


Yokohama National University


# YNU-SPRING students recruitment(Spring, 2025)

~Training project of Inclusive leadership to be able to drives sustainable innovation


In this project, we will select outstanding doctoral students who will lead sustainable innovation in Japan, and provide financial support.



An environment where highly motivated doctoral students can study safely



Developing the ability to express oneself to choose from a variety of career



Advanced expertise that can be used in a wide range of fields and sectors

### Inclusive Leadership

Ability to create new value by fostering and building an environment of DEI&B (Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Belonging) and collaborating with members with diverse backgrounds and personalities.

### Financial Support


	Annual amount
Fellowship	JPY 2,160,000 (JPY180,000×12month)
Research grant	JPY 340, 000


Note: Expenses for the SPRING minor program will be paid separately from the program promotion budget.

- ### Task of fellow
- (1) Further explore your own research
  - (2) Completing the YNU-SPRING minor program
  - (3) Voluntary manage research grant and promote of fair research activities
  - (4) Apply for JSPS research fellowship for young scientists
  - (5) Cooperate with investigation requests after the completion of this project

### Detail of program

For more information about the SPRING Program and the SPRING Minor Course, please use the right links.


[Detail of SPRING Program \(Japanese\)](#)


[Detail of SPRING Minor course \(Japanese\)](#)

Recruitment details/Application method

Deadline: 12:00, 19 February

### Recruitment for this year


Applicable to students entering in April 2025  
: 20 peoples


Applicable to students entering in April and October 2024  
: 5 peoples

- ### Qualification requirements
- You are a currently enrolled student who entered a YNU doctoral program after 2024, or you wish to enter in April 2025, and you do not fall under the following
- (1) Selected for research fellowship for young scientists from JSPS or scheduled to be selected from April 2025
  - (2) Receiving scholarships from MEXT or their home country
  - (3) Receiving stable income more than 2.4 million yen per year


### Application method

Please download the Recruitment guidelines and Application form from the link of the icon below, understand the recruitment details, and then fill out your application.


[Recruitment guideline](#)


[Application form \(link to Google drive\)](#)

Once you have completed your application form, convert them to PDF files, change the file name to “Form 1 Application\_Graduate School\_Applicant’s Name.pdf” and “Form 2 Application\_Graduate School\_Applicant’s Name.pdf”, and then submit them using the form linked in the icon below.


[Submission site of YNU-SPRING program](#)


After you have completed your application, the SPRING office will ask your supervisor to approve your application to SPRING, so please be sure to discuss the matter thoroughly in advance with your supervisor before applying.

### Application method and schedule

Application period: January 29- February 19  
 Notification of document screening: March 7  
 Interview screening: March 10- March 14  
 Notification of acceptance: March 28

### Application briefing

An online application briefing will be held on Monday, February 10, from 12:15 to 12:45.  
 No pre-registration is required . Please join the session at the scheduled time using either the link below or the meeting information.



Meeting ID: 483 779 059 123  
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