

Grant Program for Japan-ASEAN Global Partnership

Section in Charge: International Operations Section I,
Global Partnerships Department

◆ Outline

This program is designed to support collaborative activities conducted by organizations in Japan or ASEAN countries that aim to address global common issues, with the goal of contributing to the development of a multilayered network and building trust between Japan and ASEAN through intellectual exchange and the cultivation of the next generation of intellectual leaders.

◆ Eligibility

Japanese and ASEAN non-profit organizations

◆ Eligible Projects

The projects must begin between April 1, 2026 and March 31, 2027.

The following are not eligible for support under this grant: projects focused on academic research in medical, technical or natural sciences, commercial activities, projects in support of specific doctrines or claims. For details, please refer to the "Grant Program for Japan-ASEAN Global Partnership" guidelines.

◆ Grant Coverage

A portion of the costs necessary for the project can be covered by this grant. The following are eligible for consideration.

- 1 Personnel & Honoraria (honoraria for lecturers, researchers, collaborators, and interpreters, staff salaries, etc.)
- 2 Travel (international and domestic transportation, accommodation, meals, etc.)
- 3 Conference costs (room rental, audio and visual equipment rental, advertising, etc.)
- 4 Report & publication costs (editing, website creation, translation, printing, etc.)
- 5 Other direct project costs (purchase of reference materials, etc.)
- 6 Indirect costs (no more than 10% of the direct costs the Japan Foundation supports)



◆ Number of Grants (Reference)

7 out of 29 applications for FY 2025

◆ Selection Policy

- 1 Applications will be selected based on a comprehensive assessment of the project proposal, including topic, purpose, participants, methods, dissemination of outcome, etc.
- 2 Relevant area experts may be consulted during the review process as necessary.

◆ Application Deadline

Apply through Online Application Portal by 1 p.m., December 2, 2025 (Japan Standard Time)

◆ Notification of Results

April 2026

For projects that are scheduled to start in April 2026, please note that notification of results may be sent after the project has already started.

◆ Notes for all Applicants

Please refer to the Japan Foundation website for information on application procedures and important notes common to all programs.

JF website: [The Japan Foundation - General Instructions](#)

