

Introduction of Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (JSPS)

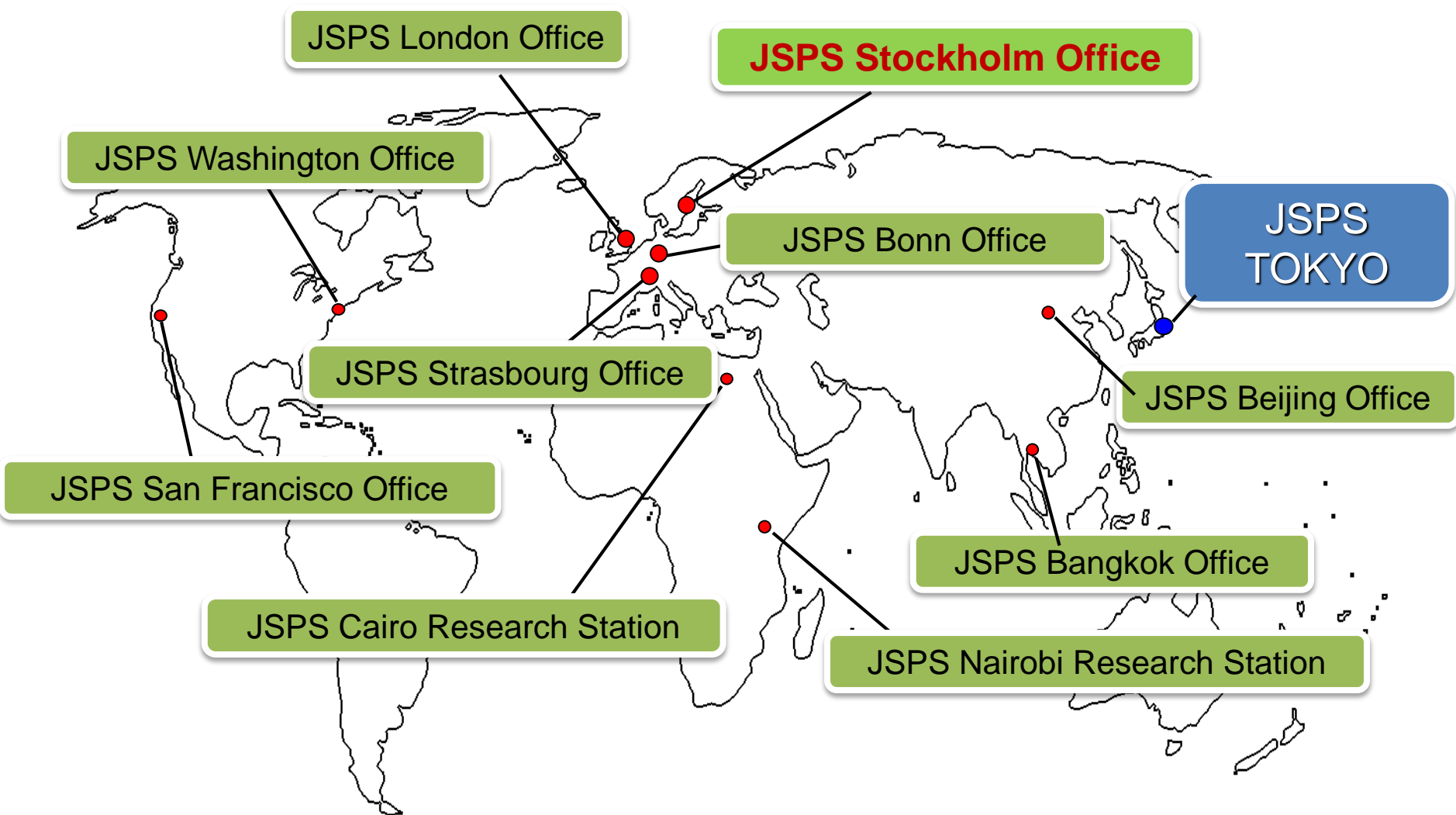


**JSPS Stockholm Office
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Overview of JSPS Support

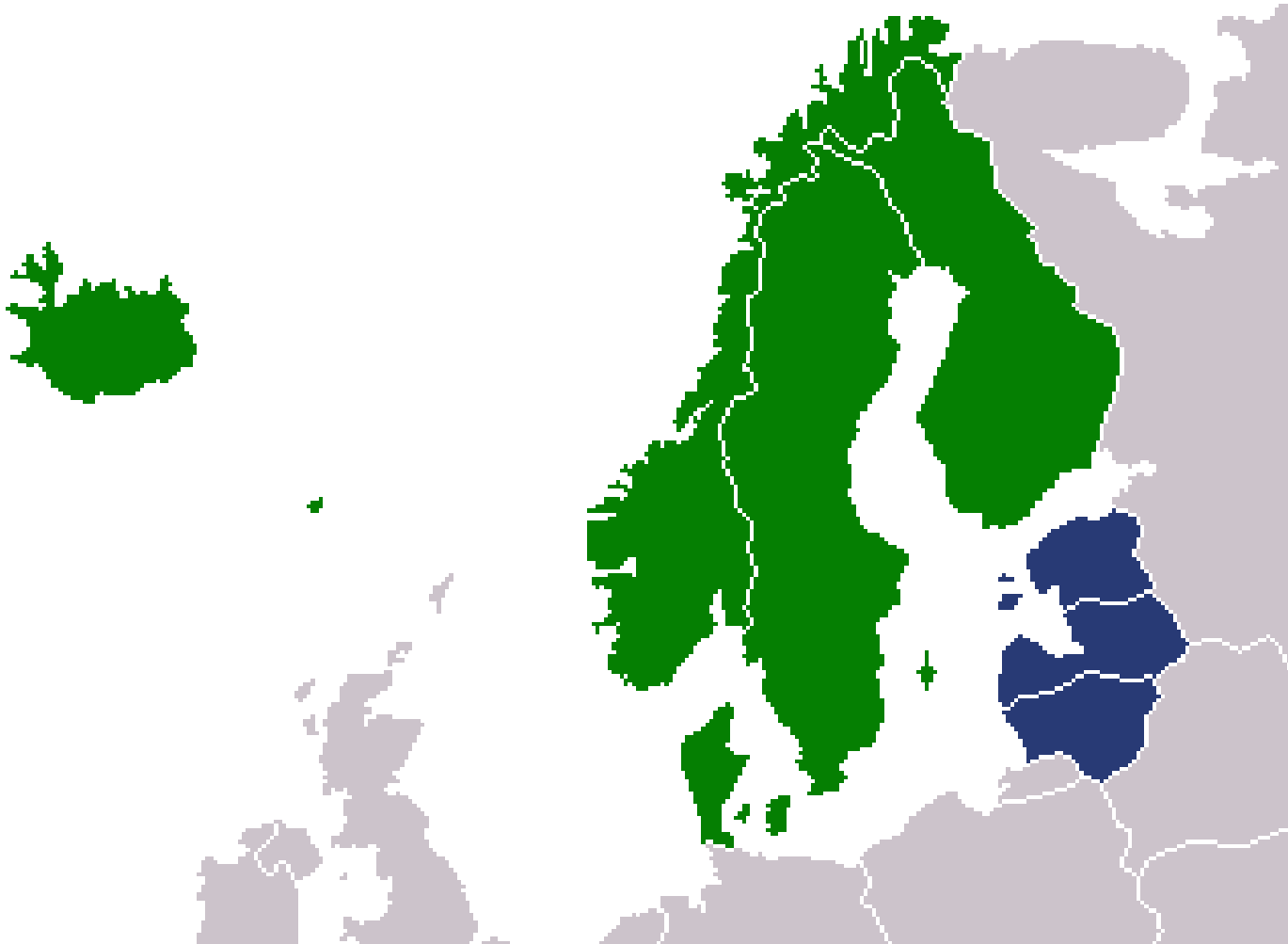
- **JSPS** supports *curiosity-driven* research in natural/social sciences, engineering and humanities.
- **JSPS funds**
 - Grant to research projects: Grant-in-Aid:
(**Total, ca. 1.1 billion € /70,000 projects/year**)
 - For researchers at Japanese Institutions, regardless of their nationality.
 - Fellowships: **ca. 6,000** Japanese pre-/post-docs.
 - International collaborations: Bi- & multi-lateral programs
Mobility facilitation by international programs (per year):
ca. 10,000 researchers from pre-docs to professors.

