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Gifu University Fair 2014

Gifu University Fair 2014 was held on Friday, October 31 and Saturday, November 1.

The Fair has been held every year since 2009 with the aim of introducing education, research and social contribution activities of Gifu University to the public.

This year, it was held under the theme of “Learning, Exploring and Contributing at Gifu University—Creating Local Knowledge Bases.” The University’s aggressive PR activities to particularly local residents resulted in attracting roughly 950 visitors in these two days.

In addition to the special lecture held by the Gifu University Association for Community Activities and Collaboration and the 27th Gifu Symposium, the Fair included a variety of programs: poster presentations of education and research, exhibition of panels introducing the distinctive fields of each faculty and giving the entrance examination information of five faculties/school (Faculty of Education/Faculty of Regional Studies/School of Medicine/Faculty of Engineering/Faculty of Applied Biological Sciences). Visitors asked a lot of questions about the poster presentation and panels.

Other enjoyable programs for people of all ages such as experiment classes which were open to elementary school students or older and the sale of agricultural produce grown in the Gifu Field Science Center were also held during the Fair.



Panel Exhibition

Opening Ceremony for Japanese Language & Culture Studies Course, Japanese Society & Culture Program, and Japanese Language Course (Intensive Course)

Gifu University International Student Center held the opening ceremony for Japanese Language & Culture Studies Course, Japanese Society & Culture Program, and Japanese Language Course on Friday, October 10.

The Japanese Language & Culture Studies Course, which is a one-year course, is designed for Japanese Government Scholarship recipients (Embassy Recommendation, University Recommendation) and exchange students from sister universities to study Japanese language and culture.

The Japanese Society and Culture Program is introduced for students from sister universities who wish to acquire a profound knowledge of Japanese society and culture. The International Student Center also offers the Japanese Language Course (Intensive Course), which is a 15-week intensive Japanese language course, for Japanese Government Scholarship recipients, graduate, research and exchange students.

A total of 39 international students attended the ceremony, and the students from each course spoke how they decided to come to Japan and expressed their strong will to study hard. The ceremony was filled with the excitement.

At the end of the ceremony, Dr. Toyohide Takeuchi, Director of International Student Center, gave a brief introduction of the Center and encouraged students to learn a lot and enjoy their campus life while looking after their own health.



Photo session

UGSAS-GU Open Lecture “Considering the Effects of Global Warming”

Gifu University United Graduate School of Agricultural Science (UGSAS) held “UGSAS-GU Open Lecture –Considering the Effects of Global Warming–” for the general public at a cram school building near JR Gifu Station on Saturday, October 18 (Participating Universities: Gifu University, Shizuoka University).

The lectures about high temperature-induced floret sterility in rice and the effects on the ecosystem of a lake and forest were open to anyone who is interested in environment. The aim of the lecture is to emphasize the importance of scientifically understanding the impact of global warming on agricultural production environment and natural ecological environment. This UGSAS-GU Open Lecture was also part of publicity activities of the UGSAS.

Following a speech from Prof. Masateru Senge, the Dean of the UGSAS, each presentation titled “The Effects of Global Warming on the Quality and Sterility of Rice and the Countermeasures” (Gifu University Prof. Tsutomu Matsui), “Global Warming and Lake Ecosystem” (Gifu University Assistant Prof. Kohei Yoshiyama) and “Forestry Ecosystem Change Caused by Global Warming and the Ecosystem Response” (Shizuoka University Associate Prof. Masaaki Naramoto) was given. In the Q&A session after presentations, participants asked many questions regarding the effect on the quality of rice, the influence of acid rain, and the impact of 3 to 4 degrees Celsius rise in temperature on vegetation distribution. 30 participants including 22 residents and 8 students listened to the lecture attentively.

According to the result of the questionnaire survey conducted after the lectures, there are many people interested in signing up for an UGSAS-GU Open Lecture on environmental matters next year, and the survey result clearly showed global warming has been receiving much attention from the public.



Shizuoka University Associate Prof. Masaaki Naramoto gives a lecture



Gifu University Prof. Tsutomu Matsui answers questions from participants

[Medical Education Development Center (MEDC)] The 54th Medical Education Seminar and Workshop in Kyushu University

“The 54th Medical Education Seminar and Workshop in Kyushu University” was held at Centennial Hall, Kyushu University on October 18th and 19th. It was a co-hosted event by Medical Education Development Center (MEDC) and Department of Medical Education, Faculty of Medical Sciences, Kyushu University.

9 workshops and 1 seminar were held, and a total of 190 participants and lecturers from other universities in the country attended the event. In each workshop, they participated eagerly in discussion, expanded their knowledge, obtained information and deepened exchanges. At the seminar, Prof. Motofumi Yoshida (Kyushu University) spoke under the theme of “Copyright and Digital Resources in Education.”

MEDC holds the Medical Education Seminar and Workshop four times a year for the purpose of contributing to popularization, development and improvement of medical education in Japan as the Collaboration Center for Medical Education.



Medical Education Seminar and Workshop

The 4th press conference by Gifu University President

The 4th press conference by Gifu University President was held on Monday, October 20, 2014.

In association with "Future Visions from the 3rd Period Onward," Gifu University President Hisataka Moriwaki presented an overview of “Gifu University team’s participation in the International Genetically Engineered Machine (iGEM) Competition,” “Nano porous fiber produced by crazing processing that is the only technology in the world” and “Conclusion of an agreement on composite materials between the Centers in the Tokai and Hokuriku region” at the press conference.

Following the presentation by President, each person in charge provided detailed information. Many questions regarding the research project for iGEM, students’ zeal for the iGEM competition and industry-government-academia collaboration were asked by reporters, and it became an opportunity to actively introduce the news of Gifu University.



