

【Name of project】(Adopted year: FY2012, Category II)

Training a New Generation of Leaders in International Cooperation for the Development of the ASEAN Region

【Aim of project, Ideals for Global Human Resources on project】

To foster global leaders in international cooperation who understand both development aid and business, and have a knowledge of economy, law, politics, society, and the cultures of the ASEAN region and Japan.

【Summary of project】

To form a consortium among the member universities to develop a common curriculum in English. SEND will provide support for Japanese-language guidance and introduce the Japanese legal system and culture.

Forming University Networks with Quality Assurance

Construction of Mechanisms for Evaluation and Quality Assurance

The 2nd Quality Assurance Committee Meeting, which included external commissioners from UNCRD and other institutions was held for member universities to exchange information about and discuss credit transfer and grade management systems in each university.

Establishment of Credit transfer and Grade Management Systems

Member universities share a curriculum and syllabus, and academic staff of each university communicate each other. It is expected that credit transfer will be accomplished for most of the students who participated in exchanges during AY2013. We are in the process of adjusting common standards for grade management systems following the rules of UCTS.

High-Quality Teaching

At the 2nd Quality Assurance Committee Meeting, the member universities discussed assessment standards for comprehensive generic skills of students, such as 1. English proficiency, 2. intercultural knowledge competence, 3. fundamental competencies for working persons and 4. communication and, presentation capacity, as well as credit transfer and grade management. Criteria for 2. were created based on the American standard, VALUE Rubric. Criteria for 3. were developed based on the Japanese standards established by the Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry. All member universities have agreed to develop their own criteria reflecting the characteristics of their own ASEAN country

〈 The 2nd Campus ASEAN Quality Assurance Committee Meeting, March 13, 2014〉



〈Students' Forum AY2013〉



Program Contents, Preparation for the Start of the Programs

Fostering Human Resources through the Industry of Central Japan

The member universities have highly rated a program that includes corporate internship based around Nagoya, home of the largest-scale industry in Asia (Toyota Motor Corp., etc.). Three member universities have additionally asked to join the internship program in AY2014.

SEND (Student Exchange Nippon Discovery) Activities

The students who experienced the SEND short-term program were motivated to learn even more in the long-term program, which is exactly what we hoped for the Campus ASEAN project. The students who joined the SEND long-term outbound program achieved great results in their coursework and internships at host universities. They learned the local languages, which helped them to introduce Japanese culture and language.

Student Mobility

Outbound

In AY2013, 56 Japanese students were sent to member universities, which exceeded the original plan. The number of participants for the Field Work in Cambodia has also increased. The number of SEND-related students was 16.

Inbound

In AY2013, 26 students from the member universities were hosted by Nagoya University, though the planned number was 48. However, the number of participants in AY2014 will increase because of the fruitful internship program conducted in collaboration with industries.

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Outbound	11	56	52	52	52
Inbound	0	26	48	48	48

Note : FY2012, 2013 actual results, FY2014-2016 planned

Promotion of Student Mobility Environment

Preparation for Japanese Students

Nagoya University has offered 'Academic English' courses since AY2009. Program orientation and pre-training were held for the Japanese students in the SEND program in AY2012 and 2013. To improve the environment of information-sharing, Nagoya University Collaboration and course Tools (NUCT) and the Free Cloud service have been effectively utilized. These tools help establish student support systems, including risk management. Participants of both the Inbound and Outbound programs will increase this year thanks to the experiences of AY2013 students being shared at the Students' Forum.

Preparation for Students from Member Universities

Teaching Assistants will be assigned to help non-Japanese students with particular learning needs. Advice and counseling services are available on campus. Around 80 new student accommodations will be made available. The program secretariat is constantly exploring internship opportunities for participants in this Program.

Visualization of Education Content, Dissemination of Outcomes

International Symposium and Website

The 2nd Campus ASEAN Steering Committee Meeting and the Students' Forum were held at Nagoya University on March 13 in 2014 (AY2013). At the Forum, students gave presentations about their experiences, not only about coursework but also internships, volunteering and fieldwork. Through the Program, they learned local languages, enhanced their mutual understanding ability and presentation skills, and their achievements were shared with the participants of the Forum. The Program is being publicized using radio, the web site and Facebook. The Annual Report 2013 was published by Nagoya University to share detailed information on the Program.