

AFLSP@KU Enrichment Program 2020

AFLSP@KU Committee

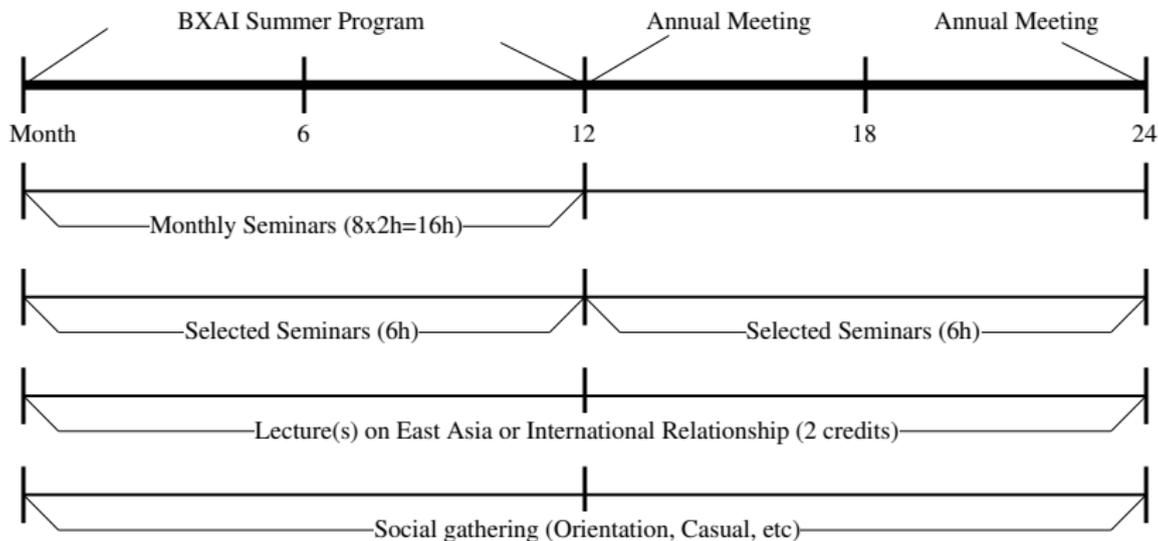
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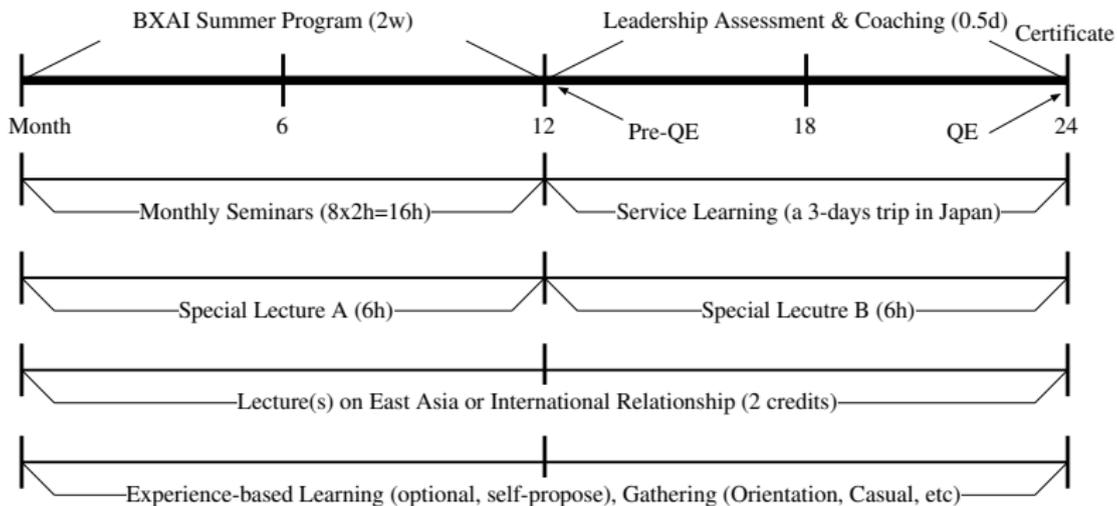
AFLSP@KU Enrichment Program 1st Stage (before Oct 2019)



- Activities with Japanese: Annual Meeting and Lecture
- Activities with Alumni: Social gathering
- Japanese language (optional but strongly recommended)



AFLSP@KU Enrichment Program 2nd Stage (after Oct 2019)



- Activities with Japanese: Pre-QE/QE, Lectures, Learning and Gatherings
- Activities with Alumni: Pre-QE/QE, Service Learning, Lectures, Gatherings
- Japanese language is optional but strongly encouraged.
- Note: BXAI Summer Program is included for completeness.



