



GLOBAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAM in JAPAN

July 6th – July 10th, 2020

What is Global Management Program ?

GMP is a 5-Day intensive business study program in Tokyo in which you are provided with a unique opportunity to visit our head offices and stores, while having business sessions with market specialists to know more about our industry and business.



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During the 5 Days, you will tackle some global issue in apparel industry and be asked to find your own solutions in a diverse team while having opportunities to gain knowledge from and discuss your idea with business leaders

Tackle a business case in a team

Day 1-4



Day 5



Business Sessions, Store Visit, Research

Presentation to the Board



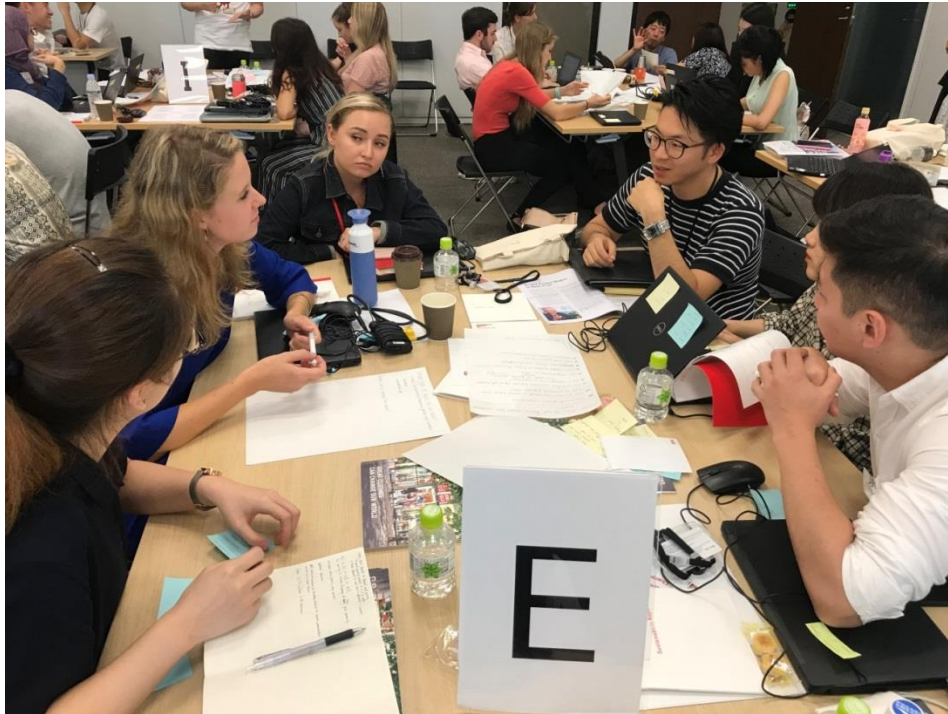
**We welcomed 43 selected students from
more than 10 different countries/regions
Summer, 2019**



43 students from around the world

In GMP 2019, we had **43 students** from **all over the world**.
They were from **different schools** with **various backgrounds**.
Participants from Russia were Higher School of Economics, Moscow State University,
MGIMO graduates.

ALL worked and collaborated together in a team



The students had sessions with these professionals

The students in the GMP 2019 had opportunities to discuss with some of these business professionals. They supported the students in broadening their horizons and blushing up their ideas for the team project.

Takeshi OKAZAKI

FAST RETAILING OFFICER



Session Topic:

Environments in APPAREL
INDUSTRY

John C.Jay

President, Global
Creative, FAST RETAILING



Session Topic:

LifeWear/How to work globally

Ken KUSUNOKI

A faculty member at
Hitotsubashi University



Session Topic:

Competitive Strategy
in Apparel Industry

※ New speakers for the GMP 2020 are being decided

Participant Voice, 2019

"Sustainability is one of UNIQLO's core values and it's part of their mission statement. So, everything we did was built around understanding the business model, and how they operate – especially in Japan – with that in mind.

We had the chance to see some of their stores and how the operations work, from the stores, to behind the scenes, so we could see how this concept of sustainability is embedded in their business. There are considerations of things like cost, as well as the longevity of the products themselves, the choice of materials, design, transport, and staffing.

They're things I had never really thought about, particularly in regard to the apparel industry, but it's important, especially when you hear stats about how clothing is going to overtake plastic as the highest proportion of trash/waste in the next 20 years."

- Heldi, University of Melbourne (Accounting and Finance)



Reference: <https://fbe.unimelb.edu.au/newsroom/inside-uniqlo>

Participant Voice, 2019

“A challenging week that can be one of the best time you will ever spend in an internship. Consider other's opinions, learn from the sessions and implement the same to solve the challenge ”

“I have learned how much our personal cultures dilute to the working cultures. Also how much of an asset it could be. I will be focusing on my strengths and how to growing them moving forward ”

“I have learnt more about making my own business or project unique, and what exactly can help me get ahead in a competitive market. GMP has also taught me to approach real problems in both practical and innovative angles ”

“I learnt not only about the UNIQLO brand and company, but also how to collaborate with a diverse group of people and how to break down a complex problem, provide solutions and disseminate the information in a short time frame. This is something I hope to take forward in future work and group situations ”

“Treasure the experience, because it is so precious and you can learn so much from it”

“I learned the difficulty of communicating with someone who has such different background or values. But at the same time, it's possible to think differently and originally because of that difference”



Days

From July 5th , Sunday

To July 11th , Saturday

(5-Day program plus 2 travel days)

Venue

Tokyo, Japan

Participants

Expecting about 45 university students
from around the world

Language

The program will be all in English

Expenses

We will cover expenses of flights,
accommodations, and a set amount for
meals during the stay

Selection Process

Application will start from January 06th Mon and be open until February 15th Sat, 2020
Eligibility to apply is: undergraduate, post-graduate university or college students with proficiency in English

Selection Process

STEP1

Application + short essays, 2 topics

1. Please describe your most rewarding experience in college/university and why?
2. Why do you want to be part of the GMP program and what do you expect to learn from this program?

Jan 06- Feb 15, 2020

STEP2

Assessment Test (Kenexa)

**Within 1 week
after application pass**

STEP3

1st Interview

March, 2020

Final STEP

Final Interview

April, 2020

Ready to apply?

Now you can register your email through this QR code!
We will remind you once the application is open!!!



※The below link and the QR code will direct you to the application website once it is launched on Jan 6th,2020

Apply from Jan 6th through
<https://www.fastretailing.com/employment/en/uniqlo/graduate/gmp>