

# SWU Summer International Program 2024

## PLEDGE

Please read ALL the below statements very carefully, then sign the form IF you agree.

### I. Participation in SSIP

1. I am aware of the cost of the program, and I will be responsible for the charges set by the program.
2. I have permission/approval/agreement from my parent(s)/guardian for participating in SSIP.
3. My health and mental conditions are capable of participating in a 3-week program and adapting to a new environment.
4. I will provide information concerning my physical and mental health as requested by the program.
5. I will sign up for travel and health insurance and share my insurance information with SWU.
6. I will make travel arrangements for my trip to Japan on my own responsibility.
7. I will submit all the required documents, make payments, and take care of other necessary preparations for participation in the program in a timely manner.
8. I will give permission to SWU to share my personal information with third parties to make necessary arrangements for the program, such as for making accommodation reservations, contacting my home university, and/or emergency contact(s) in case of emergency, etc.

### II. Conditions

9. I understand SWU may cancel the program in the event which makes SWU unable to safely deliver the program, such as a natural disaster, deterioration of public order, pandemic, etc., and SWU will not be held responsible for the cancellation of the program due to the aforementioned reasons.
10. I will comply with the rules and guidelines regarding COVID-19 prevention by the Japanese government and will be responsible for preparing the necessary documents needed and following directions given to enter Japan.
11. I will abide by Japanese laws and regulations and observe ALL rules defined by the program.
12. I will follow the local COVID-19 guidelines, including mask-wearing, self-isolation, etc., during the program.
13. I understand SWU is not responsible for any of my actual or alleged violations of law/regulation, whether or not intentional, during the program.

### III. Expectations

14. I understand that SSIP is a university-level academic program with lecture series, readings, presentations, class discussions, and group projects for university credits. I am aware that participation in all lectures and activities, as well as submission of assignment(s), is required for completion of the program, and I will work to the best of my ability to complete the program.
15. SSIP promotes and values cultural diversity. I will contribute to the program by actively interacting with both international and Japanese students with respect and by sharing my ideas and experiences with other participants.

If any clarifications or problems may arise with the said statement(s), I will contact the Center for International Exchange. [ssipstaff@swu.ac.jp](mailto:ssipstaff@swu.ac.jp)

PRINT NAME \_\_\_\_\_

HOME INSTITUTION: \_\_\_\_\_

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SIGNATURE:

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)