# Quick manual of the Ryugu Sample AO System "Proposal submission"

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1) Log in the system. Then, click [MY PROPOSAL] on your personal page.



Figure 1. Proposer's home page

2) Click **[EDIT]** on the My Proposal page.

\*If you submitted proposal(s) in the previous AO(s), the proposal information is shown at the bottom of this page.

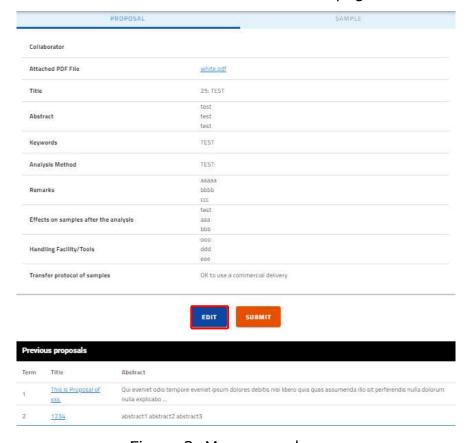


Figure 2. My proposal page

- 3) Input proposer's information by following the explanation below.
- \* For the tips on how to fill out the information, please refer to "question" icon [?] and [usage>>] on the Proposal page.

### <Proposer>

- The information filled out in the "Registration" form is automatically displayed.
- To edit the information displayed, go to **[MY PROFILE]** on the My Proposal page.

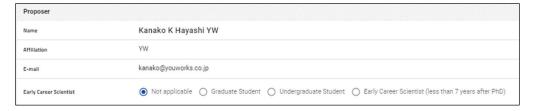


Figure 3. Proposer's information

### <Pre><Previous Status>

- If you have studied Ryugu sample(s) in the previous research opportunities, check in the checkbox(es)



Figure 4. Previous research status

#### <Collaborator>

- The information filled out in the "Registration" form is automatically displayed.
- Click **[ADD COLLABORATOR** ⊕**]** to add collaborators. First and Last name, E-mail address, and Affiliation are mandatory fields. If there is a column not to be used, please click trash box [■] to delete it.

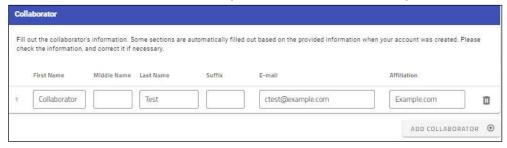


Figure 5. Collaborator's information

### <Request Sample>

- \* You can select samples to request for your proposal.
- \* Please note that the allocated samples and their quantities may differ from what you request when there is a conflict of interest regarding the samples among proposers.

### - Remarks

Enter comments and/or requirements as detail as possible for the samples you would like to request if you have any (required sample weight/amount for research, request specific type of sample, etc.).



Figure 6. Remarks for request sample

- Sample types and selection
  - Particle (pristine single grain)
     Select sample name (e.g., A0021). If you have no specific sample to request, check [any] and input required sample size or weight, select chamber A, C, or any.
    - \* 10 samples can be requested including aggregate samples.
  - Aggregate (pristine aggregate sample)
     Select sample name (e.g., A0220), or check [any] if you have no specific sample to request.
    - \* 10 samples can be requested including particles.
  - Gas (gas sample extracted from the sample container at Woomera, Australia in Dec. 2020)
    - Select gas cylinder name (e.g., *NT1*), and required number of cylinders (45 mL stainless steel bottle).
    - \* No limitation on the number of samples for gas sample request.
    - \* Pressure inside the gas cylinder cannot be controlled, and the pressure will be reduced as you take gas samples repeatedly.
    - \* Detailed information about the initial gas sampling at Woomera is described in Miura et al. (2022) published in *Earth, Planets, and Space*.
  - Previously allocated sample (samples returned from the *Initial*

Analysis, Phase2 curation teams and previous AOs.)

When sample name (e.g., A0026-FIB001) is selected, then description of the sample is displayed next to the sample name.

- \* No limitation on the number of samples that you can request for previously allocated sample.
- Priority of requested samples You can change the order of priority by clicking arrow [↑] on the Priority column.