The student delivers a presentation



Associate Prof. Takeno introduces the product
manufactured with technology

Announcements at the 4th press conference are as follows:

- President Hisataka Moriwaki
Overview of "Future Visions from the 3rd Period Onward"
- Associate Prof. Iwamoto (Faculty of Applied Biological Sciences)
Gifu University team’s participation in a worldwide synthetic biology competition, “The International Genetically Engineered Machine (iGEM) Competition”
- Associate Prof. Takeno (Faculty of Engineering)
Nano porous fiber produced by crazing processing that is the only technology in the world

- Prof. Takushi Miyake, Director of the Composite Materials Center, Organization for Research & Community Development

Conclusion of an agreement on composite materials between the Centers in the Tokai and Hokuriku region

Life-Saving Lecture Class

Gifu University held life-saving lecture classes with the cooperation of Gifu Kita Fire Station Kurono Branch. This class is designed to learn about basic life support such as CPR (CardioPulmonary Resuscitation) and the use of AED (Automatic External Defibrillator) and also to acquire the knowledge and skills necessary to give first aid in emergency until the ambulance arrives. This time, class attendees watched the video of an actual case and learned the importance of basic life support. They received CPR training under the guidance of the emergency life-saving technician and asked a lot of questions in the class. The students even had an opportunity to learn about removal of foreign body and hemostatic technique. The venue and the number of people attended for each class are as follows.

Class	Contents	Date & Time	Venue	Number of People Attended
1	Basic Life-Saving Lecture I	Friday, October 24 1 pm to 4 pm	Meeting Room 6, University Hall	41
2	Basic Life-Saving Lecture I	Thursday, October 30 1 pm to 4 pm	Meeting Room 6, University Hall	26
3	Basic Life-Saving Lecture I	Thursday, November 20 1 pm to 4 pm	Meeting Room 6, University Hall	25



Learning how to perform CPR



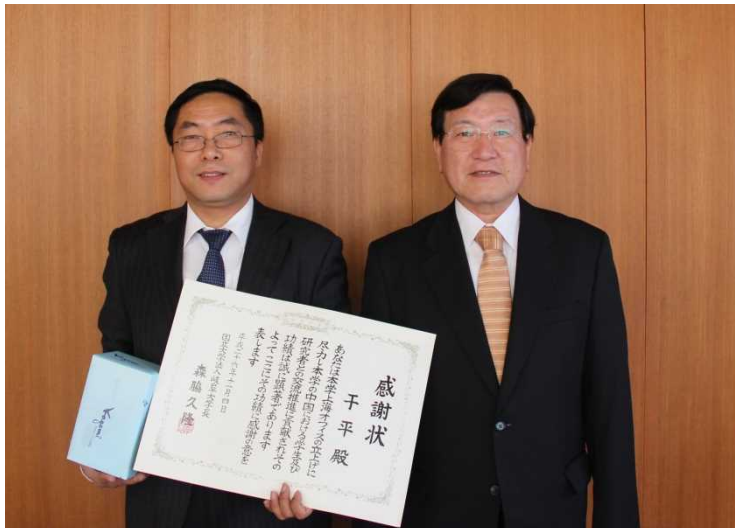
Class attendees listen carefully to the lecturer

Presentation of a Letter of Appreciation

On Tuesday, November 4, Gifu University presented a letter of appreciation and a gift to Dr. Yu Ping and Mr. Shigezo Suzuki, President CEO of Contig-i CO., LTD., who contributed to the improvement of education and research environment at the University.

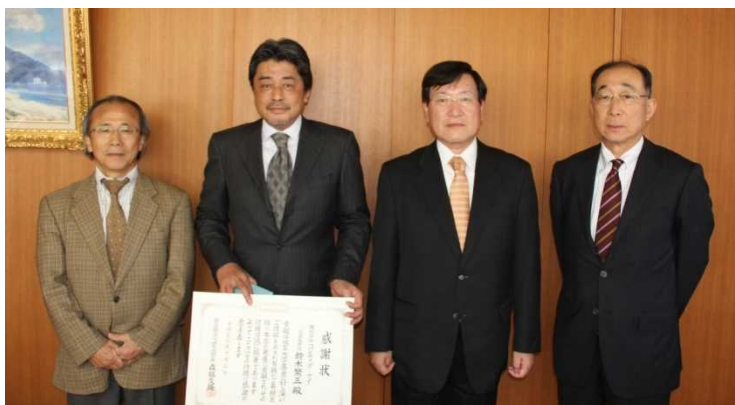
○Dr. Yu Ping

Dr. Yu Ping who is responsible for operational management of Gifu University Shanghai Office has supported the activities of the University in China and has contributed to the promotion of exchanges between Gifu University students and researchers, and those in China.



○Mr. Shigezo Suzuki, President CEO of Contig-i CO., LTD.

Mr. Suzuki showed understanding over Gifu University Fund and made a great contribution to the development of the University by generous donation.



International Week in the Fall 2014

The Office for Academic Globalization held the following events during the "International Week in the Fall 2014" from November 4th to 17th, 2014 in order to raise awareness of international affairs among the students, the faculty and the administrative staff of Gifu University.

1. Poster Session (November 4th to 17th, 2014)

As a part of the International Week in the Fall 2014, the Poster Session was held at the Entrance Hall of the University Library from November 4th to 17th, 2014. The purposes of this Session are to provide the latest information of overseas sister universities and to introduce home countries of international students currently studying at Gifu University. Posters and booklets of the sister universities, Gifu University students' experiences of studying abroad as well as summer school programs sponsored by Gifu University were posted on the multiple boards in the hope that they would help the students get familiarized with studying overseas. International students from four countries, Russia, Sri Lanka, Laos and Guatemala volunteered to prepare for the photos of beautiful landscapes, comments on local lives and delicacies of their countries, which attracted a lot of attentions of the visitors.



