FY2015 Re-Inventing Japan Project Tokyo University of Agriculture

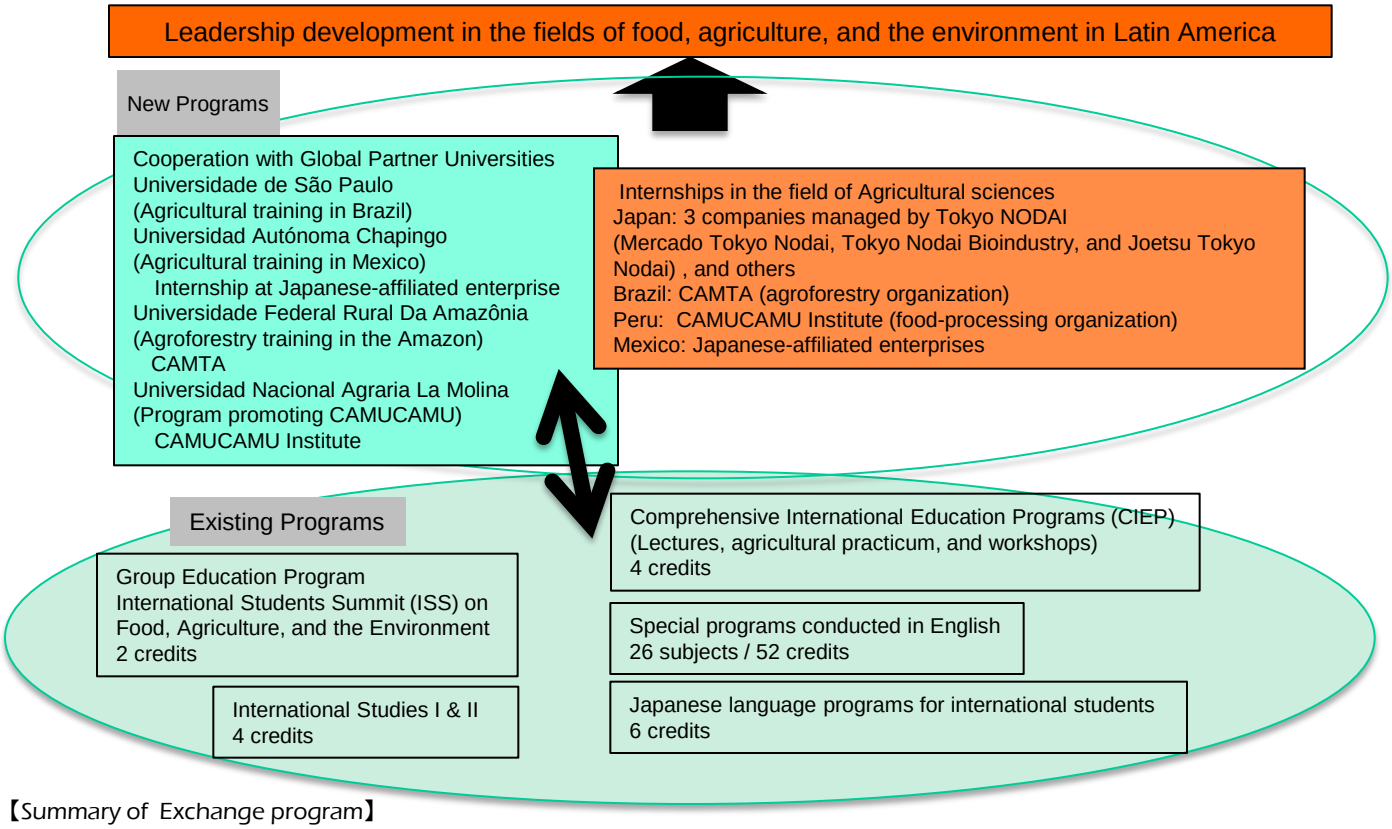
Support for the Formation of Collaborative Programs with Latin America and the Caribbean, Turkey

【Name of project】(Adopted year: FY2015, Country （Latin America)

Leadership development program in the field of food, agriculture, and the environment in Latin America through the practical science approach

【Summary of Project】

This project strengthens Tokyo NODAI's partnerships with agricultural universities in Latin America while developing global human resources that can play a vital role in the region by conducting general and practical education through agricultural internships in addition to existing exchange programs, thereby supporting students in finding employment at Japanese-affiliated enterprises working toward sustainable food production as well as the efforts of entrepreneurs in the fields of agriculture, forestry, and fisheries.



【Summary of Exchange program】

- NODAI students sent to 4 Global Partner Universities in Latin America
- Long-term (6 month to 1 year starting in August or September) or short-term (2 to 3 weeks in August or September)
- Long-term (6 month) or short-term (up to 1 month) internships with two agricultural organizations
- Students accepted from 4 Global Partner Universities in Latin America
- Long-term (6 month to 1 year), short-term (2 weeks)
- Long-term (at least 6 month) or short-term (up to 1 month) internships with companies managed by Tokyo NODAI involved in organic agriculture, food processing product development, and sales.

•【Global Human Resource on the project】

The project aims to develop practical specialists in the field of food, agriculture in Latin America as well as environment field related to sustainable food production through study at Global Partner Universities and agricultural internship programs. Tokyo NODAI also fosters intercultural understanding through language education. Short-term exchange students from Tokyo NODAI receive intensive Spanish or Portuguese language education at their host institutions, while exchange students from Latin America are provided with intensive Japanese language education at Tokyo NODAI.

【Feature on the project】

World food shortage caused by explosive population growth is the problem and the role of Latin America is expected to solve it as a food supplier. Tokyo NODAI, as an institution devoted to agricultural & life sciences, conducts the programs which combine exchange with agricultural internships through the cooperation of Global Partner Universities and the support of NODAI alumni for developing practical specialists who play vital part in Latin America in the field of food, agriculture and environment.

【Exchange number】

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