

Kurokami Campus

- Faculty of Letters
- Faculty of Law
- Faculty of Education
- Graduate School of Social and Cultural Sciences
- School of Law
- Graduate School of Education
- Faculty of Science
- Faculty of Engineering
- Graduate School of Science and Technology

1 The Red Gate



The gate has been well known as "the Red Gate" since it was relocated as the main gate of the Fifth High School in 1889.

National Important Cultural Property

2 The Memorial Museum of the Fifth High School



The red brick building was completed in 1889 as the main building for the Fifth High School, where Yakumo Koizumi and Soseki Natsume gave lectures. The hall which also holds the information plaza, offers historical data and literature to the general public. Free admission. Opens from 10:00 to 16:00, except Tuesdays.

National Important Cultural Property

3 The Chemical Laboratory of the Fifth High School



The red brick building, like the main building, was also completed in 1889 as the Chemical Laboratory for the Fifth High School. It includes a stone-made testing benches and a lecture hall (commonly called staircase classroom).

National Important Cultural Property

4 Student Hall Cafeteria



A wide variety of nutritious meals are available. For healthcare purposes, salt and calories are indicated on the meal description. Opens 8:00-19:30 on weekdays, 11:30-14:00 on Saturdays. Closed on Sundays and holidays.

5 Student Hall Shop



Books, stationery, convenience goods, tickets and the university original products are sold at the shop. Opens from 8:10 to 19:00 on weekdays.

