

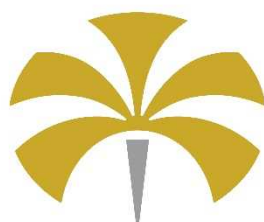
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For International Applicants

Graduate School of Rehabilitation Science Osaka Metropolitan University

Master's Program ▪ Doctoral Program Admission Guidelines for International Students

[For April 2023 Admission]



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The latest information on our response to COVID-19 shall be published on our website. Any changes to the information provided in the admission guidelines shall also be published on our website, so please remember to check it regularly.

Osaka Metropolitan University Admission Guidelines Website (In Japanese only)

<https://www.upc-osaka.ac.jp/new-univ/admissions/>



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Outline of Graduate School of Rehabilitation Science

This graduate school aims to realize new rehabilitation that is more closely related to daily life, supporting independent social participation in the community, beyond the boundaries of conventional rehabilitation medicine such as the treatment, recovery and prevention of progression of disabilities. Comprising the two departments of Physical Therapy and Occupational Therapy, our Graduate School of Rehabilitation Science seeks to cultivate human resources who possess advanced research capabilities, with the goal of establishing new rehabilitation studies covering all stages from health maintenance/promotion, illness and disability prevention, to treatment, recovery, and social rehabilitation/participation.

In this graduate school, multiple faculty members will provide academic guidance according to the research purpose, abilities and aptitudes of the students, and the faculty members will cooperate to provide research guidance under a collective guidance system. If you would like to apply to our graduate school, before undergoing the application, you should consult with the faculty member under whom you wish to study regarding your research after admission.

1) Department of Physical Therapy

The Department of Physical Therapy undertakes a broad range of basic to clinical research, including motor control, neurophysiology, musculoskeletal physical therapy, cardiopulmonary physical therapy, support for sports for the disabled, geriatric rehabilitation, women's health, and preventive physical therapy.

Areas of concentration in this departments are Neuroanatomy, Motor Control, Motor Function Development, Motor Function Recovery, Functioning in Older Adults, Health Promotion, and Social Participation Support.

2) Department of Occupational Therapy

The Department of Occupational Therapy undertakes a wide range of basic to clinical research to support daily living, which include higher brain function, post-apoplectic upper limb function, remote rehabilitation, severe dementia, developmental disorder, intractable diseases, cancer, cognitive decline prevention for the elderly, and occupational science.

Areas of concentration in this department are Cognitive / Conduct Disorders, Mental / Behavioral Disorders, Developmental Period Functioning, Motor Function / Motor Recovery, and Nursing Care Prevention Technology.

Master's Program

Graduate School of Rehabilitation Science Master's Program Admissions Policy

Our master's program in the Department of Rehabilitation Science selects students with the following qualities, abilities and motivations, based on our principle of training highly qualified medical professionals who contribute to improving people's health and quality of life, and valuing the preciousness of life and human dignity:

1. Those with knowledge and high ethical values in rehabilitation science, from prevention and treatment of illnesses to alleviation of disabilities or support for children/adults with disabilities or the elderly to facilitate their independent living and social participation in communities
2. Those who have motivations for research and concrete prospects, and presentation skills to convey them accurately
3. Those who have English skills to read and understand specialized knowledge and express logical thinking

Admission Guidelines for International Applicants

Master's Program

[1] Number of Students to be Admitted

The Graduate School of Rehabilitation Science consists of one division with two departments, and the admission capacity to our master program is as follows.

Regarding the departments to call to apply and a list of faculty members, please refer to Faculty Contact Information and Major Research Areas.

Department	Capacity
Department of Physical Therapy	low enrollment capacity
Department of Occupational Therapy	low enrollment capacity

* Our graduate school provides classes and research guidance at specific times or periods as stipulated in Article 14 of the Standards for the Establishment of Graduate Schools. Applicants who wish to apply for this measure are advised to inform us at the time of the preliminary interview.

* If a second round of applications is to be conducted, it will be announced on the University's admissions website in September 2022.

https://www.upc-osaka.ac.jp/new-univ/admissions/g/exam_info/graduate/gs_med_reha.html

[2] Qualification for Admission

Those who are not Japanese nationals and fall under any of the following categories. This application is limited only to those who have the status of residence of "Student," or those who are expected to obtain the status of residence of "Student" at the time of enrollment, as stipulated in the "Immigration Control and Refugee Recognition Act."

* If any applicant does not have or is not planning to obtain the status of residence of "Student," please contact Admissions, Student Group, Habikino Campus Office. Tel 072-950-2117

- (1) Those who have graduated from a university in Japan or who is expected to graduate by March 31, 2023.
- (2) Those awarded a Bachelor's degree from the National Institute for Academic Degrees and Quality Enhancement of Higher Education and those who is expected to receive a Bachelor's degree by March 31, 2023.
- (3) Those who have completed 16 years of school education in foreign countries and those who are expected to complete their studies by March 31, 2023.
- (4) Those who have completed in Japan a 16-year course offered by a foreign school through correspondence in Japan and those who are expected to complete their studies by March 31, 2023.
- (5) Those who have completed in Japan relevant courses designated separately by the Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology at an educational institution that is positioned within the school education system of the relevant foreign country as one that provides university courses (*1). This also includes those who are expected to complete their studies by March 31, 2023.

*1 This applies only to those who have completed 16 years of course work as part of school education in the relevant foreign country.

- (6) Those who were awarded a degree equivalent to a Bachelor's degree by completing a course with a study period of at least 3 years at a foreign university or other foreign school (*2) and those who are expected to be awarded the degree by March 31, 2023.

*2 The comprehensive situation regarding educational research activities shall be limited to those who have been evaluated by the foreign government or persons recognized by related organizations or those designated by the Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology.

This includes completing in Japan, according to the information given above, the correspondence course offered by the relevant foreign school which is part of the education system of that foreign country.

- (7) Those who have completed a course after the date separately designated by the Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology in a specialized course offered by a vocational school (*3). This also includes those who are expected to complete their studies by March 31, 2023.

*3 Students must meet the standards specified by the Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology such as the duration of the course of study being at least 4 years and other standards.

- (8) A person designated by the Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (Feb. 7, 1953 Notice No. 5 of the Ministry of Education).
- (9) Those who have studied at a university in Japan for at least 3 years and those who are expected to have attended the university for at least 3 years by March 31, 2023.
- (10) Those who completed a 15-year course as part of school education in a foreign country and those who are expected to complete their studies by March 31, 2023.

Note: Any applicant who meets the above conditions (9) or (10) must first follow the procedure for qualification as specified in “[3] Qualification Screening”.

