

32nd Japan-U.S. Teacher Education Consortium



JUSTEC 2022 Call for Proposals



Collaborative Teacher Education in the U.S. and Japan in the Era of Uncertainties

Venue: Virtual
Hosted by: Niigata University

In this “new normal” world, the Japan-U.S. Teacher Education Consortium (JUSTEC) continues to invite educators to Virtual JUSTEC 2022 to exchange ideas, methods, insights, and challenges in approaching the work of teacher education. University faculty and administrators, P-12 teachers, administrators, and graduate students are invited to submit proposals.

Synchronous Meeting Time *Asynchronous presentations will be posted online.

**U.S. Time: 17:00-19:00 (PDT)/20:00-22:00 (EDT),
September 23rd to 25th**

Japan Time: 9:00 - 11:00 am, September 24th to 26th
School Visit: TBD (Virtual)

Keynote Speaker:

Dr. Catherine Lewis

**Distinguished Research Scientist, Mills College School of Education,
Director, The Lesson Study Group at Mills College**

Participation Fee

Regular Participant: 5000 yen for 3 days

Graduate student: 3000 yen for 3 days

Conference Theme:

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In this pandemic period, teachers and teacher educators continue to face significant challenges as they try to maintain high quality educational experiences for all students. JUSTEC 2022 invites conference participants to provide descriptions and analyses of a range of pandemic teaching practices and situations, including: Social and emotional learning during the pandemic; effective virtual or hybrid teacher education pedagogy; innovative programs and practices emerging from the pandemic; building community and social relationships among teachers; mentor teacher recruitment and support; equity pedagogy and assessment practices; professional development/learning in schools; social contexts of learning (including family and student experiences); teaching conditions during the pandemic; political dimensions of the pandemic and the impact on school policy and teaching practice; STEM and literacy education; and brain and learning (neuroscience).

Proposal Deadline: March 15th, 2022

Selection of proposals for the Conference will be made by the JUSTEC Planning Committee by May 15th, 2022. **Please note that the planning committee may ask you to prepare an asynchronous presentation only.** Refer to the proposal review criteria below before you submit your proposal. Decisions of the planning committee are final. Additional detail regarding the final recording and submission of presentations will be sent to accepted presenters.

Proposal Review Criteria

<https://justec.tamagawa.ac.jp/proposal-review-criteria.pdf>

Steps to Submit Proposals/Abstracts

1. Please download and use the template document below.
<https://justec.tamagawa.ac.jp/proceedings/abstract-template.docx>
2. Online presentations will be made available in video format or document format (e.g. power-point, google slide, etc.) for asynchronous review. Please type as your file name either "*Lastname-video*" if you prefer a video presentation or "*Lastname-document*" if you prefer document format (Ex. Ohtani-video or Hamel-document).

3. Please write "JUSTEC 2022: Proposal" in the subject line and submit your proposal as an email attachment in Word file to the JUSTEC office (justec@tamagawa.ac.jp).

Note:

If your proposal is accepted, it will be used as an abstract in the conference program. If your proposal is conditionally accepted, you will be asked to submit **a revised version by July 15th, 2022.**

Submission Policy

- After March 15th, late proposals will be considered provided that there is room in the conference program and they pass the review process.
- In order to facilitate broad participation, applicants are allowed to be first presenter for one proposal and to be co-presenter for a second proposal.
- **Presenters/co-presenters of accepted proposals must have a paid registration by August 15, 2022, to be included in the program.**

Key Dates

- December 15, 2021: Call for Proposals Opens
- March 15, 2022: Deadline for Proposals
- May 15, 2022: Notification for Acceptance
Early Bird Registration Opens
- July 15, 2022: Deadline for Abstracts
- August 15, 2022: Registration Closes
- September 24-26: JUSTEC 2022

JUSTEC website

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