

T.I.M.E. Association

General Assembly 2026

Embracing Diversity

30 September – 3 October 2026 · T.I.M.E. General Assembly, Doshisha University, Kyoto
5 October 2026 · Double Degree Day, Keio University, Yokohama

Week at a glance

Time	Session
Tue 29 Sept	Day 0 – Advisory Committee Meeting Imadegawa Campus (Advisory Committee members only)
Wed 30 Sept	Day 1 – Opening Plenary, Presentations, and Cocktail reception Imadegawa Campus
Thu 1 Oct	Day 2 – General Assembly, Roundtable, Campus/Lab tour and Gala Dinner Kyotanabe Campus / Downtown Kyoto
Fri 2 Oct	Day 3 – Workshops and Cultural visit Imadegawa Campus / Kyoto
Sat 3 Oct	Day 4 – Kyoto excursion Southern Kyoto
Mon 5 Oct	Day 5 – Double Degree Day Keio University, Yagami Campus, Yokohama

Day 0 Tuesday 29 September*Imadegawa Campus, Doshisha University*

Time	Session
16:00 – 18:00	Advisory Committee Meeting Invited members only

Day 1 Wednesday 30 September*Imadegawa Campus, Doshisha University*

Time	Session
09:30 – 10:30	Registration with tea/coffee & time for initial networking
10:30 – 10:45	Opening of the 2026 T.I.M.E. Conference President of Doshisha University and President of T.I.M.E. Association
10:45 – 11:45	Presentation of Doshisha University and the Japanese context Internationalisation, Research and Higher education priorities
11:45 – 13:00	Lunch
13:00 – 14:00	Gosho (Imperial Palace) Walk Walk through the historic Imperial Palace gardens
14:00 – 15:00	Cultural Immersion and Japanese Language Session
15:00 – 15:30	Open Floor for T.I.M.E. Members Chaired by the T.I.M.E. President
15:30 – 16:00	Break
16:00 – 17:15	Discussion Session – Mental Health of International Students Case studies and good practices across T.I.M.E. member institutions, namely Mami Matsukawa, Doshisha University, Japan Morten Overgaard, DTU, Denmark Monica Riva, Politecnico di Milano, Italy Francis Brown-Mastropaolo, Polytechnique Montréal, Canada
17:30	Cocktail Reception Amherst House

Day 2 Thursday 1 October*Kyotanabe Campus, Doshisha University*

Time	Session
09:30	Registration Shuttle service from Kyoto provided
10:00 – 11:30	General Assembly – Part 1
11:30 – 12:00	Break
12:00 – 13:00	General Assembly – Part 2
13:00 – 14:30	Lunch Networking opportunity with Doshisha students interested in studying abroad
14:30 – 15:30	Student Roundtable Doshisha and international students share their Double Degree experiences
15:30 – 16:00	Break
16:00 – 17:30	Campus and Laboratory Tours Participants will choose either Course A or Course B in advance Course A: Labs from Electrical and Electronic Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, and Chemistry Course B: Labs from Life and Medical Sciences, Information Science, and Mathematical and Environmental Sciences
17:30	Shuttle to Gala Dinner Transportation from Kyotanabe Campus to downtown Kyoto
19:00	Gala Dinner Downtown Kyoto

Day 3 Friday 2 October*Imadegawa Campus, Doshisha University*

Time	Session
09:00	Coffee
09:30 – 11:00	Workshop Session 1 Choose one of three parallel workshops
11:00 – 11:15	Break
11:15 – 12:30	Workshop Session 2 Choose one of four parallel workshops
12:30 – 13:00	T.I.M.E. GA 2027 Announcement Plenary session
13:00 – 14:30	Lunch
14:30 – 16:00	Shokokuji Temple Visit

Day 4 Saturday 3 October*Southern Kyoto*

Time	Session
10:00 – 16:00	Kyoto Excursion Full-day tour of southern Kyoto. Bus departs from and returns to Kyoto Station.

Day 5 Monday 5 October*Keio University, Yagami Campus – Faculty of Science and Technology, Yokohama***Double Degree Day**

Time	Session
14:00 – 15:00	Keio Laboratory Tour
15:00 – 15:30	Double Degrees in Practice: Keio University and Yokohama National University, Faculty of Science and Technology Practical overview of Double Degree pathways, supervision, calendar constraints, and key contacts at Keio University and Yokohama National University. Followed by Q&A.
15:30 – 15:45	Break and Transition to the Forum

Double Degree Forum 15:45 – 18:15

Participants circulate freely between three areas throughout the Forum. Short presentations take place during the Forum; booths remain open.

Area 1	T.I.M.E. Member University Booths Member universities present mobility and Double Degree opportunities for Keio Science & Technology students
Area 2	Keio Student Ambassadors Keio students who studied abroad and international Double Degree students share their experiences and answer questions
Area 3	Company Booths Companies present internship and graduate opportunities for internationally minded engineering students
15:45 – 16:30	T.I.M.E. Members Session T.I.M.E. members present their mobility and Double Degree opportunities for Keio students
16:30 – 16:50	Industry Session

Companies present international engineering career opportunities, target profiles, and application routes

18:15

Closing Remarks

Short closing and transition to the cocktail venue

18:30

Cocktail Reception

Networking with T.I.M.E. alumni, T.I.M.E. members, and Companies