Ten JSPS Overseas Offices and Stations



Mission of JSPS Stockholm Office

**Building robust international cooperative networks
between Japan and Nordic/Baltic countries**



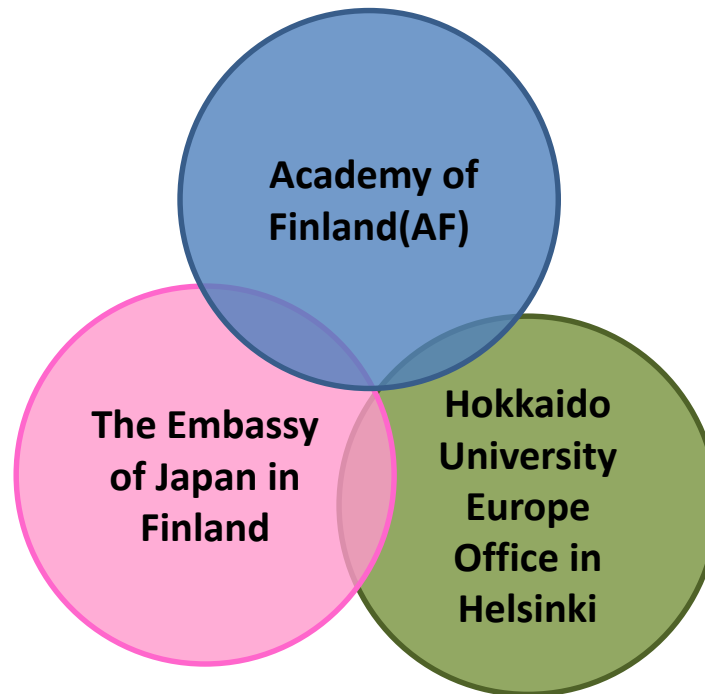
Activities of JSPS Stockholm Office

(1) Supporting to hold seminars, symposia and workshops with Nordic/Baltic and Japanese universities

to promote joint research

to stimulate students/researchers exchange

(2) Collaborating with partner institutions



(3) Establishing and supporting Alumni Clubs

The JSPS alumni clubs form and maintain close networks among former JSPS fellows, and JSPS supports activities of alumni communities, such as **Activity Seminars, General Assembly and Board Meetings.**

JSPS Alumni Club in Sweden (SAC)

Established in 2005
About 160 members

JSPS Alumni Club in Finland (ACF)

