

JENESYS2022 Indonesia-Japan Exchange for Young Journalists (Invitation Program) Report

1. Program Overview

【Objectives】

The purpose of this program was for young people working in the media in Indonesia to gain new perspectives, and to build a network with the people involved through visiting Japanese media organizations and exchanging opinions with the people involved. The participants deepened their understanding of Japan from various perspectives by learning about Japan's foreign policy, economy, and other major policies, as well as touching with the charms of Japanese homes and the places they visited.

【Participants】

Total: 39 participants including young journalists and media workers in Indonesia

【Location】

Pre-study Program: Chiba, Inbound Program: Tokyo, Nagano

2. Pre-study Program

- Pre-study Program (online) (Note)*Partially conducted in joint with other programs

Thursday, September 29 【Orientation】 Welcome Address

Mr. ISOMURA Shintaro, Second Secretary, Information and Culture Section,
Embassy of Japan in Indonesia

【Lecture, Q&A Session】 Lecture on Japan
“Attractiveness of Japan”

Lecturer: Mr. ODA Yuichi, Professor, Institute for Excellence in Educational
Innovation (IEEI) , Chiba University

Tuesday, February 7 【Orientation】 Prior explanation on the Inbound Program, exchange among
participants

Self-Study before coming to Japan : 【Video Viewing】 Virtual Home Visit, Message from
Minamisanriku, Peace Tour in Hiroshima, Learning Japanese, WELCOME to
JAPAN! –infection control measure in Japan–

- Inbound Program

Wednesday, February 15 Entry from Haneda Airport, orientation upon arrival to Japan

【Keynote Speech】 "Media Connecting the World"

Lecturer: Mr. KURASAWA Haruo, Science Journalist, Bee Media LLC.

Thursday, February 16 **【Courtesy Call, Theme Related Lecture】** Ministry of Foreign Affairs
 “Japan’s foreign policy” Lecturer: Mr. KANEKO Kazuya, Deputy Director,
 Second Southeast Asia Division, Southeast and Southwest Asian Affairs
 Department, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan
 【Visit and Exchange】 Bureau of Citizen, Culture and Sports, Tokyo
 Metropolitan Government

Friday, February 17 Traveling from Tokyo to Nagano
 【Observation】 Zenkoji Temple
 【Theme Related Observation, Q&A Session】 News Department, The Shinano
 Mainichi Shimbun (Daily Newspaper)

Saturday, February 18 **【Observation】** Hakuba Jump Stadium
 【Cultural Experience】 Snowshoe experience at ABLE Hakuba Goryu Snow
 Resort
 【Observation】 Tourism Commission of Hakuba Village

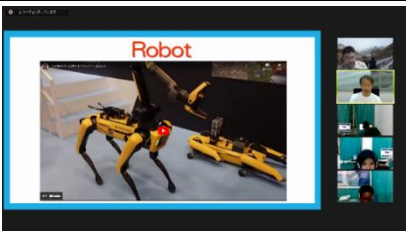
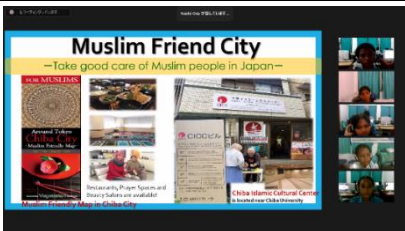

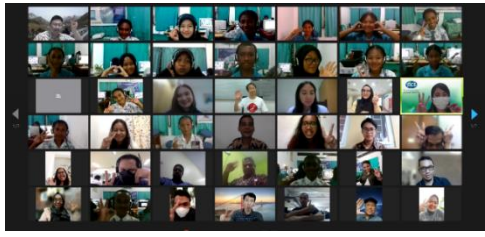
Sunday, February 19 **【Observation】** Daio Wasabi Farm
 【Home Visit】 Hakuba Village, Nagano
 【Workshop】 Preparations for the Reporting Session

Monday, February 20 Traveling from Nagano to Tokyo
 【Reporting Session】

Tuesday, February 21 Departure from Haneda Airport

3. Program Photos

Pre-study Program

	
<p>Sep. 29, 2022 【Lecture and Q&A Session】 Lecture on Japan</p>	<p>Sep. 29, 2022 【Lecture and Q&A Session】 Lecture on Japan</p>
	