[3] Qualification Screening

Those who meet condition (9) or (10) of the above [2] application eligibility need to have their application eligibility examined. Please submit the required documents by referring to the documents to be submitted below. For certification, a simple test may be conducted as necessary.

1. Documents to be submitted The documents marked ○ must be submitted.

Documents to be submitted	Memorandum	Qualification for Admission	
		(9)	(10)
Applicant's Background and Curriculum Vitae	Please use either the Japanese or English form specified by the Graduate School.	○	○
Academic Transcript	Issued by your most recent academic institution (original copy).	○	○
Student Status Certificate	Document to prove your enrollment period	○	
Documents on the details of classes at your previous university	For those students enrolled in other universities, etc., a bulletin or corresponding documents thereof	○	
Copy of residence card	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Please submit photocopies of both sides of the residence card. • Overseas residents must submit a photocopy of their passport (page with face photo). 	○	○
Envelopes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Please write your name, address, and postal code on a commercial long-form No.3 envelope (12cm×23.5cm) and attach a stamp worth 404 yen. 	○	○

[Notes]

1. The form specified by the Graduate School of Rehabilitation Science can be downloaded from the university website.

2. If your name is different from the name appearing in your certificate, etc., please submit documents to prove this fact (such as an extract copy of your family register).
3. For documents written (certified) in a language other than Japanese, please attach a separate Japanese translation.

2. Qualification screening deadlines

Application schedule	Submission address
<p><First round of applications> June 15–17, 2022 [No later than June 17, 2022 (Friday)]</p> <p><Second round of applications> October 24–26, 2022 [No later than October 26, 2022 (Wednesday)]</p> <p>※Please send by registered post and before the deadline. Applications are to be submitted only by mail.</p>	<p>〒583-8555 3-7-30 Habikino, Habikino City, Osaka Prefecture Osaka Metropolitan University Habikino Campus Office Admissions, Student Group</p> <p>※Mailed documents must bear the following on the envelope in red ink: “Documents to apply for the qualification screening for admission into the Graduate School of Rehabilitation Science.” Tel 072-950-2117</p>

3. The results of the qualification screening

The results will be sent out by the following date. We will send the Applicant's Qualification Certificate to the qualified applicant.

First round of applications: July 6, 2022

Second round of applications: November 16, 2022

[4] Application Procedure

The application procedure will be conducted via the internet.

Before undergoing the application procedure, you should consult with the faculty member under whom you wish to study in your desired field of study regarding your research after admission.

At the time of the interview, please obtain the signature / seal of the faculty member in the designated place on the Preliminary Interview Confirmation. Please note that this confirmation does not guarantee your admission.

Regarding research fields and academic advisors, please refer to Outline of Graduate School of Rehabilitation Science and Faculty Contact Information and Major Research Areas.

- * Applicants from outside Japan (overseas) should contact Admissions, Student Group, Habikino Campus Office (gr-hab-rehabilitation@omu.ac.jp) by June 24, 2022 (first round of applications) or November 4, 2022 (second round of applications), with their name and the prospective Department so that we can provide them with separate instructions on the application process.

1. Application Period

Heading	Period
Online application registration	<p><First round of applications> July 8, 2022, 10:00 to July 14, 2022, 17:00^(※)</p> <p><Second round of applications> November 18, 2022, 10:00 to November 24, 2022, 17:00^(※)</p>
Submission of documents required for application	<p><First round of applications> July 12-14, 2022</p> <p><Second round of applications> November 21-24, 2022</p> <p>< Documents arriving after the above dates will be accepted if postmarked by the above dates (Postmarked at a domestic sending office in Japan, only for registered express mail). (See note)></p>

(*) Although applications can be registered during the Internet application registration period, please send your application documents to us by simplified registered mail by July 14 (Thursday) for the first round of applications and November 24 (Thursday) for the second round of applications (postmarked by those dates, respectively). Please register in plenty of time. Applications brought directly to the university will not be accepted.

Note: For application documents sent from overseas by EMS, the date of arrival in a post office in Japan will be used as the standard date.

2. Method of Application

Please follow Steps 1 – 6 below to submit your application.

● Advance Preparations		
Step1	PC or other Operating Environment	• Applications can be registered from a PC, smartphone, or other device connected to the internet
	Printing Requirements	• Print the documents that need to be mailed on A4 paper.
	Email Settings	• A notification email will be sent when you register your application. Ensure that you have added @sak-sak.net to your safelist as an authorized sender so that you can receive emails from this domain.
	Documents Necessary for Application	• Please refer to [4] Application Procedures 4 Application Documents and prepare them, so they may be submitted on time.

	Envelopes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Please prepare two types of envelopes: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> ① A commercially available rectangle-type No. 2 (24.0cm×33.2cm) for mailing application documents. ② A commercially available long-form No. 3 (12.0cm×23.5cm) with stamps worth 404 yen attached for sending the Entrance Examination Card
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Step2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Accessing the Online Application Site 	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • You can find the Online Application Site on the university website during the application registration period. University Website URL: https://www.upc-osaka.ac.jp/new-univ/admissions/g/exam_info/inet-apply.html	



Step3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Application Registration 	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Please read the “User's Guide,” “Application Procedures,” and “Q&A” on the Internet Application Site before you register your application. • Please verify all your entered information on the final confirmation screen, as you cannot change the input information after the application registration is completed. 	



Step4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Payment of Examination Fee 			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Please pay the examination fee (30,000 yen) by any of methods (1)–(4), as per the instructions on the online application site. (Refer to [4] Application Procedure 3. Examination Fee Payment Method) • In addition to the examination fee, a handling fee (990 yen) is required. 			
	(1) Credit card	(2) Convenience stores	(3) ATM (Pay-Easy)	(4) Net banking



Step5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Printing the Application Confirmation Slip and Address Label 	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Please print it single-sided on A4-size white sheets of paper. • Please complete printing within the registration period for the online application. You will not be able to print the application confirmation slip and address label after the registration period. 	



Step6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sending the Required Documents 	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Please send the application documents by simplified-registered mail (postmark valid). (See [4] Application Procedure 4. Application Documents.) • Application documents not submitted within the deadline will not be accepted. (See [4] Application Procedure 1. Application Period) 	

3. Examination Fee Payment Method

The fees required for application registration are as follows.

- Admission certification fee ¥30,000
- Handling fee ¥990

Payment may be made through any of the following payment methods available. For detailed information on payment methods, please check the screen for the payment method selected on the “Select Payment Method” page of the online application site.

