## INVITATION TO APPLY FOR ADMISSION TO HYOGO INTERNATIONAL HOUSE (HIH)

Name	Hyogo International House
The Nearest Station	Train stations nearby are as follows:  Oji Koen Station, Hankyu Kobe Line (10 min. walk)  Nada Station, JR Kobe Line (5 min. walk)  Iwaya Station, Hanshin Main Line (3 min. walk)
Types	Single rooms and Married Couple's rooms (Recruiting rooms depends on the rooms available,)
Requirements for admission	<ul> <li>International students with student visa status: Degree program students or research students * Those who have extended or extend their term of study are not eligible. (excluding those who have extended their term of study for military service.) * Those who are taking, or will take a leave of absence are not eligible. </li> <li>Students who participate in exchange programs held by Kobe University for more than 30 days. Students who don't have student visa status are also eligible to apply. </li> <li>Those who can actively participate in the events by HIH.</li> <li>Those who can keep to the regulations of HIH.</li> <li>Married Couple's rooms: Only for the spouse who can always live with the applicant. Other relatives can't live in HIH.</li> </ul>
Rent and expense	<ul> <li>Housing Rent (per month):     Single room: 35,000 yen, Married Couple's room: 35,000 yen</li> <li>Admission Fee: (When moving in only)     Single room: 35,000 yen, Married Couple's room: 70,000 yen     *If residents don't pay the admission fee within 2 months, they must move out of HIH.</li> <li>Utilities: Actual cost</li> <li>Electricity, Water, and Internet: Individually subscribe to each companies</li> </ul>
Living space and facilities	(Living space) Single room: 18 m², Married Couple's room: 40.5 m² (Facilities) Single room: air-conditioner, sink, unit bathroom, toilet, refrigerator, telephone, writing desk and chair, bookshelf, wardrobe, shoe box, mirror, desk lamp, bookshelf, bed (bedframe and mattress only, no bedclothes, pillows, etc.) Married Couple's rooms: air-conditioner, mini-kitchen, unit bathroom, toilet, refrigerator, washing machine, dryer, vacuum cleaner, iron, ironing board, telephone, writing desk and chair, sofa, bookshelf, dining table with two chairs, electric cooking unit, closet, shoe box, mirror, desk lamp, bed (bed-frame and mattress only, no bedclothes, pillows, etc.)
Terms of residence	Residence period is up to 1 year (It is extendable up to 3 years if it is within the term of study).  *This Includes previous residence periods in HIH (including the past residence period of the spouse in HIH, in case of the married couple's room.)  If the term of study is until August 2024, the residence period ends by August 25, 2024. If the term of study is until September 2024, the residence period ends by September 25, 2024. If the term of study is until March 2025, the residence period ends by March 25, 2025.
Deadline for submission	Please confirm the deadline with the Student Affairs Section at your faculty and submit your application documents there.

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Documents	① Application for Hyogo International House (Form 1-1(1)) ② Letter of recommendation (Form 2-1) (issued by the Student Affairs Section at your faculty) ③ The proposal for implementation / participation of exchange activities at Hyogo International House (Form 3) ④ Application for Hyogo International House (Form 14-1) ⑤ A photocopy of Student ID card *If you are a new student, you may submit the photocopy of the letter of acceptance or the admission permit, instead of a Student ID card. ⑥ A photocopy of passport (pages of photo and visa) (including the spouse for married couple's room). ⑦ A photocopy of Residence card (both sides) (including the spouse for married couple's room) ⑧ A photocopy of passport (pages of the date of entry to Japan) ⑨ (Only for applicants of married couple's room) Certificate of Residence (住民票) issued within the last three months (for the spouse) or official certificate showing the relationship between you and your spouse, written in English or Japanese. *Application forms can be downloaded from the website of HIH. *Please refer to the application requirements for more details of the documents needed and notes for applying.
Selection	Applicant screening by Japan Student Services Organization (JASSO)  *Please refer to the website of HIH about the criteria for selection.(Only in Japanese)
Remarks	Reference URL of HIH <a href="https://www.jasso.go.jp/ryugaku/kyoten/hiec/residence/boshu/ryugakusei.html">https://www.jasso.go.jp/ryugaku/kyoten/hiec/residence/boshu/ryugakusei.html</a> (Japanese) <a href="https://www.jasso.go.jp/en/kyoten/hiec/index.html">https://www.jasso.go.jp/en/kyoten/hiec/index.html</a> (English)