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(ACUCA)

INFORMATION COLLECTION FORM

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Year of founding: 1913

If mission board(s) and/or church(es) involved in founding, please identify:

Society of Jesus

Legal status of institution: Private Institution accredited by the Ministry of Education,
Culture, Sports, Science & Technology in Japan

Constituent colleges and graduate schools and their founding years:

Sophia University Junior College Division (1973), Graduate school (1951)

Total annual budget: (local currency) 19,324,000,000 Yen equivalent to USD: 206,019,690

Major Source of Support by percentage:

Students and families: 73% Government subsidies: 12%

Auxiliary enterprises: 2% Other: 13%

Mission Statement of the institution:

On the basis of the spirit of Catholicism and as the center of academics, the University aims to cultivate competent community leaders, and to contribute to cultural development and human welfare, by searching for the highest goal of truth, providing broad and deep expertise in academics, and attempting character-building while developing intelligence, morality, and practical ability.

STUDENTS

Total number of undergraduate students: Full-time: 10,886 Part-time: 284

Indigenous: Male: 4,587 Female: 5,843 Total: 10,430

International: Male: 343 Female: 397 Total: 740

Total number of postgraduate students: Full-time: 1,420 Part-time: 39

Indigenous: Male: 777 Female: 455 Total: 1,232

International: Male: 95 Female: 132 Total: 227

Major countries represented by international students: China, the United States, S Korea

Proportion of students residing on campus: N/A

STAFF

Total number of academic staff: 1,259

Indigenous: Full-time: 450 Part-time: 628 Total: 1078

International: Full-time: 77 Part-time: 104 Total: 181

Information concerning full-time academic staff (insert numbers):

Earned Degrees	Indigenous	International
Doctorate	286	41
Master	144	35
Bachelor	20	1

Major countries represented by international staff:

The United States, United Kingdom, Germany

Proportion of full-time residing on campus: N/A

Total number of administrative staff: 295

Total number of computing staff: N/A

Total number of technical staff: N/A

Total number of library staff: N/A (included in administrative staff)

COURSES

Total number of undergraduate programs: 28 (Departments) *See Annexure I

Total number of Postgraduate programs: 24 (Master's / Doctoral Programs) *See Annexure I

Proportion of regular courses taught in medium of English (excluding English language courses): Undergraduate level: 10.89% Postgraduate level: 11.15%

Major fields of disciplines in which the courses in English are offered:

Undergraduate: Liberal Arts, Science and Technology (Green Science, Green Engineering)

Graduate: Global Studies, Linguistics (TESOL), Global Environmental Studies

Faculties/Schools:

---Faculties---

- Faculty of Theology
- Faculty of Humanities
- Faculty of Human Sciences
- Faculty of Law
- Faculty of Economics
- Faculty of Foreign Studies
- Faculty of Liberal Arts
- Faculty of Science and Technology

---Graduate Schools---

- Graduate School of Theology
- Graduate School of Philosophy
- Graduate School of Humanities
- Graduate School of Human Sciences
- Graduate School of Law

Graduate School of Economics
 Graduate School of Foreign Studies
 Graduate School of Global Studies
 Graduate School of Science and Technology
 Graduate School of Global Environmental Studies

Research Institutes:

---Research Institutes Division---

- Institute for Christian Culture
- Institute of Medieval Thought
- Iberoamerican Institute
- Linguistic Institute for International Communication
- Institute of Global Concern (IGC)
- Institute of Comparative Culture
- European Institute
- Institute of Asian Cultures
- Institute of American and Canadian Studies
- Institute for Studies of the Global Environment

---Affiliated Research Organizations---

- Sophia Asia Center for Research and Human Development
- Institute of Grief Care
- Semiconductor Research Institute
- Institute of Bioethics
- Kirishitan Bunko Library
- Monumenta Nipponica

Centers:

