Screening: August or November Exam
  Application Deadline: Mid-July or early November
- Fall Admission (Starts in September)
  Screening: April
  ApplicationDeadline: Early-April

#### Requirements

- 16 years of primary and secondary education and have Bachelor's degree (or obtain approval by Toyo University)
- Have sufficient language skill in Japanese or English (language proficiency exam is not mandatory).
- Designated forms (Application form, Personal history, Research plan etc.)

#### Details:

www.toyo.ac.jp/en/academics/gs/prospective/English-Track-Curriculum/



# Regional Development Advisory Program (RDAP)

Toyo PPP School aims at supporting local governments across the world to implement PPPs. Our Regional Development Advisory Program (RDAP) brings students to the field and look for potentials for economic development and PPP projects. Ogal project in Shiwa Town is one of the most well-known PPP projects in Japan, which was initiated by RDAP. RDAP efforts go beyond boarders. Butuan (Caraga) project in the Philippines was also initiated by RDAP and now inviting more than 500 million USD private investments. More than 50 RDAP have conducted in Japan and abroad (Philippines, Malaysia, Indonesia, Kyrgyz Republic, Laos etc.). RDAPs provide students great learning opportunities and benefiting the host cities/countries at the same time.

# Tours, events and more

- Site visit tours: Domestic and international PPP site visits and study tours have been conducted by Toyo PPP School and its alumni association.
- International PPP Forum: Every year, Toyo PPP School hosts International PPP Forum in Tokyo, inviting renowned speakers from all over the world to discuss on numerous topics on PPPs.

# Curriculum

Students in Standard course can select their specialized courses from "City management," "PPP Business," and "Global PPP."

To obtain a degree (regardless of courses), a student has to obtain 30 or more credits and submit and defend a Master's theis/specific research paper.

# **Tuition and Fees**

	Entrance fee	Tuition	Fees	Total (annual)
Standard course (2 years)	270,000 JPY (1st year only)	600,000 JPY	90,000 JPY	960,000 JPY (2 <sup>nd</sup> year 690,000 JPY)
Professional course (1 year)	270,000 JPY	990,000 JPY	90,000 JPY	1,350,000 JPY

<sup>\*</sup> Professional course is for professionals with more than 20 years of work experience or 10 years of work experience with a Master's or Doctoral degree.

# Scholarships and financial aids

Once admitted, international students have access to various scholarship/financial aid programs offered by Toyo Univesity.

Toyo University PPP School is also listed for Japanese government and JICA-scholarships. For the screening procedures for JICA scholarships, please consult with JICA office in your country/region.

We urge all students to investigate all options, including home country and/or aid agencies/multilateral development banks.

To apply, you have to consult in advance and have a detailed research ready.