



1 March 2024

Announcement of the “NF-IAMU GMP Faculty Fellowship Programme” for FY2024

At the 20th Commemorative Annual General Assembly held in October 2019, Dr. Yohei Sasakawa, the Honorary Chair of IAMU, declared the establishment of the Nippon Foundation-International Association of Maritime Universities (NF-IAMU) Fellowship Programme for IAMU member university students and academic staff that embody the Global Maritime Professional (GMP) Initiative and incorporate the GMP Body of Knowledge into their curricula.

The purpose of the Programme is to support individuals who are or will be faculty members of IAMU member universities or are currently working as seafarers or otherwise contributing to the global supply network, who have the ambition to educate future professionals of the global maritime industry.

1. Eligibility for nomination to the Programme

- IAMU member university
- Submission of a Declaration Letter with signature by the President or official representative of the university

2. Amount of funds

A maximum of 100,000 USD

3. Timeline for the Programme in 2024

31 March	Deadline for the submission of the Declaration Letter
1 April	Request for nominating individual
30 September	Deadline for the submission of the Forms and support documents
November	Selection and approval of the IEB
December	Notification of results of selection Consultation with the host university (which will receive the candidate) for receiving the funds and contractual agreement
TBD	First payment (to host university) on a contractual case-by-case basis

4. Submissions

Step 1: Declaration Letter

Please submit the “Declaration Letter” (Appendix 2) via e-mail with the subject “Declaration

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Letter” to the email address shown below by midnight, 31 March 2024 JST (UTC +9).

Step 2: Forms and support documents

After completing all necessary processes indicated in Appendix 1, please submit the following Forms and support documents via e-mail with the subject “Nomination for NF-IAMU GMP Faculty Fellowship” to the email address shown below by midnight, 30 September 2024 JST (UTC +9).

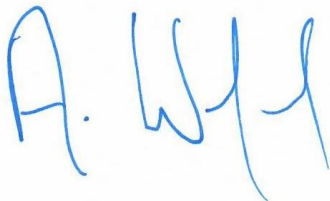
1. Nomination Form (completed by responsible staff) (Appendix 3)
2. Motivation Statement and Application Form (completed by applicant) (Appendix 4)
3. Two academic or professional references (recommendation letters)
4. Achievement certificates and transcript of grades
5. Evidence of acceptance to a PhD programme
6. Copy of research proposal
7. Individual Study Plan
8. Budget Form (Appendix 5)

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[Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact mori@iamu-edu.org.](mailto:mori@iamu-edu.org)

Sincerely yours,



Adam Weintrit,

Chair, International Association of Maritime Universities (IAMU)

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Appendix 1: Procedure of the NF-IAMU GMP Faculty Fellowship

Appendix 2: Declaration Letter template

Appendix 3: Nomination Form

Appendix 4: Motivation Statement and Application Form

Appendix 5: Budget Form
