

World-leading Innovative Graduate Study Program Co-designing Future Society
(WINGS-CFS) Regulations

- (1) WINGS-CFS students must apply for the Research Fellowship for Young Scientists (DC), which is offered by the Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (JSPS). The students are required to continue the application for DC until accepted, and pledge to stay enrolled in WINGS-CFS program after they are accepted. In case they have not applied for DC, they must submit a Statement of Reasons to explain why they have not applied for. Depending on the stated reasons, their registration to this program or their payment of WINGS RA salary (See next page) might be cancelled.
- (2) Poster presentation meetings, which are taken place twice a year, are opportunities for the students to meet each other, understand mutually their research through their research presentations, and deepen relations. Participation in the meetings is mandatory for all of the students as a rule. In addition, M1, M2, D1, and D2 students make a presentation at the poster presentation meetings held at the end of their academic year.
- (3) IR: the Interim Review is conducted to confirm their research progress and their course records on the students who are at the end of the academic year of M1 and D1. The students are expected to have earned more than 4 credits at the end of M1, and more than 8 credits at the end of D1. The students must pass the IR to continue this program.
- (4) QE: the Qualifying Examination is conducted at the end of M2. The judgment is made based on the research ability evaluation in each department and the program's course record. The students are expected to have earned more than 6 credits at the end of M2. They must pass the QE to continue this program. The students can apply for up to 6 credits, which had been earned during the master's course (including graduate schools of other universities) before the start of the program, as a part of the 12 credits required to complete the program. The applications might be approved after the examinations.
- (5) FE: the Final Examination is conducted after the Doctoral Dissertation Examination in the student's department. The evaluation is made according to the content of the student's doctoral thesis and its social contributions, the student's activity records and knowledge gained from this program, and the oral examination of the student's attitude and aspirations from the point of view of the type of human resources aimed in the program. The oral examination is open to all of the students of this program, faculty, and to company members related to this program. If the student passes the oral examination and completes the all requirement of this program, the certificate of "World-leading Innovative Graduate Study Program Co-designing Future Society" is added to the Diploma.
- (6) This program is an integrated program combining the master's course and doctoral course. If the students decided to not finish the doctoral course, they must notify to be withdrawn from this program immediately. Furthermore, depending on the reasons stated for resigning and the timing of its notification, the WINGS RA salary may be asked to be refunded.

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- The WINGS RA system is based on the TAKUETSU Research Assistant system of the University of Tokyo.
<https://www.ut-portal.u-tokyo.ac.jp/notice/index.php?q=29090>
- The monthly amount of the WINGS RA salary is 180,000 yens, subject to the following conditions.
- The following students cannot receive the WINGS RA salary:
 - (1) Recipients of the JSPS Research Fellowship for Young Scientists (DC1, DC2)
 - (2) Government-sponsored foreign students (including JICA scholarship, students receiving foreign government support such as the CSC)
 - (3) Those who are financially supported by any programs for Leading Graduate Schools
 - (4) Those who are financially supported by any other World-leading Innovative Graduate Study programs
 - (5) Recipients of the University of Tokyo Fellowship Special Scholarship Program for International Students
 - (6) Recipients of Graduate School of Engineering, the University of Tokyo Doctoral Student Special Incentives Program (SEUT-RA)
 - (7) Those who are financially supported by any subsidized projects funded by Japanese Government (The University Fellowship Program for Science and Technology Innovations, Programs for Support for Pioneering Research Initiated by Next Generation (SPRING) of Japan Science and Technology Agency (JST), etc.)
 - (8) Salaried company employees
- TA, part-time jobs, or RA (including technical assistant) with the laboratory's budget are allowed, provided that the students prioritize their research. The students must keep in mind that the WINGS RA salary is paid in compensation for their research activity.
- When the students will receive a stable income of more than about 2.4 million yens per year which is considered to be sufficient as living expenses^{*)}, incentive payments or WINGS-RA salaries are not provided by WINGS-CFS.
 - ^{*)} Please contact to WINGS-CFS office to confirm the details of "sufficient income equivalent to living expenses".
- WINGS RA appointment takes place every academic year and is renewable on the condition that the students pass the Interim Review and the Qualifying Examination during the standard study term.
- Rules may be subject to change.
- These rules will be applied from April 1st, 2022.