



Friends of ICU 募金活動等報告書 (2024年度)

Friends of ICU
Fundraising Report 2024

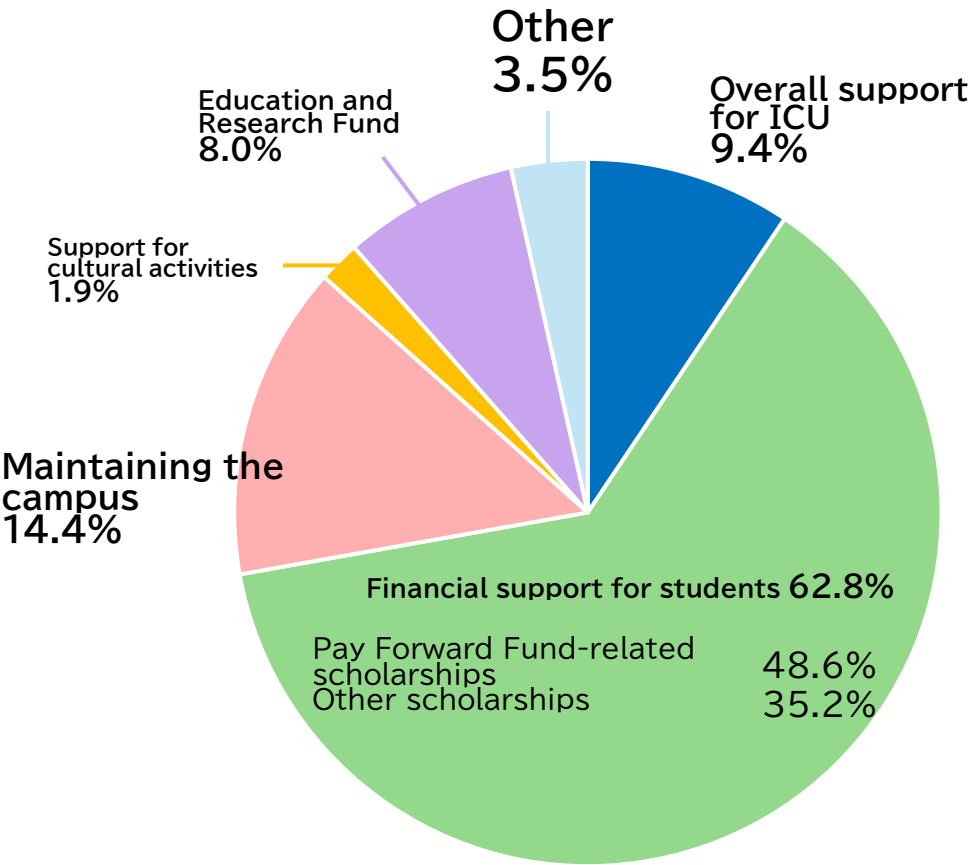
We would like to express our gratitude to everyone for their generous donations and to share information regarding the Friends of ICU activities carried out in the 2024 academic year and the results of these activities.

