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UTSA's East Asia Institute Presents "Teaching English in Japan"

Teaching English in Japan!

日本
JET Program
Info Forum
Thur., Nov. 3
12:30 – 1:30 p.m.
Mesquite Room
(UC 2.01.24)
By Ryan Pauley
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The East Asia Institute (EAI) will host "Teaching English in Japan" information session from 12:30-1:30 p.m. on Thursday, November 3, 2011 in the Mesquite Room (UC 2.01.24) on UTSA's main campus. This information session is free and open to the public.

Ryan Pauley, JET Coordinator from the Japanese Consulate in Houston, will be on campus to introduce the Japan Exchange and Teaching (JET) Program. The program is conducted by the Council of Local Authorities for International Relations (CLAIR) with the combined efforts of the Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications; the Ministry of Foreign Affairs; the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology; and local government organizations. It was created in 1987 and has gained an excellent reputation since.

The goal of the JET Program is to promote cultural understanding between Japan and other countries. To meet this goal, the program enhances foreign language studies in Japan and promotes international exchange.

The JET program gives native English speakers the opportunity to teach English language and culture in Japan while simultaneously absorbing Japanese culture. It is recommended that applicants be adaptable and have a strong interest in Japan and Japanese culture. This program is intended for those with a bachelor's degree. Two types of positions are available, both of which will be discussed during the information session.

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For more information about the program please see the JET Program website at

<http://www.jetprogramme.org>.

For more information regarding the event, please contact the East Asia Institute at 210.458.4943, eai@utsa.edu, or visit the EAI's homepage at <http://www.utsa.edu/eai>.

The UTSA East Asia Institute's mission is to promote appreciation and understanding of East Asian societies and cultures both on campus and in the community through research, outreach, networking, education, student/faculty exchange, and business development and cooperation. The East Asia Institute organizes seminars, workshops, lectures, conferences, film festivals, visual art exhibitions as well as bringing in performing art groups from China, Japan, Korea, and other Asian nations. It also encourages faculty research collaborations both within UTSA and with participating East Asian university researchers.