Payment Method	Handling Agency
(1) Credit card	VISA, MasterCard, JCB, AMERICAN EXPRESS, Diners Club Note: Only lump-sum payments are accepted.
(2) Convenience stores	7-Eleven, Lawson, Ministop, FamilyMart, Daily Yamazaki, Yamazaki Daily Store, Seicomart Note: Only cash payments are accepted.
(3) ATM (Pay-Easy)	You can pay at ATMs in financial institutions that have the Pay-easy mark.
(4) Net banking	You can use the banking services of more than 1,000 banks across Japan, including major megabanks that support Pay-easy. ※To avail yourself of this method, you need to have signed up for net banking.

4. Application Documents

After registering your application and paying the examination fee, please submit all the following documents within the submission period. Please download the designated form from the university website.

Ensure that you use a commercially available rectangle-type No.2 envelope (24cm x 33.2cm) with the following address label attached.

※Applicants who have undergone [3] Qualification Screening may omit documents that are duplicated in the Qualification Screening.

Documents marked * are to be submitted only where applicable.

Application Documents	Preparation
Application Confirmation Form (for submission to the university)	After registering your online application and paying the examination fee, please print the application form on A4-sized paper from the online application site.
Application for Admission, Curriculum Vitae	Please use either the Japanese or English form specified by the Graduate School. Please be sure to print the Application for Admission and Curriculum Vitae on both sides of the paper.

Preliminary Interview Confirmation	Please use either the Japanese or English form specified by the Graduate School.
Entrance Examination Card • Photo Card	Please use either the Japanese or English form specified by the Graduate School. As for the photo card, please provide the required information and paste 4 cm x 3 cm photo taken within the last three months onto the card.
Certificate of Graduation (Completion) or Prospective Certificate (Documents Certifying Qualification for Admission)	Certificate issued by the president of the applicant's previous university stating that the applicant has received (or expects to receive) the degree.
Academic Transcript	A transcript issued by the president of the applicant's previous university stating the number of credits and the grades of courses taken.
Application Eligibility Certificate (*)	Please submit this only if you meet either of conditions (9) or (10) of the application eligibility.
Certificate of Postsecondary Course at Specialized Training College (*)	Please submit this only if you meet condition (7) of the application eligibility.
Research Plan	Please submit three copies in the form prescribed by the university.
Copy of the residence card	Please submit photocopies of both sides of the residence card. Overseas residents must submit a copy of their passport (the page with the photo).
Envelopes for sending Entrance Examination Card	Please write your name, address, and postal code on a commercial long-form No.3 envelope (12cm×23.5cm) and attach a stamp worth 404 yen. ※ Please add “sama (様)” after your name.
Address Label	After registering your online application and paying the examination fee, please print it on a piece of A4 paper from the online application site and paste it on the commercial rectangular No.2 envelope (24cm×33.2cm).
Application Document Checklist	Please check (✓) the check box for the documents to be sent, and submit them.

[Notes]

1. Original copies of the above certificates are required for application. Copies will not be accepted.
2. If your name is different from the name appearing in your graduation certificate, academic transcript, etc., please submit documents to prove this fact (such as an extract copy of your family register).
3. If you are currently a student (regular student) of Osaka Prefecture University, School of Comprehensive Rehabilitation and wish to request Habikino Campus Office to obtain your certificate of expectation of

graduation and academic transcript of Osaka Prefecture University on your behalf, submission of the above certificates at the time of application may be omitted. If the above certificates are not enclosed in your application documents, it will be deemed as if you have requested Habikino Campus Office to obtain them on your behalf. If you have any problems regarding the above, please obtain the abovementioned certificates by yourself.

4. No changes in the information will be accepted after the application procedure.
5. For documents written (certified) in a language other than Japanese, please attach a separate Japanese translation.

5. Notes for Applications

- (1) Please complete all the procedures within [4] Application Procedures: 1. Application period: registering applications, payment of examination fees, and mailing of application documents (by registered mail within the submission period). Please note that the application procedure is not completed merely by online registration and paying the examination fee.

- (2) Input of Applicant Information

Please enter an address where you can receive mail when sending the Entrance Examination Card. If your address has changed since the announcement of successful applicants, please contact Admissions, Student Group, Habikino Campus Office (Tel 072-950-2117) or submit a change of residence notification to the post office.

- (3) You cannot change the details in the application once registration has been completed. If you notice a mistake before paying the examination fee, please do not pay the fee, and begin registration again from the beginning. Additionally, you are not permitted to cancel an application once it has been accepted.
- (4) The “Application Receipt Number” listed on the application confirmation slip is not the examination number.
- (5) We cannot accept incomplete Applications for Admission. When registering the application, please ensure you include a contact number and email address where you can be reached, as we may contact you if the application is incomplete.
- (6) We may ask you to submit other documents as necessary. In that case, please follow our instructions promptly.
- (7) Once paid, the examination fee shall not be refunded except for the following reasons.

○ Grounds for refund:

- If you paid the examination fee but did not apply,
- If the application documents are incomplete or otherwise unacceptable,
- In case of duplicate payment of examination fee.

Note: Please contact the Admissions Office within one month of the application deadline for information on obtaining a refund.

6. Sending the Entrance Examination Card

Applicants who have completed the application process will be sent an “Entrance Examination Card” and “Examination Notes” by registered mail by the following date. If you have not received it by the following date, please

contact Admissions, Student Group, Habikino Campus Office. (Tel: 072-950-2117)

First round of applications: August 18, 2022

Second round of applications: December 12, 2022

7. Considerations for Examination

Persons with disabilities or in another situation that requires consideration for the examination, please contact Admissions, Student Group, Habikino Campus Office as soon as possible before submitting your application.

(Tel: 072-950-2117, E-mail: gr-nyu-ask3@omu.ac.jp)

[5] Admission Selection Method

1. Selection Method

Comprehensive judgment will be made based on the tests of English language (TOEIC IP test^{*1}), academic ability (oral examinations^{*2}), and application documents.

2. Examination Date and Subjects

First round of applications

Examination date	Examination time	Examination subjects
August 25, 2022	10:00~12:00 ^{*3}	English language (TOEIC IP test)
	13:30~	Academic ability (oral examinations)

(Spare day)

August 26, 2022	Due to unexpected circumstances such as natural disasters, the above examination is postponed on the day that is designated.	
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Second round of applications

Examination date	Examination time	Examination subjects
December 18, 2022	10:00~12:00 ^{*3}	English language (TOEIC IP test)
	13:30~	Academic ability (oral examinations)

(Spare day)

December 24, 2022	Due to unexpected circumstances such as natural disasters, the above examination is postponed on the day that is designated.	
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* 1 Scores of tests of the TOEIC Public Programme or TOEIC Institutional Programme that were taken in advance cannot be used.

