

*All GSGS workshops and symposiums will be **held online** in this academic year (4/2020-3/2021) due to travel restrictions and social distancing during the coronavirus pandemic.*



Graduate School of Global Studies
Global Studies Symposiums and Workshops
Organized by Graduate Students and Junior Scholars
Call for Proposals, (2020)

As part of our training and education, the Graduate School of Global Studies (GSGS) offers graduate students and junior scholars the opportunity to organize symposiums and workshops that are open to the public. This gives students the professional experience of organizing an academic event, while furthering their own research and intellectual networks. To apply for this opportunity, students submit proposals for workshops, with the best proposal will selected to be nurtured to the scale of an international symposium. Additionally, those who present papers at GSGS sponsored workshops will be able to publish them in the *AGLOS*, the online journal of the GSGS.

The application process is as follows:

Qualified Applicants

Those who fall under any of the following items:

1. Current M.A. or Ph.D. students of GSGS
2. Ph.D. candidates on leave (*manki taigaku*) and Ph.D. recipients (those who completed their degree with the past three years) of the GSGS.

*It is highly preferable that proposals submitted by Ph.D. candidates on leave and Ph.D. recipients include current M.A. or Ph.D. students of GSGS.

Application Deadline

~~June 21st 2020 (Sun), 23:59~~ → July 8th 2020 (Wed), 23:59

How to Apply

Please download the application form from the GSGS homepage (<https://dept.sophia.ac.jp/g/gs/>), fill it out and send to the faculty advisor. The student should ask the faculty advisor to sign the form, scan it and return it to the student. The student then sends it as an attached file to: gds-gs@sophia.ac.jp

GSGS Funding

1. The GSGS will provide an honorarium(s) to invited scholars from outside Sophia University.

Required Information (Please refer to the application form)

- (1) The name of the organizer
- (2) Your affiliation and contact details (mailing address, telephone/fax numbers, and email address)
- (3) The name of one GSGS faculty member (fulltime) who will help the students plan the symposium/workshop (The faculty member must **not** be on sabbatical/leave in the fall semester)

- (4) Title of workshop
- (5) Proposed date of workshop
- (6) A proposal that includes the following:
 - a) 3-4 presenters (Presenters should be graduate students and junior scholars who are not yet full-time faculty members. At least one presenter should be from outside the university.)
 - b) 1-2 discussant(s)
 - c) Abstract of each presentation
 - d) The name of guest speaker (list first and second choice) from abroad or Japan (should the proposal be selected as a symposium)
 - e) Purpose of workshop and its anticipated results (about 500 words in English)

Notification of Results

All applications will be considered by a committee consisting of faculty members in the GSGS. Applicants will be notified of the results by the end of June 2020.

Reports of Workshop and Symposium Results

Following the workshops and symposium, an organizer will be asked to submit a report to the Graduate School of Global Studies within a week of the event.

Contact

All inquiries should be directed to the Office of the GSGS, at the email address: gds-gs@sophia.ac.jp

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