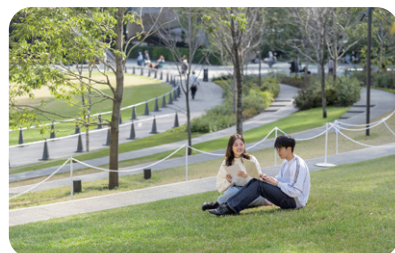


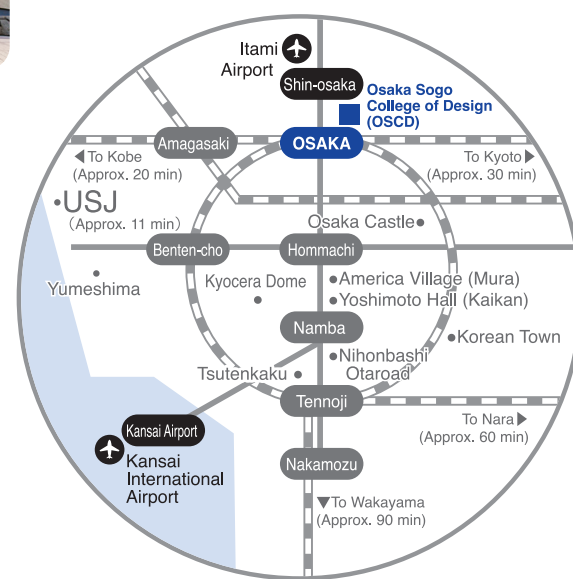
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OSAKA
JAPAN

TOKYO



ACCESS

From JR「Osaka Station」▶about 5-min walk

From Hankyu/Hanshin/Osaka Metro「Osaka Umeda Station」

From JR Shin-Osaka station ▶about 10 mins

From Kansai/Osaka International Airport ▶about 45 mins

OSAKA SOGO COLLEGE OF DESIGN

COMMUNICATION DESIGN

COMIC ART

MANGA

ANIMATION

DIGITAL CREATIVE LAB

INTERIOR DESIGN



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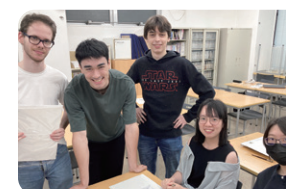
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International Student's Guide

Our alumni are making significant impacts across a wide range of industries!

Messages from
Our Graduates



From Vietnam

GRAP
Investigate Tendency with Rationale
GRAP Co., Ltd.
Designer, Development Dept.
NGUYEN THUC ANH

From Taiwan

LVIRE
LOIRE HOLDINGS CO., Ltd.
Brand Building and Design
陳思吟

From Indonesia / From Mexico / From Taiwan

Jumondou Co., Ltd. Animator (Fukuoka Studio)
KEMUEL YANG/
MARTINEZ FLORES ALEJANDRO/呂育霖

From Italy

Solid Design Lab.
Solid Design Lab.
Architectural 3D Perspective Design
PICCOLI ANDREA

From China

Sakura International
Sakura International Inc.
Event Booth Designer
李俊鋒

From China

Studio DEEN
Studio DEEN Co., Ltd.
Designer, Development Dept.
譚 極文

From Thailand

Q-LiA
PLANNING&DESIGN
Q-LiA Co., Ltd.
Designer, Development Dept.
PIYAWATIN VIPADA

From Taiwan

ROICE
Real and Online Interactive Communication Engine
Roice Entertainment Co., Ltd.
Figure Designer
王柏順

From Taiwan

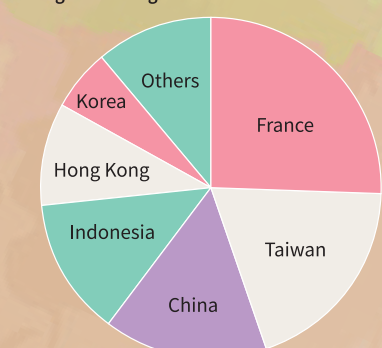
Studio Pierrot Co., Ltd.
Animator
李佳泓

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From the moment you apply until you graduate,
we are also here to help you grow

- Business Japanese Classes
- Campus Counseling Sessions
- Job-haunting Seminars for International Students
- Japanese Business Etiquette Workshops
- Job-matching Services
- Resume and Portfolio Improving Guidance
- Visa Related Inquiries (Including Work Visa Application)
- Japanese University Transferring/enrolling Support

Regions of Origin of International Students



Other
Russia, Myanmar, Thailand, Vietnam, Portugal, Luxembourg,
Switzerland, Colombia, Hungary, Sweden, Mongolia, Sri Lanka
As of April 2026

Career Support Center

The Career Support Center Helps You Achieve Your Goals.

Portfolio Guidance Tailored to Specific Employers.



