## Committee for Personnel Exchanges between Japan and Russia

- (1) Sharing and promotion of Good Practice know-how for student exchanges between Japan and Russia
- (2) Promotion of graduate school-level joint educational programs
- (3) Comparison of credit transfer and degree recognition systems between universities (4) Support for the Japan-Russia Student Union

The Committee for Personnel Exchanges was held eight times in Japan or Russia after the First General Assembly Meeting of the Association.

- 7 core members at Japanese universities
- 13 members at Japanese universities
- + Their partner faculty members at Russian universities



The 4th Committee for Personnel Exchanges (2020.1.30)



The 5th Committee for Personnel Exchanges (2020.11.6 [online])

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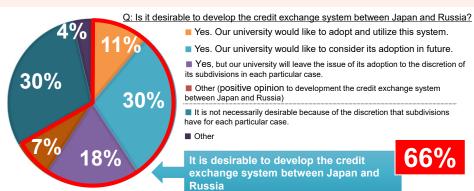
# Activities of Personnel Exchanges Committee – Survey

## Survey of the develop the credit exchange system between Japan and Russia

<Committee for Personnel Exchanges in 2019>

Obstacles to credit exchange and development of collaborative academic programs

- 1. Difference in the number of credit hours
- 2. Difference in the number of credits required for graduation
- 3. Difference in the syllabi between Japanese and Russian universities
- 4. Few courses offered in English



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# **Activities of Personnel Exchanges Committee – Study**

## Study on Higher education system in Russia

- ➤ Competency building approach
- Curricula of educational program of Russian university are formulated by the <u>FSES (Federal State Educational Standard)</u> based on competency building approach.
- The FSES have been formulated by the Ministry of Science and Higher Education of Russia. (Some of leading universities have own Educational Standard.)

Master's program	Russia	Japan
Term of Study	2 years	2 years
Credits for Completion	120 ECTS-credits [3 modules]	30 credits (Japan) [No modules specified]
Standard	Competency (referred in FSES) [Student-centered Learning]	Diploma Policy Curriculum Policy Assessment Policy [Teacher-centered Learning]

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# **Activities of Personnel Exchanges Committee – Study**

### ➤ Globalization of education in Russia

- International Educational Collaboration through "Network form" (since 2012, revised in 2020)
- Make use of human, material, technical, informational resources of the partner institutions (including overseas institutions)
  - $\Rightarrow$  Harmonization of educational program
  - ⇒ Improvement of international academic mobility
  - ⇒ Raising competitiveness of graduates in the labor market



Creating the Guidelines to promote Japan-Russia student exchange for Japanese universities

#### Future possibilities

- Integration of online educational program in the post COVID-19 period
- Activation of Double degree/ Joint degree/ Cotutelle program

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