Posters and booklets are on display



Visitors are watching the boards

2. Lecture by International Alumni (November 4th, 2014)

The Lecture by International Alumni was held at the Faculty of Regional Studies, Gifu University on Friday, November 4th. The invited two international alumni of Gifu University, gave lectures and made presentations. First, Dr. Yu Ping from China, who graduated from the Graduate School of Engineering of Gifu University, and currently the President of his own company, Fuaying Software Incorporated Shanghai, made a

presentation. He also serves as the Secretary of the Gifu University Alumni Association in China. Second, Dr. M. Nasir Uddin from Bangladesh, who graduated from the United Graduate School of Agricultural Science of Gifu University and is presently Assistant Professor of the Texas A & M Health Science Center in the United States of America, delivered a speech. In his presentation, Dr. Yu Ping introduced various PR activities for Gifu University through the Gifu University Alumni Association and the Gifu University Shanghai Office. He also gave some useful pieces of advice about life in Japan to the international students. Dr. Uddin introduced his fields of research, first in his alma mater, Dhaka University, Bangladesh, and Gifu University, and finally the Texas A & M Health Center. Throughout their lectures, the two strongly recommended study of Japanese to the international students and the participants. After the lectures, the participants asked many questions to Dr. Yu Ping and Dr. Uddin and the two were given positive feedback from the participants, as well.



Dr. Yu Ping's Presentation



Dr. M. Nasir Uddin's Presentation



Q & A Session

3. Meeting between International Students, Researchers and Board Members hosted by the President (November 5th, 2014)

The Meeting between International Students, Researchers and Board Members was held with Hisataka Moriwaki, President of Gifu University as a host in an aim to form close connections among President, board members, deans, directors, international students and researchers of Gifu University. All of the participants including their families enjoyed this informal get-together held at the Dining Hall No.2 within the university campus. The photo shown below was taken in front of the hall just prior to the opening of the meeting. Dr. Toyohide Takeuchi, Associate Director of the Office for Academic Globalization kindly served as master of ceremonies of this meeting. After the President's opening remarks, Dr. Takeuchi introduced the board members and the two international alumni of Gifu University to the participants. Dr. Yu Ping and Dr. Nasir Uddin, both of whom have already built successful careers after graduating from Gifu University, gave lectures to the international students currently studying at Gifu University the previous day. After a series of addresses and introductions, Dr. Fumiaki Suzuki, Director of the Office for Academic Globalization proposed a toast for the meeting. Approximately 130 people attended the meeting and all of them fully enjoyed lively talks and taking pictures with the board members, etc. With a great turnout, the meeting was a huge success.



Photo Session



President Moriwaki's Opening Remarks



Participants are enjoying food



Talking with the President (second from left)



Photo Session with the President
(center in the back row)

4. Special Lounge (November 6th, 2014)

As a special version of English Lounge being held twice a month, the Special Lounge was held during the International Week in the Fall of 2014 after a successful first Special Lounge also held during the International Week in the Fall of 2013. In addition to the three languages, Japanese, French and Korean selected last year, Chinese was added this year. Around 40 participants were divided into four groups, given a chance to study basic French, Korean, Chinese or Japanese in free conversation style.

Although the time was limited (40 minutes), participants made many positive comments on the lounge such as "It was very enjoyable", "This is the first time for me to study French, but I enjoyed it very much", "Very effective way to share views and cultural exchange between international and Japanese students," and "The lounge is really helpful for me to study Japanese and to talk with Japanese people."

After the session, all the participants said they would like to take part in the next lounge and some of them proposed other new languages for the future lounge.

Many of the participants stayed longer to enjoy free conversations and took group photos with the international students who served as teaching staff for the lounge.



Japanese Group



French Group



Chinese Group



Korean Group

5. Network Meeting with the Local Companies (November 12th , 2014)

The Network Meeting with the Local Companies between Gifu University international students and the local companies was held at the Dining Hall 2 within the university campus on November 12th, 2014. In order to provide international students with opportunities to know local companies, the meeting was held with support of Gifu Shinkin Bank Ltd. Presidents, board members and recruiting personnel from 15 local companies made short presentations about their business operations at home and abroad. At the reception held after the presentations, about 70 international and Japanese students had a chance to browse through the company booths. They intently listened to the explanations given directly from the company officials in the hope that they could build a business career of their choice in the future.



Presentation by local companies



Participants talk with the company officials

6. Potluck Party (November 14th, 2014)

As a special version of the regular "English Lounge," the potluck parties have been held once a year since 2010. The parties offer a great opportunity for the participants to know and taste world cuisines and cultures through communication in English. About 40 participants including international students, Japanese students, staff members and their families from multiple countries gathered with foods of their home countries. Everyone seemed to have great time enjoying unique world cuisines including Bangladeshi, Malaysian and British dishes as well as Japanese homemade cooking and "matcha" (Japanese green tea). After self-introduction, the participants kept on chatting, tasting foods and playing games in a very relaxed manner.



Group Photo



Enjoy chatting and tasting foods

Additionally the following events were held during the International Week in the Fall 2014.

