

## **Keio University Graduate School of Media Design**

### **AY 2021 Entrance Examination (Application Period-I)**

#### **Special Measures due to the COVID-19 (Coronavirus Disease) Pandemic**

In light of the huge impact that COVID-19 has had on social activities around the world, the Keio University Graduate School of Media Design (KMD) will implement the following special measures for entrance examination applications for the master's and doctoral programs during the application period-I of the 2021 academic year.

When applying, please be sure to confirm the application guidebook together with this announcement.

<Results of Japanese Language Proficiency Test (N1) (applicants wishing to enroll in the master's program in April)>

If you wish to enroll in the master's program in April but could not take the Japanese Language Proficiency Test in time for your application due to the impact of COVID-19, please prepare a statement of reason that includes the below items and upload as a PDF file to the Web Entry System instead of the results for the Japanese Language Proficiency Test (N1).

If submitting a statement of reason, the language proficiency of the applicant will be confirmed using the submitted examination paper and through oral examinations, etc.

#### **Required items for statement of reason**

- Full name, examinee number
- Date you intended to take the test
- Details of reason you were unable to take the test (however, it must be a reason related to COVID-19)

<Results of English language proficiency test (applicants wishing to enroll in the master's program in September/applicants wishing to apply for the GID entrance examination)>

If you wish to enroll in the master's program in September or apply for the GID entrance examination but could not take an English language proficiency test in time for your application due to the impact of COVID-19, please prepare a statement of reason that includes the below items and upload as a PDF file to the Web Entry System instead of the results for the language proficiency test.

If submitting a statement of reason, the language proficiency of the applicant will be confirmed using the submitted examination paper and through oral examinations, etc.

#### **Required items for statement of reason**

- Full name, examinee number
- Date you intended to take the test
- Details of reason you were unable to take the test (however, it must be a reason related to COVID-19)

<Certificate of (Expected) Graduation/Completion, Certificate of (Expected) Degree, Transcript of Academic Record>

If you are unable to obtain certificates (Certificate of (Expected) Graduation/Completion, Certificate of (Expected) Degree, Transcript of Academic Record) from the university at which you are enrolled or from which you graduated/completed a degree, please consult with the Admissions Office of Keio University Graduate School of Media Design by the start date of the application period via e-mail at [kmd@info.keio.ac.jp](mailto:kmd@info.keio.ac.jp).

<Results of language proficiency test for the CEMS entrance examination>

Due to the current situation related to the COVID-19 pandemic, the CEMS MIM programme accepts the following online test scores as a Language Proficiency Certificate.

- TOEFL iBT Special Home Edition test: a minimum score of 100 is required in the Internet based TOEFL (iBT) with a score of at least 20 in each section
- TOEFL ITP® Plus for China Solution: a minimum score of 640 is required (Listening 66, Structure and Written 66, Reading 65, Interview 19)

Also, if you wish to apply to the CEMS entrance examination but cannot submit results for a language proficiency test by the application deadline due to the impact of COVID-19, we may consider an extension for your submission. If this applies to you, please contact the Admissions Office of Keio University Graduate School of Media Design by the start date of the application period via e-mail at [kmd@info.keio.ac.jp](mailto:kmd@info.keio.ac.jp).