* 2 In the oral examinations, applicants are to give a presentation based on their research plan, using a personal computer.

* 3 The end time of the test is subject to change. The detailed schedule will be informed on the day of the test.


Instructions for the day of the examination will be provided when we send you the Entrance Examination Card.

3. Examination locations

Habikino Campus, Osaka Metropolitan University
3-7-30 Habikino, Habikino City, Osaka 583-8555
Tel 072-950-2117

[6] Announcement of Successful Applicants

1. Announcement of successful applicants

Date and time of announcement	Place of publication
<First round of applications> September 6, 2022, 10:00	https://www.upc-osaka.ac.jp/new-univ/admissions/g/exam_info/pass.html 
<Second round of applications> January 5, 2023, 10:00	

Successful applicants will be notified directly. The examination numbers of successful applicants will also be posted on the university website, from 10:00 on the day of the announcement to 17:00 on the seventh day from the announcement. Please note that the university will not respond to any inquiries regarding the results by telephone or other means.

2. Letter of Acceptance and Enrollment Procedure Documents

Successful applicants will receive the letter of acceptance along with the enrollment procedure documents via registered mail.

[7] Enrollment Procedures

First round of applications: [No later than] September 15, 2022

Second round of applications: [No later than] January 17, 2023

- The application must arrive by mail by the above date. However, if a document arrives after the above date, it will be accepted if postmarked by September 13 (first round of applications) or January 15 (second round of applications) (postmarked at a domestic sending office in Japan, only for registered express mail) . In case of overseas mail such as EMS, the date of arrival at a post office in Japan shall be considered the date of receipt.
- Successful applicants will be notified of the details of the procedure.
- Applicants who do not complete the Enrollment Procedures will be treated as having declined admission.

[8] School fees (Enrollment Fee and Tuition Fee)

The current schedule is as follows, all of which are subject to revision.

1. Enrollment Fee: Osaka residents and their children: 282,000 yen; Others: 382,000 yen

“Osaka residents and their children” shall apply to the following persons who have completed the prescribed procedures and have been approved.

Eligibility: Either the applicant or his/her parents who appear on the same family registry as the applicant must present a certificate of residence in Osaka Prefecture for at least one year prior to the date of admission (on or before April 1, 2022 for admission in April 2023). The same requirement applies to applicants who do not have Japanese citizenship.

- The enrollment fee must be paid by the time of the Enrollment Procedures using the designated bank transfer form.
- Payment of the enrollment fee is not sufficient to complete the Enrollment Procedures, and the enrollment fee must be paid before the Enrollment Procedures can be completed.
- After completing the enrollment procedures, the enrollment fee is not refundable even if the applicant declines admission.
- The university does not allow for deferrals of the entrance fee payment.

2. Tuition fee [Annual amount] 535,800 yen

- Tuition is to be paid semi-annually in the amount equivalent to half of the annual tuition fee by direct debit from the bank account you register.
- The tuition fee will be debited from your bank account on May 27 for the first semester and October 27 for the second semester. If the debit date falls on a holiday of a financial institution, the debit date will be the next business day.
- For students who have applied for tuition reduction and exemption or are long-term study students, the amount of tuition fee and the date of withdrawal for the relevant year may differ from the above.

[9] Long-Term Study System

This system is intended for students for whom it will be difficult to complete a curriculum within a standard term of study (2 years for master’s program) owing to various circumstances such as holding down a job, and makes it possible for them to obtain a degree by taking longer than the standard term to study intentionally and complete the course. The period of long-term study system for master’s program students is 3-, or 4-years, which shall be approved individually.

(1) Applicant qualification

Individuals who meet any of the following conditions may submit the “Application for Long-term Course of Study” to apply for long-term study.

- (a) Applicants who have a job and work.
- (b) Applicants who have circumstances of child care, caregiving, or other responsibilities.
- (c) Applicants who have any other matters deemed necessary by our dean.

(2) Tuition fees under the long-term study system (annual amount)

The fee shall be the figure obtained by multiplying the regular annual tuition fee by the number of years corresponding to the standard term of study, and dividing that by the number of years approved for long-term study. (Should tuition fees be revised while the student is enrolled at the university, the new tuition fees shall apply to enrolled students as well.)

You can apply even after enrollment, but the application conditions and the period for long-term study are different. Please contact us if you want further details on the long-term study system.

(3) Inquiries

Academic Affairs, Student Group, Habikino Campus Office, Osaka Metropolitan University

Tel 072-950-2118

[10] Other

1. Handling for the Protection of Personal Information

- (1) The names, addresses, and other personal information submitted at the time of application will be used solely to conduct the admission process, prepare for admission, prepare statistical materials, and provide information on individual results. However, we may use applicants' examination results in connection with the educational purposes and student life at this university.
- (2) In the event that the university outsources the computerized processing of personal information to a third party in order to carry out the operations of the university, a contract will be made with the third party stating that information will be protected and handled in accordance with the Act on the Protection of Personal Information and the Osaka Prefecture Personal Information Protection Ordinance.

2. Providing Information on Individual Results

Information on individual results will be provided as follows.

(1) Period

<First round of applications>

From 10:00 on November 1, 2022 to 15:00 on November 30, 2022

<Second round of applications>

From 10:00 on May 9, 2023 to 15:00 on June 9, 2023

(2) Eligible Persons

Only the examinees themselves.

(3) Method of Request

Access the following URL and follow the on-screen instructions to enter the required information.

https://www.upc-osaka.ac.jp/new-univ/admissions/g/exam_info/score.html

- A. If you wish to receive information on your individual result, please make sure to register your four-digit score disclosure PIN at the time of application. This can only be created during application registration.
The PIN will be printed on the application confirmation slip (your copy), but please handle it with care.
- B. For the password for result disclosure, please enter your score disclosure PIN registered at the time of

application, followed by your examination number.

For example, if your score disclosure PIN registered during application is “1230,” and your examination number is “987654,” the password will be “1230987654.”

C. You will need to enter your date of birth for identification.

3. In the event that the entrance examination cannot be conducted as planned due to a natural disaster, etc., an “Emergency Notice” will be published on the university's website, so be sure to check it.

<https://www.upc-osaka.ac.jp/new-univ/admissions/g/news/>

4. If an applicant is found to have made a false statement in the Application for Admission or has committed unfair practices during the examination, the university may revoke their acceptance even after the applicant has been admitted.

5. OMU (Osaka Metropolitan University) stipulates the regulations for security export control in accordance with the Foreign Exchange and Foreign Trade Act, and strictly reviews all items and technologies to be exported from the university. If you have conflict of interest with any regulations set by OMU, you may not receive the education and research you desire of OMU.

