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Student Diversity Center
Intercultural Communication Center (ICC)
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About the measures taken for ICC events in response to the Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) (Bulletin 2)

Waseda University has laid out preventative measures for the spread of the novel coronavirus pertaining to events organized by the university. The preventative measures state that in principle, events organized by the university and scheduled until April 5th 2020 should be cancelled or postponed. (Information updated on February 28th 2020. Reference: <https://www.waseda.jp/top/en/news/headline/73358>)

As part of this decision, the ICC has decided to take further action for the protection of the health and safety of our event participants by taking the following measures for events scheduled until the end of May 2020.

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We will be updating the ICC website with details regarding which measures will be taken for each event. For current information please check the enclosed paper or the ICC website.

We deeply apologize to everyone who was looking forward to taking part in our events in March, April and May, we ask for your understanding and patience at this difficult time.

We are currently considering if there are ways to move some of our programs online and ways to enable everyone to experience intercultural communication to the best of our ability in the current situation.

If you have any further enquiries about this information, please contact us using the details below.

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Concerned Events

Event Name (Click for details)	Scheduled Date	Measures	Information Updated
Language and Culture Exchange Program Spring 2020 – Find a partner, practice a language & learn about a new culture! –	As required	Recommended to hold online instead of in person.	2020/3/3
Improve Your Language Skills Using ICC's Online English Conversation Program -Share your culture with students from our foreign partner universities!-	Apr. - Sep. (Registration : 3/16-4/3)	Held as normal.	2020/3/3
Welcome Cafe	End of Mar.– Beginning of Apr.	【Cancelled】	2020/3/3
Welcome Café & Photo Rally @ Tokorozawa Campus (3/27 & 28)	(3/27) (3/28)	【To be postponed】 New Date under consideration.	2020/3/3
ICC Welcome Cafe & Photo Rally @ Nishi-Waseda Campus (3/31)	3/31	【Cancelled】	2020/3/3
ICC Language Lunch Events (Apr.): English / Chinese / Japanese / Tomodachi	4月	【Cancelled】	2020/3/3
ICC Tea Party: Welcome to the ICC! Enjoy making new friends over tea! ~With the introduction of different countries' tea cultures by the ICC's international student staff~(Apr 1)	(4/1)	【To be postponed】 New Date under consideration.	2020/3/3
ICC Field Trip: Hanami & Picnic (Apr. 2)	4/2	【Cancelled】	2020/3/3
ICC World Geography Quiz!	(4/3)	【To be postponed】 New Date under consideration.	2020/3/3
ICC Local Japanese Festa: “Route Romantique” San'in -Discover Tottori & Shimane- (April 4)	(4/4)	【To be postponed】 New Date under consideration.	2020/3/3
ICC Origami Workshop: Experience the Curved Folding Origami ! (April 14)	(4/14)	【To be postponed】 New Date under consideration.	2020/3/3
ICC Theme Lunch : Music -Enjoy Piano & Tsugaru-Jamisen concert while making multicultural friends-	(4/14) (4/22)	【To be postponed】 New Date under consideration.	2020/3/3
Bamboo Shoot Digging and Mixer Cafe @ Tokorozawa Campus	4/18	【Cancelled】	2020/3/3
ICC × Waseda Sumo Club: The Sumo Exchange – Let's Watch The Waseda Cup and Eat Chanko Nabe! -(Apr. 19)	4/19	Under consideration	
Sign up to be an ICC Language Event Supporter! English, French, German, Spanish, Italian, Korean, Chinese, Russian, Japanese	Orientation 4/27	Considering if possible online.	2020/3/3
English Chat Club May 2020	May	Considering if possible online.	2020/3/3
ICC Basketball Match (May 18)	(5/18)	【To be postponed】 New Date under consideration.	2020/3/3
ICC English Lunch @ Nishi-Waseda Campus (5/20)	(5/20) →6/22	【Postponed】 New Date: 6/22.	2020/3/3

※For the latest information updates as they are released please check the ICC website.