

理学研究科· 理学部留学生相談室 NEWS LETTER

理学研究科・理学部留学生相談室は、個人面談を通じて留学生を取り巻く環境を理解し、日本での生活がより豊かなものになるように活動しています。また、国際交流イベントは、人及び文化との出会いを大切にし、相互理解を深め、学生がグローバルな人材に成長することを目標に開催しています。幾つかの交流活動について参加者からの感想を紹介します。

Advisement office for International Students (Ryugakusei Sodanshitsu) has conducted an international student's interview in order to know their surroundings and make their life better and more comfortable. We have planned various kinds of events to understand each other. We are aim to cultivate Global Human Resources through the events . We introduce some student's comments regarding the events.

海外の高校等からの来訪/ High school visitors from Many Countries

マレーシア、サンフランシスコ、インドネシア、ブルネイ、台湾、香港の高校生が理学部を来訪し、留学生及びScience Buddyが学生交流並びに施設見学のアテンドを担いました。

High school students in Malaysia, San Francisco, Indonesia, Brunei, Taiwan and Hong Kong visited Graduate School of Science. International Students and Science Buddy supported a program of a student exchange and a tour of facilities.



Tour of facilities



International student supporters and Science Buddy



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Science Buddy

Science Buddy(SB) は、国際 交流を主眼とし、理学研究 科・理学部の日本人学生と留 学生で構成されたグループで す。国際交流イベントの企画・ 運営を通して、相互理解を深 め楽しく交流しています。 Science Buddy に興味の有る 方は下記まで連絡ください。 ousciencebudv@gmail.com

Science Buddy(SB) is a student group which aims to enhance international communication and is composed of Japanese and International students in the Graduate School and School of Science. We enjoy intercultural experience and deepen the mutual understanding through the organization and management of various kinds of events. If you would like to become a member of Science Buddy, please contact us at ousciencebudy @gmail.com.

国際交流サロンでのイベ ント情報は、SB Facebook でもご覧になれます。

> https:// www.facebook.com/ sciencebuddy.ou

BUS TOUR(2015.6.14)

One sunny day in the middle of June, a group of students were happily gathered in front of the Graduate School of Science. We were going on a bus tour to Nara.

With enormous numbers of World Heritage Sites, Nara has a long history dating back to 6th century. The first stop of our trip was Nara National Park, where we visited the Kasuga Grand Shrine and Todaiji Temple. If you walk in the park, do expect to encounter deers. They are everywhere! We enjoyed feeding the deer with shika senbei (special crackers for deer) and played with them.

Lunch time! Not any ordinary meal, we made our own sushi set at Umemori Sushi School. This was the first sushi making experience for most of us and it was really great (and tasty too!). After the class, we all obtained the 'Sushi Master' certificate from the cheerful headmaster.



Wei Min Right:

Buddhism to Japan and its surrounding nature gives an atmosphere of serenity.

Every year, Graduated School of Science and Science Buddy will organise a bus tour for the international student to visit famous attractions around Japan. This is a great chance to chat and enjoy the journey together with other international and Japanese students. Don't ever miss the opportunity to join this tour. (Wei Min)



YUKATA DE TANABATA(2015.7.7)

2015年7月7日(火)12:00-15:00にInternational Café「ゆかたde たなばた」を実施し、留学生21名及び日本人9名が参加しました。留学生は着付けボランティアの方に浴衣を着せていただき、短冊に願いを書き、笹の葉に飾りました。参加者は、日本の夏の風物詩である素麺及びかき氷を食し、日本文化を堪能しました。参加者のコメントを紹介します。

International Café 「Yukata de Tanabata」 was held on July 7th(Tue). 21 international students and 9 Japanese students joined it. The volunteers helped International students to wear Yukata(Summer cotton kimono). And the students wrote wishes on Tanzaku,(small pieces of paper), and hang them on bamboo. And then, they enjoyed eating Japanese typical summer food, such as Somen(Japanese noodle) and Kakigori (Japanese shaved ice dessert flavored with syrup and a sweetener). We would like to introduce some comments from participants.

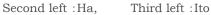
Japanese culture is very interesting. Recently I had experienced wearing yukata and writing wishes on a paper (短冊, *tanzaku*) using my native language and hanging them on a bamboo tree. This is one of my unforgettable moments here in Japan. Looking forward for more events like this here in Osaka!(Raymond)

Thank you very much for organizing such interesting event. I enjoyed wearing yukata and eating oishii ramen a lot, especially tabakana - a beautiful culture. I also saw a tree with full of wishes in library, even though I could not read them but I guess all students wished good study results . I will show photos to my friends and recommend them to join this event next year. (Ha)

The Yukata event was great! Such an awesome experience to try on very nice Japanese traditional clothing and even be dressed by a professional! Hoping for this event to happen every year so that foreign students in the coming years can also have this experience! :)(Kimberly)

毎月行われる国際交流パーティー、今回のテーマは浴衣で七夕でした。毎年当たり前に行う行事七夕ですが、これが日本独自の文化であることに改めて気づきました。浴衣ではしゃぎながら、願い事をした短冊を笹に吊るして、日本文化を楽しく体験してもらえて嬉しかったです。今後もSBの活動を通して留学生のみなさんと日本文化を楽しんで学んでいけたらなあ、と思います。(Sceience Buddy 伊藤)







Left: Raymond, Right: Kimberly



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留学生相談室

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国際交流サロン/INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE SALON

留学生、外国人研究員、国際交流に興味を持つ日本人が交流を深めるために、理学研 究科本館D棟2階D201に国際交流サロンを設置しています。国際交流サロンは、留学生 の憩いの場及び生活相談並びに交流イベントの開催に使用されています。国際交流に興 味のある方は、気軽にお越しください。平日10:30から17:00まで開室しています。

We have set up International Exchange Salon where international students and researchers can interact with Japanese students. This salon is located at # D201in bldg. D of Graduate School of Science.

International Exchange Salon is a place for international students to relax and is used as an advisement office, or as a venue to have internation-

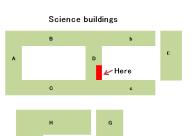
al exchange events. If you are interested in international exchange, please come to the salon irrespective of your nationality.

Hour: Weekdays 10:30-17:00

休憩、昼食、勉強などにお使いください。 Please use this space for relaxing, having lunch, studying. etc..









Event Report

2015.4-2015.9

Chinese Half-Hour Every Tue.

Japanese Half-Hour Every Thu.

Every Fri. **English Chatterbox**

Apr.21 Welcome party

May 29 **Table Tennis Festival**

Bus Tour Jun.14

Yukata de Tanabata Jul.7

Aug.27 Pizza and Crepe party



Welcome party

Table Tennis Festival



Event Information

2015.10-

★Japanese Half-Hour Every Thu.12:20-12:50 Content: One-to-one format. Please bring your text book, if you have.

★English Chatterbox Every Fri.12:20-12:50 Content: Let's study more words and brush up our conversation skills

★Welcome party Oct.8(Thu): 18:00-20:00

Venue of All events: International Exchange Salon(D201)