

01. Special Features 1 What brings you to library?

We will show you our library's efforts.

Many students from 53 countries and regions are studying at Shibaura Institute of Technology!

Library offers a space and materials aimed at international students



International Student Staff Ms. Lee



International Student Staff Ms. Kim

Toyosu Exhibition 'What brings you to SIT?'



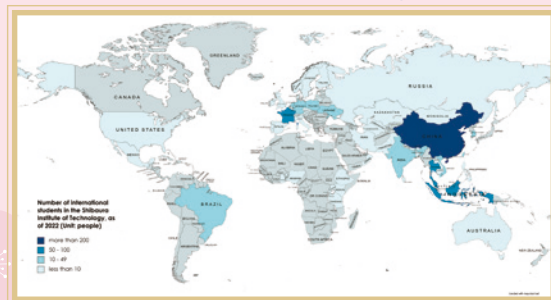
A wide selection of books related to the countries of SIT international students

We also recommend them for finding a country to study or travel.

Our international student staff will support you.



← English version of the library service introduction page



Map by number of SIT foreign students from each country

International students staff are also active.

We created this map!



We can help you in English as well as in Japanese!



I often borrow Japanese learning books. Brazil

I read foreign novels, too. Taiwan

Some Japanese novels are translated into foreign languages. Portugal

I read foreign eBooks. Netherlands

I often use the private rooms. Brazil

I hope there are more Japanese novels translated into English. France

Group study rooms are good! Malaysia

Special Features 2 A better library services built with your voice!

~From the results of the 2022 User Satisfaction Survey~

The library conducts an annual satisfaction survey to understand the trend of the library use and requests from the users. We received many responses from students, faculty members as well as international students. Thank you very much for your cooperation. We will continue our efforts to improve library services.

Implementation method:

Survey distributed at libraries, online response via Scomb

Number of responses: 2073

From the survey results

Purpose of Library Use

Self-learning	1141
Examination study	875
Thesis /Report writing	851
Searching materials	619
Lending and returning materials	610
Refreshing	491
Reading novels /general books	285
Others	455

Areas to be enhanced

Specialized books	900
novels	665
introductory books on specific fields	605
Job hunting related books	539
workbooks for qualification exams	457
general education related books	384
language related books	350
Others	82

Your voice

- I often end up giving up borrowing books because books I'm interested in are in other libraries.
- I would like to read more new and topical books on self-help and novels.
- Please use our Request service.
<https://lib.shibaura-it.ac.jp/application/request>



- I often use databases such as Nikkei Value Search and Toyo Keizai, but it takes time to find them on the library website.

→ A list is available in the "Links" at the bottom of the top page in our website, but we will improve the website to make it easier to find



- The staffing of the Library should include International Students that can communicate in English.

→ International student staff are working in our library, so please ask for them to assist you.

02. Special Exhibition

SIT to participate in the 2023 Hakone Ekiden!!

Mr. Akio Hashimoto (3rd-year, Department of Planning, Architecture and Environmental Systems) participated in Hakone Ekiden as a member of Kanto Student Union. He ran the 5th section of the outward journey and recorded a sectional ranking equivalent to 9th place.

Ekiden Trivia Running shoes are lighter than usual. (Normal shoes weigh 300~500g, running shoes weigh 185~370g) The weight of shoes varies depending on the thickness and material of the sole.



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03. Library News

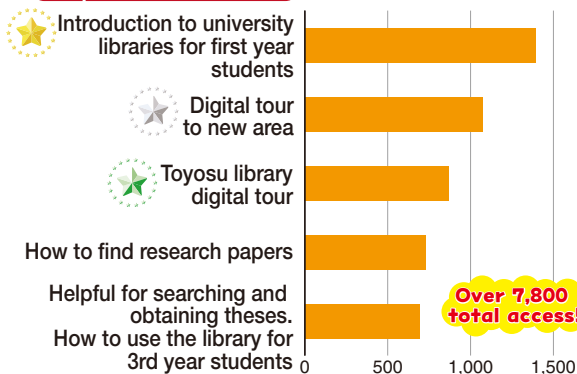
Guidance videos are now available.



Videos such as "How to Find a Research Paper" and "Digital Tour" are available anytime on the library website!

A must-see for those who are searching for materials at the library for the first time, searching for papers, or job hunting!

Top 5 most viewed



In response to requests from graduates, we made archived videos of special exhibitions also available. A popularity contest for previous exhibitions is also being held!



We will also respond to your requests such as what kind of videos you would like to see.

04. Library Best 5

Five most loaned job hunting related books

(Apr. 1st, - Oct. 30th, 2022)

- Quarterly job-hunting journal (general edition)**
Call number: 377.9/To81/Shushoku loaned 47 times
- SPI3&Test center**
Call number: 307.8/Sh99/Shushoku loaned 41 times
- Complete version for entry sheet, resume, motivation for application, self-promotion**
Call number: 377.9/Sa32/Shushoku loaned 36 times
- This is the real SPI3 test center**
Call number: 307.8/Sp5/Shushoku loaned 35 times
- Success! Civil service interview recruitment test**
Call number: 317.4/Se17/Shushoku The number of books lent: 34



Five most loaned TOEIC related books

(Apr. 1st, - Oct. 30th, 2022)

- Official TOEIC training listening & reading workbook 1-9**
Call number: 830.79/E24/Gogaku. loaned 937 times
- TOEIC L&R test for words & golden phrases**
Call number: 830.79/Te31. loaned 136 times
- The world's easiest-to-understand TOEIC test lessons**
Call number: 830.79/Se24 loaned 105 times
- Official TOEIC listening & reading training (Listening edition, Reading edition)**
Call number: 830.79/E24 loaned 75 times
- Ultimate seminar for TOEIC L&R test part 2 & 1-part7**
Call number: 830.79/H46. loaned 68 times

