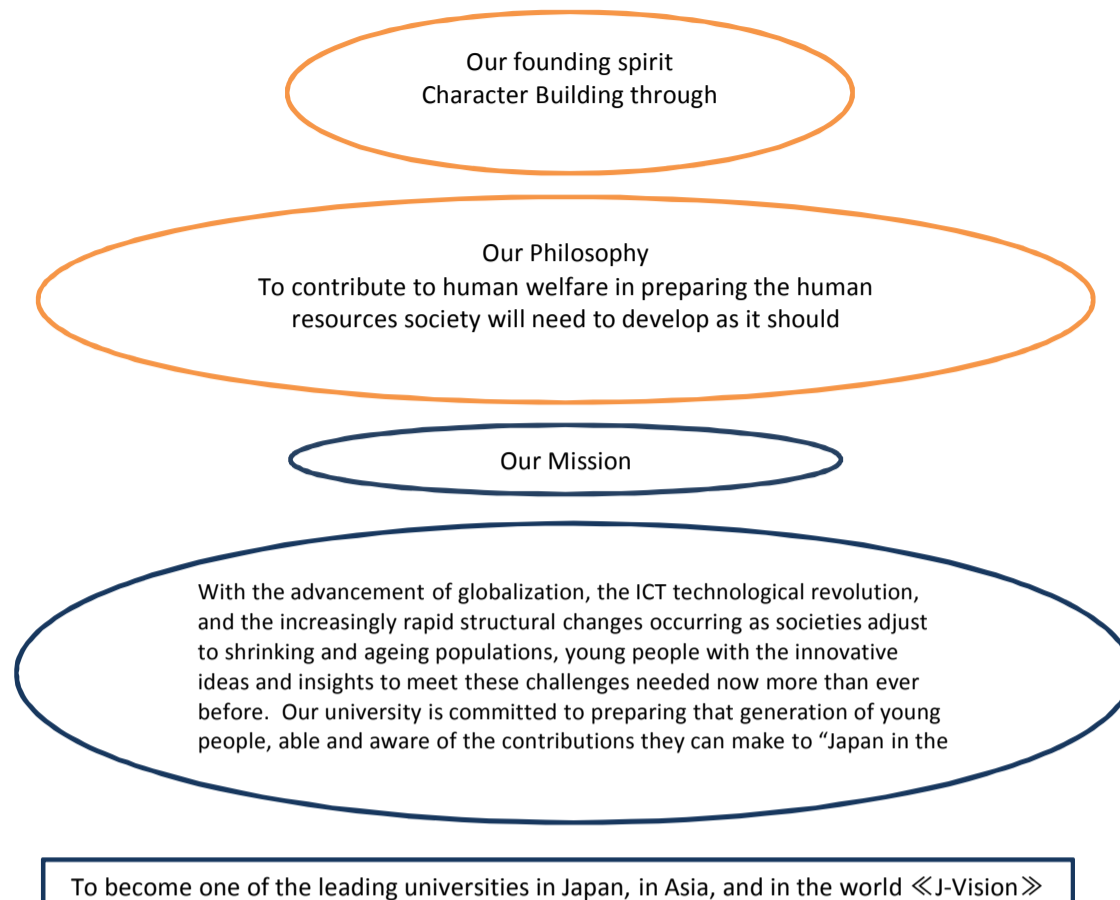


Josai University Educational Corporation's Visions and Mid-term Project Plan
To become one of the leading universities in Japan, in Asia, and in the world «J-Vision»



7 Visions	Strategies
Expanding the capabilities of our students to serve society	Our aim here is the further development of teaching and research. Establishment of the Mizuta Mikio Memorial Museum, and its programs to study and disseminate our cultural resources. Enhancement of the Liberal Arts education programs characteristic of our university. Promotion of social and practical skills. Expansion of our career-centered interdisciplinary programs. Post-graduate training in collaboration with our domestic and foreign partners in business and industry. Enrichment of our cultural and sports-related extra-curricular activities.
Developing human resources with an international mindset and extensive knowledge of Japanese culture	Our aim here is to endow our students with a profound understanding of their own country and of other cultures from a global perspective: From Japan to the World, and From the World to Japan. Expansion and enrichment of our Global College educational programs. Development and expansion of our multi-lingual and multi-cultural global career path education programs. Strengthening of our international exchange programs, particularly those focused on study abroad, and reception of foreign students. Special programs to nurture women in global leadership roles.
Continually improving the quality of our educational programs, in collaboration with local and international communities	Our aim here is to support our students' career development by preparing them for a wide range of professional qualifications. Refinement of the use of mixed media in e-learning. Development of further extension programs and collaborative educational programs with local and national government, with businesses and industries, with local communities, and with other universities including our sister-universities abroad. Expansion of the Crown Lectures series made possible with the support of the business community.
Improving our research capabilities and promoting innovation	Our aim here is to strengthen and promoting innovative research in the Humanities, the Natural and Social Sciences, and Information Technology. Promotion of interdisciplinary curricula. Integration of practical sciences and advanced humanities. Furthering opportunities for our students to participate in research projects. Development of research fields characteristic of our university, drawing on our international networks. Diversification of research funding sources and collaborative research projects with businesses industries.
Enriching the campus environment through internationalization and networking	Our aim here is to enhance our campus environments as venues where students can come together, exchange ideas, and present the results of their studies. Globalization of the Kioicho campus. Expansion of our Continuing Education programs, and Green Campus programs open to local communities. Upgrading our physical plant and our information and communication networks.
Establishing a stronger university governance system to support the dynamic development of teaching, research and contributions to the community	Our aim here is to establish a sound and stable financial foundation for the university's operations, that will permit us to re-empower our graduate school programs and research institutes. Upgrading our internal communication networks. Reviewing management practices to improve our financial operations and governance. Strategic allocations of faculty and staff. Strengthening our personnel and management resources, to insure that we remain dynamic in development and effective at what we do.
Strengthening the impact of our communication capabilities and social presence	Our aim here is to build upon the history of the university's warm relations with the local community, so as to be a source of information and make the results of our educational programs and research better known. Creating a system of multi-media channels to better serve the community. Sports and wellness programs, in cooperation with local community organizations. Global community projects to enhance our value and visibility.