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I am writing to inform you of the application procedures for the 2009 Japanese Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (Monbukagakusho) Host University Recommendation Scholarship.

Ritsumeikan University has begun recruiting government-financed overseas scholars with university recommendations. This scholarship will be made available to students whose application, based on recommendation from Ritsumeikan University, has been officially approved by *Monbukagakusho*. Ritsumeikan University will carry out two types of recruitment procedures for this scholarship:

- 1. PGP scholars (for the International Priority Graduate Program)
- 2. IPPAN scholars (general program)

I am enclosing two Application Guidelines which outline the required procedures and provide descriptions of the available courses. I would greatly appreciate it if you would inform your university's students of this scholarship.

We at Ritsumeikan University would be very pleased to recommend the students from your university who wish to take advantage of this opportunity to undertake postgraduate studies in Japan.

Please do not hesitate to contact our office if you should have any questions. Thank you again for your continued cooperation and partnership.

Sincerely,

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