



Accreditation Results

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Introduction

In 2002, the Certified Evaluation and Accreditation System was introduced in Japan (enforced in 2004), obligating all higher education institutions (universities, junior colleges and technical colleges) to undergo an evaluation once every seven years, and all professional graduate schools to undergo an evaluation once every five years as well. In each case, the accreditation agency certified by the Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (MEXT) conducts the evaluation process, comprehensively assessing the level of education, and other areas.

Since its establishment in 1947, the Japan University Accreditation Association (JUAA) has played a significant role in assuring the quality of higher education in Japan. On August 31, 2004, the JUAA was authorized by the Minister of MEXT as the first Certified Evaluation and Accreditation Agency for universities. Authorization for its Certified Evaluation and Accreditation later expanded to several other fields. The JUAA currently performs Certified Evaluation and Accreditation in 11 fields (university, junior college, law school, professional graduate business school, professional graduate public policy school, professional graduate school of public health, professional graduate school of intellectual property studies, professional graduate school of global communications, professional graduate school of digital contents, professional graduate school of global legal studies, and professional graduate school of public relations) and program accreditation in two fields (veterinary medicine and dental education).

JUAA has just finalized the results of accreditations for FY 2024 as follows.

FY2024 University Accreditation (Certified Evaluation and Accreditation for University) Results

On accepting applications for University Accreditation from 37 universities, the JUAA has undertaken the evaluative process. The evaluation including document-analysis and site-visit has been conducted by the University Accreditation Committee with subcommittees.

As a result of the evaluation, the JUAA has finally decided to grant accreditation to 36 universities satisfying the JUAA *University Standards*. The names of those accredited universities are listed below.

(University names listed in alphabetical order)

(Private)	Azabu University
(Private)	Bunsei University of Art
(Private)	Chubu Gakuin University
(Private)	Digital Hollywood University
(Private)	Graduate School of Leadership and Innovation, Shizenkan University
(Private)	Health Sciences University of Hokkaido
(Private)	Hirosaki Gakuin University
(Private)	Hokkaido Bunkyo University
(Private)	International Christian University
(Private)	International College for Postgraduate Buddhist Studies
(Private)	Japan Lutheran College
(Private)	Japanese Red Cross Toyota College of Nursing
(Private)	Jobu University
(Private)	Kanagawa Dental University
(Private)	Kobe Gakuin University
(Private)	Kyoritsu Women's University
(Private)	Meisei University
(Private)	Nagasaki Junshin Catholic University
(Private)	Nihon Fukushi University
(Private)	Nihon University
(Private)	Niigata Sangyo University
(Private)	Otemon Gakuin University
(Private)	Rikkyo University
(Private)	Seinan Gakuin University
(Private)	Shirayuri University
(Private)	Showa Women's University
(Private)	The Graduate School of Project Design
(Private)	Tohoku Gakuin University
(Private)	Tokai University

(Private)	Tokyo International University
(Private)	Tokyo Kasei University
(Private)	Tokyo Medical University
(Private)	Toyo Gakuen University
(Private)	Tsuda University
(Private)	Tsurumi University
(National)	University of Tsukuba

The JUAA has also decided to deny accreditation to one university due to serious problems that need to be dealt with immediately. The name of the university is listed below.

(Private)	Hoshi University
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FY 2024 Certified Evaluation and Accreditation for Junior College Result

On accepting the applications for the Certified Evaluation and Accreditation for Junior College from three junior colleges, the JUAA has undertaken the evaluative process. The evaluation including document-analysis and site-visit has been conducted by the Junior College Accreditation Committee with subcommittees.

As a result of the evaluation, the JUAA has finally decided to grant accreditation to six junior colleges satisfying the JUAA *Junior College Standards*. The names of the accredited junior colleges are listed below.

(Junior colleges names listed in alphabetical order)

(Private)	Aichi University Junior College
(Public)	The University of Aizu Junior College Division
(Public)	Kagoshima Prefectural College
(Public)	Kurashiki City College
(Private)	Fukuoka Jo Gakuin University Junior College
(Public)	Tsu City College

FY 2024 Certified Evaluation and Accreditation for Professional Graduate Business School Results

On accepting applications for the Certified Evaluation and Accreditation for

Professional Graduate Business School from nine schools, the JUAA has undertaken the evaluative process. The evaluation including document-analysis and site-visit has been conducted by the Professional Graduate Business School Certified Evaluation and Accreditation Committee with subcommittees.

As a result of the evaluation, the JUAA has finally decided to grant accreditation to nine schools satisfying the JUAA *Standards for Professional Graduate Business School*. The names of those accredited schools are listed below.

(School names listed in alphabetical order)

(Private)	Business School, Institute of Business and Accounting, Kwansei Gakuin University
(Private)	Graduate School of Social Entrepreneurship Department of Social Entrepreneurship, Sagami Women's University
(National)	School of Environment and Society Technology and Innovation Management, Institute of Science Tokyo
(National)	Department of Industrial Technology and Innovation, Graduate School of Engineering, Tokyo University of Agriculture and Technology
(Private)	Management of Technology Program, Graduate School of Management of Technology, Nippon Institute of Technology
(National)	Department of Global and Community Management, the Professional Graduate School of Global and Community Management, University of Fukui
(Private)	Professional Graduate School Graduate School of Professional Accountancy Professional Accountancy Program, Meiji University
(National)	Department of Technology Management, Graduate School of Innovation and Technology Management, Yamaguchi University
(Private)	Graduate School of Accountancy , Waseda University

FY 2024 Certified Evaluation and Accreditation for Professional Graduate Public Policy School
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On accepting an application for the Certified Evaluation and Accreditation for

Professional Graduate Public Policy School from one school, the JUAA has undertaken the evaluative process. The evaluation including document-analysis and site-visit has been conducted by the Professional Graduate Public Policy School Certified Evaluation and Accreditation Committee with subcommittee.

As a result of the evaluation, the JUAA has finally decided to grant accreditation to one school satisfying the JUAA *Standards for Professional Graduate Public Policy School*. The name of the accredited school is listed below.

(National) Graduate School of Public Policy, Hokkaido University

FY 2024 Accreditation for School of Veterinary Medicine Results

On accepting an application for the Accreditation for School of Veterinary Medicine from two schools, the JUAA has undertaken the evaluative process. The evaluation including document-analysis and site-visit has been conducted by the School of Veterinary Medicine Accreditation Committee with subcommittees.

As a result of the evaluation, the JUAA has finally decided to grant accreditation to two schools satisfying the JUAA *Standards for School of Veterinary Medicine*. The names of those accredited schools are listed below.

(School names listed in alphabetical order)

(National) Graduate School of Public Policy, Hokkaido University

(Private) School of Veterinary Medicine Department of Veterinary
Medicine, Azabu University

FY 2024 Accreditation for School of Dental Education Results

On accepting an application for the Accreditation for School of Dental Education from two schools, the JUAA has undertaken the evaluative process. The evaluation including document-analysis and site-visit has been conducted by the School of Dental Education Accreditation Committee with subcommittees.

As a result of the evaluation, the JUAA has finally decided to grant accreditation to one school satisfying the JUAA *Standards for School of Dental Education*. The name of the

accredited school is listed below.

(Private) Faculty of dentistry Department of dentistry, Asahi University

The JUAA has also decided to deny accreditation to one school due to serious problems that need to be dealt with immediately. The name of the school is listed below.

(National) Faculty of Dentistry School of Dentistry, Tokushima University

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