TUAT

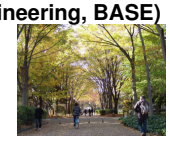
Faculty of Agriculture, Faculty of Engineering and Faculty of Bio-Applications and Systems Engineering (BASE)

- 400 Faculty members
- 4,300 Undergraduate students, 2,000 Graduate Students

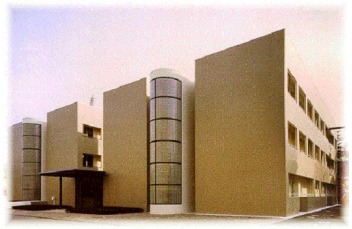
Fuchu campus (Faculty of Agriculture)


Koganei campus (Faculty of Engineering, BASE)





Introduction to Center for Innovation and Intellectual Property at TUAT



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History of Industry & Academia Collaboration at TUAT

- 1988 Foundation of Cooperative Research Center
- 1996 Expansion & Venture Business Lab.
- 1999 Liaison coordinator & patent attorney as guest professor
- 2001 Professor & Assoc. Professors
- 2001 TUAT-TLO Co., ltd.
- 2003 On-Campus Incubator
- 2003 IP Headquarters
- 2004 Symbiotic Sci. and Tech. as research institute
- 2005 School of MOT
- 2005 Super Headquarters among 6
- 2006 MEXT Fund for establishing tenure track system
- 2007 Regional Incubator on campus
- 2007 International Headquarters

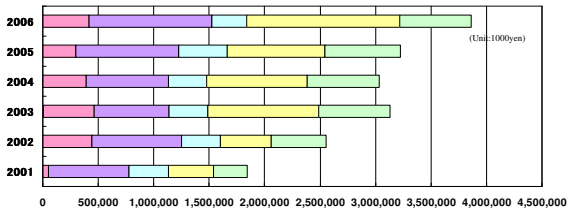
Inst. of Symbiotic Sci. & Tech.

- Future Nano-science and Technology (COE Strategic Research Initiative)
- Sustainability and Survival (COE Strategic Research Initiative) 【Leading Project by MEXT】
- Agriscience and Bioscience
- Ecosciences
- Animal Life Science
- Biotechnology and Life Science 【MEXT Grant-in-Aid for Specially Promoted Research】 【MEXT Grant-in-Aid for Research on Priority Areas】
- Bio-Applications and Systems Engineering 【MEXT Grant-in-Aid for Research on Priority Areas】
- Advanced Materials Science and Technology
- Systems and Information Technology 【Special Coordination Funds from MEXT】
- Mathematics and Human Sciences

Core Functions

- Help faculty to apply research fund.
  - 15 staffs and 10 coordinators
- Promote Joint R&D with Industry.
  - No.1 in the number of Rank A projects
  - No.1 in the number of projects per professor
  - One of 6 super headquarters in Japan
- Promote international collaboration in R&D.
  - One of 12 headquarters in Japan
- Manage intellectual properties.
  - 3 patent attorneys and 5 staffs
- Incubate start-ups.
  - Campus incubator by MEXT and Regional incubator by METI in the single campus.
  - 4 incubation managers

Financial Support from Outside Funds

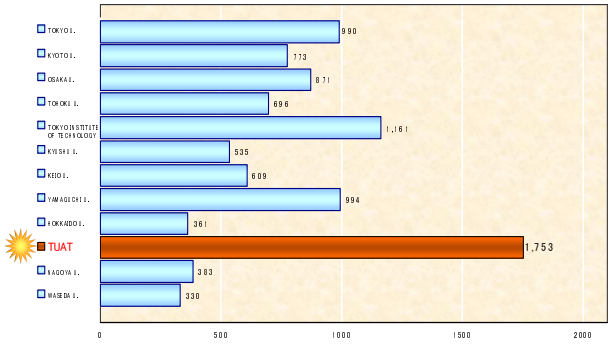


(Unit:1000yen)

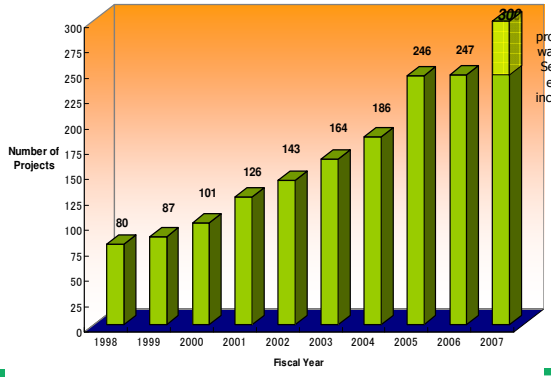
	FY2001	FY2002	FY2003	FY2004	FY2005	FY2006
Income from Joint Researches with Industry	302,576	495,608	646,086	646,524	669,732	645,449
Income from Commissioned Researches	530,904	517,154	996,877	905,871	881,441	1,379,283
Endowments and Donations	353,791	351,778	350,076	345,942	437,994	313,945
Grant-in-Aid for Scientific Research	787,745	873,581	676,939	743,070	927,164	1,107,804
Other Subsidies	56,137	511,943	439,400	402,314	296,069	413,454
Income from Researcher Training Contracts with companies	2,064	2,064	3,896	1,353	1,353	1,740
Total	2,033,217	2,752,128	3,113,274	3,045,074	3,213,753	3,861,675

