

Supporting International Students: Early Intervention, Well-being, and Belonging

- How faculty and staff can help create a supportive campus environment

TUESDAY, 7 JULY 2026 | Online at Lunch

As Kyushu University becomes increasingly international, creating a supportive campus environment is a shared responsibility. This FD session will explore practical approaches to supporting international students through intercultural understanding, effective communication, and early intervention. Participants will gain practical insights into recognizing potential concerns, responding appropriately, and connecting students with available resources, helping to foster a more inclusive and supportive campus community.

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