# Which Type of applicant are you ?



# Flow Guide to Online Application (Graduate Course)



# **★**Step 0 (Applicant <u>ABP&Non-ABP</u>)Prepare the application guide.

#### Read the application guide well, and check the requirements and the test schedule.

- 1. Request a reference letter to your current or former academic supervisor (professor).
- $\cdot$  The referrer should upload the letter to the system, NOT the applicant.
- 2. A computer with internet access.
- Enable "JavaScript".
- 3. Application software
- $\cdot$  Use one of the following browsers: Microsoft Edge, Google Chrome, Mozilla Firefox, and Apple Safari.

Update the browser to the latest version before use.

- 4. Scanner
- You need a scanner to digitize your documents. Using a digital camera is acceptable only when you cannot use a scanner. Make sure you film the whole document clearly.

5.Email address

- $\cdot$  Register the email address mainly used. Authorize following domains to receive emails from us.
- "@adb.shizuoka.ac.jp" and "@shizuoka.ac.jp"
- $\cdot$  When you cannot find the email from us, please check junk/spam box.



## Applicant (ABP&Non-ABP)

# ★Step 1 Prepare all requirements (documents).

- Photo
- $\cdot$  Copy of passport
- Academic Transcripts (Records) of University (1st to 4th years) \*
- Graduation Certificate/Expected Graduation Certificate, or Bachelor Degree Certificate \*
- $\cdot \ {\sf Certificate}({\sf s}) {\sf of} \ {\sf Proficiency} \ {\sf of} \ {\sf English} \ {\sf Language}$
- \* The Certificates must be official that have been proved by the University that awarded your degree and which should have: the university seal, a signature of the authorized responsible person, his/her title and the date of issue.

#### **Referrer**

# Step 1 Write the reference letter.

- Register yourself with the application system, and upload the letter within the application period.
- The letter should have: applicant's academic ability, personal quality, English proficiency, period of mentorship with the referrer, total units earned from the referrer, the rank in the class and so on.
- The letter should have the handwritten signature of the referrer, and the date of issue.





### Applicant (ABP&Non-ABP)

## ★Step 2 Register with the application system.

#### Referrer

# **Step 2** Register with the application system and upload the letter.

- Access to <a href="https://mst.abp.shizuoka.ac.jp/">https://mst.abp.shizuoka.ac.jp/</a>
- $\cdot$  Click "User Registration" to enter login site and input your correct information.
- $\cdot$  Choose "Applicant" or "Referrer" from the Registration Category.
- $\cdot$  Click "Register" to save the input.
- $\cdot$  A password will be sent to your email address. Enter the password and your email address to login.

\* It might take a few minutes to receive the password.

\* Register only ONE account. When you need to make another account due to wrong email address, contact us first at: <a href="mailto:abpexam@adb.shizuoka.ac.jp">abpexam@adb.shizuoka.ac.jp</a>

- Click "Entry" after login. Applicant: input your information to complete the application. Referrer: upload the reference letter. Click "Modify" to edit the user profile.
- Click "Register" to save the changes on User Registration. Click "Back" to return without change.
- Click "Save" to save the changes on Application. Also, click "Save" to save temporarily and you can continue input from the last time.



#### <u>Applicant (ABP)</u> ★ Step 4 Click "Final Submission".

• When you input all mandatory information and upload files, "Final Submission" button becomes enable. Be sure to click "Final Submission" to complete before the deadline.

#### ★Step 5 Receive "Successful" notice.

 When you click "Final Submission", a notice will be sent automatically. Please contact us at <u>abpexam@adb.shizuoka.ac.jp</u> when you don't receive it.

#### Referrer **A**Step 3 Click "Save".

• Applicant will receive a notice said "A referrer uploaded the reference letter successfully."

#### **♦** Step 4 Receive the "Uploaded" notice.

 Referrer will receive a notice said "the letter has been successfully uploaded." Please contact us at <u>abpexam@adb.shizuoka.ac.jp</u> when you don't receive it.

#### Applicant (Non-ABP) **★**Step 3 Pay the exam fee.

- Email to <u>abpexam@adb.shizuoka.ac.jp</u> for the procedure.
- The payment must be made during the application period.

#### ★ Step 4 Click "Final Submission".

\* No exam fee waiver

• When you input all mandatory information and upload files, "Final Submission" button becomes enable. Be sure to click "Final Submission" to complete before the deadline.



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