Regarding Changes to the Entrance Exams for the Nagoya University Graduate School of Education and Human Development Doctoral Program (Final 3-Year Course, Department of Psychology and Human Developmental Sciences) from Academic Year 2018 (Implementation of Special Selection for Overseas Degree Recipients)

The Nagoya University Graduate School of Education and Human Development (Department of Psychology and Human Developmental Sciences) will newly implement **the special admission for the doctoral program** as described below from Academic Year 2018.

1. Entrance Exam to be Newly Implemented

Doctoral Program (Final 3-year), Department of Psychology and Human Developmental Sciences Overseas Degree Recipients Special Selection

2. Application Eligibility

Persons eligible to apply are those who have earned (or are expected to receive by the end of March, 2018) master's degrees from overseas educational institutions. Nationality will not be considered for determining eligibility.

3. Entrance Exam Procedure

- (a) There will be no written exam. The achievement evaluation will be conducted through submitted documents and an oral exam (English or Japanese) (interview via Skype possible).
- (b) Evaluations of foreign language proficiency will be conducted using score reports from English proficiency certifications or examinations (scores from TOEFL (iBT, PBT), TOEIC (must include S&W), or IELTS (Academic Module only), see below for details). Please submit a score report for one of the following, using the designated methods (only scores from exams taken within 2 years of the application deadline will be considered valid):
 - 1. TOEFL: Official Score Report (Original) (*1) and Test Taker Score Report (Copy) (*2)
 - 2. TOEIC: Official Score Certificate (Original) (*3)
 - 3. IELTS: Test Report Form (Original) (*4)
 - *1 Please undergo the necessary procedures to ensure that the score reports sent by ETS arrive at Nagoya University by the application deadline. For details, please refer to the TOEFL website (<u>http://www.cieej.or.jp/toefl/</u>). As a matter of principle, score

reports that have been received and submitted by the applicants themselves will be considered invalid.

- *2 Submit together with the application forms.
- *3 Includes both of the TOEIC test scores and the TOEIC S&W (Speaking and Writing) test scores. Submit together with the application forms.
- *4 Please undergo the necessary procedures to ensure that the Test Report Form sent by the IELTS administration office arrives at the Nagoya University Graduate School of Education and Human Development by the application deadline. For details, please refer to the IELTS website (<u>http://www.eiken.or.jp/ielts/</u>). As a matter of principle, certificates that has been received and submitted by the applicants themselves will be considered invalid.

*The tests are all limited in both test dates and locations. Please make sure to take into consideration the time it takes for test scores to be sent out, and take the tests as early as possible, if necessary. Applicants are responsible for the expenses required to take the tests. Applicants who fail to provide valid scores by the application deadline will be considered as not having received the evaluation of foreign language proficiency.

4. Period of Implementation (Scheduled)

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