

**Exchange Program
Spring Term 2027**

May 2026

1. The application for the Exchange Program for Spring Term 2027 is now open.
2. Study abroad destination
 - University of Pittsburgh
3. Period: Spring Term (**January-April 2027**)
4. Eligibility and requirements
Participants must be students in the master program of GSICS.
5. Requirements
Check the requirements of the study abroad destination.
6. Number of participants: Up to three
7. Fees: Tuitions are waived, as long as the participating students maintain their tuition payment to Kobe University. Other expenses such as travel, living, insurance etc. have to be borne by the participating students.
8. Required documents (Application in GSICS)
 - Application Form*
 - Letter of Commitment*
 - English Score (TOEFL, IELTS, or Duolingo English Test)
 - Academic record and/or registration record of GSICSForms marked with * can be obtained from the Kokusaika-Kasoku Office/Campus Asia Office (hereinafter **International Liaison Office**)
9. Application Procedure
 - Make your intention known, by email to the program coordinators below,
 - Submit the application package (8. Required documents above) by email to the International Liaison Office **by June 10**
 - Contact: maisawa@people.kobe-u.ac.jp (Assistant Professor Maisawa)
 - Selection and decision will be made on the submitted documents. An interview in English may be arranged.