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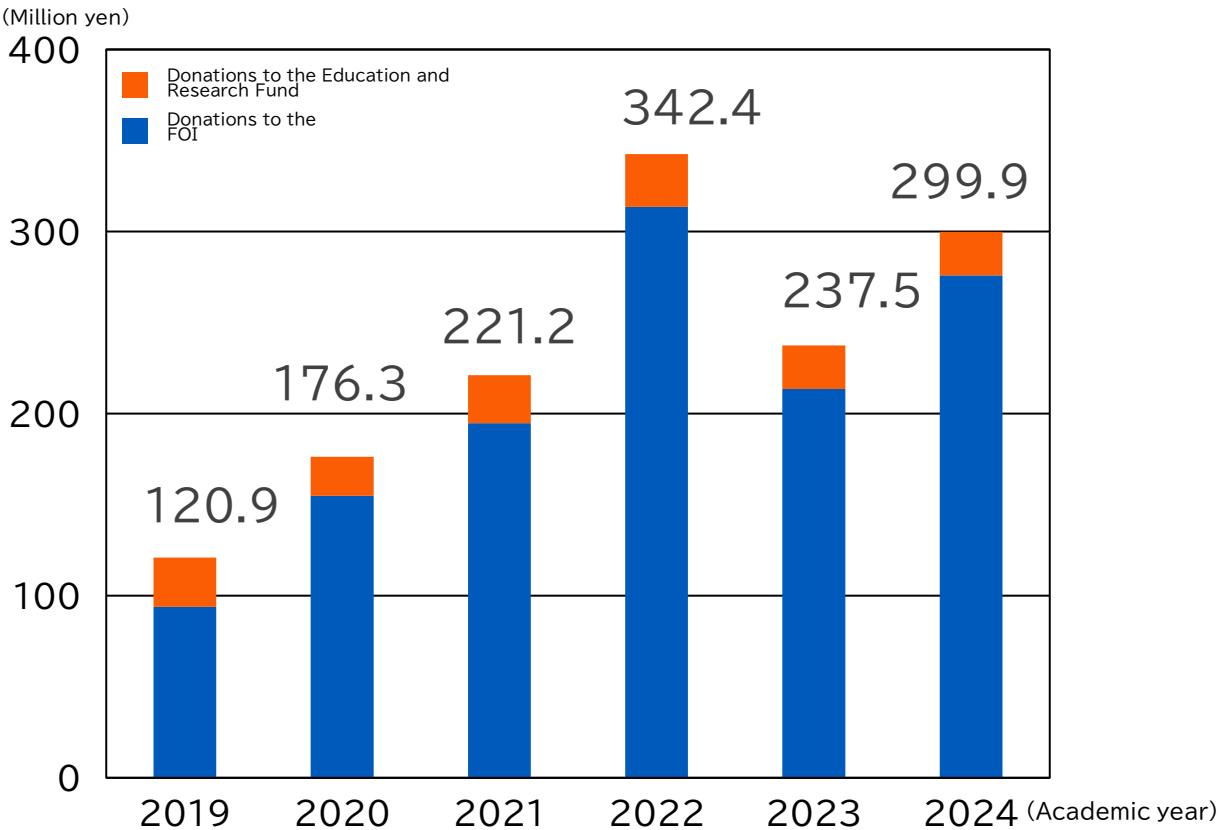
1. Number and amounts of donations in AY2024

The total amount of donations in AY2024 was
299.86 million yen.

Breakdown of donations amounts (AY2024)