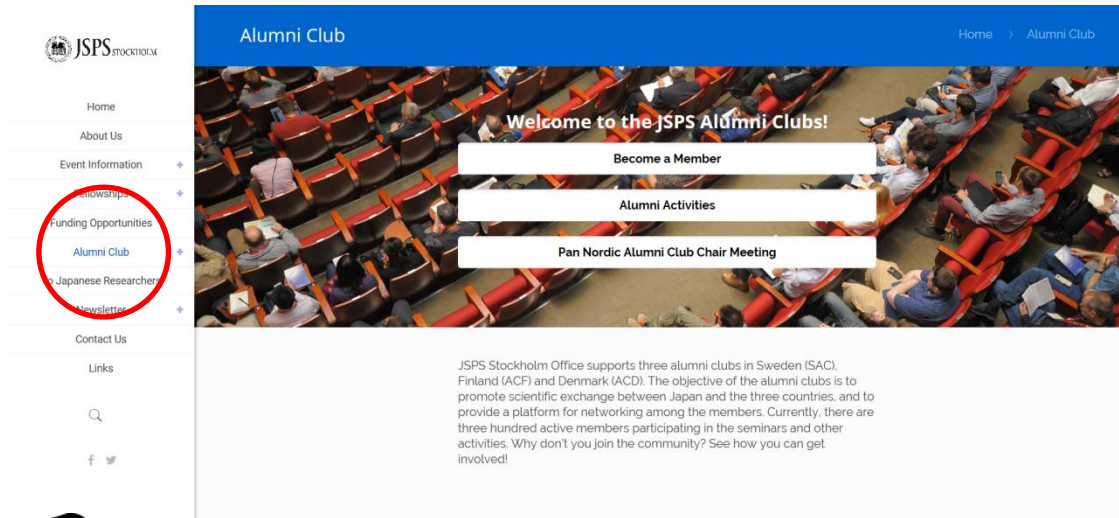
Established in 2009
About 90 members

JSPS Alumni Club in Denmark (ACD)

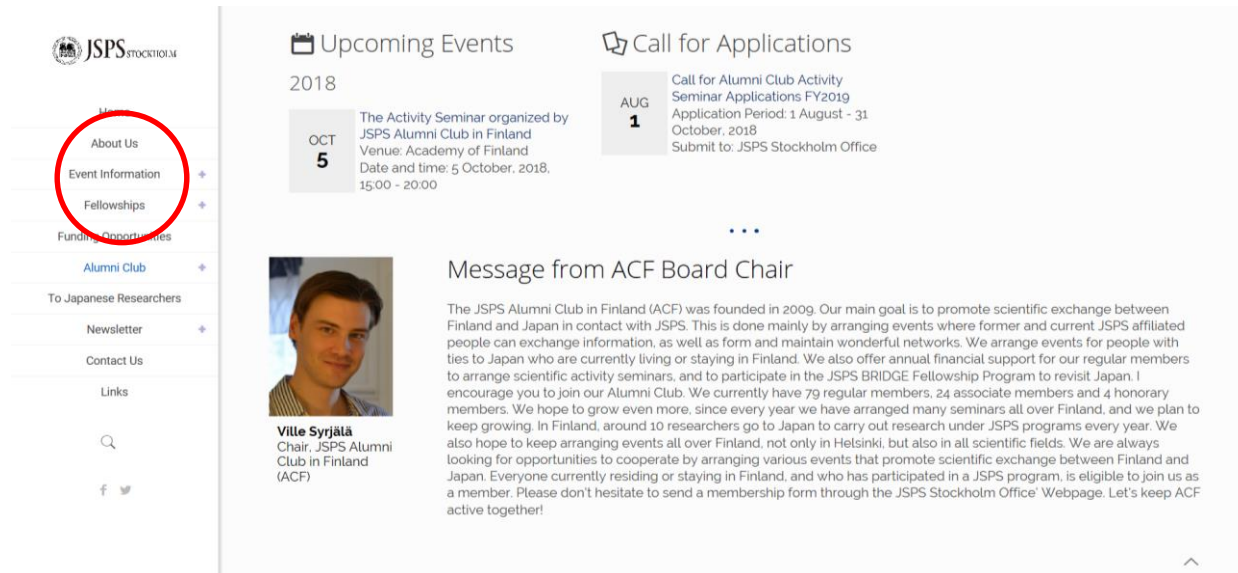
Established in 2015
About 40 members



(3) Establishing and supporting Alumni Clubs



<http://www.jsps-sto.com/alumni-club/>



JSPS International Programs

(1) Fellowship Programs

Fellowships to Japan



Postdoctoral Fellowships

(Standard)
1 - 2 years

(Short-term)
1 - 12 months

Invitational Fellowships

(Long-Term)

2-10 months

(Short-Term)

14 - 60 days

(Short-Term S)

