



Tokyo Tech

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To: Deans and Associate Deans,
AOTULE Member Institutions:

We hope all you are staying safe and well during this ongoing pandemic. It was a great pity that our AOTULE summer program had to be cancelled for two consecutive years. We sincerely appreciate your kind understanding and cooperation.

Regardless of whether the pandemic will settle down by next summer and whether the Japanese government will relax the current strict immigration restriction, we have concluded to implement the Tokyo Tech AOTULE Summer Program 2022.

The program, which is organized by the Engineering Schools of Tokyo Tech (School of Engineering, School of Materials and Chemical Technology, and School of Environment and Society), invites students from your institute for **an opportunity to conduct research projects under the supervision of our faculty, take some designated courses, and experience Japanese culture.**

We would like to request that you **nominate two postgraduate or final-year undergraduate students, ranking one of them as a “first choice” and the other as a “second choice,”** and forward the application documents of the candidates to AOTULE Program Office (email: ko.intl@jim.titech.ac.jp) by **10 December, 2021.**

We will most likely select your first-choice nominee and consider selecting the second nominee depending upon our funding situation.

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The Tokyo Tech AOTULE Committee will review the applications and notify you of **the selection result by mid-January 2022**. The selected students will then be required to complete the online application procedures by the end of January for the enrollment into Tokyo Tech.

Considering the unpredictable spread of the COVID-19 next year, **please kindly note that the program may have to be shortened, postponed, or totally cancelled.**

We sincerely hope that the situation surrounding the whole world will be stabilized and that we will be able to host your students next summer here at Tokyo Tech.

We look forward to receiving your student nominations.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'M. Susa'.

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