Donation amounts over time

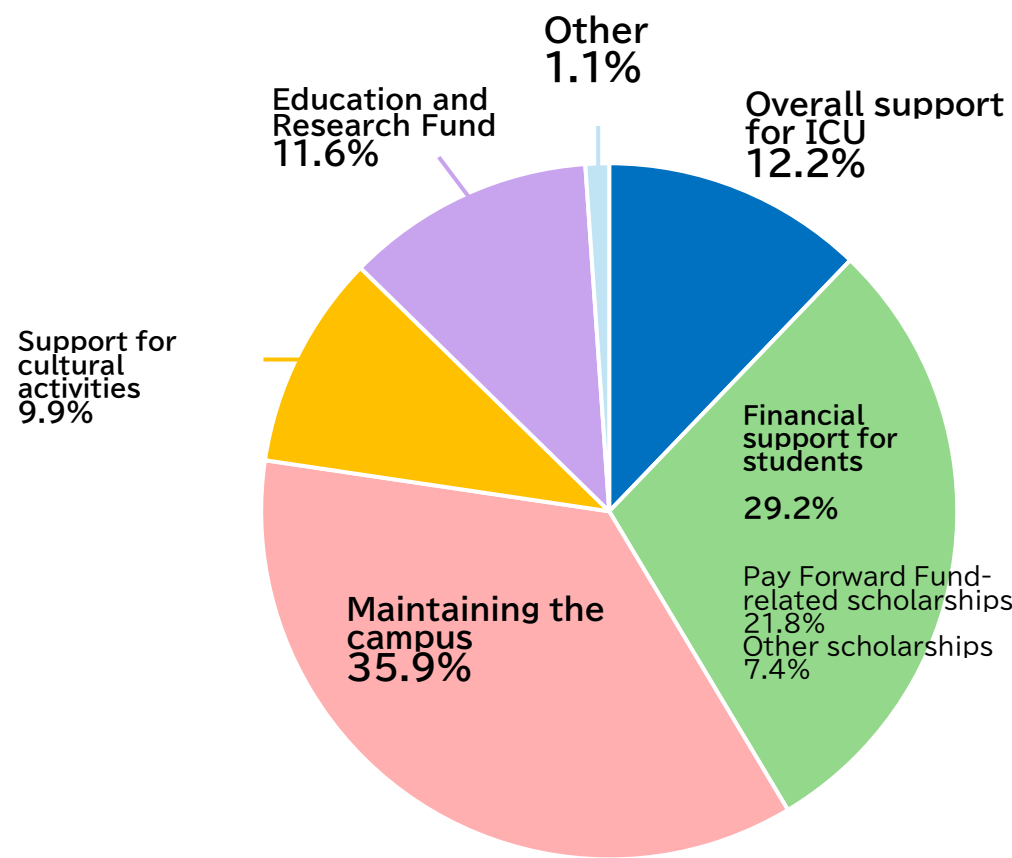


(Note) Pay Forward Fund-related scholarships: Total of donations for the Pay Forward Fund, ICU Peace Bell Scholarship, and ICU Torch Relay Scholarship.

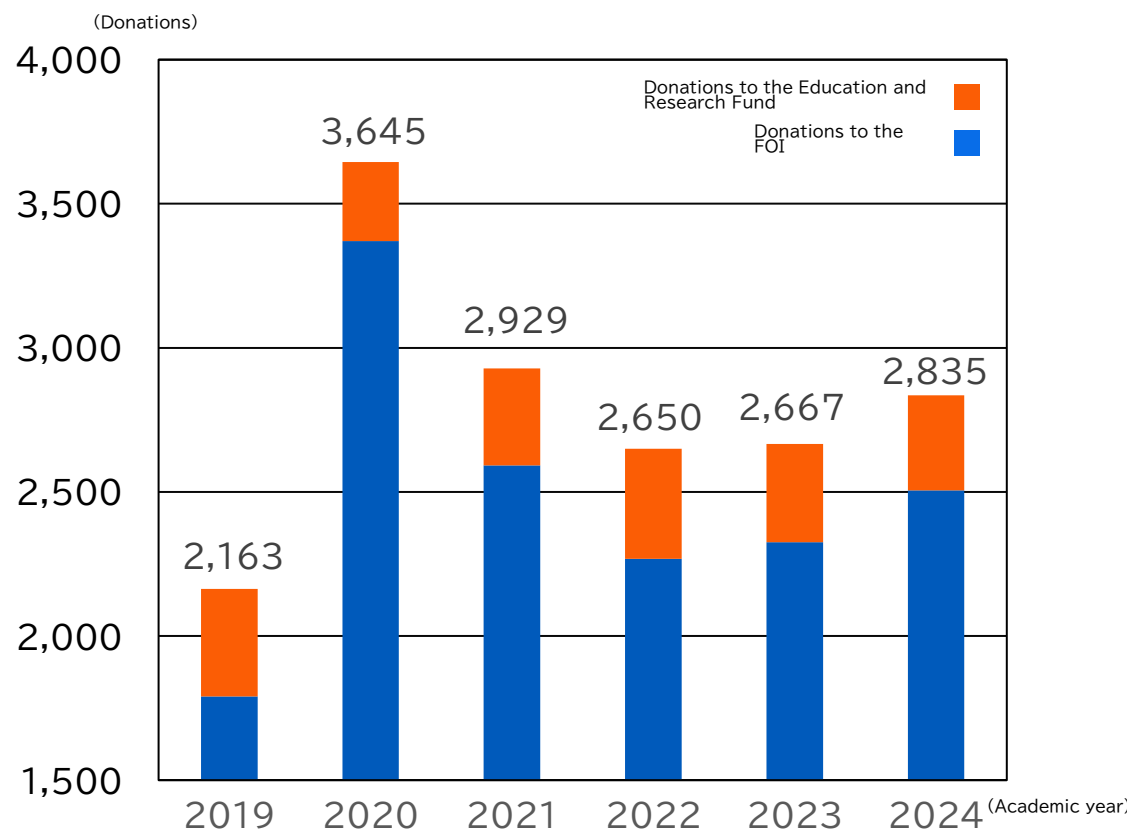
1. Number and amounts of donations in AY2024