- Open Seminar by International Researcher held at the Joint Seminar Room, 6F of the United Graduate School Building on November 7th (Fri) The number of participants: 28
- English Lounge held at the Learning Commons, 2F of the University Library on November 10th (Mon) The number of participants: 30
- World Cuisine Fair at the Dining Hall No.1 & No.2 from November 10th (Mon) to November 14th (Fri)

The feedback of every event and activity is quite positive and the International Week in the Fall 2014 ended on a high note. The International Week is held every year as a campus-wide event to heighten the interests of the students, the faculty and the administration staff of Gifu University in international affairs and globalization.

The 42nd Gifu University Forum “Environmental University Forum”

Gifu University held the 42nd Gifu University Forum “Environmental University Forum” at Multipurpose Room in the General Education Building on Wednesday, November 5. The University has designated November as Environment Month that is when Gifu University declared itself an Environmental University and holds this forum every year. This year, Mr. Tetsuo Nawa, Director of Nawa Insect Museum and also a graduate of Gifu University Graduate School, gave a lecture and 127 people from within and outside of the University attended.

After the opening address of the forum by Mr. Yokoyama, Executive Director for General Affairs & Finance, Mr. Nawa delivered a lecture titled “Insects and Environment: Learning about Nature through Insects.” Based on his personal experience that made him interested in insect collecting, he spoke about the importance of learning the surrounding environment and understanding the natural circulation flow by examining insects that form the basis of the animal kingdom. During the lecture, Mr. Nawa entertained the participants in various ways such as introducing specimens of *Luehdorfia japonica* and *Nephila pilipes*, a demonstration of insect collecting techniques and a fun trivia game. Even after the forum finished, some participants remained to look at specimens of insect species and exchange opinions.

Gifu University will continue to make efforts to advance environmental measures.



Executive Director Yokoyama delivers
an opening address



Mr. Nawa speaks at Gifu University

**Extension Course offered by the Faculty of Applied Biological Sciences:
“Experienced-Based Science Education Program for Junior High School Students”**

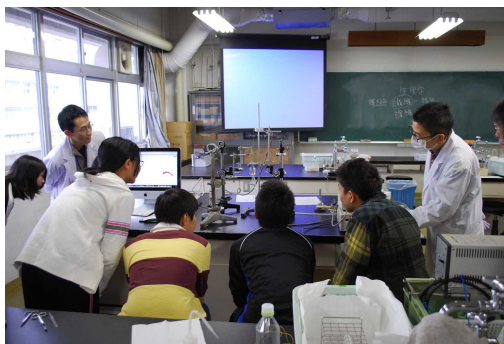
Gifu University Faculty of Applied Biological Sciences held an extension course “Experienced-Based Science Education Program for Junior High School Students” on Saturday, November 8. The purpose of this program is to develop their interest in science through experienced-based learning in the biological area.

A total of 30 people including 21 junior high school students and 9 parents in the Tokai Region participated. The participants chose one from 3 courses of “Look into the micro-world” (Course of Applied Life Science), “Secrets about the color of egg yolk –Let’s observe its color” (Course of Agricultural & Environmental Science) and “Mechanisms of Muscle Contraction” (Joint Department of Veterinary Medicine). Under the guidance of the teaching staff, they made observations for cell, DNA extraction, separation of pigments and muscle contraction, and asked questions about the mysteries or wonders of phenomena occurred before their eyes.

Some of the participants also joined a cafeteria tour that they can have lunch in the University cafeteria on the day and enjoyed experiencing a part of campus life.



Opening Remarks



Participants observing muscle contraction

The 5th press conference by Gifu University President

The 5th press conference by Gifu University President was held on Tuesday, November 18, 2014.

In association with "Future Visions from the 3rd Period Onward," Gifu University President Hisataka Moriwaki presented an overview of “Gifu University Global Environment & Energy Course (GU-GLEE) and International Exchange” (Faculty of Engineering), “MEDC Symposium 2014 ‘Nurturing Healthcare Professionals in Local Community’” and “the opening of Lab-Station of IC-GU12*, a new collaborative research laboratory, in Indonesia and the ‘UGSAS-GU International Workshop in Bogor 2014’” (United Graduate School of Agricultural Science) at the press conference.

Following the presentation by President, each person in charge provided detailed information. In Q&A session, many questions were asked by reporters, and it became an opportunity to actively introduce the news of Gifu University.

*IC-GU12: "International Consortium of Universities in South and Southeast Asia for the Doctoral Education in Agricultural Science and Biotechnology" which was created under the initiative of Gifu University.



President Moriwaki presenting an overview of
“Future Visions from the 3rd Period Onward”

Announcements at the 5th press conference are as follows:

- **President Hisataka Moriwaki**
Overview of "Future Visions from the 3rd Period Onward"
- **Dr. Koketsu, Associate Dean of the Faculty of Engineering**
Gifu University Global Environment & Energy Course (GU-GLEE) and International Exchange

- **Dr. Suzuki, Director of Medical Education Development Center (MEDC)**
MEDC Symposium 2014 “Nurturing Healthcare Professionals in Local Community”
- **Prof. Tohru Mitsunaga, Advisor to the Dean of the United Graduate School of Agricultural Science**
The opening of Lab-Station of IC-GU12, a new collaborative research laboratory, in Indonesia and holding the “UGSAS-GU International Workshop in Bogor 2014” that includes speeches and internship report

The 10th Anniversary Events Commemorating the Relocation of Gifu University School of Medicine and University Hospital

On Saturday, November 22, the Gifu University School of Medicine and the University Hospital held the 10th anniversary events commemorating its relocation. It has been 10 years since the School of Medicine and the University Hospital relocated from Tsukasa-machi area of Gifu City to the current location, Yanagido area.

