



KYOTO INSPIRATION:

POPULAR CULTURE & TRADITIONAL ARTS

Kyoto has been refining its superb cultural heritage for over 1,200 years.
How does this legacy support and inspire present-day popular culture?

In summer 2021, be inspired by Kyoto!

Kyoto Seika University's 13-day summer program offers unique insights into the ancient capital's diverse traditional arts and contemporary popular culture including manga, game design, anime and fashion.

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JULY 1 (Thu) – 13 (Tue), 2021

Kyoto Seika University* International
Summer Program
(Dorm check-in June 30)

Program:

Lectures

are given by experts on manga, Japanese aesthetics, game development, Zen Buddhism, ukiyo-e print, Kyoto's cultural traditions, Noh, tea, traditional crafts, Gion festival, fashion, and pop culture including the anime industry.

Field trips

visit the Kyoto International Manga Museum, World Heritage temples and gardens, a Noh stage, the Kyoto Seishu Netsuke Art Museum, tea-houses, and the sacred Shinto mountain of Fushimi-Inari.

Participants:

20 undergraduate or graduate students (or recent graduates). Students from our international partner institutions are especially welcome, and prioritized. High school graduates/seniors will be considered.

Language:

English (interpreted from Japanese where necessary).

Accommodation:

On-campus dorm.

Can be extended to attend the Gion Festival on July 17.
(Additional accommodation fee: 1,000 yen per night).

Program Fee:

120,000 yen

(including accommodation, field trips, admissions and program-related transportation, temple stay and welcome/farewell parties; does not include daily meals, international travel/airport shuttle or other personal expenses).

Application Period:

March 15 – April 15, 2021

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*Kyoto Seika University was the first art/design school in Japan to teach Cartoon and Comic Art, with the first Faculty of Manga (including Animation), and Graduate School of Manga. Our Kyoto International Manga Museum is a major attraction and research center.



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