The total number of donations during AY2024 was **2,835.**

Breakdown of number of donations (AY2024)



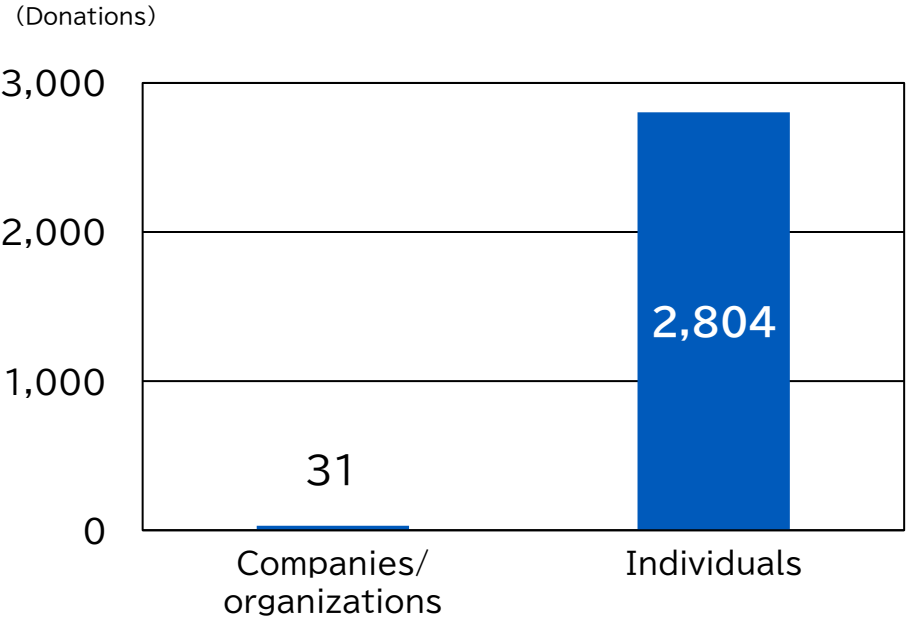
Number of donations over time



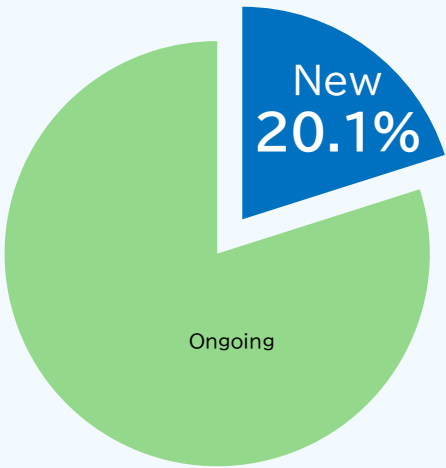
1. Number and amounts of donations in AY2024

20.1% of donations by individuals were from new donors.
63.5% of these donations were for 10,000 yen or less.

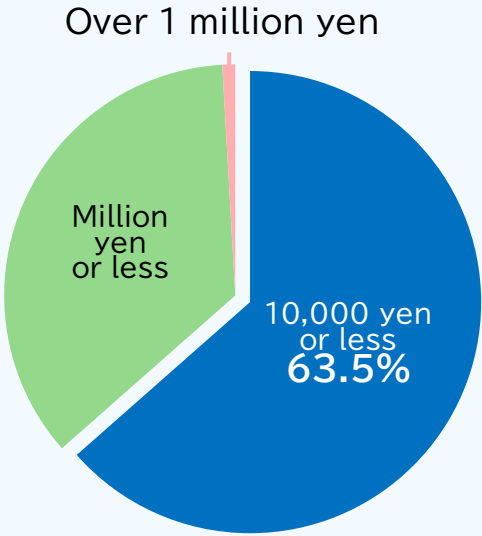
Breakdown of donations by individuals or companies/organizations (AY2024)