Update in 2020

- Online programs in the first semester due to COVID-19.
- Programs in the second semester are to be decided.
- Details are explained in the following slides in red color.



Certificate of completion

- Proof of the completion of the high-quality AFLSP@KU
- Issued for who complete/passed the following programs:
 - ① Orientation in the same year of the enrollment
 - ② Monthly Seminars (16h or more. 1st year)
 - ③ BXAI Summer Program (provided by BXAI)
 - ④ Special Lectures and Selected Seminars (6h/y × 2y)
 - ⑤ 2-credits Lecture on intl. relations (Asia-focused) or comparative studies of cross-cultural issues in CJK
 - ⑥ Service Learning (2nd year)
 - ⑦ Leadership Assessment & Coaching (2nd year)
 - ⑧ Pre-QE & QE (end of each year)
 - ⑨ (Optional but strongly recommended) Experience-based Learning, casual gathering, Japanese language, etc



1. Orientation

- About BXAI

<https://www.bxai.org/who-we-are/about-us/about-bxai/>

- About Kyoto University

<https://www.kyoto-u.ac.jp/en/about/profile/ideals/>

- Program introduction

- Meet with committee members and alumni **online**



2. Monthly Seminar

- Purpose: Help understand the diversity, identify issues, communicate with others and execute
- Eight times \times 2h = 16h (Usually 10am-12am, Sat)
- Duty to scholars in the 1st year; recommended to 2nd year
- Each time two presentations
- Each presentation consists of report for research (at least half time), culture/social activities and thinking on issues in East Asia or intl. relations.
- Others shall think together with the speaker and discuss after the presentation.
- **Online only in the first semester**



3. BXAI Summer Program (provided by BXAI)

See BXAI's website (**cancelled in 2020**).



4. Special Lectures and Selected Seminars

- Purpose: Help understand the diversity and consider issues relevant to East Asia.
- 6h/year × 2 years
- Special Lectures are lectures and seminars specially designed for scholars.
- Who missed a Special Lecture (with a strong reason) can propose an alternative Selected Seminar (requires the approval by the committee).



5. 2-credits Lecture

- 2-credits Lecture(s) provided by Kyoto University
- On intl. relations (Asia-focused) or comparative studies of cross-cultural issues in East Asia (China, Japan, Korea)
- Should select one from the list provided by AFLSP@KU, or propose one and get the approval by the committee before the lecture registration.



6. Service Learning (SL)

- Purpose: Discover culture diversity, communicate with others, identify issues and propose appropriate solutions.
- Content: A 3-days study trip in Japan
- Mainly for 2nd year scholars
- Submit an individual research paper on East Asia or intl. relations after the trip.
- Who missed it (with a strong reason) can propose an Experience-Based Learning as alternative (requires the approval by the committee).



7. Leadership Assessment & Coaching

- Purpose: Help discover and develop oneself
- A half day event
- Mainly for 2nd year scholars
- An online pilot coaching is scheduled on June 27.



8. Pre-QE & QE (Qualification Examination)

- Pre-QE for the 1st year, QE for the 2nd year
- Winter for who enrolled in April and Summer for who enrolled in October
- All scholars are required to join the final presentation
- Evaluation by annual activities with the following criteria
 - Quality of research (evaluated by supervisor)
 - Research review (evaluated by QE board members)
 - Bird's view on issues in the world (Asia preferred)
 - Sociality (culture, intl. relation, communication etc)
 - Leadership (self-leadership, group leadership, etc)



9. Experience-Based Learning (EBL)

- Optional.
- Purpose: same as SL, thus can be an alternative of SL
- Maximum funding: 50,000 Yen \times 10 scholars a year (tentative, depending on the budget and #proposals)
- Submit your proposal at least one month before departure
- Can be combined with a business trip or national/oversea internship
- Submit an individual research paper on East Asia or intl. relations after the trip.



AFLSP@KU Online Resource

WWW ^a	www.aflsp.kyoto-u.ac.jp
Wiki ^b	www.aflsp.kyoto-u.ac.jp/wiki/
Portfolio ^c	www.aflsp.kyoto-u.ac.jp/portfolio/

^aOfficial site

^bSemi-official site for information exchanging

^cFor learning records. It is under construction currently.



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