Company Info Sessions & Workplace Visits from the 1st Year.



INTERNATIONAL GRADUATES IN EMPLOYMENT

ENGI Co, Ltd./Asahi Production Co., Ltd./Abilive Co., Ltd./Abies-3 Co., Ltd./The Answer Studio Co., Ltd./&SPICE Co., Ltd./IGNITION M Co., Ltd./Osaka Minoru Co., Ltd./KADOSHO Co., Ltd./GUGEN Co., Ltd./Creamodo Co., Ltd./Colmo Design Plus i Co., Ltd./ZEALPLUS Inc./Xeen Inc./GENO STUDIO INC./Tap Planning Inc./D visual Incorporated/D-Brain Institute/ Techcross Inc./Natsume Atari Inc./Bibury Animation Studios G.K./Best gift Co., Ltd./LEONIS CO., LTD.(in random order)

INTERNATIONAL GRADUATES IN FURTHER STUDY

Kyoto University of the Arts, Kyoto Seika University
Osaka University of Arts,
Osaka Electro-Communication University,
University of Marketing and Distribution Sciences,
Seian University of Art and Design, Shobi University,
Kobe Design University, The Kyoto College of Graduate Studies for Informatics,
And other institutions as well



Design



DESIGN DEPARTMENT(2-YEAR)



DESIGN DEPARTMENT

Communication Design Program

Learn skills that can be applied in the digital transformation era.

Embrace the diverse world of communication design, where visual expressions continue to evolve. Become a designer who navigates through media to deliver innovative "values" to the world.

PROGRAM CURRICULUM

Advertising& Editorial Design, Social Media& Web Design, Marketing, Japanese Design, Spatial Graphics, Branding, Lifestyle Design and more!

CARRER FIELDS

Digital Advertising, Branding, Social Media& WebDesign, SNS content, Magazine Editing& Publishing,Merchandise, Marketing and more!



Presentation



Animation Production

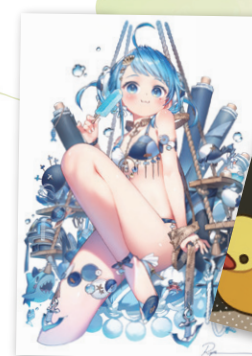


Group Work

Manga& Animation



MANGA ANIMATION DEPARTMENT(2-YEAR)



MANGA ANIMATION DEPARTMENT

Comic Art Program

Discover Your Unique Talents and Shine

Discovering your "own style" and striving in the online market,With the aim of creating "eye-catching" works.

PROGRAM CURRICULUM

Traditional Hand-drawn Art, Digital Illustrations, Commercial Character Design, 3D Modeling, LINE2D, Merchandise Production, Graphic Design and more!

CARRER FIELDS

Art Illustration, Commercial Illustration, Character Design, Game Graphics, Card Game Visuals. VTuber Persona Design, Video Production, Merchandising, Exhibition Booth Sales and more!



CLIP STUDIO PAINT PRO

MANGA ANIMATION DEPARTMENT

Manga Program

Top-notch performance in Japan!

Top-tier debut achievements in Japan! Our faculty members, experts in their fields, are here to provide personalized guidance for each student to help them reach their goals!

PROGRAM CURRICULUM

Comic Art Techniques, Character Design, Perspective Fundamentals, Digital Drawing Basics, Comic Framing, Blender3D Modeling, LIVE2D and more!

CARRER FIELDS

Magazine Comic Series, Web Comic Series, One-shot Comics, Illustrations, Comic Artist Assistant, Game Artwork, Animation Artwork and more!



Personalized Feedback for Each Student

MANGA ANIMATION DEPARTMENT

Animation Program

Explore the Rich World of Japanese Animation!

Experience the world-famous artistry of Japanese anime creation firsthand, right in the heart of an animation studio's environment.

PROGRAM CURRICULUM

Computer Fundamentals (Adobe & 3DCG), Character Design, Motion Design, CG Animation, Visual Effects, AI Brush Techniques and more!

CARRER FIELDS

Animation Draft, Sketching, Animation Production, Cinematography, 3D CGI, Background Illustration, Visual Compositing, Storyboarding, Animation Direct, Post-Production Editing and more!



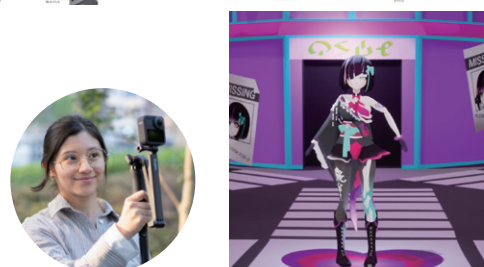
Group Work

Frontier Creative



FRONTIER CREATIVE DEPARTMENT(3-YEAR)

Achieve Excellence with In-Depth Learning for Peak Performance and Enhanced Abilities



FRONTIER CRATIVE DEPARTMENT

Digital Creative Lab Program

For the Visionaries in Content Creation!

