



# KIT Quarterly Seminar Fiber and Textile Science

## Winter 2021 online

# “Textile Engineering Weaves the World”

**CALL FOR PARTICIPANTS**

What are the Quarterly Seminars in KIT  
- Fiber and Textile Science ?

Spring Seminar – online

Schedule : 2 days, March

Venue : Web conference

Summer Seminar – on-site

Schedule : 8 days, July

Venue : KIT campus, Kyoto, Japan

Autumn Seminar – online

Schedule : 2 days, September

Venue : Web conference

Winter Seminar – online

Schedule : 2 days, December

Venue : Web conference

Online Seminars in  
**Spring, Autumn, and Winter**

**Step 1 – Grouping**

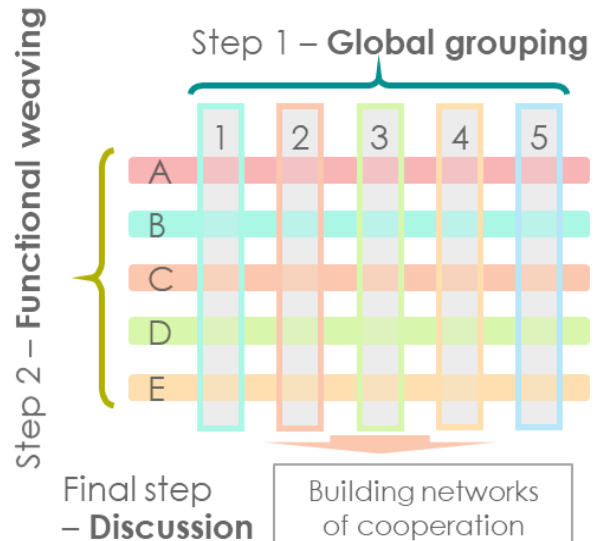
Participants from various countries get together to start their project

**Step 2 – Weaving**

Themes of groups are analyzed functionally with supervision from highly skilled researchers of KIT

**Final step – Discussion**

Building networks of cooperative relationship



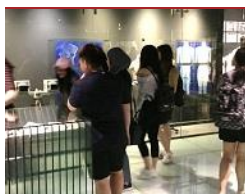
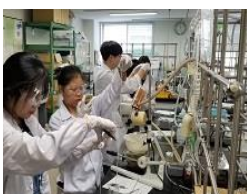
## 1. Purpose

120 years ago, Kyoto Institute of Technology was established to foster engineers, chemists, designers and other human resources for the then thriving Kyoto textile industry. We have evolved from that textile-focused institution into a hub for advanced academic education and research. Our courses now include exciting technological developments in fiber/textile science and engineering. To make our expertise available to a wider sphere, we are pleased to announce that we are now accepting applications for our KIT Fiber and Textile Science Seminar **Winter 2021 online**.

- This program is expected to enable collaboration and student exchange with foreign universities.
- The participants get the chance to conduct experiments and experience a wide range of fiber and textile research fields that KIT boasts.
- Moreover, the students have the opportunity to learn not only about textiles in Kyoto but also about Japanese culture and Japanese people.
- The participants can interact with students from diverse nationalities, study in the same field, and continue the relationship.

## Summer Seminar – on-site

- Lectures and laboratory tours with “1-day Lab Experience” held by KIT members.
- The students visit local companies and learn about their products and history.
- The participants learn about the culture and spread of the textile industry in Kyoto and experience traditional dyeing and wrapping.
- Finally, all students present their own experience and ideas on how to reflect on the textile expertise of Japan learned in this program.



## 2. Dates

**December 20 and 21, 2021 online**

Please install the online meeting application "Webex" by Cisco.

## 3. Language

Language of instruction is English. Students can also enjoy learning different languages through interaction with other students from various countries, thus enhancing their communication ability and experiencing the multi-lingual and multi-cultural diversity this program offers.

## 4. Eligibility

Bachelor (3rd year or higher), Master's and Doctoral students enrolled full-time in a degree seeking program at our partner universities worldwide. The number of overseas students is limited to a maximum of 30.

## 5. Costs

No charge

## 6. Content

General timetable for the 2-day online seminar (spring, autumn and winter)

Time (JST)	1 <sup>st</sup> Day	2 <sup>nd</sup> Day	
P M	14:00	Opening ceremony & self-introduction	Weaving discussion with KIT advisers
	15:00	Introduction of KIT campus and facilities	Online laboratory tour
	15:30	International admission information	
	16:00	Introduction to KIT education	Group discussion for weaving the world
	16:30	Symbolic lecture by KIT professor	
	18:00	Grouping of participants for "theme discussion"	Presentation and awarding
	19:00		

- Programs are held in the evening Japan Standard Time for overseas participants.
- Communication among participants is realized through **grouping and weaving**.
- Participants can establish foundations for building the next generation through cross-border communication in this program.

- **Introduction of KIT campus and facilities**  
Basic facts about KIT will be presented in detail
- **International admission information**  
Procedures to enroll in KIT will be explained to the participants
- **Introduction to KIT education**  
Examples of research conducted at KIT will be explained in detail
- **Symbolic lecture by KIT professor**  
Students can acquire knowledge from representative professors
- **Grouping of participants for "theme discussion"**  
Members have the opportunity to interact with students from different countries
- **Weaving discussion with KIT advisers**  
This is an opportunity to interact with KIT faculty members
- **Group discussion for weaving the world**  
Discussion and cooperation skills will be developed here
- **Presentation and awarding**  
Potential future participants will be confirmed

## 7. Schedule after application

Application opening : October 20th, 2021

Submission deadline: November 30th, 2021

Application results: December 6th, 2021

Network testing and short meeting in December

Seminar start: December 20, 13:00 JST, 2021

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