



ATOMI UNIVERSITY

G l o b a l G u i d e B o o k

Philosophy

Ms. Kakei Atomi, the founder of Atomi University,
promoted an education based on Japanese cultural traditions with
the goal of fostering highly educated, free-spirited,
and independent-minded women.

By inheriting the educational philosophy of the founder,
Atomi University has become a prominent center for learning.

In addition, the university recognizes its greatest social
contributions: nurturing deep insights into the age and societies
in which we live, and providing the education
that cultivates self-sufficient and independent-minded women
complete with practical competencies.



Niiza Campus Exterior



Our 140-year long history enables us to provide students with a unique, high-quality education. Our responsibility is to deliver the best possible education to women.

Future leaders and upstanding citizens who currently study at Atomi University will serve their respective communities in various fields and live a high-quality life. Trad Atomi has inherited the innovative spirit of the founder, Ms. Kakei Atomi, and has launched the Faculty of Tourism and Community Studies in 2015.

Professor
Tetsuo Yamada
Principal



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- 1: Uniform established in 1915.^{※1}
 2: Letters addressed to *Tamashima* by Kakei Atomu (excerpts).^{※2}
 3: Kakei's work "*Renge zu*" (part).^{※1}
 4: Kakei's work "*Gaen*" (part).^{※1}
 5: Kakei's work "*Akikusa zu Byobu*" (part).^{※1}
 6: *Fugen-tei* Pavilion (interior).^{※3}
 7: *Edohigan* Cherry Tree (blossoms).^{※3}

History of Atomi University

- 1875.....The Atomi School opened in Nakasarugaku-cho, Kanda, Tokyo.
Atomi's educational philosophy was established, which stressed not only intellectual training but also emotional enrichment.
- 1913.....Reorganized as Atomi Girls' School Incorporated Foundation.
- 1944.....Atomi Girls' School was closed and replaced by Atomi Girls' High School.
- 1947.....Atomi Middle School was established.
- 1948.....Atomi High School was established.
- 1950.....Atomi Junior College was established.
- 1965.....Atomi University was established in Nakano, Niiza-shi, Saitama as well as the Faculty of Letters.
- 1992.....The new library was completed.
- 1995.....The 120th anniversary of the founding of the Atomi School and the 30th anniversary of the founding of Atomi University. The Kakei Memorial Museum was completed.
- 2002.....The Faculty of Management opened and The Center for Educational and Psychological counseling was established.
- 2005.....The 130th anniversary of the founding of the Atomi School and the 40th anniversary of the founding of Atomi University.
- 2008.....Bunkyo Campus opened in Otsuka, Bunkyo-ku, Tokyo.
- 2011.....The university headquarter was moved to the Bunkyo Campus.
- 2015.....The 140th anniversary of the founding of the Atomi School and the 50th anniversary of the founding of Atomi University. The Faculty of Tourism and Community Studies was established.

Profile of Kakei Atomi

Kakei Atomi was the second daughter of Shigeyoshi Atomi, the director of a Terakoya (a private school for children) in Kizu-mura, Settsu Province (present-day Osaka). Ms.Atomi developed an interest towards learning at an early age. She studied calligraphy under Setsuan Miyahara (a student of Sanyo Rai) and painting under Oryu Maruyama and Raisho Nakajima. In 1875, Ms.Atomi founded the Atomi School in Kanda, Tokyo (present-day Chiyoda-ward). She was active as an educator, painter, and calligrapher throughout her life.



Kakei Atomi (1840~1926)
[The Kakei Memorial Museum Collection]

Academics

We aim to cultivate “intellectuals complete with practical competencies,” “virtuous members of societies,” and “self-sufficient independent-minded women.”

Faculty of Letters

The Faculty of Letters consists of four departments: the Department of Humanities, the Department of Contemporary Culture and Representation, the Department of Communication in Culture, and the Department of Clinical Psychology. The faculty offers opportunities for students to deepen their knowledge of literature, history, art, culture, and psychology. These topics not only focus on Japan but also the rest of the world. Students will develop abilities in critical thinking, English-language, and communication, thereby gaining a fair-minded multifaceted perspective that will serve as the basis for becoming active members of society.



Students will acquire a wide range of knowledge while experiencing the joy of both theoretical and practical learning.



By fostering an understanding of modern business from a management point of view, we cultivate independent-minded women with the ability to develop their own careers.



Faculty of Management

The Faculty of Management consists of two departments: the Department of Management and the Department of Life Environments Management. The teaching staff is composed of national public officials, business practitioners (including private business owners and managers), and university business scholars. The faculty offers an internship program for all second-year students utilizing this network of personnel and business contacts. The benefits of such early practical experience are reflected in our high rate of graduate employment.

Faculty of Tourism and Community Studies

Atoimi University opened its Faculty of Tourism and Community Studies in April 2015, thus establishing the Department of Tourism Design and the Department of Community Design. The names of the faculty and departments reflect our hopes towards the development of tourism and the enlivenment of communities. Students will master a wide range of skills, and by taking part in off-campus/on-site training and internship programs, they will obtain abilities that can be applied toward the enlivenment of communities.



We foster talented individuals with the ability to contribute to the enlivenment of societies, local communities, and households as well as support the development of tourism in Japan through a perspective that is uniquely female.



Campus

The two campuses, each with its own appeal, provide students with various experiences for expanding their future possibilities.

Bunkyo Campus

As they prepare for their departure into society, third- and fourth-year students will pursue specialized studies in the modern facilities of Bunkyo Campus. Located in the heart of Tokyo, the campus offers an environment where students can engage in stimulating exchanges with society and its various cultures, while spending their final two years working towards their future self-independence.



Bunkyo campus, located in the heart of the city, enables students to come into frequent contact with the latest information and various cultures.

Niiza Campus

First- and second-year students study at the Niiza campus, which is well known for its cherry blossom trees. The campus provides an environment blessed with nature and the scent of seasonal flowers where students can learn autonomously and comfortably. The relaxed atmosphere makes it an ideal place for students to master the basics of university education.



Niiza campus surrounded by nature and equipped with excellent facilities that offer a place of relaxed leaning.



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