

# University of Fukui, Japan

## University of Fukui at a Glance



## Global Outreach

The University of Fukui (UF) is committed to both internationalization of the university and global education. UF has expanded its international network and reinforce partnerships with overseas universities/institutions. Its collaborations range from student exchange, faculty-led study abroad, and faculty exchange to joint research and projects, internships, and more.

### Number of Partner Universities and Institutions

As of January 1, 2024, UF has 166 partner institutions in 41 countries or regions.



List of Partner Institutions  
<https://www.u-fukui.ac.jp/eng/global-network/partner-list/>



## Life in Fukui

Living in Fukui is relatively affordable compared with other parts of Japan. There are many apartments around each campus and most of them are reasonable. If you live in one of the university dormitories, living expenses will be minimal.

### Estimated Cost of Living for One Year

The cost of living in Fukui is relatively inexpensive, and living in university dormitories or private apartments near the campus is a good way to reduce living expenses. There are three university dormitories on the Bunryoku Campus and one on the Matsuoka Campus, and they are very reasonably priced and popular. On the Bunryoku Campus, it is not always possible for all applicants to move in a dormitory, but there are many private apartments for students around the Bunryoku Campus, with rent ranging from 30,000 to 40,000 yen per month.



### Accommodation

#### Dormitory

##### Bunryoku Campus

There are 2 dormitories located within 7 minutes walk from the campus. And now we have one new dormitory available on campus as well. There is a local train station and a supermarket near the dormitories.

UF Student Dormitory | 209 rooms  
Rent (single): monthly 8,800 JPY  
Administration fee: 20,000 JPY

UF Overseas Student House | 20 rooms  
(single, couple, family)  
Rent (single): monthly 10,200 JPY  
Rent (couple): monthly 17,000 JPY  
Rent (family): monthly 20,000 JPY  
Administration fee: 20,000 JPY

Makishima House | 18 rooms  
Rent (single): monthly 14,000 JPY  
Administration fee: 20,000 JPY



##### Matsuoka Campus

There is a student dormitory on campus.

International House | 16 rooms (single, couple, family)  
Rent (single): monthly 10,000 JPY  
Administration fee: 30,000 JPY

Rent (couple): monthly 18,400 JPY  
Administration fee: 50,000 JPY

Rent (family): monthly 22,700 JPY  
Administration fee: 50,000 JPY



## Academics

# What can you study at UF?

## Education

### Undergraduate Program School of Education

#### Teacher Education Program

Students learn knowledge and skills to become teachers mainly at elementary, middle, and high schools, as well as special-needs schools. In addition to expertise in each subject, the program also cultivates the ability to create classes that enable each child to learn independently and to face and solve problems in school education.



### Professional Graduate School

#### The United Graduate School of Professional Development of Teachers

This Professional Graduate School is jointly operated by three universities: University of Fukui, Gifu Shokoku Gakuin University, and Toyama University of International Studies. While already working as teachers at schools and other institutions, students can study to further deepen their practical skills and research. It is also a place where in-service teachers from different workplaces can work together.

- Course for Lesson Study and Professional Development of Teachers
- Course for Coordinator of School-based Professional Learning Communities of Teachers
- Course for Management of School Reconstruction

## Medical Sciences

### Undergraduate Program School of Medical Sciences

#### College of Medicine

The curriculum is designed to enable students to become aware of their social responsibilities as physicians from early on. College of Medicine offers 6-year integrated education with an eye toward clinical practice, including basic medicine and medical research training from the first year, and practical training in human anatomy. All faculty members effectively teach the basics of their respective specialties as well as the state-of-the-art medical care.



#### College of Nursing

The efficient and well-developed curriculum fosters both the ability to practice nursing in ever-evolving medical fields, and the basic skills necessary to continue learning to improve one's own qualifications. In addition to the nursing license, there are also elective courses that enable students to obtain midwifery and public health nurse licenses.



### Master's Program Graduate School of Medical Sciences

#### Master of Science in Nursing

The program fosters human resources who will become leaders in the nursing profession with advanced nursing theories and skills; educators and researchers who will take on leadership roles; and those who can contribute to the international community. Students take specialized courses in Fundamental Nursing, Adult Nursing, Disaster Nursing, Community Health Nursing, Gerontological Nursing, and Maternal-Child Nursing; while the Certified Nurse Specialist (CNS) program offers courses in Disaster Nursing, Cancer Nursing, and Gerontological Nursing. The program also offers a long-term study program for students who wish to take courses beyond the standard term of study to obtain a degree.