1. Homecoming Day

Homecoming Day, which is part of the anniversary events, was held with the aim to bring Gifu University alumni, current students, faculty and administrative staff all together to trace the history of these past 10 years and deepen interchange. Roughly 70 people attended the event.

After the welcome address by Dr. Seishima who is the Dean of the School of Medicine, Mr. Takanobu Matsunaga, former Dean of the School of Medicine, said in his speech that he was overwhelmed by a flood of various emotions when a long-cherished wish, that is relocation, was realized.

Following the speech, current and previous Directors of the University Hospital (current Director Ogura, former Director Iwama, former Director and current University President Moriwaki) had a round table discussion about the progress after the relocation of the University Hospital, hardships in the Hospital management they went through and the future outlook of the Hospital. Former Director Kitajima who could not be there sent a video message to the event attendees. It became a great opportunity to introduce the activities of the University Hospital.

At the tea party-style session titled “Let’s talk with the University alumni,” Dr. Murakami, Director of the Center for Regional Medicine, gave an explanation about the approaches to regional medicine and the rich curriculum for medical education both before and after graduation. Later in the event, the first students admitted for medically underserved areas who graduated this year spoke about their clinical training, gave advice to current Gifu University students and exchanged opinions. In the speech made by Mr. Yoshinori Kubota, Deputy Director-General of the Department of Health and Welfare (Gifu Prefecture), he showed the expectation for the first students admitted for medically underserved areas.

At the end of the Homecoming Day, Mr. Aoki, President of the Alumni Association of the School of Medicine, expressed the intention to support more research activities at Gifu University in his speech.

Positive feedback was given from the attendees after the event such as “I was impressed with the faculty’s effort to nurture medical professionals with broad perspective. I feel proud of being a graduate of the Gifu University School of Medicine.”



Mr. Matsunaga delivers a speech



Current and former Directors of the University Hospital have a round table discussion

2. The 10th Anniversary Ceremony Commemorating the Relocation of Gifu University School of Medicine and University Hospital

Following the Homecoming Day, the 10th Anniversary Ceremony was held. The attendees of the Council for Related Hospitals of Gifu University also joined and roughly 100 people attended the ceremony.

In his address, Dr. Seishima expressed his appreciation to people who engaged in the relocation and pleasure it marked 10 years since they relocated. He also anticipates that this ceremony will be a point to take a leap into the bright future, 20 or even 50 years from now.

Gifu University President Hisataka Moriwaki made a speech and expressed expectations for the School of Medicine and the University Hospital after speaking about the history of the School and the Hospital, the current status and future prospect of Gifu University.

Next, Mr. Yasuhiko Kawade, Deputy Chairman of Gifu Pref. Medical Association, Mr. Hiroyuki Mabuchi, Chairman of Gifu City Medical Association, and Mr. Yoshihiro Ishihara, Director-General of the Department of Health and Welfare (Gifu Prefecture), made congratulatory speeches.

A commemorative speech titled “Cross-Validation in Medicine” was also made by Prof. Masashi Fukayama of the Department of Pathology, Graduate School of Medicine, the University of Tokyo, who also serves as the Chairman of the Japanese Society of Pathology. During the lecture, Prof. Fukayama described the example of pathological autopsies and said that in addition to the enhancement of cross-validation function in

medicine, winning public trust and understanding of efforts by the medical-services community is important. Attendees listened attentively to the speech.

At the end of the ceremony, University Hospital Director Ogura said in his speech that the University Hospital, as a special function hospital, will continue to work toward nurturing medical doctors who understand patients well.



Dr. Seishima, Dean of the School Medicine, gives an address



Prof. Masashi Fukayama delivers a commemorative speech



University Hospital Director Ogura gives an address of gratitude

3 International Students of Gifu University Participated in the 13th Japanese Language Speech Contest for International Students in Gifu

The 13th Japanese Language Speech Contest for International Students in Gifu was held at Gifu University Satellite Campus on Sunday, November 30. 3 international students of Gifu University, Ms. Aydayeva Zarifa, Ms. Kavindra Gayangi Jayasekara (Japanese Language & Culture Studies Course, International Student Center) and Mr. Hoang Ngoc Khanh (the 1st year-student of the Graduate School of Engineering) participated in the speech contest.

This speech contest has been held since 2001 by Gifu Regional Council for Foreign Student Exchange Promotion (Secretariat: Gifu University) with support from Gifu International Center.

After opening remarks by Chubu Gakuin University & College President Yoshinori Furuta who is a chairman of the contest executive committee, 12 students from 5 universities in Gifu Prefecture made a 7-minute speech in Japanese under either theme of “Things I learned during my stay in Japan” or “Introduction of my home country.”

At the contest, Ms. Aydayeva Zarifa from Gifu University who spoke about her country, Azerbaijan, accepted an Encouragement Prize. Each prize winner received a certificate of merit and extra prize from Gifu University President Hisataka Moriwaki, who is also a chairman of the Gifu Regional Council for Foreign Student Exchange Promotion.