<p>Sep. 29, 2022 【Lecture and Q&A Session】 Q&A session</p>	<p>Sep. 29, 2022 Group photo</p>

Inbound Program (Location: Tokyo, Nagano)

	
February 15 【Keynote Speech】 "Media Connecting the World" Bee Media LLC.	February 16 【Courtesy Call, Theme Related Lecture】 "Japanese Foreign Policy" by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs
	
February 17 【Theme Related Observation, Opinion Exchange】 News Department, The Shinano Mainichi Shimbun (Daily Newspaper)	February 17 【Observation】 Zenkoji Temple
	
February 18 【Cultural Experience】 Snowshoe experience at ABLE Hakuba Goryu Snow Resort	February 19 【Home Visit】 Hakuba Village, Nagano

4. Voices from Participants (excerpt)

◆ Working Youth

I was able to gain new insights into Japan, which made this pre-exchange program all the more interesting for me. Having participated in the pre-exchange program, I am very excited about Japan because I have gained new insights into the country, its culture, traditions, and the kindness of its people.

◆ Working Youth

Japan is known as an advanced country, but it also emphasizes traditional culture, and I was impressed by how things from the past have been preserved to this day continually. I also got the impression that the Japanese treat foreigners from different cultural backgrounds with a tolerant attitude.

◆ Working Youth

I was impressed by the Japanese way of creating a living environment that values aesthetics and

the custom of thinking and acting in an orderly manner.

◆ Working Youth

I learned a lot during my seven-day stay in Japan. I was particularly impressed by the diligence of the Japanese people and their willingness to deal with difficult situations at work, boldly tackling them and trying to overcome them.



5. Voices from the Receiving Parties (excerpt)

◆ Lecturer

I was relieved that all the young journalists listened intently. Indonesia and other Asian countries are important partners for Japan, so I hope this kind of initiative will be continued in the future.





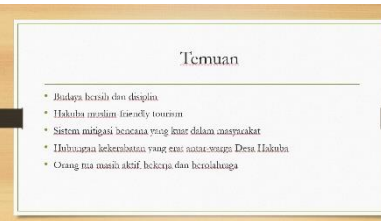
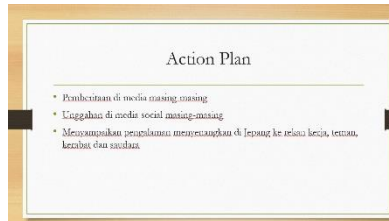
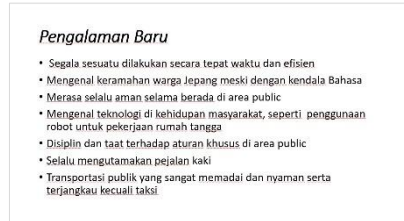
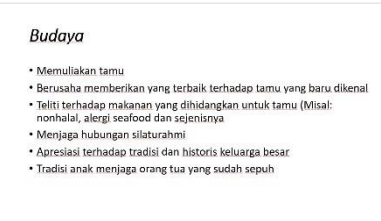