---Project Research Division---

- Center for Environment and Trade Research
- Center for Environment and Trade Research
- Center for Islamic Studies

LIBRARY

Total number of libraries on campus: 5 libraries (on 4 campuses)

Information concerning volumes and journals by major languages:

Indigenous Language	Books	Journals
Chinese	36,467	94
English	357,750	4,734
French	44,901	517
German	105,406	692
Japanese	634,750	7,234
Korean	4,249	59
Spanish	56,550	291
Others(please specify)	224,637	291
Total number	1,464,710	15,608

Regular publications by academic field: Monumenta Nipponica, AGLOS: Journal of Area Based Global Studies, Sophia International Review, Sophia TESOL Forum, Journal of Global Environmental Studies (many more published in Japanese and other languages)

Annexure I

---Departments---

- Department of Theology
- Department of Philosophy
- Department of History
- Department of Japanese Literature
- Department of English Literature
- Department of German Literature
- Department of French Literature
- Department of Journalism
- Department of Education
- Department of Psychology
- Department of Sociology
- Department of Social Services
- Department of Nursing
- Department of Law
- Department of International Legal Studies
- Department of Legal Studies of the Global Environment
- Department of Economics
- Department of Management
- Department of English Studies
- Department of German Studies
- Department of French Studies
- Department of Hispanic Studies
- Department of Russian Studies
- Department of Luso-Brazilian Studies
 - Asian Cultures Minor
 - Linguistics Minor
 - International Relations Minor
- Department of Liberal Arts
- Department of Materials and Life Science
- Department of Engineering and Applied Science
- Department of Information and Communication Science

---Graduate Programs---

- Master's Program in Theology
- Doctoral Program in Systematic Theology
- Master's (Doctoral) Program in Philosophy
- Master's (Doctoral) Program in History
- Master's (Doctoral) Program in Japanese Literature
- Master's (Doctoral) Program in English and American Literature
- Master's (Doctoral) Program in German Literature
- Master's (Doctoral) Program in French Literature
- Master's (Doctoral) Program in Journalism
- Master's (Doctoral) Program in Cultural Interaction
- Master's (Doctoral) Program in Education
- Master's (Doctoral) Program in Psychology
- Master's (Doctoral) Program in Sociology
- Master's (Doctoral) Program in Social Services
- Master's Program in Nursing
- Master's (Doctoral) Program in Law / Juris Doctor Program (Law School)
- Master's (Doctoral) Program in Economics
- Master's (Doctoral) Program in Management
- Master's (Doctoral) Program in Linguistics
- Master's Program in Linguistics(TESOL)
- Master's (Doctoral) Program in International Relations

- Master's (Doctoral) Program in Area Studies
- Master's (Doctoral) Program in Global Studies
- Master's (Doctoral) Program in Science and Technology
 - Mechanical Engineering
 - Electrical and Electronics Engineering
 - Applied Chemistry
 - Chemistry
 - Mathematics
 - Physics
 - Biological Science
 - Information Science
- Master's (Doctoral) Program in Global Environmental Studies

COMPUTING FACILITIES

Total number of personal computers: 1,045

Other computing facilities:

Computer Rooms
CALL (Computer Assisted Language Learning)
Wired / Wireless Network on campus
VPN Service
Moodle (e-learning platform)

OTHER FACILITIES(e.g. sports and recreation facilities, accommodation)

Sanadabori Athletic Grounds
Gymnasium
Hadano Campus (basketball, tennis, volleyball, and track and field facilities, Clubhouse)
Hoffman Hall (Student Hall)
Campus bookstore, Convenience Store
Cafeteria (Ginza Suehiro, Leoc Rainbow, Leoc Sophia Garden, Subway®)
Sophia Edagawa Men's Dormitory
Soshigaya International House (Dormitory)
Hadano Seminar House, Karuizawa Seminar House
Mountain Lodges (Yatsugatake Hut, Hodaigi Hut)

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