Tohoku Forum for Creativity

The Tohoku Forum for Creativity is an international visitor research center established in 2013 to facilitate collaborative research. The Forum contributes to solving common global issues and to supporting the creation of pioneering research areas. Focusing on specific themes, the Forum welcomes Nobel Prize-level researchers to lead Thematic Programs and provides a venue for researchers to work together.

Thematic Programs are selected from proposals submitted from across the world in a wide range of research areas, such as the social sciences, humanities, physical sciences, engineering, and life sciences. Top-tier researchers are invited to lead international symposia and workshops. Young researchers and students are encouraged to participate, thereby nurturing global creative talent. Aside from these Thematic Programs, the Tohoku Forum for Creativity also hosts Junior Research Programs, led primarily by young researchers, and Future Society Design Programs, aimed at creating social value through academia-industry collaboration.

A Research DX Support Center has also been established. This center primarily offers support for the Digital Transformation（DX） of research activities. It conducts surveys to discover the extent of digital transformation both in Japan and across the world and shares information through seminars and other means.



TOKYO ELECTRON House of Creativity 1F, Lounge



TOKYO ELECTRON House of Creativity 3F, Lecture Theater