Encouragement Prize: Ms. Aydayeva Zarifa, Gifu University
“Introduction of Azerbaijan”



Speech Contest Participants from Gifu University (From left: Mr. Khanh, Ms. Jayasekara, Ms. Zarifa)

Degree Awarding

Degree	Diploma Number	Name	Date of Degree Awarded	Title of Doctoral Dissertation
Ph.D. in Medical Sciences	No. Otsu-1477	TANAKA, Hidekazu	November 19, 2014	Impact of respiratory motion on breast tangential radiotherapy using the field-in-field technique compared to irradiation using physical wedges

Foreign Researchers Accepted by Gifu University

Faculty	Name (Country)	University	Period	Research Title
Faculty of Applied Biological Sciences	K.M.A Tareq (Bangladesh)	Assistant Controller of Examination, Patuakhali Science and Technology University	From Oct. 1, 2014 to Mar. 31, 2015	Studies on the fertilizing function of mammalian spermatozoa
Faculty of Engineering	PIAO Guilin (China)	Professor, Nanjing Normal University	From Oct. 1, 2014 to Mar. 31, 2015	Development of Carbon Free Society – Study for the New Energy System with Carbon Capture –

Foreign Researchers Accepted by Gifu University

Faculty	Name (Country)	University	Period	Research Title
Faculty of Engineering	MORINA ADFA (Indonesia)	Assistant Professor, University of Bengkulu	From Nov. 10, 2014 to Feb. 7, 2015	Study of insecticidal activity of Indonesian mahogany <i>Toona sinensis</i> against termite
Faculty of Engineering	FREDERICO DE CARVALHO (East Timor)	Lecturer, National University of Timor-Leste	From Nov. 17, 2014 to Jan. 16, 2015	Characteristics Cloud-Ground Discharge at Hera area, District of Dili, in Timor-Leste
Faculty of Applied Biological Sciences	Walid Sobhy Kotb Abdo (Egypt)	Assistant Lecturer, Kafr EL-Sheikh University	From Nov. 1, 2014 to Apr. 30, 2015	Pathological study on toxicity of chemicals

Guidelines for Applicants for Gifu University General Admission 2015 (First Term Schedule)

I Number of Students to be Admitted

Number of Students to be Admitted				
Faculty	Training Course/Course		Admission Quota	
Faculty of Education	Training Course for School Teachers	National Language Education	19	
		Social Studies Education	28	
		Mathematics Education	16	
		Science Education	20	
		Music Education	8	
		Art Education	6	
		Health & Physical Education	7	
		Technology Education	6	
		Home Economics Education	8	
		English Education	14	
		School Education	Psychology	10
			Fundamentals of Education	7
	Subtotal		149	
	Training Course for Teachers at Special Needs School		15	
Total		164		

Faculty	Department	Admission Quota
Faculty of Regional Studies	Policy Studies	60
	Cultural Studies	

Faculty	Course	Admission Quota
School of Medicine	Medical Course	32
	Nursing Course	47
Total		79

Faculty	Department/Course		Admission Quota
Faculty of Engineering	Civil Engineering	Environmental Studies	13
		Disaster Reduction Studies	13
	Mechanical Engineering	Mechanical Engineering	37
		Intelligent Mechanical Engineering	23
	Chemistry & Biomolecular Science	Materials	39
		Biomolecular Science	30
	Electrical, Electronic & Computer Engineering	Electrical & Electronic	34
		Informatics	32
		Applied Physics	11
	Total		232

Faculty	Course/Department	Admission Quota
Faculty of Applied Biological Sciences	Course of Applied Life Science	54
	Course of Agricultural & Environmental	50
	Joint Department of Veterinary Medicine	26
	Total	130

II Period of Application

Faculty	Period
Faculty of Education	Monday, January 26, 2015 - Wednesday, February 4, 2015
Faculty of Regional Studies	
School of Medicine	
Faculty of Engineering	
Faculty of Applied Biological Sciences	

III Date of Examinations

Faculty	Date
Faculty of Education	Wednesday, February 25, 2015
	Thursday, February 26, 2015
Faculty of Regional Studies	Wednesday, February 25, 2015
School of Medicine (Medical Course)	Wednesday, February 25, 2015
	Thursday, February 26, 2015
School of Medicine (Nursing Course)	Wednesday, February 25, 2015
Faculty of Engineering	
Faculty of Applied Biological Sciences	

IV Announcement of Successful Candidates

Faculty	Date
Faculty of Education	12:00 Friday, March 6, 2015
Faculty of Regional Studies	
School of Medicine	
Faculty of Engineering	
Faculty of Applied Biological Sciences	

Guidelines for Applicants for Gifu University General Admission 2015 (Second Term Schedule)

I Number of Students to be Admitted

Number of Students to be Admitted				
Faculty	Training Course/Course		Admission Quota	
Faculty of Education	Training Course for School Teachers	National Language Education	5	
		Mathematics Education	8	
		Science Education	16	
		Music Education	4	
		Health & Physical Education	7	
		Technology Education	4	
		Home Economics Education	4	
		English Education	10	
		School Education	Psycholog y	5
			Fundame ntals of Education	4
	Subtotal		67	
Training Course for Teachers at Special Needs School		5		
Total			72	

Faculty	Department	Admission Quota
Faculty of Regional Studies	Policy Studies	21
	Cultural Studies	

Faculty	Course	Admission Quota
School of Medicine	Medical Course	35
	Nursing Course	20
Total		55

Faculty	Department/Course		Admission Quota
Faculty of Engineering	Civil Engineering	Environmental Studies	14
		Disaster Reduction Studies	14
	Mechanical Engineering	Mechanical Engineering	37
		Intelligent Mechanical Engineering	23
	Chemistry & Biomolecular Science	Materials Chemistry	39
		Biomolecular Science	30
	Electrical, Electronic & Computer Engineering	Electrical & Electronic	35
		Informatics	32
		Applied Physics	11
	Total		235

Faculty	Course/Department	Admission Quota
Faculty of Applied Biological Sciences	Course of Applied Life	10
	Course of Agricultural & Environmental Science	10
	Total	20

II Period of Application

Faculty	Period
Faculty of Education	Monday, January 26, 2015 - Wednesday, February 4, 2015
Faculty of Regional Studies	
School of Medicine	
Faculty of Engineering	
Faculty of Applied Biological Sciences	