Doctoral Program

Graduate School of Rehabilitation Science Doctoral Program Admissions Policy

Our doctoral program of the Department of Rehabilitation Science selects students with the following qualities, abilities, and motivations, based on our principle to train highly qualified medical professionals and researchers who contribute to improving people's health and quality of life, and to value the preciousness of life and human dignity:

1. Those with advanced knowledge and high ethical values in rehabilitation science, from prevention and treatment of illnesses to alleviation of disabilities, support to children or adults with disabilities and the elderly for their independent living and social participation in communities
2. Those who can logically consider their own research theme, including its academic development, and have high level presentation skills in order to convey it accurately
3. Those who have a high level of English proficiency to read and understand specialized knowledge and express logical thinking

Admission Guidelines for International Applicants

Doctoral Program

[1] Number of Students to be Admitted

The Graduate School of Rehabilitation Science consists of one division with two departments, and the admission capacity to our doctoral program is as follows.

Regarding the departments to call to apply and a list of faculty members, please refer to Faculty Contact Information and Major Research Areas.

Department	Capacity
Department of Physical Therapy	low enrollment capacity
Department of Occupational Therapy	low enrollment capacity

* Our graduate school provides classes and research guidance at specific times or periods as stipulated in Article 14 of the Standards for the Establishment of Graduate Schools.

Applicants who wish to apply for this measure is advised to inform us at the time of the preliminary interview.

* If a second round of applications is to be conducted, it will be announced on the University's admissions website in September 2022.

https://www.upc-osaka.ac.jp/new-univ/admissions/g/exam_info/graduate/gs_med_reha.html

[2] Qualification for Admission

Those who are not Japanese nationals and fall under any of the following categories. This application is limited only to those who have the status of residence of "Student," or those who are expected to obtain the status of residence of "Student" at the time of enrollment, as stipulated in the "Immigration Control and Refugee Recognition Act."

* If any applicant who does not have or is not planning to obtain the status of residence of "Student," please contact Admissions, Student Group, Habikino Campus Office. Tel 072-950-2117

- (1) Those who have completed the curriculum of a school in a foreign country and have completed the master's program at a graduate school in Japan or those who are expected to complete it by March 31, 2023.
- (2) Those who received a degree equivalent to a Master's degree or a professional degree in a foreign country and those who expect to obtain one by March 31, 2023.
- (3) Those who have completed in Japan a course offered by a foreign school through correspondence and have been awarded a degree equivalent to a Master's degree or a professional degree. This also includes those who expect to obtain one by March 31, 2023.
- (4) Those who have completed the relevant course designated separately by the Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology at an education institution positioned within the school education system of the relevant foreign country as a graduate school that provides graduate courses in that country. This also includes those who have

received the equivalent of a Master's degree or professional degree and those who expect to receive one by March 31, 2023.

- (5) Those who completed the program at the United Nations University and received a degree equivalent to a Master's degree and those who expected to be awarded one by March 31, 2023.
- (6) Those who are recognized as having completed an education course at a foreign school and have passed the equivalent of Qualifying Examination (QE) or expected to pass by March 31, 2023, and also those who have an academic ability that is equal to or beyond that of an individual with a Master's degree.
- (7) A person designated by the Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (Sep. 1, 1989 Ministry of Education, Science and Culture Notification No. 118)
 - a. Those who have graduated from a university in Japan, have engaged in research at a university or research institute etc. for more than 2 years, have an academic ability that is beyond that of an individual with a Master's degree.
 - b. Those who have completed 16 years of school education in a foreign country or have completed courses offered by a foreign school through correspondence in Japan, have engaged in research for over 2 years at a university or research institute, have an academic ability that is beyond that of an individual with a Master's degree.
- (8) Those who are recognized by our Graduate School as having an academic ability equal to or beyond that of an individual with a Master's degree or a professional degree and are also 24 years of age by March 31, 2023.
- (9) Those who are recognized by our graduate school to have academic skills equal to or higher than those meeting condition (1)

Note: Any applicant who meets the above conditions (7), (8), or (9) must first follow the procedure for qualification as specified in "Qualification Screening." Please consult in advance with the faculty member under whom you wish to study. For inquiries regarding application eligibility, please contact Admissions, Student Group, Habikino Campus Office.

* Inquiry period regarding the application eligibility examination

First round of applications: until June 8, 2022 (Wednesday)

Second round of applications: until September 21, 2022 (Wednesday)

[3] Application Procedure

The application procedure will be conducted via the internet.

Before undergoing the application procedure, you should consult with the faculty member under whom you wish to study in your desired field of study regarding your research after admission. At the time of the interview, please obtain the signature / seal of the faculty member in the designated place on the Preliminary Interview Confirmation. Please note that this confirmation does not guarantee your admission.

As for research fields and academic advisors, please refer to Outline of Graduate School of Rehabilitation Science and Faculty Contact Information and Major Research Areas.

- ※ Applicants from outside Japan (overseas) should contact Admissions, Student Group, Habikino Campus Office (gr-hab-rehabilitation@omu.ac.jp) by June 24, 2022 (First round of applications) or November 4, 2022 (Second round of applications), with their name and the prospective Department so that we can provide you with separate instructions on the application process.
- * If you plan to go on to our graduate school from the Master's Program at Osaka Prefecture University, the Master's Program, the Master's Program of the Graduate School of Medicine, or the Professional Degree Program at Osaka City University, no examination fee is required. The application method will be informed separately. Please contact Admissions, Student

Group, Habikino Campus Office by email (gr-hab-rehabilitation@omu.ac.jp) by June 24, 2022 (Friday) for the first round of applications and by November 4, 2022 (Friday) for the second round of applications to inform us of your desired department and name.

1. Application Period

Heading	Period
Online application registration	<p><First round of applications> July 8, 2022, 10:00 to July 14, 2022, 17:00^(*) <Second round of applications> November 18, 2022, 10:00 to November 24, 2022, 17:00^(*)</p>
Submission of documents required for application	<p><First round of applications> July 12-14, 2022 <Second round of applications> November 21-24, 2022 < Documents arriving after the above dates will be accepted if postmarked by the above dates (Postmarked at a domestic sending office in Japan, only for registered express mail). (See note)></p>

(*) Although applications can be registered during the Internet application registration period, please send your application documents to us by simplified registered mail by July 14 (Thursday) for the first round of applications and November 24 (Thursday) for the second round of applications (postmarked by those dates, respectively). Please register in plenty of time. Applications brought directly to the university will not be accepted.