Breakdown by type (new/ongoing)



Breakdown by amount



1. Number and amounts of donations in AY2024

Financial support for students

Number and amounts of donations in AY2024
829 donations, 188.2 million yen

- Pay Forward Fund-related scholarships
 - ▶ 619 donations, 145.64 million yen

Donations to the Pay Forward Fund, a dedicated scholarship fund, are used to fund the ICU Peace Bell Scholarship and the ICU Torch Relay Scholarship, and also used by the fund to generate returns that are used for grant-type scholarships such as the ICU Peace Bell Scholarship.

- Other scholarships
 - ▶ 210 donations, 42.55 million yen

Donations to support students affected by natural and other disasters (including supporting Ukrainian students) and to provide short term emergency aid for students in need are used to fund those respective scholarships.

Maintaining the campus

Number and amounts of donations in AY2024
1,019 donations, 43.26 million yen

These donations are used to partially fund renovations and improvements to aging educational facilities and other buildings. In AY2024, 33.94 million yen were used for these purposes.

In 2023, the campus was designated by the Ministry of the Environment as a Natural Symbiosis Site. We are devoting efforts to protect its natural environment, and in AY2024, 2.53 million yen were used for that purpose.

Support for cultural activities

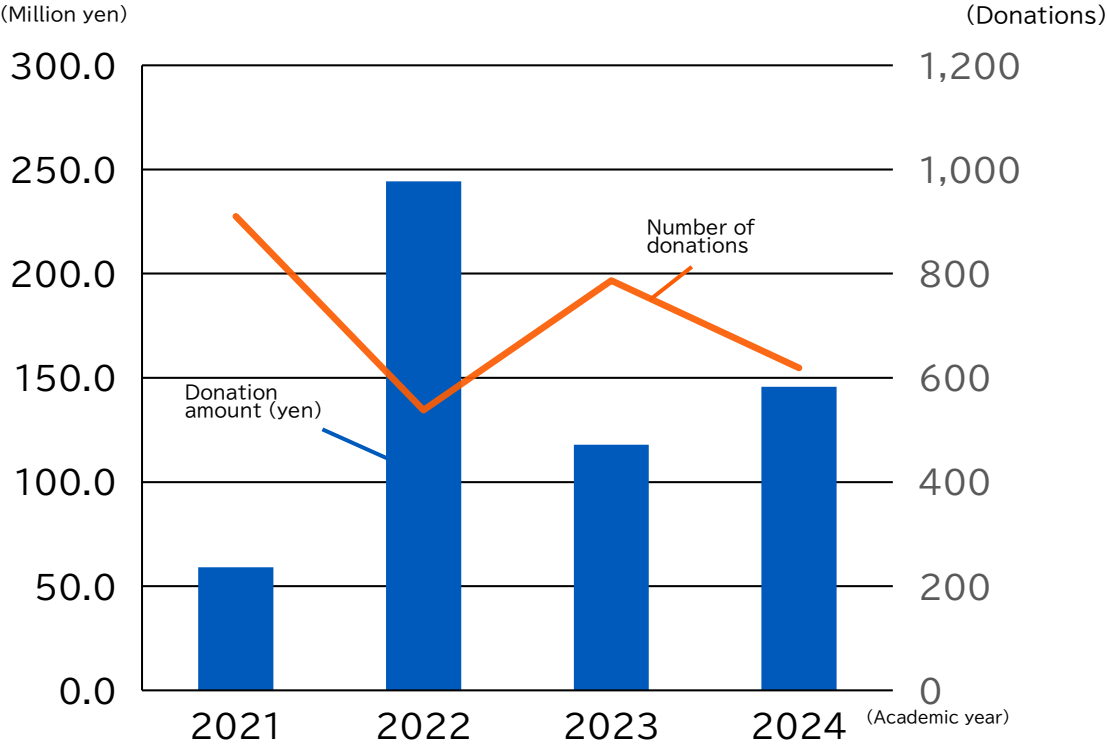
Number and amounts of donations in AY2024
282 donations, 5.78 million yen

In AY2024, 1.64 million yen were used for repairs and maintenance for Taizanso, planning and operating the Hachiro Yuasa Memorial Museum, supporting organ music at ICU, and conducting related education activities, etc.