Embrace advanced digital skills with a focus on 3DCG and Unreal Engine, and gain a deep understanding of digital content. Transform your capabilities and thrive in the evolving digital landscape.

PROGRAM CURRICULUM

3D Graphic Software (Maya, Blender, ZBrush), Virtual Space Creation (XR), Video Editing, Interactive Content, Hybrid Content and more!

CARRER FIELDS

Visuals, Animation, Gaming Visuals, VTuber Design, Immersive VR Live Figures, Medical Research Modeling, Wellness, Interactive Virtual Pets and more!



3D Graphic Software

FRONTIER CRATIVE DEPARTMENT

Interior Design Program

REALITY X DIGITAL TECH

Dive into the world of interior and spatial design while acquiring the skills to meet business demands through 3D computer graphics.

PROGRAM CURRICULUM

Interior Coordination, Colour Coordination, Texture Design, Drafting, 3D CAD, 3D Modelling, VR & AR Application and more!

CARRER FIELDS

Commercial Space Design, Residential Space Design, Interior Styling, Furniture & Lighting Design and more!



Model Making



Established in April 1965 as a premier institution for design education, Osaka Sogo College of Design is a recognized and accredited school in Japan.

UEDA GAKUEN OSAKA SOGO COLLEGE OF DESIGN

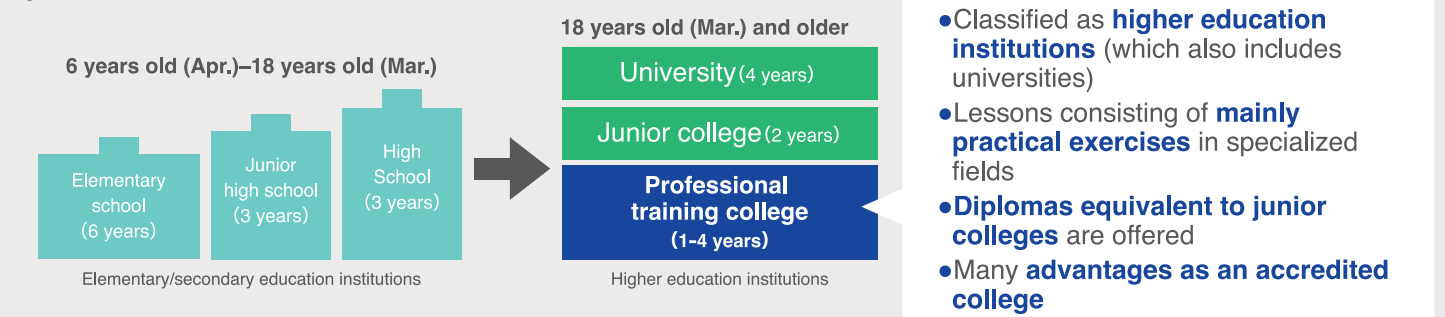
- 1941 Ueda Yasuko Fashion College (now Ueda College of Fashion) was established.
- 1953 Ysuko Ueda traveled to Europe and the U.S where she met the fashion designer Christian Dior, and later she brought back haute couture techniques to Japan.
- 1965 Sogo Designer College (now Osaka Sogo College of Design) was established.
- 1986 The new campus (currently used) was built.
- 1996 The Fashion Design Department merged with Ueda College of Fashion.
- 2009 The Yasuko Ueda Memorial Museum was opened.
- 2015 The 50th anniversary of Osaka Sogo College of Design.
- 2016 Releasing the 110th Anniversary Magazine in honour of Yasuko Ueda's birthday.
- 2017 A cooperation agreement was signed with the Christian Dior Museum, located at the birthplace of Christian Dior.
- 2021 The 80th anniversary of Ueda Gakuen.
- 2025 The 60th anniversary of Osaka Sogo College of Design.

UEDA GAKUEN

UEDA FASHION 1941
OSAKA SOGO DESIGN 1965

What is a professional training college?

Professional training colleges are higher education institutions accredited by the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology, to proceed to after the completion of elementary, junior and senior high school education. As officially accredited institutions, diplomas are offered upon graduation.



Difference between professional training colleges and universities

They have different educational objectives. Those who have clear ideas about their goal and profession select professional training colleges where they can learn advanced specialized techniques.

