4 steps to identify your destined mentor

We strongly recommend you to identify your possible mentor in advance to application.

1. **Search** the name of Japanese Researcher
   - JASSO website is useful to search
     [https://www.g-studyinjapan.jasso.go.jp/univ_search](https://www.g-studyinjapan.jasso.go.jp/univ_search)
   - Through database of thesis or journals, you can identify researchers who share topics with you.

2. Among them, **pick up** three or four names

3. **Send e-mail directly** to researcher and their office staff
   - Do not hesitate to send e-mail
   - You should make your purpose and topic clear
   - You should send your research proposal and previous works

4. **Make communication** to get the letter of acceptance from them

On this Program, **Research Proposal** is significantly important.

Early preparation leads you to success.

All the Best!
Application Period
   April 13(Thu)-May 18(Thu)

Preliminary Selection
   – based on Research Proposal
   May 22(Mon)-June 19(Mon)

Release of Result for
Preliminary Selection
   June 27(Tue)

Written Examination & Interview
   July 8(Sat), 9(Sun), 15(Sat), 16(Sun)

Release of Result for
Embassy Recommendation
   July 19(Wed)

Contact with Aspiring Universities to receive the acceptance
   Till end of August

Formal Announce of Acceptance
   December to January