

SHOIN UNIVERSITY (松蔭大学)

Evaluation summary

This university has demonstrated satisfactory compliance with the standards of the Japan Institution for Higher Education Evaluation.

Standards	Evaluation result
Standard 1. Mission and Objectives, etc.	Satisfied
Standard 2. Students	Satisfied
Standard 3. Educational Curriculum	Satisfied
Standard 4. Faculty and Staff	Satisfied
Standard 5. Management, Administration and Finance	Satisfied
Standard 6. Internal Quality Assurance	Satisfied

Good practices

None.

Recommendations for improvement

- The fill rate of total capacity is under 70% in the Faculty of Business Administration and Corporate Culture's Department of Business and Law; the Faculty of Communication and Culture's Department of Intercultural Communication, Department of Applied Psychology, Department of Japanese Culture and Communication, and Department of Early Childhood; the Faculty of Tourism, Media, and Cultural Studies' Department of Tourism and Cultural Studies, and Department of Media and Information Studies; and the Faculty of Nursing's Department of Nursing. In order to secure appropriate enrollment rates, improvements are required.
- Although the university creates a Self-inspection and Evaluation Report each year, the amount of content renewed is small, the details concerning the ascertainment of the current state are riddled with errors and misprints. Since the self-inspection and evaluation system is unsatisfactory, improvements are required to make it more robust.
- The mid-term plan does not reflect any change to the inadequacies in the situations regarding student solicitation and internal regulations that were the reason for the university's failure to gain accreditation at the previous certified evaluation and accreditation. Improvements are therefore required.