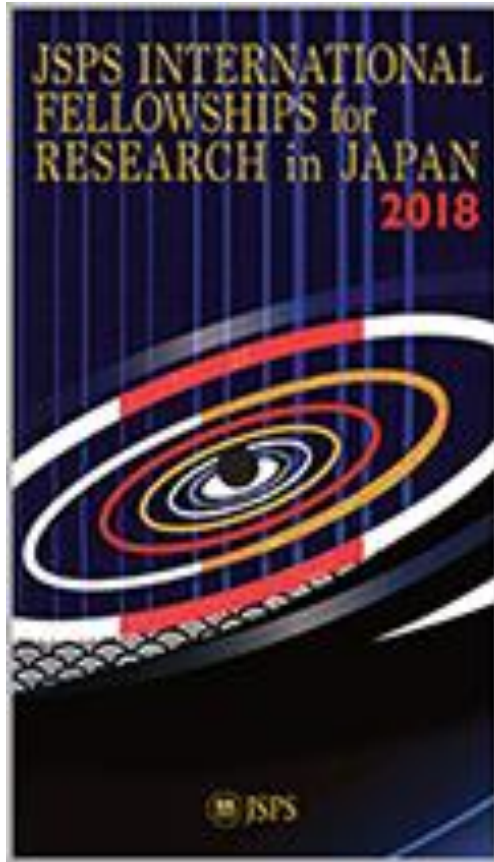
7 - 30 days

Summer Program

2 months

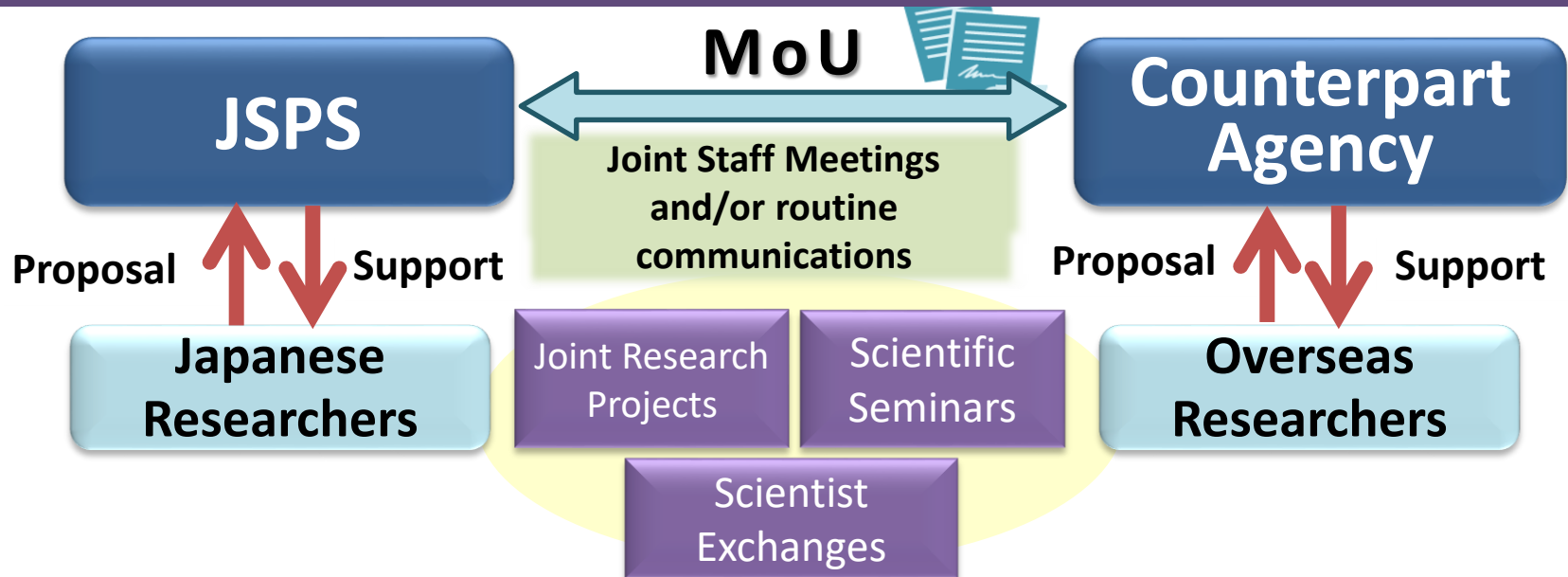
JSPS International Programs

(1) Fellowship Programs



(2) Bilateral Programs

Bilateral Programs (based on MoUs)



Purpose: To promote and support academic cooperation between highly qualified Japanese and overseas researchers

Practice: Equal or cross cost sharing for implementing cooperative activities

Support: Joint Research: Up to USD 26,000/year/project for 3 years
Joint Seminar: Up to USD 22,000/seminar

(3) Core-to-Core Program

Core-to-Core Program (Creating Research Hubs)

A. Advanced Research Networks

Target: Any country in the world

Objective: Promote international collaboration in cutting edge fields by creating world-class research hubs

Grants: Up to USD 160,000 / year

*Partner institutions are required to cover their own expenses.