III Date of Examinations

Faculty	Date
Faculty of Education	Thursday, March 12, 2015
Faculty of Regional Studies	
School of Medicine (Medical Course)	Thursday, March 12, 2015
	Friday, March 13, 2015
School of Medicine (Nursing Course)	Thursday, March 12, 2015
Faculty of Engineering	
Faculty of Applied Biological Sciences	

IV Announcement of Successful Candidates

Faculty	Date
Faculty of Education	10:00 Saturday, March 21, 2015
Faculty of Regional Studies	
School of Medicine	
Faculty of Engineering	
Faculty of Applied Biological Sciences	

Guidelines for Applicants for Gifu University Special Admission on Recommendation II 2015

I Number of Students to be Admitted

Number of Students to be Admitted				
Faculty	Training Course	Course		Admission Quota
Faculty of Education	Training Course for School Teachers	Social Studies Education	History	2
			Geography	2
			Contemporary Social Studies	4
		Art Education		4
		Health & Physical Education		2
Total				14

Faculty	Department	Admission Quota
Faculty of Regional Studies	Policy Studies	10
	Cultural Studies	

Faculty	Course	Admission Quota	
		General Recommendation	Admission on Recommendation for Medically Underserved Areas
School of Medicine	Medical Course	15	28

Faculty	Department/Course		Admission Quota	
			Future Graduates of General Courses, Science and Mathematics	Future Graduates of Engineering Courses
Faculty of Engineering	Civil Engineering	Environmental Studies	2	1
		Disaster Reduction Studies	2	1
	Mechanical Engineering	Mechanical Engineering	5	1
		Intelligent Mechanical Engineering	3	1
	Chemistry & Biomolecular Science	Materials Chemistry	6	1
		Biomolecular Science	4	1
	Electrical, Electronic & Computer Engineering	Electrical & Electronic	5	1
		Informatics	5	1
		Applied Physics	2	1
	Total		34	9

Faculty	Course/Department	Admission Quota
Faculty of Applied Biological Sciences	Course of Applied Life Science	10
	Course of Agricultural & Environmental Science	10
	Joint Department of Veterinary	4
	Total	24

II Period of Application

Faculty	Period
Faculty of Education	Monday, December 15, 2014 - Wednesday, December 17, 2014
Faculty of Regional Studies	
Faculty of Engineering	
Faculty of Applied Biological Sciences	
School of Medicine (Medical Course)	Wednesday, January 21, 2015 - Friday, January 23, 2015

III Date of Examinations

Faculty	Date
Faculty of Education	Saturday, January 24, 2015
Faculty of Regional Studies	
School of Medicine (Medical Course)	Wednesday, January 28, 2015 Backup date: Thursday, January 29, 2015
Faculty of Engineering	Saturday, January 24, 2015
Faculty of Applied Biological Sciences	Thursday, January 29, 2015
	Friday, January 30, 2015
	Backup date: Saturday, January 31, 2015

IV Announcement of Successful Candidates

Faculty	Date
Faculty of Education	10:00 Tuesday, February 10, 2015
Faculty of Regional Studies	
School of Medicine (Medical Course)	
Faculty of Engineering	
Faculty of Applied Biological Sciences	

Guidelines for Gifu University Special Admission 2015 for Privately-Financed International Applicants

I Number of Students to be Admitted

Faculty	Admission Quota
Faculty of Education	Some
Faculty of Regional Studies	Some
School of Medicine (Medical Course)	Some
School of Engineering	Some
Faculty of Applied Biological Sciences (Course of Applied Life Science, Course of Agricultural & Environmental Science)	Some

II Period of Application

Faculty	Period	
Faculty of Education	Tuesday, January 13, 2015	- Thursday, January 15, 2015
Faculty of Regional Studies	Wednesday, January 28, 2015	- Friday, January 30, 2015
School of Medicine (Medical Course)	Monday, January 26, 2015	- Wednesday, January 28, 2015
School of Engineering		
Faculty of Applied Biological Sciences (Course of Applied Life Science, Course of Agricultural & Environmental Science)	Wednesday, January 7, 2015	- Friday, January 9, 2015

III Date of Examinations

Faculty	Date
Faculty of Education	Friday, January 30, 2015
Faculty of Regional Studies	Friday, February 20, 2015
School of Medicine (Medical Course)	Wednesday, February 25, 2015
School of Engineering	Saturday, January 24, 2015

* No examination for the Faculty of Applied Biological Sciences due to Pre-Arrival Admission.

IV Announcement of Successful Candidates

Faculty	Date
Faculty of Education	12:00 Friday, March 6, 2015
Faculty of Regional Studies	
School of Medicine (Medical Course)	
School of Engineering	
Faculty of Applied Biological Sciences (Course of Applied Life Science, Course of Agricultural & Environmental Science)	10:00 Tuesday, February 10, 2015

Nursing Course in the School of Medicine, Gifu University Guidelines for Applicants for Third-year Transfer Admission 2015 (The Second Recruitment)

I Number of Students to be Admitted

Course	Admission Quota
Nursing	10

II Period of Application

Course	Period
Nursing	Monday, January 19, 2015 - Friday January 23, 2015

III Date of Examinations

Course	Date
Nursing	Wednesday, February 25, 2015

IV Announcement of Successful Candidates

Course	Date
Nursing	Friday, Noon, March 6, 2015

The Graduate School of Education, Gifu University (Master's Program) Guidelines for Applicants for Admission 2015 (The Second Recruitment)

I Number of Students to be Admitted

Major	Admission Quota
Major in Subject-Integrated Education (Science Course Technology Education, Arts & Physical Course Music Education, Curriculum Development Course)	Some