2. Donations to grant-type scholarship funds

There were **619** donations, totaling **145.64 million yen**, to Pay Forward Fund-related scholarships.

Number and amounts of donations to Pay Forward Fund-related scholarships



Pay Forward Fund

Cumulative donations to related scholarships (since AY2022)

507.75 million yen

Fund management returns in AY2024 (Note)

319.00 million yen

(Note) The fund balance as of the end of AY2024 was approx. 8.668 billion yen.

To ensure that grant-type scholarships can be steadily paid out, we are aiming for a future **scholarship payout ratio of 25%**. Over the course of 10 years, starting in AY2022, we are aiming for a combined total of 1.5 billion yen in donations to Pay Forward Fund-related scholarships.

2. Donations to grant-type scholarship funds

In AY2024, approximately **218 million yen** were paid to a total of **422 students**, which is **approximately 40%** of all of the students who received scholarships.

Scholarships supported by donations		Number of recipients
Undergraduate	ICU Peace Bell Scholarship	36
	ICU Cherry Blossom Scholarship	20
	ICU Torch Relay High Endeavor Scholarship	27
	ICU Torch Relay Scholarship for Current Students	106
	Other	11
Graduate School	ICU Torch Relay Graduate School Scholarship for New Students	20
	ICU Torch Relay Scholarship for Current Students	7
	The Graduate School Students Research Presentation Grant	28
	Other	35
Both	ICU Scholarship for International Students	27
	ICU Scholarship for Students with Sudden Changes in Household Finances	5
	Other	30
Scholarships from donors, etc.		70
Total		422

2. Donations to grant-type scholarship funds

ICU Peace Bell Scholarship scholar Student S, 3rd year student in the College of Liberal Arts

ICU provides truly limitless learning possibilities. It abounds with freedom, such as in its educational environments and its approaches to learning. Students here are blessed to be able to take on new challenges, both academic and personal, and reach new heights at ICU. The ICU Peace Bell Scholarship provides powerful support for my ability to freely take on these challenges. My selection as an ICU Peace Bell scholar motivates me to always remember my own objectives and commit to results. There is growing interest today in the emotional impact of video. In the future, I plan to use this emotional impact, which is the foundation of my own research area, within the entertainment industry, whose core is emotional experience.

ICU Cherry Blossom scholar Student I, 2nd year student in the College of Liberal Arts

