

Life in Kyoto

Approximately 2,000 international students from 106 countries are currently enrolled at Kyoto University, and over 2,700 international researchers spend time at the university every year. The promotion of international exchange and the provision of support for international students and researchers are key areas of focus in the university's operations.



▼ Student Lounge KI-ZU-NA

Kyoto university has an internationally-oriented student lounge called KI-ZU-NA. Its name is derived from a Japanese word referring to the bonds of relationship between people. KI-ZU-NA contributes to the facilitation of international exchange on campus, and it is a place where international and Japanese students and researchers can participate together in a variety of cross-cultural activities.





Founded on a community of skilled artisans and craftspeople versed in aesthetics developed over a millennium, modern day Kyoto has also produced frontier technologies and international business successes. It is a city in which one can find the best of both the old and the new. Students and researchers at Kyoto University will find that the vibrant backdrop of Kyoto City brings constant inspiration and new discoveries to their daily lives and academic endeavors.