	Those who have a clear idea of their future profession	Those who want to steadily broaden their perspectives
	Professional training college	University
Educational objectives	To obtain specialized skills/knowledge for employment	To acquire a wide range of culture and study academically
Years/Conditions to graduate/Academic qualification	2 years/1,700 hours+/Diploma	4 years/124 credits+/Bachelor's degree
Curriculum	Specialized subjects (lectures/practical exercises) More than 80% made up of specialized practical exercises	Liberal studies subjects + Specialized related subjects + Foreign language subjects + Specialized subjects (practical exercises) General education 40%
Instructors	Guidance by active professionals to nurture work-ready skills	Academic guidance by professors, guidance by researchers
Entrance exam/Tuition fees, etc.	Interview and essay only/2,680,000 yen (2 years/principal school)	Entrance exam/Average 4,000,000 yen (4 years/private)

Professional training colleges and unaccredited schools

Among many schools offering mainly specialized subjects, the schools officially accredited by the government are called professional training colleges and have various advantages.

Advantages of professional training colleges

- Your educational background will be a "graduate of professional training college" → **Advantageous for job-hunting in Japan!**
- Personal accident insurance and discount on on commuter pass
- Available on public scholarship/student loan
- Available on taking college/university transfer exam
- These are not available in unaccredited schools**

This college is approved as a "proper school" by the Osaka Regional Immigration Bureau

Only educational institutions where international student registration is properly carried out can be approved as a "proper school".

Overseas students admission requirements

Admission requirements

For applicants who are passionate about the design industry, have clear study abroad goals, and a strong desire to learn, and who meet all the following criteria:

- Those who are 18 years old or over (as of April 1 of the entrance year) and have completed 12 years of school education (or equivalent to senior high school) or equivalent thereto
- Those to who any of the following (a. to e.) apply and can manage lectures in Japanese
 - N2 or above in the Japanese-Language Proficiency Test (JLPT)
 - 200 points or above in the Examination for Japanese University Admission for International Students (EJU)
 - Has undergone Japanese language education for 12 months or more with a "Student" residency status at a Japanese language institution designated by the Minister of Justice, with an attendance rate of at least 90%.
 - 400 points or more in the Business Japanese Proficiency Test (BJT)
 - Received education for a year or more at a school as provided in Article 1 of the School Education Act
- Those who have enough financial resources for college expenses and living expenses during the stay for studying

Entrance exam

- Application document screening / interview (approx. 30 min)**
Japanese conversation ability, reason for application and your goal will be checked at the interview.
Note: If you submit your application from overseas, an online interview will be conducted instead.
- Written exam (1 hour)**
A Japanese writing exam will be carried out to confirm your Japanese ability.

Application period

From October 1st to December 10th (For Overseas Applicants)

College Expenses

Entrance Fee **100,000 yen**

Department	■ DESIGN DEPARTMENT ■ MANGA ANIMATION DEPARTMENT				■ FRONTIER CREATIVE DEPARTMENT					
Course	■ Communication Design Program ■ Manga Program ■ Animation Program ■ Comic Art Program				■ Digital Creative Lab Program ■ Interior Design Program					
Year	First Year		Second Year		First Year		Second Year		Third Year	
	First Semester	Second Semester	First Semester	Second Semester	First Semester	Second Semester	First Semester	Second Semester	First Semester	Second Semester
Tuition Fees	470,000 yen	470,000 yen	470,000 yen	470,000 yen	470,000 yen	470,000 yen	470,000 yen	470,000 yen	470,000 yen	470,000 yen
Facility Improvement Fees	135,000 yen	135,000 yen	135,000 yen	135,000 yen	160,000 yen	160,000 yen	160,000 yen	160,000 yen	160,000 yen	160,000 yen
Student Miscellaneous Fees	60,000 yen	60,000 yen	60,000 yen	60,000 yen	60,000 yen	60,000 yen	60,000 yen	60,000 yen	60,000 yen	60,000 yen
Event Fees	30,000 yen	30,000 yen	30,000 yen	30,000 yen	30,000 yen	30,000 yen	30,000 yen	30,000 yen	30,000 yen	30,000 yen
Total School Expenses by Semester	695,000 yen	695,000 yen	695,000 yen	695,000 yen	720,000 yen	720,000 yen	720,000 yen	720,000 yen	720,000 yen	720,000 yen
Total School Expenses by Year	1,390,000 yen		1,390,000 yen		1,440,000 yen		1,440,000 yen		1,440,000 yen	
First-Year Fee Summary	1,490,000 yen (Entrance Fee Included)		—		1,540,000 yen (Entrance Fee Included)		—		—	
Second-Year Fee Summary	—		1,390,000 yen		—		1,440,000 yen		—	
Third-Year Fee Summary	—		—		—		—		1,440,000 yen	
Overall Payment Summary Until Graduation	2,880,000 yen (Entrance Fee Included)				4,420,000 yen (Entrance Fee Included)					

Teaching materials and laptop costs are required separately. The consumption tax is not imposed on the above payments.
10,000 yen will be collected as an alumni membership fee in the first year.