

## **The Masai laboratory (Tokyo Metropolitan Institute of Medical Science)**

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You can join us as a graduate student through several routes. The followings are two major routes.

1 Department of Computational Biology and Medical Sciences, Graduate School of Frontier Sciences, The University of Tokyo.

<http://www.cbms.k.u-tokyo.ac.jp/english/index.html>

2 Department of Biology, Ochanomizu University

<https://www.ocha.ac.jp/en/index.html>

Ochanomizu University is women's university and is recommended for female students.

Other potential universities where you can enroll and pursue your degrees include Tokyo University of Science, Nihon University, Kitazato University, as well as Tokyo Medical and Dental University and Niigata University.

In our laboratory, we now have seven graduate students (three in Ph.D. course, and four in master's course) and one undergraduate student, including two foreign students from Taiwan and Vietnam. We also have two students from France and one from China, who plan to work in our laboratory.

Our institute provides graduate students (both master's and Ph.D. courses) with RA (Research Assistant) fellowship to permit them to concentrate on their studies and research with minimum financial concerns.

Schedule of laboratory activities

1<sup>st</sup> Monday of the month (9:30-18:00): Progress Report Meeting  
(subject to changes; please confirm before your visit)

Every Monday (10:00~11:00): Journal Club

Every Monday afternoon: Monday individual discussion (with all the members including students)

Currently we are conducting all the meetings on line, except for some of the Friday individual discussion meetings. We plan next progress report meeting on February 7, to which you are welcome to attend. Please let me know by e-mail, if you are interested in experiencing the meeting (You do not need to attend the whole meeting, which would last from the morning to evening). I will send you the URL for your access to the meeting.