Notification of Changes in Application Guidelines for April 2023 Enrollment Graduate School of International Relations, Ritsumeikan University

Graduate School of International Relations, Ritsumeikan University

Graduate School of International Relations, Ritsumeikan University has made some changes to the application guidelines for the submission of application documents from outside Japan for April 2023 Enrollment in response to the impact of the COVID-19.

For those who are considering taking the entrance examinations of our Graduate School, please confirm the following changes to the application guidelines before preparing your documents.

1. Applicable Entrance Examination Methods

April 2023 Enrollment

Master's Program

- Regular Admissions (Document + Interview)
- Regular Admissions for English-based Program (Document Only)
- Regular Admissions (DMDP Applicants to RU Partner Universities)
- International Student Admissions (Document + Interview)
- In-University Advancement Admissions (College of International Relations Students)
- In-University Advancement Admissions
- APU Special Admissions

Doctoral Program

- Regular Admissions for Master's Degree Holders
- Regular Admissions for Applicants Expecting to Complete MA

2. Changes

The following information was added to "IV Required Documents"

- <Residents outside Japan only>
- (1) Create backup files in PDF format for all application documents excluding documents that require to be sealed. You may be asked to send the backup files by email in case the application does not arrive by postal mail. The total file size must be under 30MB to be sent as an email attachment.
- (2) Please email your postal tracking number to the following address.

Email contact: ir-adm@st.ritsumei.ac.jp

(3) The application documents sent by postal mail are regarded as a legitimate application.

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