Project duration: 5 years

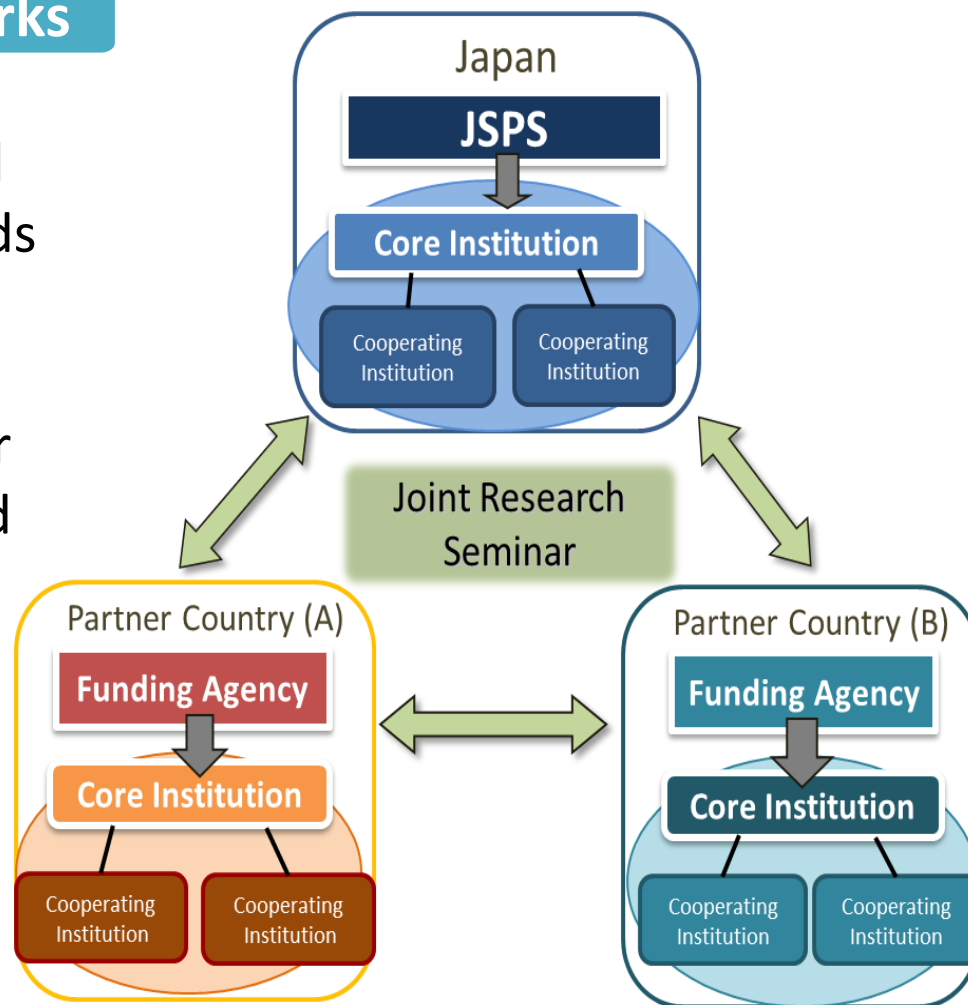
B. Asia-Africa Science Platforms

Target: Asian and/or African countries / regions

Objective: Japanese research institutions take the lead in building research hubs.

Grants: Up to USD 70,000 / year

Project duration: 3 years



Kiitos!

Please contact us anytime if you are interested in the JSPS programs.



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