



APPLICATION FORM
FOR PARTICIPATING IN THE PROJECT ON
INVITATION TO JAPAN FOR ENVIRONMENTAL RESEARCH (PIER)
2011

This program is especially offered for the research fellows who work in governments or higher academic institutions in Developing countries, supported by the “2005 World Exposition, Aichi, Japan”.

(Note: Please fill in English, in block letter this application form then submit it by E-mail as soon as possible. The deadline is Friday, 18th March 2011.)

Form A

I. PERSONAL DATA			
1. Full name (as in Passport. In block letter.)			
(First)	(Middle)	(Family)	
2. Sex	Female	Male	
3. Nationality			
4. Date of Birth (as in Passport)	MM	/DD	/YY
5. Marital Status	Single	Married	
6. Religion			
7. Passport No.			
Expiry date and place of issue	MM	/DD	/YY
	Place:		
8. Present Home Address			
	Country		
Postal Address			
Residential Tel No.	Country code	Area code	
Residential Fax No.	Country code	Area code	
E-mail address for personal use			
9. Name of Person to be notified in case of Emergency			
Relationship to you:			
Telephone No.	Country code	Area code	
10. Foods which cannot be taken (For religious or health reasons, if any.)			

Photograph of the face
(4.5 x 3.5cm)

11. Academic Careers (After graduating from high school. You can add lines.)					
Name of Institution	City/ Country	Years attended		Qualification Obtained	Subject Name of Faculty
		From	To		

12. Your Office & Job Information									
Office Name									
Section & Department Name									
Type of the Institution (Please tick →)	Government such as Ministry, Agency		National academy	University/ Graduate school			Association	International institution	Others (Please specify)
	Central	Local		National/	Public	Private			
Office Address									
Postal Address									
Office Tel No.	Country code		Area code						
Office Fax No.	Country code		Area code						
E-mail address for official use									
Your Job Title						When (year) did you take this post:?			
Do you have students to provide lectures/ advice regularly?						Yes	No		
13. Please describe <i>your</i> research work(s) in details:									
13-1 Research Area(s):									
13-2 Current research themes/ topics in mentioned above:	Targets:		Conditions:			Keywords:			
13-3 Projects that you <u>have been</u> involved in, and your responsibilities in the projects.									

14. Other honorable/ official environmental activities (such as committees that you are involved in.)														
15. Technical papers, and/ or thesis that you wrote:	Title:			Year:										
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16. Employment history after graduating from school (<i>in the last 20 years. You can add spaces.</i>)														
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17. Experiences of working abroad	No	Yes	From when: Period: Office: Country:											
			As (occupation; position; etc.):											
			From when: Period: Office: Country:											
			As (occupation; position; etc.):											
18. Experiences of visiting/staying in Japan for training (T) , studying (S) or conference (C) <i>(If yes, please fill the detail.)</i>	No	Yes	From when: Period: Purpose: T/ S/ C Place:											
			Subject:											
			From when: Period: Purpose: T/ S/ C Place:											
			Subject:											
19. Your English proficiency														
Listening	excellent	good	fair	poor										
Speaking	excellent	good	fair	poor										
Writing	excellent	good	fair	poor										
Reading	excellent	good	fair	poor										
Scores if you have:	TOEIC:		TOEFL:											

II. MOTIVATION AND EXPECTATION TO PARTICIPATE IN THE PROJECT	
20. Why did you decide to apply for this project?	
21. Difficulty or challenges in your current research environment condition.	
22. On what research issue would you like to undertake in Japan? <i>(Please write what you'd like to do clearly.)</i> <i>(The mentioned theme/ topic would be preferable to being related to your current research work/ project.)</i>	Area:
	Theme/ topic:
	Keywords & concepts:
	What you would like to achieve or find out through the activity. Brief proposal on background and research process:
	Conditions:
	Remarks such as novelty and uniqueness of the research plan:
23. What is your expectation to the host-institute?	
24. How the proposed research activity will be of benefit to you and your organization on your return?	

III. YOUR HEALTH CONDITION		
25. Blood type (<i>in ABO and Rh group</i>)		
26. Medical History (<i>Please complete the following questionnaire with “X” mark.</i>)		
1) Have you had any significant or serious illness or injury?	Yes	No
2) Have you had any medical operations? (If yes, please describe.)	Yes	No
3) Do you currently use any drugs for treatment of a medical condition? (Please give name and dose. _____)	Yes	No
4) Past and present diseases experiences	Yes	No
a) Asthma, emphysema, or other respiratory and/ or lung conditions	Yes	No
b) Tuberculosis or live with anyone who has tuberculosis	Yes	No
c) High blood pressure, heart disease	Yes	No
d) Stomach, liver (hepatitis), gall bladder disease	Yes	No
e) Kidney or bladder disease, stone or blood in urine	Yes	No
f) Diabetes (sugar in urine)	Yes	No
g) Depression, excess worry, attempted suicide, or other psychological symptoms	Yes	No
h) Tumor, abnormal growth, cyst, or cancer	Yes	No
i) Bleeding disorder, blood disease (sickle cell anemia)	Yes	No
j) Any allergens	Yes	No
Please be notified that: A medical condition resulting from an undisclosed pre-existing condition may not be financially compensated for by ICETT and may result in termination of your research work. Do you understand and accept the terms of this notice?	Yes	No

