9th Annual Union Bank Scholarship for a Japanese Language Major’s Study in Japan (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 Union Bank, as a scholarship for an outstanding Japanese language major who will participate in the SDSU Exchange Program and study in Japan for the academic year of 2016-2017.

This Union Bank Scholarship, with a stipend of $1,000, 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:
   - Monday, March 14, 2016: Announcement of Scholarship
   - Saturday, April 9, 2016: Essays are due.
   - Wednesday, April 20, 2016: Announcement of the winner

For more information, please contact Dr. Higurashi (yhigurashi@mail.sdsu.edu, 594-1005).