Research Fund from Companies per Professor

TUAT is prominent among other Universities **(x1,000yen)**



Increase of Joint Research Projects



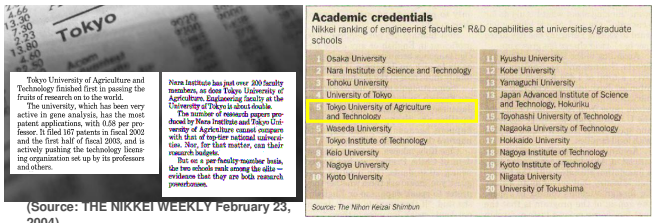
$ and # of projects of 2006 was achieved in Sep. 2007. We expect 20 % increase by Mar. 2008.

Reputation and Evaluation of TUAT

Nihon Keizai Shimbun Inc. (stands for "Japan Economic Newspaper") conducted a survey on engineering faculties' R & D capabilities at universities/graduate schools of Japan's leading public and private universities and reported the results in February 2004.

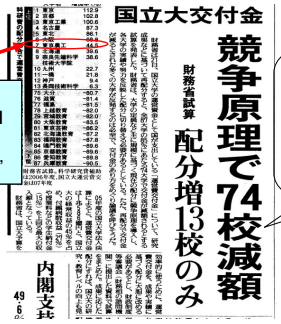
TUAT finished First in passing the fruits of research on to the world.
TUAT has the most patent applications, with 0.58 per professor.

Total ranking of TUAT is the Fifth according to the academic credentials by NIKKEI



(Source: THE NIKKEI WEEKLY February 23, 2004)

Increase of the Government Budget if it were allocated according to the amount of the Grants-in-Aid for Scientific Research (NSF) (Estimated by the Ministry of Finance)



TUAT ranks 7th among 87 national universities.
Source: Yomiuri Shimbun, May 22, 2007

Only 13 would increase the budget, but 74 face the decrease.

Ranking in the Amount of Outside Funds and Activities in Industry-Academia Collaboration (FY 2005)

Rank	Number of Joint Research Projects per Faculty Member	Rank	Joint Research Funds per Faculty Member (x10^{5}yen)	Rank	Ratio of Outside Funds to Revenue* (%)	Rank	Cumulative Number of Venture Creation per Faculty Member
1	TUAT (0.59)	1	TUAT (1,479)	1	Nara Inst. of Sci. and Tech. (19.0)	1	Kyushu Inst. of Tech. (0.100)
	Kitami Inst. of Tech. (0.59)	2	Nagoya Inst. of Tech. (1,233)	2	Univ. of Tokyo (17.5)	2	Toyohashi Univ. of Tech. (0.076)
	Muroran Inst. of Tech. (0.54)	3	Tokyo Inst. of Tech. (1,091)	3	TUAT (16.4)	3	Japan Advanced Inst. of Sci. & Tech. (0.071)
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	Nagoya Inst. of Technology (0.54)	5	Univ. of Tokyo (982)	5	Obihiro Univ. of Agri. and Vet. Med. (15.4)	5	TUAT (0.067)
6	Obihiro Univ. of Agri. and Vet. Med. (0.49)	6	Yamaguchi Univ. (965)	6	Toyohashi Univ. of Tech. (15.1)	6	Kyoto Inst. of Tech. (0.059)
7	Toyohashi Univ. of Tech. (0.45)	7	Japan Advanced Inst. of Sci. & Tech. (880)	7	Nagoya Inst of Tech. (14.4)	7	Nagaoka Univ. of Tech. (0.049)
8	Kyoto Inst. of Tech. (0.41)	8	Osaka Univ. (871)	8	Nagaoka Univ. of Tech. (13.8)	8	Otaru Univ. of Commerce (0.045)

* Ratio of Outside Funds to Revenue = Outside funds divided by Total Revenue. This ratio is considered as an indicator for national university's financial performance and profitability.

TUAT-TLO Co., Ltd.

