



JSPS

JSPS International Programs

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Program Features

1. Pursuit of knowledge valued above all else.
The program is open to all researchers **regardless of their nationality or academic field.**
2. Tailored to researchers at all stages—from early-career researchers to eminent scientists.
3. Flexible **durations, from short- to long-term stays**

Career Stages of Researchers

■ PhD Students/Postdocs

■ 6 years after PhD

■ Mid career-Professor

Postdoctoral Fellowships for Research in Japan

Summer Program

2 months

Ca. 100 researchers by recommendation

Standard

1-2 years

Ca. 330 researchers

Joint research

Short-term (PE)

For researchers in Europe and North America

1-12 months

Ca. 140 researchers

Invitational Fellowships for Research in Japan

Long-term

2-10 months

Ca. 60 researchers

Joint research

Short-term

14-60 days

Ca. 160 researchers

Discussions, opinion exchanges, lectures and other activities

Swedish Nominating Authorities

Summer Program



The Swedish Foundation for International Cooperation in Research and Higher Education(STINT)

Short-term (PE) ※open call is also available



The Royal Swedish Academy of Sciences (KVA) and STINT
(Cooperation in nominating process)

Standard ※open call is also available



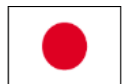
KVA, Swedish Agency for Innovation Systems (VINNOVA), and Swedish Foundation for Strategic Research (SSF).

