

Survey Guidelines

1. About Panel Survey of Immigrants in Japan (PSIJ)

This survey is conducted by Yu KOREKAWA, Ph.D., National Institute of Population and Social Security Research with the financial support from the Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (JSPS17H04785) for four years from FY2017 to FY2020.

2. The purpose of the survey

This survey aims to reveal a migratory process of international migrants, who mostly begin their life in Japan as international students and high-skilled professionals.

3. A Potential Informant of the survey

- A person who is a student at Japanese language school or Universities in Japan
- A person who was a student at Japanese language school or Universities in Japan

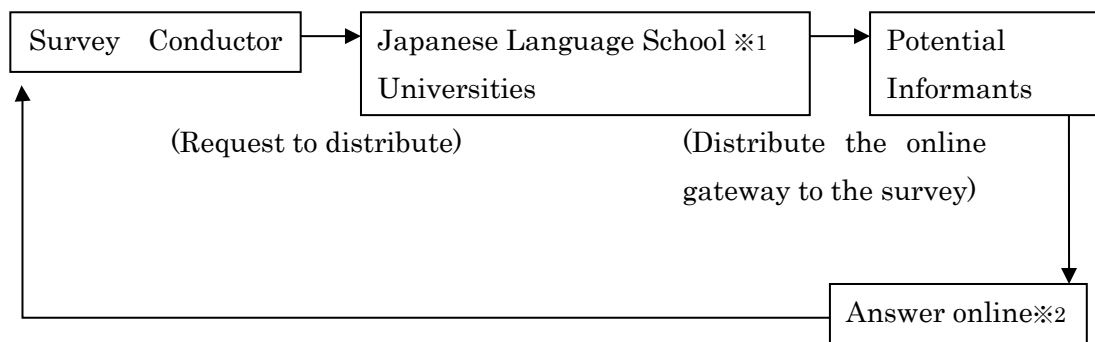
4. Key Agendas

Gender, Age, Year of Arrival to Japan, Place of Residence, Fluency of Japanese, Educational attainment, Work experience, Economic situation, Prospect for Future, etc.

5. About the survey design

Since this is a panel survey, we will conduct a follow-up survey for four years. Your continued support is really appreciated. You will receive a questionnaire once a year if you register your email address.

(Survey Structure : First year)

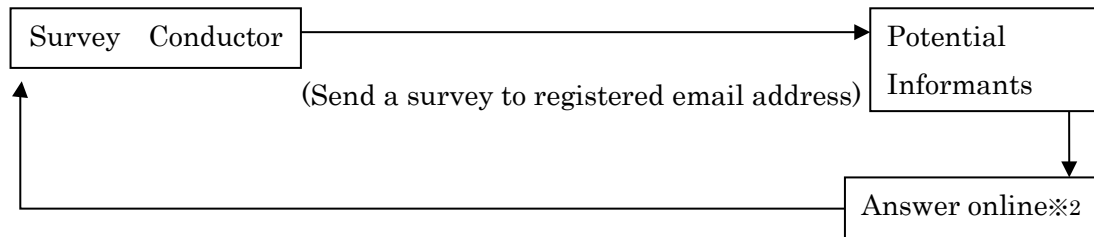


※ Japanese language school and Universities are randomly selected from the Ministry

of Justice Notice. (All Japanese Language Schools are covered from FY2018).

- ※ The survey is in Chinese (Traditional Chinese characters, simplified characters), Hangul, Vietnamese, Nepalese, English and Japanese. (It has been conducted in Japanese and English since FY2018).

(Survey Structure : After the second year)



- ※ The survey conductor send a survey to the potential informants directly from second year.

We will look for new potential informants at the same time from the second year.

6. About the Privacy

The answers to questions in the survey are used only for academic research, not for anything else. Respondents and respondents' language school will not be identified in any publication from this study. Moreover, the questionnaire is SSL-protected. Only the principal investigator can see the answers you fill in, and nobody else can know them.

7. About the survey conductor

Please see the link below.

http://www.ipss.go.jp/pr-ad/e/Self/kozin/korekawa_e.html

<https://researchmap.jp/korekaway/?lang=english>