

Embrace Ambition, Create the Transformative Futures.

Now Open
for Applications!

FY2023

JST SOHATSU

(Fusion Oriented REsearch for disruptive Science and Technology, FOREST)

Support period;

7 years

(maximum 10 years)

Research grants;

Up to **50 million yen**

Generous support

from U.Tsukuba

JST's Fusion Oriented REsearch for disruptive Science and Technology (SOHATSU) aims to support emergent research by emphasizing the qualities of researchers and paying attention to diversity and fusion, and to produce results that lead to disruptive innovations, without falling prey to short-term results-oriented approaches. In addition, to enable the selected researchers to demonstrate their abilities to the fullest, we expect their home institutions to make efforts to improve their research environment, and the related parties, led by the Japan Science and Technology Agency (JST), will provide detailed support.

Message to Researchers Interested in the Emergent Research Support Program (June 1, 2020, Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology)

Call for Proposals

- For more information on the project, please check the JST website. → www.jst.go.jp/souhatsu/
- Recruitment information sessions by JST (August 30, September 13, October 3)
- The "Panel" will take the lead in implementing the public call/ selection.
The Humanities and Social Screening Team has been added on FY2023



Application Deadline

- Prior approval must be obtained from your department head. Applications should be submitted to the Academic Service Office.
- Campus Deadline (Division of External Funding Management): Wednesday, October 18, 2023, 10:00 a.m.
- Deadline for receipt of research proposals (e-Rad submissions): Noon, Wednesday, October 25, 2023

Adoption Support by URA

1. Proposal reviewing and helpdesk
2. Pre-application individual meetings
3. Seminar & Consultation by 'SOHATSU' adopters
4. Arrange a mock hearing review

- For details and registration, please visit COTRE

ura.sec.tsukuba.ac.jp/archives/41261



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- Up to ¥2,000,000 in start-up capital*
- PI labor cost system applied
(projects with direct costs of 7 million yen or more)
- Consideration in securing a laboratory (experiment room) and in campus operations*
- Priority in use of shared facilities* and free of charge*
- Buyout system applied
- Support for accompanying URAs
- Holding research management seminars, research exchange meetings, etc. In addition, support for academic specialists and support personnel is under consideration.

*:System currently under preparation