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INTERNATIONAL  
e-CONFERENCE ON  
**JAPANOLOGY  
IN  
NEW ERA**



## Call for Abstracts

Department of Japanese Studies, University of Dhaka, is going to organise an International e-Conference on the eve of the centenary of the University of Dhaka—the premier university of Bangladesh. The University of Dhaka has played a pivotal role in many events that directed the nation towards emancipation and enlightenment. As the first ever area studies department established in 2017, Department of Japanese Studies, takes pride to organise a two-day long International e-Conference on 28-29 January 2021 to celebrate 100 years of the University of Dhaka. The e-Conference intends to unveil contemporary issues associated with the multifaceted areas of Japanese Studies with an emphasis on the changing dynamics of Japanese society, economy, politics and governance, science and technology, art & culture in the emerging global order. The theme of the e-conference is 'Japanology in New Era'. Interested scholars are requested to submit abstracts for this grand e-Conference. Authors of the selected abstracts will be invited to present their papers in the International e-Conference. There will be a plenary paper titled Japanology and Japanologist in New Era, among others.



ABSTRACTS can be submitted on the following themes, but need not to be limited to them:

1. Japan and Japanology, traits of new Japanologists, necessity of multidisciplinary Japan Study.
2. Japan in the post-COVID-19 era.
3. Japanese foreign policy, Japan in international affairs, Japan vis-a-vis South-East and South Asia, and Japan-Bangladesh relations in the emerging new world order.
4. Japanese history, society, culture, language, literature, and media. Comparative folk culture: Japan vis-a-vis South-East Asia, South Asia and Bangladesh.
5. Japanese economy, business, industry and investment.
6. Human resource development in Japan: education and training, health and demography.
7. Japanese political economy and political economists, Marxist tradition in social sciences in Japan and Japanese intellectual domains.
8. Japanese governance, government, politics and public policy.
9. Science and technology in Japan.
10. Japanese soft power policy and ODA.
11. Human rights in Japan.
12. Perspectives on future of Japanese economy, society, and governance.

Abstract Submission Guideline:

1. Email your ABSTRACT to [djc@du.ac.bd](mailto:djc@du.ac.bd) under the title: e-conference- Japanology in New Era
2. Send the abstract in one single word file and write the paper title, your name and abstract. Please write a short bio underneath of the abstract (not exceeding hundred words).
3. The abstract shall not exceed 300 words.
4. Font: Times New Roman (size heading 14 and text 12)
5. Language: English

Dates to Keep in Mind:

Last Date for ABSTRACT submission: December 15, 2020

Notification of acceptance of selected ABSTRACTS : December 22, 2020