Long-term

Short-term

By open calls only

Application Procedures for Open Calls



Host Researcher

Application Form written by host

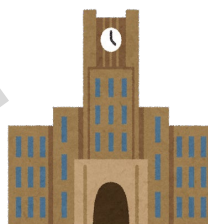
Application Form prepared by candidate

Recommendation Letter

Step 2

Candidate prepares application documents and a Recommendation Letter

Step 3



Host Institution

Submission of application

Step 4

Step 5

Selection result



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Candidate

Step 1: Candidate finds a host



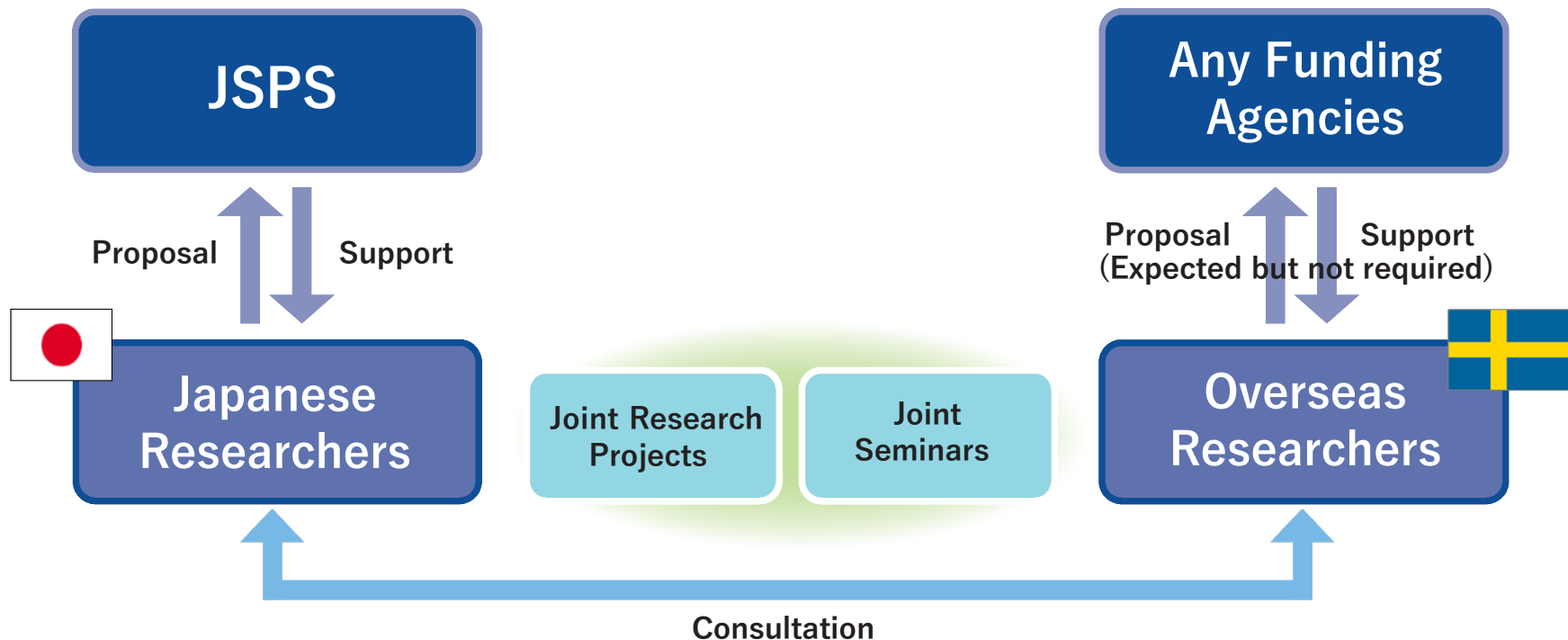


Researchers Invited to Japan from Sweden /Total)	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024
Postdoctoral Fellowships	8/757	5/714	22/1,143	16/1,028	19/997
Invitational Fellowships	0/44	0/56	4/384	5/232	5/240

Bilateral Cooperation

Open Partnership Joint Research Projects and Seminars

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Bilateral joint research projects and seminars are open to all countries that have diplomatic relations with Japan, regardless of whether they have a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with JSPS.

Support for Japanese Teams:

Joint Research: Up to JPY 2,000,000/year/project for 1-2 years

Core-to-Core Program

Advanced Research Networks

Target countries: All countries with Japan relations

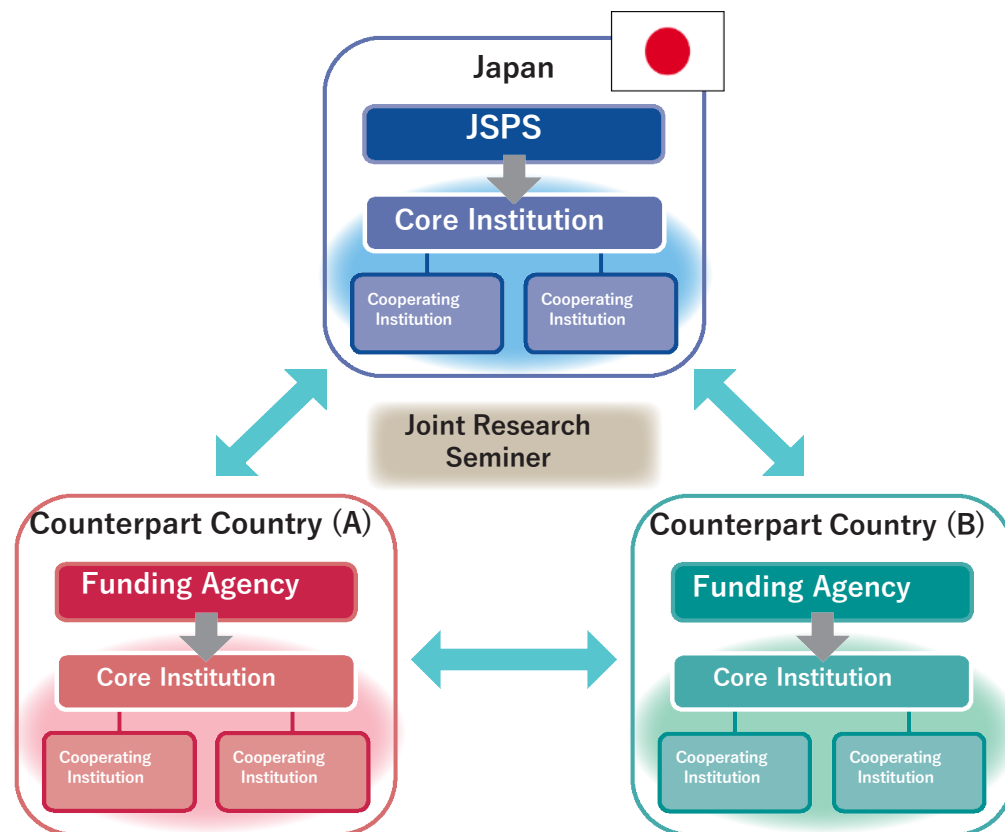
Objective:

- Promote international collaboration in cutting-edge fields by creating world-class research hubs
- Foster new generations of talented young researchers in Japan and other countries

Grants: Up to JPY 18,000,000/year

*Partner institutions are required to cover their own expenses.

Project duration: 5 years



With Sweden: 4 ongoing projects



JSPS Alumni Club in Sweden (2005-)

Members: 170 (as of March 2025)

President: Johan Eriksson (Associate Professor, Uppsala University)

JSPS Stockholm Office (at Karolinska Institutet) (2001-)

Director: Kazuyuki Kuroda, D.Eng.,



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Thank you

