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**THE JAPAN FOUNDATION GRANT PROGRAMS**  
**FOR FISCAL YEAR APRIL 2012-MARCH 2013**

The Japan Foundation announces the various grants which are now open for individuals' and organizations' applications. These grants are intended for Japan-related programs and activities in three (3) major categories: Arts and Cultural Exchange; Japanese-Language Education Overseas; and Japanese Studies and Intellectual Exchange.

The Japan Foundation aims to continually endeavors in order to enhance its international environment through these grant programs.

The pertinent grant information and accompanying application form for Fiscal Year April 2012 – March 2013 can be accessed at The Japan Foundation website: <http://www.jpf.go.jp/e/program/index.html> or <http://www.jpf.go.jp/e/program/list.html>.

The grant programs are the following:

<b>Grant Program</b>	<b>Who can Apply</b>
1. Japanese Language and Culture (Master's Course)	- individuals who are highly competitive - preminent scholars - experienced researchers - cultural specialists
2. Training Program for Foreign Teachers of the Japanese Language (Long-Term and Short-Term)	- foreign teachers of the Japanese Language
3. Japanese Language Program for Specialists in Cultural and Academic Fields	- researchers, postgraduate students - librarians - museum curators

Duly accomplished forms with complete supporting documents must be submitted not later than **November 21, 2011** The Japan Foundation, Manila (JFM) deadline. Successful applicants, individuals and organizations, will be announced by **April 2012**.

The guidelines must be read carefully. Should one wish to secure a copy of "The Japan Foundation Program Guidelines," for FY 2012-2013, visit the JFM at the 12/F Pacific Star Bldg., Makati Avenue, Makati City or contact telephone no.: (02) 811-6155-58 or telefax no.: (02) 811-6153 or send a message through e-mail address: [email@jfm.org.ph](mailto:email@jfm.org.ph).