7th Annual OIP (Office of International Programs) Japanese Scholarship (Academic Year of 2016-2017)

The Japanese Language Program in the Department of Linguistics and Asian/Middle Eastern Languages at San Diego State University is pleased to announce a generous contribution from SDSU Office of International Programs, as scholarships for three outstanding Japanese language majors who will participate in the SDSU Exchange Program and study in Japan for the academic year of 2016-2017.

This OIP Japanese Scholarship, with a stipend of $750 each, will be awarded on the basis of competition with the following rules:

1. Study of Japanese at SDSU during the academic year of 2015-2016.
2. An applicant must be an officially matriculated student at SDSU at the time of application.
4. Minimum GPA: 2.75
5. Essay:
   - Why do you think you deserve this scholarship?
   - How has the study of Japanese enhanced your academic life at SDSU?
   - How will the study of Japanese impact your career?

Essay in Japanese for those who are taking upper-division Japanese courses (not more than three sheets of “genkooyooshi” 原稿用紙) and essay in English for those who are taking lower-division Japanese courses:

⇒ Essay in Japanese must be handwritten at SDSU Test Office between Monday, April 4 and Saturday, April 9. More details are announced on a separate flyer.
⇒ Essay in English can be written at home and be submitted directly to Dr. Higurashi (Storm Hall West – 219).

6. The recipient of the scholarship is required to study Japanese at SDSU (or at a university in Japan) during the year of the award: 2016-2017

7. Schedules:

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