Overview and Schedule for Prospective PhD Students Japanese Government-sponsored Privately-funded International Students: **International Students:** Contact made with TMDU: Contact made with TMDU Preliminary qualification until late June Primary Screening by the relevant Japanese diplomatic mission Deadline for Application to TMDU: 18 Aug 2011 (1st trial) or 15 Dec 2012 (2nd trial) Deadline for Application to TMDU: 31 Aug 2011 Qualifying Exam: 28 Sep 2011 (1st trial) or 2 Feb 2012 (2nd trial) Notification of Acceptance/Rejection Notification of Acceptance/Rejection: 27 Oct 2011 (1st trial) or 27 Feb 2012 (2nd trial) Japanese Language Training (6 months) Admission to the Graduate School of Medical and Dental Sciences Tokyo Medical and Dental University