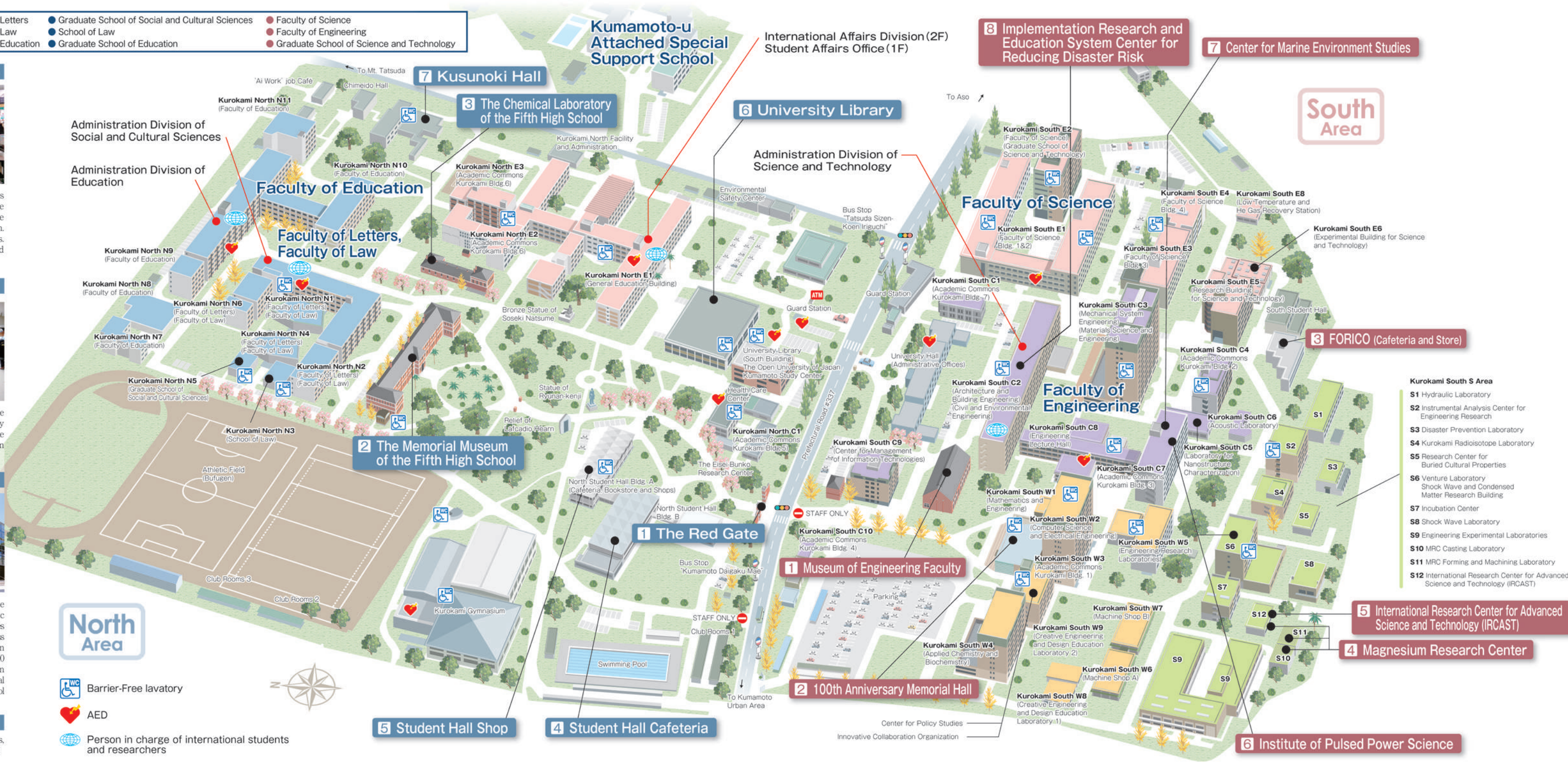
6 University Library



The university library is open to the public and provides vast academic information to the community. Services include bookending and internet access to the library's books and collection inventory. Opens from 8:40 to 22:00 on weekdays, 12:00 to 18:00 on Saturdays, Sundays and national holidays (Closes at 17:00 during school holidays).

7 Kusunoki Hall

The hall holds reception rooms, Japanese rooms and guest rooms.



North Area

- Barrier-Free lavatory
- AED
- Person in charge of international students and researchers

South Area

- Kurokami South S Area**
- S1 Hydraulic Laboratory
 - S2 Instrumental Analysis Center for Engineering Research
 - S3 Disaster Prevention Laboratory
 - S4 Kurokami Radioisotope Laboratory
 - S5 Research Center for Buried Cultural Properties
 - S6 Venture Laboratory Shock Wave and Condensed Matter Research Building
 - S7 Incubation Center
 - S8 Shock Wave Laboratory
 - S9 Engineering Experimental Laboratories
 - S10 MRC Casting Laboratory
 - S11 MRC Forming and Machining Laboratory
 - S12 International Research Center for Advanced Science and Technology (IRCAST)

Kumamoto University CAMPUS MAP

1 Museum of Engineering Faculty



The building was completed in 1908 as a machine experimental factory of Kumamoto Junior College of Technology. The red-brick building and machine tools were designated as a Nationally Important Cultural Property. Also these are certified as "Machine Heritage" by the Japan Society of Mechanical Engineers. The building is opened to the public every third Friday from 13:00 to 16:00.

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2 100th Anniversary Memorial Hall



In commemoration of the 100th anniversary of the Faculty of Engineering, the hall was completed in 2004 with donations from alumni, faculty-related people and corporations. Events such as lectures and concerts are held in the hall.

3 FORICO (Cafeteria and Store)



The nickname "FORICO" was coined by a student, meaning "for students of Faculties of Science and Engineering". Shop & Bakery opens from 9:30 to 20:00 and Cafe & Restaurant opens from 10:00 to 20:00 on weekdays.

4 Magnesium Research Center

The center has been extensively involved in a variety of magnesium-related research area since its establishment in December, 2011. These include alloy design, casting metal formation, mechanical properties, corrosion surface treatment, and recycling.

5 International Research Center for Advanced Science and Technology (IRCAST)

IRCAST was established to promote the international joint research works on the frontier of material sciences. IRCAST has also a significant role to enlarge the international research networks for advanced material sciences among overseas universities and institutions.

6 Institute of Pulsed Power Science

The mission of the institute is to promote basic research into and new theories of pulsed power science through international-oriented problem solving on an interdisciplinary basis as well as to train globally active young researchers and engineers.

7 Center for Marine Environment Studies

The center conducts education and research in areas such as basic science and applied science, that focuses mainly on the marine environment around the Ariake Sea and the Yatsushiro Sea.

8 Implementation Research and Education System Center for Reducing Disaster Risk

The center promotes education and research activities about reduction of disasters to aim at early implementation and sustainable development for robust-and-resilient society to carry out prompt and flexible response to disasters.