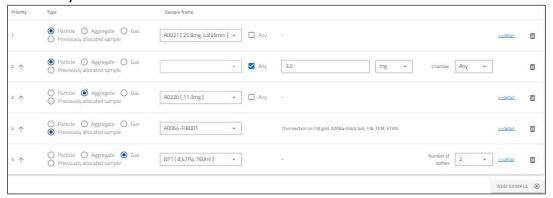


Figure 7. Sample request form

# <Proposal>

### - Attach proposal (a single PDF file)

You can upload your proposal file to the AO system. The file size must be less than 50 MB.



Figure 8. Attach proposal

### - Title, Abstract

Fill out the title and abstract of your proposal which is necessary information. The abstract should be no more than 200 words.



Figure 9. Title and Abstract

### - Keywords, Analysis method

Select keywords and analytical methods used in your proposal. You can input up to 7 for both categories by clicking **[ADD KEYWORDS]/ [ADD ANALYSIS METHOD]**. If you plan to use more than 7 analytical methods, please select primary ones.



Figure 10. Keywords and Analysis Methods

# - Effects on samples after the analysis

Describe sample conditions (fixed with resin, cut and polished, heated, X-ray radiated, demagnetized, dissolved in chemical solvent, etc.) for both analyzed and residual samples. The section should be no more than 200 words.

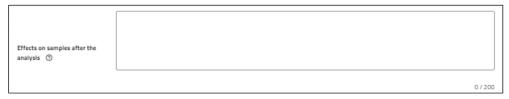


Figure 11. Effect on samples after the analysis

# - Handling Facility/Tools

Describe facilities (name of university and research laboratory) where the research will be conducted. Also describe sample handling tools (micro-manipulator, ultramicrotomy, etc.) and equipment (clean room, glove box, synchrotron, etc.) that you plan to use. This section should be no more than 200 words



Figure 12. Handling Facility/Tools

### - Transfer protocol of samples

Sample container for delivery
 Check the box if you like to use JAXA standard container for sample delivery. If not, please describe required container and/or procedure in "Remarks".

- Use of commercial delivery
   Check the box if you like to deliver the sample using a commercial delivery service (e.g., FedEx express). If you consider to visit JAXA curation and hand-carry the sample, please indicate so in "Remarks".
- Remarks

Describe in the "Remarks" section if you have any request regarding sample delivery. Remarks should be no more than 200 words.

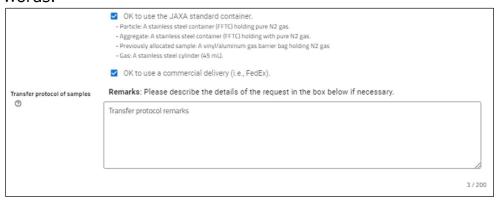


Figure 13. Transfer protocol of samples

### <SAVE>

- Click [SAVE] to save the information you filled out in this page.
   You need to fill out at least "Title" and "Abstract" of your proposal before saving.
- Confirm the message "Updated" is displayed, which indicates the information is successfully saved.

Submission of your proposal is **NOT completed** yet with [SAVE] button. You need to click **[Submit]** on the [MY PROPOSAL] page to complete your submission (see below, Figure 14).



Figure 14. Saving proposal information (submission not completed yet on this action!)

4) Go to [MY PROPOSAL] page and click [SUBMIT] to submit your proposal to the AO system. You will receive the automated confirmation email about completing the submission. If you have not received the email, please go back to [MY PROPOSAL] page

# to make sure to press [SUBMIT] button.

\* If you submitted your proposal in the middle of writing or would like to amend your proposal after the submission, you can do so by clicking [EDIT] first to edit your proposal, and click [SUBMIT] to submit your proposal again. Clicking [SUBMIT] will overwrite your previously submitted application. After the re-submission, please make sure to check if you receive a confirmation email for your new submission from the AO system.

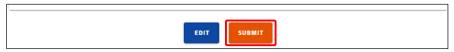


Figure 15. Proposal submission in [MY PROPOSAL] page