- The marketing company of IPs from TUAT
- Established Oct.1, 2001
- Permitted Dec.10, 2001 (24th in Japan)
- Capital 80 million yen
- Invested by 522 individuals (TUAT faculties and graduates)
- Team: 5 license associates, 3 office workers

Campus INCUBATOR *TUATi*

[Open] June 12, 2003

[Location] Koganei Campus

[Facility] 46m^2 x 12 Rooms,
23m^2 x 3 Rooms
Four Conference Booths

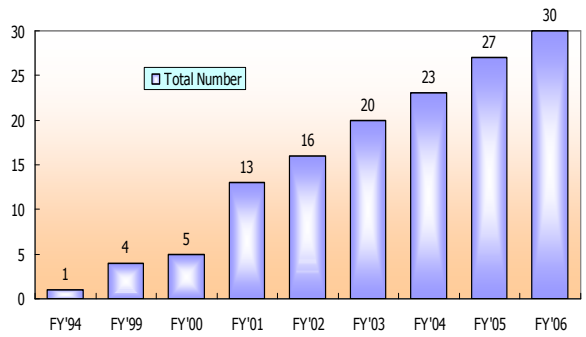
[Duration of Service] 3 Years (+within 2 years extension)

[Target] Incubate start-ups
3 - 5 companies are expected to mature every year

[Merits] Facility on the Campus, Support, Lower Rent

[Cooperation with TUAT-TLO] Matching Fund, Marketing, etc.

Cumulative Number of Start-up Companies born in TUAT



Regional Incubator

METI's support. First in Tokyo, First in the same campus with the MEXT campus incubator.

[Open] April, 2008

[Location] Koganei Campus

[Facility] 1,500 m²

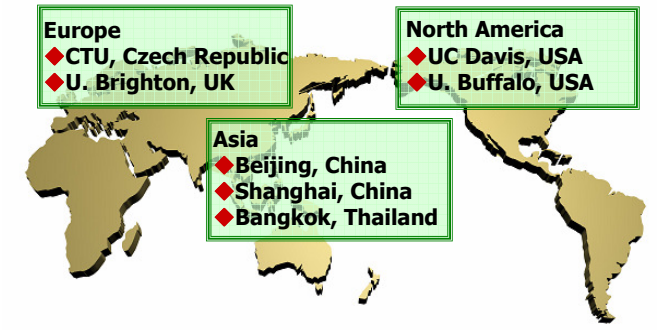
[Target] Graduates of campus incubator and new comers from the region

[Mission] Financial and Marketing Support.

Venture Business Laboratory → Campus Incubator → Regional Incubator

Internationalization of CIIP

International Liaison



Introduction to TUAT Research for Collaboration

Research Categories

(Info. available on the CIIP website: www.tuat.ac.jp/~crc)

	Number of Projects Listed on the Web*
Life Sciences	10
Information & Communication Technology	4
Environment	5
Nanotechnology & Nanomaterials	4
Manufacturing Technologies	11
Social Infrastructure	4
TOTAL	**38***

* As of November 30, 2007

Life Sciences

Research	Name
Basic Research on Utilization of Biomagnet	Dr. Tadashi MATSUNAGA
Application of Silk Fibroins and Silk-Like Proteins for Scaffold of Tissue Engineering	Dr. Tetsuo ASAKURA
Introduction of Yohda, Odaka and Yamada laboratory.	Dr. Masafumi YOHDA
Quantitative Analysis and Application of Protein Solubility Enhancement by Minimal Peptide Tags	Dr. Yutaka KURODA
Environmentally Friendly New Technology for Organic Synthesis	Dr. Kazuo NAGASAWA
Development of a Point of Care Device for Detection of Diabetes Markers Using a Flow Immunoassay System	Dr. Tsuyoshi TANAKA
Cycloalkane-based Thermomorphic Solution-phase Chemical Process Featuring Rapid Reactions and Separations	Dr. Kazuhiro CHIBA
RNA Interference: dsRNAs and dsRNA-binding Proteins	Dr. Toshiyuki FUKUHARA
Structure and Function of Carbohydrate-metabolizing Enzyme	Dr. Takashi TONOZUKA
The Development of Novel Molecular Targeting Therapies against Leukemia	Dr. Hiroshi MATSUDA

Information and Communication Technology

Research	Name
Development of Polymer Optical Waveguide Devices	Dr. Mamoru ISO
Swaying Tree Generation Tool for Animation	Dr. Katsuhiro KITAJIMA
Handwriting-based User Interfaces	Dr. Masaki NAKAGAWA
Artificial-Intelligence Meets Human Interaction	Dr. Yoshiyuki KOTANI

Nanotechnology & Nanomaterials

Research	Name
Novel Nanomaterials Prepared by Confinement of Functional Molecules within Anisotropic Microarrays of Inorganic Crystals	Dr. Teruyuki NAKATO
Development of Homogeneous Catalytic Reactions Based on Synergy of Two Different Transition Metals	Dr. Sanshiro KOMIYA
Invitation of Crystal Science and Technology	Dr. Masakuni MATSUOKA
Researches of Two-dimensional Alignment Clusters on Polycyclic Arenes	Dr. Masafumi HIRANO