Mitsubishi UFJ Morgan Stanley Securities Co., Ltd.

Announcement of the opening of JIVL (a Startup Acceleration Program) 2nd Cohort application

Mitsubishi UFJ Morgan Stanley Securities Co., Ltd. (President & CEO: Makoto Kobayashi, "MUMSS") today announced that MUMSS has started 2nd Cohort application of the startup support program "Japan Inclusive Ventures Lab" (JIVL). More details of the program and application information are available on the webpage.

http://www.morganstanley.co.jp/en/jivl

The application period will be opened until April 21 at 12:00 PM.

The JIVL is dedicated to promoting Japanese start-ups founded by, or with C-suite representation from, women or diverse backgrounds, and MUMSS aims to help start-ups target the global market from an early stage, by providing a program with customized curriculum focused on the following three missions.

- (i) Foster a world-class startup ecosystem in Japan
- (ii) Support positive social change and address ESG issues
- (iii) Contribute to Japan's sustainable growth

Through initiatives like JIVL, MUMSS will continue to work on solving social issues.