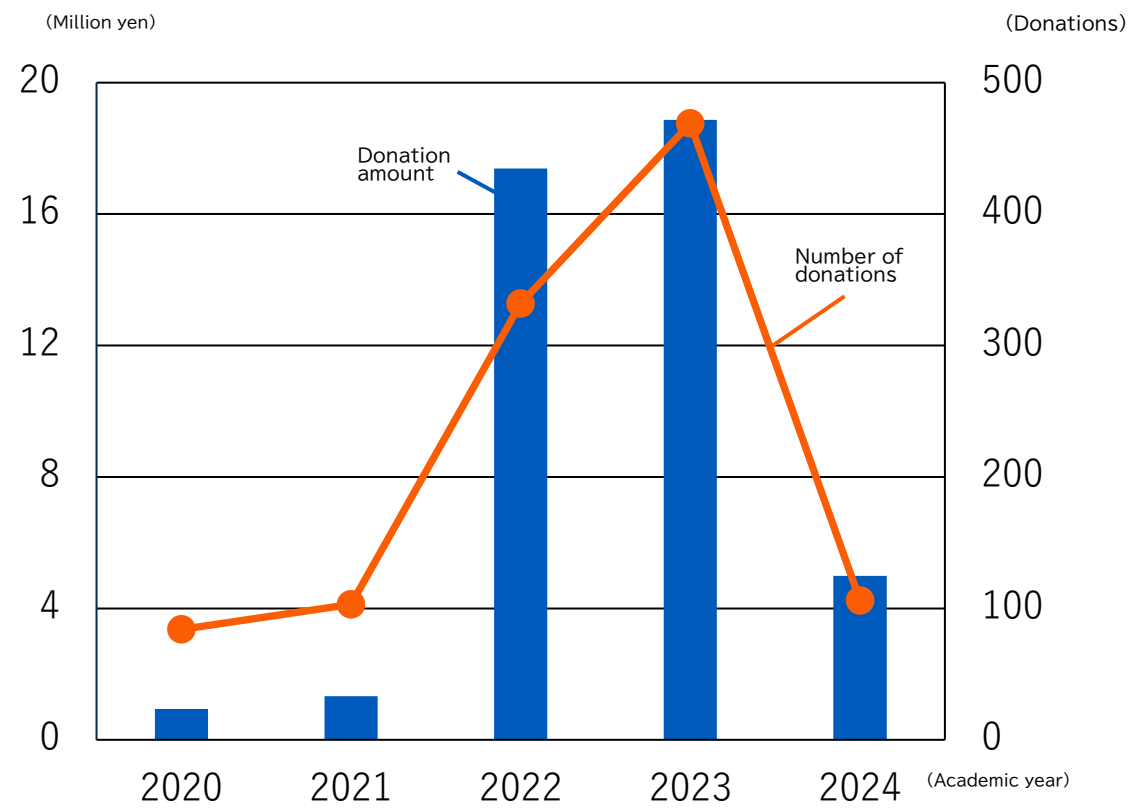
My father has already retired, and my younger brother would also like to go to university, so I decided to apply for ICU provided that I could get a scholarship. One of the great things about the ICU Cherry Blossom Scholarship is that I received my scholarship selection notice before I submitted my entrance exam application. Because I had been worried about the economics of university, this was a great relief. When I got the notice, it redoubled my motivation to study for the entrance exam, because I knew I couldn't let this chance slip through my fingers! Thanks to the scholarship, I'm able to live an enriching academic life without having to worry about putting financial pressure on my parents. One of the things I was impressed by after enrolling is that every teacher asked the fundamental question of "what is learning?" Another thing is that, led by that question, all of my friends here are thinking together about how their study ties into society. It's a university with a lot of people who love to debate. I'm extremely pleased with my life here, losing track of the time on this beautiful green campus, engaging in deep discussion with my teachers and friends.

(Note) Scholarships from donors, etc. are not included in scholarship payment amounts.

2. Donations to grant-type scholarship funds

Support for students affected by disasters (including supporting Ukrainian students)

Donation amounts and number of donations over time



Since 2022, five Ukrainian university students have received support such as tuition and dorm fee support. Of these, two students completed their master's programs in March 2025.



(Source) JICUF website

3. Donations for improvements to facilities and to University Hall

There were a total of **857** donations, amounting to **34.5 million yen**, for the renovation of University Hall.

Renovated interior



University Hall, which was completed in 1953, was renovated for the first time in 20 years. This renovation work was completed in April 2025. A fundraising campaign, beginning in June 2024 and ending in December 2025, is underway to raise funds for this renovation work. We would appreciate your donations.



Special recognition

Donors who donate over 10,000 yen during the donation period will be commemorated by having their names engraved on a donor recognition plaque in University Hall.



Conceptual image of donor recognition plaque

4. Donations for use in conserving the natural environment on campus

There were a total of **109** donations, amounting to **8.03 million yen**, for conserving the natural environment on campus.

In 2023, the ICU campus was designated by the Ministry of the Environment as a Natural Symbiosis Site.

We are working to manage the environment even more thoroughly in order to contribute to the protection of local biodiversity and use the rich nature of the campus for university and senior high school education and research, passing it on to future generations.



Coppice forest restoration project (launched in June 2024)



We are carrying out a 10-year long-term initiative aimed at restoring young coppice forests.