IV. PERMISSION BY YOUR BOSS AT WORK		
On this application, have you got your boss’s permission to leave office for 240 days from July 2011? [Name & Job title of your boss: _____]	Yes	No

V. Any Other Business (If Any)	
Any personal worries or preferences for the daily life in Japan?	
Any personal worries or preferences for the research work at the host-institute?	

Finally, if you agree that (Please read each condition and tick the each cell with "X" mark.)

	The contents you answered above are true.
	You submit the 3 documents in a set: Form A, Form B and organization brochure.
	You understand that this project funds were donated from many people concerned to the 2005 World Exposition, Aichi, Japan .(http://www.expo2005.or.jp/)
	To complete the given periods for environmental research work and achieve success.
	Intellectual property right from the research achievement would be shared by you and your host-institute. However, the two sides agree that ICETT may use only for the purpose of disseminate the project result for public relations activities, to the extent provided in individual agreement. In case, the two sides approve ICETT to disclose the information without charge.
	While staying in Japan, you follow the rules of host-institute and terms and conditions of PIER.
	While staying in Japan, you are not allowed to work nor receiving rewards due to visa regulations.
	Participant from the country that does not conclude the Bilateral Tax Agreement with Japan, is obliged to pay general income tax from the daily allowances provided by ICETT.
	Overseas travel during the period of staying in Japan is not allowed.
	Bringing your any family member and live together is not allowed during this period. Also, sharing the room with someone is prohibited, due to the rental agreement.
	After returning, you will disclose the research information for further technology dissemination/ transfer, and you will be willing to do concrete actions in tangible way such as advise younger researchers in the office you belong or practical application of the technology.
	Even after returning, you will be willing to keep in touch with your host-institute and ICETT in order to strengthen information exchange.

Then, please fill your name and put signature.

(In the Signature space, please paste an image data to show your original handwriting sign.)

Signature: _____

Name in block letter: _____

Date: MM DD 2011

IMPORTANT NOTIFICATION!

When you submit these documents (application, report and reference matters) by **E-mail, please put the word of "PIER" on the subject title**, in order to handle the matter with all speed and carefully.

INQUIRY:

Attn: Etsuko Minamikawa/Ms. mami@icett.or.jp

URL: <http://www.icett.or.jp>

**ANNEX: GUIDELINE OF WRITING & SUBMITTING THE ABSTRACT OF
CURRENT ENVIRONMENTAL RESEARCH REPORT (or TECHNICAL PAPER)**

Dear all applicants,

ICETT asks all applicants to write this document when applying.

The purpose is to find the ideal host-institute for you to carry out the study in a good condition in order to accomplish the end desired. Of course, the reported information will be utilized for the project organizers and technical advisors in your research field. Therefore, please feel free to report to what extent you have succeeded in the latest research and what is the barrier or future challenge at moment.

Also, please describe the brief proposal on your research work in Japan, as the way of breakthrough for that you mentioned in the item No. 22 of “Application Form A” at the end of this report.

This report (**Form B**) should be typewritten **in English** using double spacing with 10.5 point font on **A-4 sized (or letter sized) paper**, in a **total of 2-3 pages** including the report title.

Please submit to ICETT by E-mail not later than **March 18, 2011 attached with the Application “Form A”**.

Applicants are kindly requested to attach your **institutional brochure** (← must), any photocopied /scanned **certificates** and **relevant materials and data** (← if possible).

(Report title)

Form B

REPORT ON

**MY CURRENT ENVIRONMENTAL RESEARCH AND PROPOSAL, AS ABSTRACT
for the “PIER 2011”**

- Contents -

1. Name of the applicant:
2. Job title, Name of Section & Division, and Name of the Organization:
3. Title of your current environmental research:
4. Background and Objectives of the research:
5. Goal:
6. Principle, hypothesis:
7. Methodology:
8. Inputs (not only financial) and systems/process for the research experiment:
9. Findings and Recommendations:
10. **Future prospects and Proposal: Please describe the next target of improvement/ solution on your current environmental research issues, as breakthrough, in your own views. This means your expectation to the research work in Japan.**
11. **Your specific area of interest for the environmental technology development.**

My current environmental research report (or Technical Paper)