### Doctoral Program

#### Graduate School of Medical Sciences

##### Integrated and Advanced Medical Course

This doctoral program is designed to foster outstanding creativity and research/development skills to succeed at a global level. Through various research projects, the program also nurtures ethical thinking and a sense of humanity, such as the judgment of right and wrong to be protected as a human being.

- Life Sciences Course: for those who wish to become a medical researcher
- Advanced Biomedical Sciences Course: for those who wish to become a clinical medicine researcher
- Comprehensive Community Medicine Course: for those who wish to become a general practitioner, ER emergency physician, family doctor

#### United Graduate School of Child Development (UGSCD)

This program is engaged in specialized research to elucidate children's mental problems such as autistic spectrum disorder. It is centered on the Department of Child and Adolescent Psychological Medicine in the University Hospital and Research Center for Child Mental Development, where students study scientific issues by interlocking medical care, education, and research, moving back and forth between medical care and research.

## Engineering

### Undergraduate Program School of Engineering

#### Department of Mechanical and System Engineering

Students learn a wide range of areas necessary to design machines and their components that create our future life such as production machinery and medical equipment to process materials; and to model and evaluate computer-controlled mechanical systems.

- Mechanical Engineering Course
- Robotics Course
- Nuclear Safety Engineering Course



#### Department of Electrical, Electronic and Computer Engineering

Students engage in systematic study of electrical/communication equipment and information security technology to create a safe and secure society, and device technology and control systems to realize a virtuous cycle between the environment and economic growth.

- Electronics Engineering Course
- Electrical, Communications and Systems Engineering Course
- Computer Science Course

#### Department of Architecture and Civil Engineering

In addition to specialized fields of architecture and civil engineering, students study many issues that are newly emerging in modern society, from individual life to national land design such as urban renewal and planning, construction of environmentally harmonious living spaces, and disaster prevention and mitigation.

- Architecture and Building Engineering Course
- Civil Engineering Course

### Department of Materials Science and Biotechnology

Students learn the specialized knowledge of material chemistry, which explores the structure and properties of substances and the laws involved in their reactions; biochemistry, which is the foundation of life science; and materials engineering, which deals with materials based on the laws of physics.

- Frontier Fiber and Materials Engineering Course
- Materials Chemistry Course
- Biotechnological and Biomedical Engineering Course

#### Department of Applied Physics

Students build up the basis of science and engineering with a focus on mathematics, chemistry, and computational science, along with physics, then study applied and advanced areas of science and engineering and the latest theories in physics in practical courses and the graduation research project.

- No course division. All students study general subjects, mathematics, physics, chemistry, and experiments.

### Master's Program Graduate School of Engineering

Global Engineering Program for International Students (GEPIs) is a 2-year Master's program that provides an opportunity for international students to study various fields of engineering. English is used as the primary language in teaching courses and for research supervision of the program.

- Department of Industrial Innovation Engineering
- Department of System and Infrastructure Engineering for Safe and Sustainable Society
- Department of Fundamental Engineering for Knowledge-Based Society

### Doctoral Program Graduate School of Engineering

Global Engineering Program for Research and Development (GEP for R&D) is a 3-year doctoral program that aims to nurture individuals who are equipped with highly developed practical skills and capable of being industry leaders both in and outside of Japan. English is used as the primary language in teaching courses and for research supervision of the program.

- Advanced Interdisciplinary Science and Technology

## Global and Community Studies

### Undergraduate Program School of Global and Community Studies

#### Department of Global and Community Studies

In order to learn from both "local" and "global" perspectives, we place emphasis on three points: the will and ability to understand different cultures; the ability to know, think, and act on issues that arise in various aspects of society; and the ability to analyze and understand issues from a scientific perspective. The program offers a diverse curriculum to cultivate these abilities.



### Professional Degree Program

#### The Professional Graduate School of Global and Community Management

It is a Professional Degree Program where students study while working to obtain a Master of Global and Community Management (Professional). There are three main subject areas: understanding current situation and issues in communities and the world; specialized knowledge in strategy, organization, marketing, and corporate information necessary to develop management skills and leadership; and language (English and Chinese) and communication skills. Students participate in an overseas field training in the final (4th) semester.



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