II Period of Application

Major	Period
Major in Subject-Integrated Education	Tuesday, January 13, 2015 - Friday, January 16, 2015

III Date of Examinations

Major	Date
Major in Subject-Integrated Education	Saturday, February 7, 2015

IV Announcement of Successful Candidates

Major	Date
Major in Subject-Integrated Education	10AM, Friday, March 6, 2015

The Graduate School of Regional Studies, Gifu University (Master's Program)

Guidelines for Applicants for Admission 2015 (The Second Recruitment)

I Number of Students to be Admitted

Major	General Admissions	Continuing Education	International Students
Regional Policy Studies	Some	Some	Some
Regional Culture Studies	Some	Some	Some

II Period of Application

Category	Period
General Admissions	Friday, December 19, 2014 - Thursday, December 25, 2014
Continuing Education	
Privately-Financed International Students	

III Date of Examinations

Category	Date
General Admissions	Saturday, January 31, 2015
Continuing Education	
Privately-Financed International Students	

IV Announcement of Successful Candidates

Category	Date
General Admissions	12:00, Friday, February 13, 2015
Continuing Education	
Privately-Financed International Students	

Nursing Sciences Major, the Graduate School of Medicine, Gifu University (Master's Program)

Guidelines for Applicants for Admission 2015 (The Second Recruitment)

I Number of Students to be Admitted

Major	Admission Quota
Nursing Sciences	Some

II Period of Application

Major	Period
Nursing Sciences	Monday, December 1, 2014 - Friday, December 5, 2014

III Date of Examinations

Major	Date
Nursing Sciences	Saturday, December 13, 2014

IV Announcement of Successful Candidates

Major	Date
Nursing Sciences	12:00 Friday, December 19, 2014

The Graduate School of Engineering, Gifu University (Master's Program) Guidelines for Applicants for Admission 2015 (The Second Recruitment)

I Number of Students to be Admitted

Division	General Admissions	Early University Entrance*	Continuing Education	International Students	Program for Adult Education
Civil Engineering	About 3 people	Some	Some	Some	2
Mechanical & Systems Engineering		Some		Some	2
Applied Chemistry		Some		Some	2
Electrical & Electronic Engineering	About 6 people	Some	Some	Some	2
Biomolecular Science		Some		Some	2
Information Science		Some		Some	2
Materials Science & Technology		Some		Some	2
Human & Information Systems		Some		Some	2
Mathematical & Design Engineering	About 8 people	Some	Some	Some	2
Environmental & Renewable Energy Systems	About 2 people	Some	Some	Some	2

*The formal name is "Special Admission for Third-Year Undergraduate Students."

II Period of Application

Category	Period
General Admissions	Monday, December 8, 2014 - Tuesday, December 9, 2014
Early University Entrance	
Continuing Education	
International Students	
Program for Adult Education	

III Date of Examinations

Category	Date
General Admissions	Monday, January 26 - Tuesday, January 27, 2015
Early University Entrance	
Continuing Education	Tuesday, January 27, 2015
International Students	Monday, January 26 - Tuesday, January 27, 2015
Program for Adult Education	

IV Announcement of Successful Candidates

Category	Date
General Admissions	12:00 Friday, February 6, 2015
Early University Entrance	
Continuing Education	
International Students	
Program for Adult Education	

The Graduate School of Engineering, Gifu University (Doctoral Program) Guidelines for Applicants for Admission 2015 (The Second Recruitment)

I Number of Students to be Admitted

Division	General Admissions	Continuing Education	International Students
Mechanical & Civil Engineering	About 3 people	Some	Some
Material Engineering	About 3 people	Some	Some
Electronics & Information Systems Engineering	About 3 people	Some	Some
Environmental & Renewable Energy Systems	About 13 people	Some	Some

II Period of Application

Category	Period
General Admissions	Monday, December 8, 2014 - Tuesday, December 9, 2014
Continuing Education	
International Students	

III Date of Examinations

Category	Date
General Admissions	Tuesday, January 27, 2015
Continuing Education	
International Students	

IV Announcement of Successful Candidates

Category	Date
General Admissions	12:00 Friday, February 6, 2015
Continuing Education	
International Students	

**The Graduate School of Applied Biological Sciences,
Gifu University (Master's Course)
Guidelines for Applicants for Admission 2015 (The Second Recruitment)**

I Number of Students to be Admitted

Division	General Admissions	Continuing Education	International Students
Applied Life Science	Some	Some	Some
Agricultural and Environmental Science	Some	Some	Some

II Period of Application

Category	Period
General Admissions	Monday, December 1, 2014 - Thursday, December 4, 2014
Continuing Education	
International Students	

III Date of Examinations

Category	Date
General Admissions	Thursday, December 25 & Friday, December 26, 2014
Continuing Education	
International Students	

IV Announcement of Successful Candidates

Category	Date
General Admissions	10:00, Monday, January 19, 2015
Continuing Education	
International Students	

The United Graduate School of Drug Discovery and Medical Information Sciences, Guidelines for Applicants for Admission 2015 (The Second Recruitment)

I Number of Students to be Admitted

Division	Admission Quota
Medical Sciences	Some
Medical Information Sciences	2

II Period of Application

Division	Period
Medical Sciences	Tuesday, January 13, 2015 - Friday, January 16, 2015
Medical Information Sciences	

III Date of Examinations

Division	Date
Medical Sciences	Thursday, January 29, 2015
Medical Information Sciences	

IV Announcement of Successful Candidates

Division	Date
Medical Sciences	10:00 Thursday, February 5, 2015
Medical Information Sciences	