

Moving on to the 2nd Phase

HeKKSaGOn

German-Japanese University Alliance



Heidelberg

Kyoto

Karlsruhe

Sendai

Göttingen

Osaka

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Established: July 2010

Objective and Mission

Intensification of sustainable scientific cooperation
among six German and Japanese institutions

HeKKSaGOn in the 1st Phase: Activities

Presidents' conferences

Research working groups

Joint research projects

**Workshops, conferences
and symposia**

Joint publications

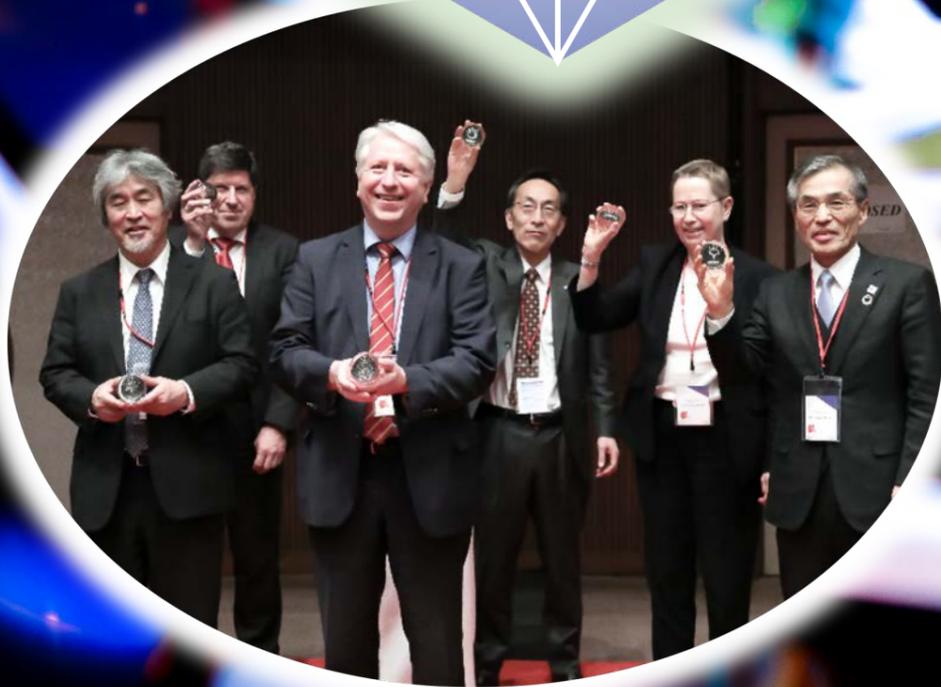
Winter/Summer schools

Mobility of students, faculty and staff

Bilateral DD, JD, JSD programs

Students' workshops

Liaison offices



HeKKSaGOn in the 1st Phase: Presidents' Conference

April 2018

6th Conference in Osaka



September 2016 5th Conference in **KIT**

April 2015 4th Conference in **Tohoku**

September 2013 3rd Conference in **Göttingen**

March 2012 2nd Conference in **Kyoto**

July 2010 1st Conference in **Heidelberg**



HeKKSaGOn WGs in the 1st Phase: At a Glance



● Research working groups: **9**

● Joint research projects: **25**

● Jointly organized workshops, conferences/symposia: **44**

25 in JPN, 18 in GER, 1 in a third country

More than 1800 participants (incl. 579 students, 658 young researchers)

● Winter/Summer schools: **7**

4 in JPN, 3 in GER

● WG publications: **58**

1/3 in top 10% journals

● WG mobility: **200**

Students: 103, Post-docs: 16,
Faculty: 70, and others

HeKKSaGOn: Statement and Future Perspective (excerpts)

1

Alliance to remain as 6 institutional members

2

Develop a future strategy for the second phase

3

Develop guidelines for the Working Groups

e.g. Participation of young researchers, orientation, membership, publications, visibility, and funding

4

Strengthen the sharing of **institutional management experiences** and to become leaders in international collaboration

e.g. Student exchange, double degree/joint degree programs

5

Enhance student network and academic and/or industrial internships and further develop successful summer/winter school programs