Note: For application documents sent from overseas by EMS, the date of arrival in a post office in Japan will be used as the standard date.

2. Method of Application

Please follow Steps 1 – 6 below to submit your application.

● Advance Preparations		
step 1	PC or other Operating Environment	• Applications can be registered from a PC, smartphone, or other device connected to the internet
	Printing Requirements	• Print the documents that need to be mailed on A4 paper.
	Email Settings	• A notification email will be sent when you register your application. Ensure that you have added @sak-sak.net to your safelist as an authorized sender so that you can receive emails from this domain.
	Documents Necessary for Application	• Please refer to [3] Application Procedures 4 Application Documents and prepare them, so they may be submitted on time.

	Envelopes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Please prepare two types of envelopes: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> A commercially available rectangle-type No. 2 (24.0cm×33.2cm) for mailing application documents. A commercially available long-form No. 3 (12.0cm×23.5cm) with stamps worth 404 yen attached for sending the Entrance Examination Card
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step 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Accessing the Online Application Site
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> You can find the Online Application Site on the university website during the application registration period. <p>University Website URL: https://www.upc-osaka.ac.jp/new-univ/admissions/g/exam_info/inet-apply.html</p>



step 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Application Registration
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Please read the “User's Guide,” “Application Procedures,” and “Q&A” on the Internet Application Site before you register your application. Please verify all your entered information on the final confirmation screen, as you cannot change the input information after the application registration is completed.



step 4	● Payment of Examination Fee			
	• Please pay the examination fee (30,000 yen) by any of methods (1)–(4), as per the instructions on the online application site. (Refer to [3] Application Procedure 3. Examination Fee Payment Method)			
	• In addition to the examination fee, a handling fee (990 yen) is required.			
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
	Credit card	Convenience stores	ATM (Pay-Easy)	Net banking



step 5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Printing the Application Confirmation Slip and Address Label
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Please print it single-sided on A4-size white sheets of paper. Please complete printing within the registration period for the online application. You will not be able to print the application confirmation slip and address label after the registration period.



step 6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sending the Required Documents
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Please send the application documents by simplified-registered mail (postmark valid). (See [3] Application Procedure 4. Application Documents.) Application documents not submitted within the deadline will not be accepted. (See [3] Application Procedure 1. Application Period)

3. Examination Fee Payment Method

The fees required for application registration are as follows.

- Admission certification fee ¥30,000
- Handling fee ¥990

* If you plan to go on to our graduate school from the Master's Program at Osaka Prefecture University, the Master's Program, the Master's Program of the Graduate School of Medicine, or the Professional Degree Program at Osaka City University, no examination fee is required. The application method will be informed separately. Please contact Admissions, Student Group, Habikino Campus Office by email (gr-hab-rehabilitation@omu.ac.jp) by June 24, 2022 (Friday) for the first round of applications and by November 4, 2022 (Friday) for the second round of applications to inform us of your desired department and name.

Payment may be made through any of the following payment methods available. For detailed information on payment methods, please check the screen for the payment method selected on the “Select Payment Method” page of the online application site.

Payment Method	Handling Agency
(1) Credit card	VISA, MasterCard, JCB, AMERICAN EXPRESS, Diners Club Note: Only lump-sum payments are accepted.
(2) Convenience stores	7-Eleven, Lawson, Ministop, FamilyMart, Daily Yamazaki, Yamazaki Daily Store, Seicomart Note: Only cash payments are accepted.
(3) ATM (Pay-Easy)	You can pay at ATMs in financial institutions that have the Pay-easy mark.
(4) Net banking	You can use the banking services of more than 1,000 banks across Japan, including major megabanks that support Pay-easy. ※ To avail yourself of this method, you need to have signed up for net banking.

4. Application Documents

After registering your application and paying the examination fee, please submit all the following documents within the submission period. Please download the designated form from the university website.

Ensure that you use a commercially available rectangle-type No.2 envelope (24cm x 33.2cm) with the following address label attached.

Documents marked * are to be submitted only where applicable.

Application Documents	Preparation
Application Confirmation Form (for submission to the university)	After registering your online application and paying the examination fee, please print the application form on A4-sized paper from the online application site.

Application for Admission, Curriculum Vitae	Please use either the Japanese or English form specified by the Graduate School. Please be sure to print the Application for Admission and Curriculum Vitae on both sides of the paper.
Preliminary Interview Confirmation	Please use either the Japanese or English form specified by the Graduate School.
Entrance Examination Card • Photo Card	Please use either the Japanese or English form specified by the Graduate School. As for the photo card, please provide the required information and paste 4 cm x 3 cm photo taken within the last 3 months onto the card.
Certificate of Graduation (Completion) or Prospective Certificate (Documents Certifying Qualification for Admission)	Certificate issued by the president of the applicant's previous university stating that the applicant has received (or expects to receive) the degree. For those who meet condition (6) of the application eligibility, a document certifying that they have passed (or are expected to pass) the Qualifying Examination.
Academic Transcript	A transcript issued by the president of the applicant's previous university stating the number of credits and the grades of courses taken.
Application Eligibility Certificate (*)	Please submit this only if you meet any of conditions (7), (8), or (9) of the application eligibility.
Master's Thesis Summary	Please submit 3 copies each of your master's thesis summary or its equivalent (about 1,000 words). Please be sure to write your name on them.
Research Plan	Please submit 3 copies in the form prescribed by the university.
Statement of Research Achievements	Please submit 3 copies in the form prescribed by the university. Please attach a reprint or copy (1 copy each) of your major documents including books, academic papers, or conference presentations (abstract).
Copy of the residence card	Please submit photocopies of both sides of the residence card. Overseas residents must submit a copy of their passport (the page with the photo).
Envelopes for sending Entrance Examination Card	Please write your name, address, and postal code on a commercial long-form No.3 envelope (12cm×23.5cm) and attach a stamp worth 404 yen. ※ Please add “sama (様)” after your name.
Address Label	After registering your online application and paying the examination fee, please print it on a piece of A4 paper from the online application site and paste it on the commercial rectangular No.2 envelope (24cm×33.2cm).
Application Document Checklist	Please check (✓) the check box for the documents to be sent, and submit them.

[Notes]

1. Original copies of the above certificates are required for application. Copies will not be accepted.
2. If your name is different from the name appearing in your graduation certificate, academic transcript, etc.,

please submit documents to prove this fact (such as an extract copy of your family register).