Current coppice forest, whose trees have grown old

Farm project (launched in October 2024)



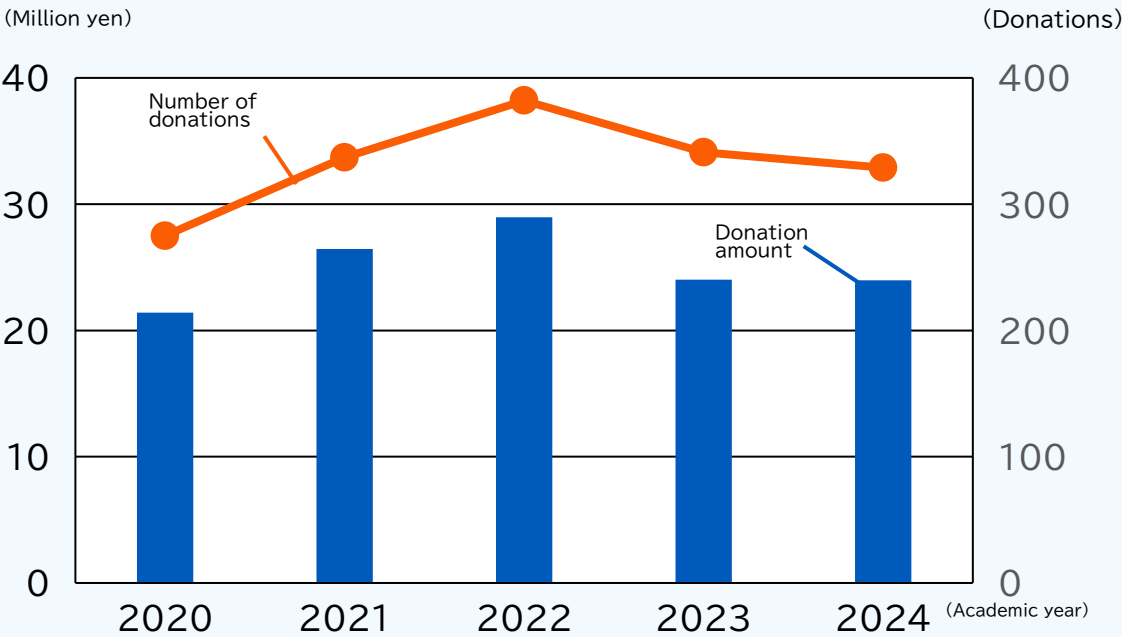
Actual crop production and related hands-on activities are being carried out with the objective of restoring the farm that was present when the university was founded.

Wasabi farm within the campus

5. Other donations

There were a total of **329** donations, amounting to **23.97 million yen**, for the Education and Research Fund.

Donation amounts over time



4.975 million yen were received in the form of subsidies through the **Furusato Nozei system**.

Since 2024, we have been registered for support by the “Mitaka City Support Subsidies for Universities” system through Mitaka City Community Development Support Donations (Furusato Nozei). The subsidies we recently received from the taxes paid via this system were used for the Coppice Restoration Project.



6. Donor privileges and benefits

With gratitude for all of your generous donations

Donor privileges and benefits^(Note)

ICU provides the following privileges and benefits to donors.

■ Issuing of “Friends of ICU (FOI) Cards”

We issue “FOI Cards” to donors who have donated 10,000 yen or more in a single donation in the past. The main benefits of these cards are that the cardholders are sent “The ICU” (twice a year), are allowed to use university parking free of charge, and are invited to organ concerts in the University chapel.

■ Original ICU merchandise

Donors who have donated a combined total of 300,000 yen or more to the FOI and the Education and Research Fund will be presented with original ICU merchandise (postcard sets, table calendars, teabag sets, etc.) depending on the amount they donated.

■ Listing in “Donors to ICU”

The names of all donors are listed in university publications such as “The ICU” (the names of donors wishing to remain anonymous are not listed).

■ Commemorative items

FOIs and donors who have donated a combined total of 5,000,000 yen or more to the Education and Research Fund will be presented with special commemorative items such as plaques depending on the amount they donated.

■ Donor recognition plaques

Donors who donate a combined total of 5 million yen or more to the university and/or scholarships will have a plaque recognizing them put up in the University Hall, etc.

University of Tomorrow

Your donations help to fund the University of Tomorrow.
We sincerely appreciate your continued support.

