

W-SPRING/W-SPRING-AI Symposium

Waseda University operates the “W-SPRING Program” and “W-SPRING-AI Program” with the support of the “Support for Pioneering Research Initiated by the Next Generation” and “Broadening Opportunities for Outstanding young researchers and doctoral students in Strategic areas (BOOST) :Next-generation AI Human Resource Development Program” implemented by the Japan Science and Technology Agency (JST).

We are offering a Symposium including overview of the programs, a message to students, information on doctoral careers, and presentations of research results and outline by doctoral students already supported by the program prior to the Spring 2026 application.

Monday, February 2, 2026, 12:30 p.m. - 2:45 p.m.

Online (Zoom webinar format) (The session will be conducted in both English and Japanese)

Advance registration is required at the following URL

https://w-as-jp.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_HteXihFuSweZOiX2WeBXaQ

Anyone interested in the program is welcome, including students (graduate/undergraduate students, those who are not affiliated with Waseda University are also welcome), faculty and staff

Current Programs

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| 12:30-12:40 | Introduction to W-SPRING Program |
| 12:40-12:45 | Introduction to W-SPRING-AI Program |
| 12:45-13:15 | Keynote Speech |
| 13:15-13:45 | Presentation by W-SPRING students |
| 13:50-14:00 | Presentations by students who used Assistance of Overseas Travel to Cultivate International Character |
| 14:00-14:15 | Messages from Past Support Program Participants |
| 14:15-14:25 | Information for doctoral students' careers |
| 14:25-14:35 | Presentation for Interdisciplinary Research Project |
| 14:35-14:40 | Application for Interdisciplinary Research Project |
| 14:40-14:45 | Closing Remarks |