3. If you are currently a student (regular student) of Osaka Prefecture University, Graduate School of Comprehensive Rehabilitation Master's Program and wish to request Habikino Campus Office to obtain your certificate of expectation of graduation and academic transcript of Osaka Prefecture University on your behalf, submission of the above certificates at the time of application may be omitted. If the above certificates are not enclosed in your application documents, it will be deemed as if you have requested Habikino Campus Office to obtain them on your behalf. If you have any problem with the above, please obtain the abovementioned certificates yourself.
4. No changes in the information will be accepted after the application procedure.
5. For documents written (certified) in a language other than Japanese, please attach a separate Japanese translation.

5. Notes for Applications

- (1) Please complete all the procedures within [3] Application Procedures: 1. Application period: registering applications, payment of examination fees, and mailing of application documents (by registered mail within the submission period). Please note that the application procedure is not completed merely by online registration and paying the examination fee.
- (2) Input of Applicant Information
Please enter an address where you can receive mail when sending the Entrance Examination Card. If your address has changed since the announcement of successful applicants, please contact Admissions, Student Group, Habikino Campus Office (Tel 072-950-2117) or submit a change of residence notification to the post office.
- (3) You cannot change the details in the application once registration has been completed. If you notice a mistake before paying the examination fee, please do not pay the fee, and begin registration again from the beginning. Additionally, you are not permitted to cancel an application once it has been accepted.
- (4) The "Application Receipt Number" listed on the application confirmation slip is not the examination number.
- (5) We cannot accept incomplete Applications for Admission. When registering the application, please ensure you include a contact number and email address where you can be reached, as we may contact you if the application is incomplete.
- (6) We may ask you to submit other documents as necessary. In that case, please follow our instructions promptly.
- (7) Once paid, the examination fee shall not be refunded except for the following reasons.
 - Grounds for refund:
 - If you paid the examination fee but did not apply,
 - If the application documents are incomplete or otherwise unacceptable,
 - In case of duplicate payment of examination fee.

Note: Please contact the Admissions Office within one month of the application deadline for information on obtaining a refund.

6. Sending the Entrance Examination Card

Applicants who have completed the application process will be sent an “Entrance Examination Card” and “Examination Notes” by registered mail by the following date. If you have not received it by the following date, please contact Admissions, Student Group, Habikino Campus Office. (Tel: 072-950-2117)

First round of applications : August 18, 2022

Second round of applications: December 12, 2022

7. Considerations for Examination

Persons with disabilities or in another situation that requires consideration for the examination, please contact Admissions, Student Group, Habikino Campus Office as soon as possible before submitting your application.

(Tel: 072-950-2117, E-mail: gr-nyu-ask3@omu.ac.jp)

[4] Admission Selection Method

1. Selection Method

Comprehensive judgment will be made based on the tests of English language (TOEIC IP test^{*1}), academic ability (oral examinations^{2*}), and application documents.

2. Examination Date and Subjects

First round of applications

Examination date	Examination time	Examination subjects
August 25, 2022	10:00～12:00 ^{*3}	English language (TOEIC IP test)
	13:30～	Academic ability (oral examinations)

(Spare day)

August 26, 2022	Due to unexpected circumstances such as natural disasters, the above examination is postponed on the day that is designated.
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Second round of applications

Examination date	Examination time	Examination subjects
December 18, 2022	10:00～12:00 ^{*3}	English language (TOEIC IP test)
	13:30～	Academic ability (oral examinations)

(Spare day)

December 24, 2022	Due to unexpected circumstances such as natural disasters, the above examination is postponed on the day that is designated.
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* 1 Scores of tests of the TOEIC Public Programme or TOEIC Institutional Programme which were taken in advance cannot be used.

- * 2 In the oral examinations, applicants are to give a presentation based on their research plan, using a personal computer.
- * 3 The end time of the test is subject to change. The detailed schedule will be informed on the day of the test.


Instructions for the day of the examination will be provided when we send you the Entrance Examination Card.

3. Examination locations

Habikino Campus, Osaka Metropolitan University
 3-7-30 Habikino, Habikino City, Osaka 583-8555
 Tel 072-950-2117

[5] Announcement of Successful Applicants

1. Announcement of successful applicants

Date and time of announcement	Place of publication
<First round of applications> September 6, 2022, 10:00 <Second round of applications> January 5, 2023, 10:00	https://www.upc-osaka.ac.jp/new-univ/admissions/g/exam_info/pass.html 

Successful applicants will be notified directly. The examination numbers of successful applicants will also be posted on the university website, from 10:00 on the day of the announcement to 17:00 on the seventh day from the announcement. Please note that the university will not respond to any inquiries regarding the results by telephone or other means.

2. Letter of Acceptance and Enrollment Procedure Documents

Successful applicants will receive the letter of acceptance along with the enrollment procedure documents via registered mail.

[6] Enrollment Procedures

First round of applications: [No later than] September 15, 2022

Second round of applications: [No later than] January 17, 2023

- The application must arrive by mail by the above date. However, if a document arrives after the above date, it will be accepted if postmarked by September 13 (first round of applications) or January 15 (second round of applications) (postmarked at a domestic sending office in Japan, only for registered express mail). In case of overseas mail such as EMS, the date of arrival at a post office in Japan shall be considered the date of receipt.
- Successful applicants will be notified of the details of the procedure.
- Applicants who do not complete the Enrollment Procedures will be treated as having declined admission.

[7] School fees (Enrollment Fee and Tuition Fee)

The current schedule is as follows, all of which are subject to revision.

1. Enrollment Fee: Osaka residents and their children: 282,000 yen; Others: 382,000 yen

“Osaka residents and their children” shall apply to the following persons who have completed the prescribed procedures and have been approved.

Eligibility: Either the applicant or his/her parents who appear on the same family registry as the applicant must present a certificate of residence in Osaka Prefecture for at least one year prior to the date of admission (on or before April 1, 2022 for admission in April 2023). The same requirement applies to applicants who do not have Japanese citizenship.

- There is no enrollment fee for applicants continuing from Osaka Prefecture University’s master’s programs or Osaka City University’s master’s programs, doctoral programs, the Graduate School of Medicine’s master’s programs, or professional degree programs.
- The enrollment fee must be paid by the time of the Enrollment Procedures using the designated bank transfer form.
- Payment of the enrollment fee is not sufficient to complete the Enrollment Procedures, and the enrollment fee must be paid before the Enrollment Procedures can be completed.
- After completing the enrollment procedures, the enrollment fee is not refundable even if the applicant declines admission.
- The university does not allow for deferrals of the entrance fee payment.

2. Tuition fee [Annual amount] 535,800 yen

- Tuition is to be paid semi-annually in the amount equivalent to half of the annual tuition fee by direct debit from the bank account you register.
- The tuition fee will be debited from your bank account on May 27 for the first semester and October 27 for the second semester. If the debit date falls on a holiday of a financial institution, the debit date will be the next business day.
- For students who have applied for tuition reduction and exemption or are long-term study students, the amount of tuition fee and the date of withdrawal for the relevant year may differ from the above.

