



# Announcements



# STUDY ABROAD

## Japan: Criminal Justice (Japan Center for Michigan Universities)

**Hikone, Japan** - We will be studying and comparing social mechanisms in Japan and the United States. Specifically, we will examine formal systems such as police and court systems, and also informal social systems such as family, school and workplace. Our field trips will include visiting a school, courthouse, and police station. We will also review Japan's history and culture through excursions to Kyoto, Nara, Tokyo, and Hiroshima. This course is open to all majors, both undergraduate and graduate, and no Japanese language skills are required.



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[www.gvsu.edu/studyabroad](http://www.gvsu.edu/studyabroad)

Apply by **January 15, 2018** at:  
**[www.gvsu.edu/studyabroad](http://www.gvsu.edu/studyabroad)**



## Contact

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**Walk-In Advising Hours:**  
Monday - Friday: 8am - 5pm  
Hours are extended to 7pm on Wednesday during the fall & winter semesters.  
*No appointment necessary!*

## Dates

Tentative May 7-23, 2018  
(2 weeks)

## Housing

JCMU furnished 2-bedroom apartments

## Eligibility

2.5 GPA required.

**Non-GVSU students** are eligible.  
*Visit the website for details.*

## Apply

Apply online by January 15, 2018 at:  
**[www.gvsu.edu/studyabroad](http://www.gvsu.edu/studyabroad)**

**PLEASE NOTE:** Only apply for the May course.



## Courses

Students will receive a total of 3 credits:

**UNDERGRADUATE:**  
**CJ380:** Community, Culture, and Social Order: Comparing Japan and the United States (3 credits)

**GRADUATE:**  
**CI680:** Community, Culture, and Social Order: Comparing Japan and the United States (3 credits)

*Language of instruction: English*

## Excursions & Highlights

- Class will learn Japanese culture both in classroom at Japan Center for Michigan Universities (Hikone, Japan) and through various local and long-distance outings.
- Class will visit local courthouse, police headquarters, and schools.
- Long-distance excursions include the historic cities of Kyoto and Nara, as well as Hiroshima and Tokyo.

## Cost

**Please note:** This cost information is from the 2016 program Updated 2018 program information will be available soon online.

Program Fee	Other expenses
\$2,475 (paid to GVSU)	\$2,760 (estimate)

*\*Includes Consortium discount (\$200)*

### What's Included?

- Tuition (3 credits)
- Housing
- Health insurance
- All excursions and fees
- Most ground transportation
- Textbooks
- IS 380 registration fee (\$75)
- Some group meals

### What's Included?

- Airfare (\$2,000)
- Most meals (\$350)
- Personal expenses (\$200)
- Passport (\$140)
- Transportation to and from airport (\$60)

**Total Estimated Cost:** \$5,235

## How do I pay for study abroad?

Students can fund their study abroad program using financial aid, scholarships, grants and personal funds. GVSU and other state university students in Michigan will automatically receive the Consortium discount (\$200).

For more information on funding, visit **[www.gvsu.edu/studyabroad](http://www.gvsu.edu/studyabroad)**



*\*All program information including courses, duration of program, dates and other logistics are subject to change. Fee subject to adjustment based on actual exchange rates and international airfare. Programs may be cancelled due to extenuating circumstances.*

# Alpha Phi Sigma Criminal Justice National Honor Society



- **Meetings (6-7 pm in 302E DeVos) :**
  - December 17<sup>th</sup>: Speaker: TBD
  - January 21<sup>st</sup>: Speaker: TBD
  - February 18<sup>th</sup>: Speaker: TBD
  - March 18th Meeting, Speaker: TBD
  - April 6th Relay For Life GVSU – Final Meeting of the Year!
    - Allendale Campus, Fieldhouse, 6pm-6am

- **Qualifications to become a Member:**

- Undergraduate:
  - 3.2 GPA, 4 CJ courses, 3 semesters of full time class load
- Graduate:
  - 3.4 GPA, 9 credits in program

**To Join, Contact:**

Mariah Moore – President  
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Or go to: <http://www.gvsu.edu/cj/alpha-phi-sigma-98.htm>

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# APPLY TO GRADUATE

If you're **finishing your classes in Fall 2017 or Winter 2018**, please apply to graduate by:

1. Log in to Banner
2. Click 'student'
3. Click 'student records'
4. Click 'apply to graduate'
5. Choose the semester and then follow the prompts
- 6. This takes less than 5 minutes**

If you are going to be **finishing your classes in Summer 2018**, you will be automatically invited to the April Commencement Ceremony. Apply by:

1. Visit: [www.gvsu.edu](http://www.gvsu.edu)
2. Type "forms" in the search tool at the top right hand corner
3. Click "forms"
4. Click "graduation application-undergraduate"
5. Print and fill out and send to the address located at the bottom of the form (you may email it to [regdept@gvsu.edu](mailto:regdept@gvsu.edu)).

# EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES WITH KENT COUNTY

The following job opportunities are available with Kent County. To apply, visit  
[www.accesskent.com/jobs](http://www.accesskent.com/jobs)

Deputy District Court Administrator – 63<sup>rd</sup> District Court

Assistant Park Manager – Parks Department

Please contact us via email at [jobs@kentcountymi.gov](mailto:jobs@kentcountymi.gov) if you have any questions.

# RESOURCES

- CCPS Academic Advising Center
- GVSU Career Center
- GVSU Forms
- Important Dates
- Police Academy Job Opportunities
- GVSU Scholarships
- Student Academic Success Center



# **SCHOOL OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE OFFICE HOURS**

**Monday – Friday  
8:00am – 5:00pm**

**Phone:** (616) 331-7130

**Fax:** (616) 331-7155

**Location:** 289C DeVos

**Website:** [www.gvsu.edu/cj](http://www.gvsu.edu/cj)

**Stop in or call with any questions!**