[8] Long-Term Study System

This system is intended for students for whom it will be difficult to complete a curriculum within a standard term of study (3 years for doctoral program) owing to various circumstances such as holding down a job, and makes it possible for them to obtain a degree by taking longer than the standard term to study intentionally and complete the course. The period of long-term study system for doctoral program students is 4-, 5-, or 6-years, which shall be approved individually.

(1) Applicant qualification

Individuals who meet any of the following conditions may submit the “Application for Long-term Course of Study” to apply for long-term study.

- (a) Applicants who have a job and work.
- (b) Applicants who have circumstances of child care, caregiving, or other responsibilities.
- (c) Applicants who have any other matters deemed necessary by our dean.

(2) Tuition fees under the long-term study system (annual amount)

The fee shall be the figure obtained by multiplying the regular annual tuition fee by the number of years corresponding to the standard term of study, and dividing that by the number of years approved for long-term study. (Should tuition fees be revised while the student is enrolled at the university, the new tuition fees shall apply to enrolled students as well.)

You can apply even after enrollment, but the application conditions and the period for long-term study are different. Please contact us if you want further details on the long-term study system.

(3) Inquiries

Academic Affairs, Student Group, Habikino Campus Office, Osaka Metropolitan University

Tel 072-950-2118

[9] Other

1. Handling for the Protection of Personal Information

- (1) The names, addresses, and other personal information submitted at the time of application will be used solely to conduct the admission process, prepare for admission, prepare statistical materials, and provide information on individual results. However, we may use applicants' examination results in connection with the educational purposes and student life at this university.
- (2) In the event that the university outsources the computerized processing of personal information to a third party in order to carry out the operations of the university, a contract will be made with the third party stating that information will be protected and handled in accordance with the Act on the Protection of Personal Information and the Osaka Prefecture Personal Information Protection Ordinance.

2. Providing Information on Individual Results

Information on individual results will be provided as follows.

(1) Period

<First round of applications>

From 10:00 on November 1, 2022 to 15:00 on November 30, 2022

<Second round of applications>

From 10:00 on May 9, 2023 to 15:00 on June 9, 2023

(2) Eligible Persons

Only the examinees themselves.

(3) Method of Request

Access the following URL and follow the on-screen instructions to enter the required information.

https://www.upc-osaka.ac.jp/new-univ/admissions/g/exam_info/score.html

- A. If you wish to receive information on your individual result, please make sure to register your four-digit score disclosure PIN at the time of application. This can only be created during application registration.
The PIN will be printed on the application confirmation slip (your copy), but please handle it with care.
- B. For the password for result disclosure, please enter your score disclosure PIN registered at the time of

application, followed by your examination number.

For example, if your score disclosure PIN registered during application is “1230,” and your examination number is “987654,” the password will be “1230987654.”

C. You will need to enter your date of birth for identification.

3. In the event that the entrance examination cannot be conducted as planned due to a natural disaster, etc., an “Emergency Notice” will be published on the university's website, so be sure to check it.

<https://www.upc-osaka.ac.jp/new-univ/admissions/g/news/>

4. If an applicant is found to have made a false statement in the Application for Admission or has committed unfair practices during the examination, the university may revoke their acceptance even after the applicant has been admitted.
5. OMU (Osaka Metropolitan University) stipulates the regulations for security export control in accordance with the Foreign Exchange and Foreign Trade Act, and strictly reviews all items and technologies to be exported from the university. If you have conflict of interest with any regulations set by OMU, you may not receive the education and research you desire of OMU.

Faculty Contact Information and Major Research Areas (As of April 2022)

< Department of Physical Therapy >

Name	Status	account	Major Research Areas
Iwata Akira	Professor	iwata	Exercise Science, Sports Science
Higuchi Yumi	Professor	Higu_reha	Geriatric rehabilitation, Gerontology
Hiraoka Koichi	Professor	hiraoka	motor control, motor learning, neurological physical therapy
Fuchioka Satoshi	Professor	Fuchioka	Therapeutic Exercise, Musculoskeletal Physical Therapy
Miyai Kazumasa	Professor	kazumasa	Synaptic plasticity in adulthood, Visceral sensation in luminal organs
Uemura Kazuki	Associate Professor	kuemura	Prevention of Functional Disability, Health Education
Kataoka Masataka	Associate Professor	kataokam	Sports for people with disabilities, Rehabilitation of cerebral palsy, spinal cord injury
Otobe Yuhei	Lecturer	otobe	Rehabilitation of Internal Disease, Acute Rehabilitation
Sugiyama Kyoji	Lecturer	k.sugiyama	Orthopaedic physical therapy, Sports physical therapy
Morino Saori	Lecturer	saorim	Women's health, Biomechanics

< Department of Occupational Therapy >

Name	Status	account	Major Research Areas
Ishii Ryouhei	Professor	rishii	Psychiatry, Clinical Neurophysiology
Takebayashi Takashi	Professor	takshi77	Rehabilitation for paretic upper-extremity in stroke patients
Naito Yasuo	Professor	naitoh	Cognitive behavioral dysfunction, event-related potentials
Yokoi Katsushi	Professor	yokoikat	Protecting against cognitive decline 、 Falls prevention 、 Occupational Science
Ohnishi Hisao *	Associate Professor	ohnishi.h	Consciousness and attention; Support for Persons with Acquired Brain Injury (Especially Those with Prolonged Consciousness Disorder) and Their Families.
Tateyama Kiyomi	Associate Professor	tateyama	Occupational therapy for developmental disabilities, Special support education

Name	Status	account	Major Research Areas
Ueda Masaya	Lecturer	uedam	Clinical Neurophysiology (EEG), Brain Tumor
Kojima Hisanori	Lecturer	kojimaotr	ADL for PDW, AT, Disaster Management for PWD
Tanaka Hiroaki	Lecturer	h-tanaka	Cognitive function in schizophrenia, Interoception
Tanaka Hiroyuki	Lecturer	hytanaka	Dementia、 Higher Brain Dysfunction、 Geriatric Occupational Therapy
Nakaoka Kazuyo	Lecturer	nakaoka	Occupational Therapy for Children with Special Needs Special Needs Education and Occupational Therapy

* Scheduled to retire in March 2023

- Main switchboard: 072-950-2111
- Please contact us by e-mail if possible.
- The email address of each faculty member is: <account name specified in the table above>@omu.ac.jp.