6. Disseminations by the participants, News reports, etc. (excerpt)

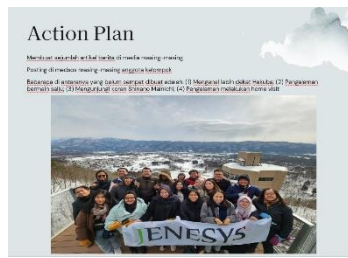
 <p>Ternyata pelajar Indonesia nomor 5 terbanyak di Jepang 🇮🇩 Bikin makin semangat mau ke sana.</p> <p>International Student</p> <p>• 342,444 international students As of May 1, 2021</p> <table><tr><td>China</td><td>114,205</td><td>Taiwan</td><td>4,987</td></tr><tr><td>Vietnam</td><td>49,449</td><td>Sri Lanka</td><td>3,742</td></tr><tr><td>Nepal</td><td>18,825</td><td>Myanmar</td><td>3,476</td></tr><tr><td>Korea</td><td>14,247</td><td>Bangladesh</td><td>3,095</td></tr><tr><td>Indonesia</td><td>5,792</td><td>Mongolia</td><td>2,419</td></tr></table> <p>16.1% of international students come from Asian countries and regions. Source: JASSO</p> <p>Arigato Gozaimasu @jice_exchange untuk ceramah seru sore ini 🙏</p>	China	114,205	Taiwan	4,987	Vietnam	49,449	Sri Lanka	3,742	Nepal	18,825	Myanmar	3,476	Korea	14,247	Bangladesh	3,095	Indonesia	5,792	Mongolia	2,419	 <p>JENESYS2022 JENESYS online event for Indonesia</p> <p>View insights Boost post</p> <p>Kembali dapat pengalaman menyenangkan bisa belajar dan mengenal budaya Jepang dalam Pra Program #jice_exchange #Jenesys2022 #Jenesysasean</p> <p>1 minute ago · See translation</p>
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<p>Sep. 29, 2022 (Facebook)</p> <p>It turns out that the fifth largest number of international students in Japan is actually from Indonesia. Now I want to go to Japan even more.</p>	<p>Sep. 29, 2022 (Facebook)</p> <p>I had a great time yesterday learning about Japanese culture.</p>																				
 <p>detiknews</p> <p>Laporan dari Nagano: Desa Hakuba, 'Kuda Putih' di Nagano Jepang yang Ramah untuk Turis Muslim</p> <p>Rahmatul Fawaidah Simanungkalat · detiknews</p> <p>Sedikit, 18 Feb 2023 16:24 WIB</p> <p>Desa Hakuba di Nagano Jepang (Foto: RahmatulFawaidah.com)</p> <p>Nagano - Desa Hakuba di Prefektur Nagano, Jepang, berada di ketinggian 750 meter di atas permukaan laut. Hakuba yang berarti 'Kuda Putih' ramah untuk wisatawan muslim.</p> <p>detikcom mengikuti program Japan-East Asia Network and Promotion for the Promotion of Muslim - Kaitiaki Phipps</p> <p>news.detik.com</p>	 <p>Hakuba Snow Resort 白馬雪場</p> <p>Open location · Let's Go</p> <p>Liked by ...</p> <p>Pengalaman pertama dalam hidup aku melihat secara langsung salju dan berjalan di atas ... more</p> <p>View all 4 comments</p>																				
<p>February 18, 2023 (Source: detiknews)</p> <p>Hakuba Village in Nagano, a tourist destination located at an altitude of 750 meters, is promoting an approach friendly to Muslims and their customs.</p>	<p>February 19, 2023 (Instagram)</p> <p>The experience of seeing snow live for the first time in my life and walking on it was very impressive!</p>																				

	
<p>February 18, 2023 (Instagram)</p> <p>Today's learning and scenery. On the fourth day, we listened to a talk by Mr. Koichi Yoshizawa, manager of the Hakuba Tourism Bureau.</p> <p>If you are tired of the skyscraper scenery when you come to Japan, you should definitely visit Hakuba Village in Nagano Prefecture, a well-known tourist destination. Hakuba Village is surrounded by the mountains of the Northern Alps and offers a very fine view.</p> <p>Moreover, in winter season like the present, Hakuba Village is a popular spot for Japanese people to enjoy skiing. Since becoming the host of the 1998 Winter Olympics, Hakuba Village has become increasingly popular.</p>	<p>February 19, 2023 (Instagram)</p> <p>My friends and I had the opportunity to make a home visit to a family in Hakuba Village. We talked about many topics, from culture, food, and customs to the wonderful way the Japanese people and their government handled the earthquake disaster.</p>

7. Action Plans for After Returning Home Presented at the Reporting Session (excerpt)

Exchange for Young Journalists (1)		
		
<p>■ Method of implementation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Write articles about Japanese tourism and culture ● Post photos and articles on websites of news organizations as often as 2 to 3 times a month ● Study the Japanese language ● Share our experiences in Japan with friends, colleagues, family, and others around us 		
Exchange for Young Journalists (2)		

		
<p>■ Method of implementation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Post articles on discoveries in Japan and Japanese culture on the website of each news organization <p>(The photo on the right is an article about the Imperial Palace that has already been reported.)</p>		
<p>Exchange of young journalists (3)</p>		
		
<p>■ Method of implementation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Report in each news organization ● Post on each news organization's website ● Talk about enjoyable experiences participants had in Japan with their colleagues, friends, and family 		
<p>Exchange for Young Journalists (4)</p>		
		
<p>■ Method of implementation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Post feature articles in each news organization ● Post experiences in Japan on the personal social media accounts of each participant 		
<p>Exchange for Young Journalists (5)</p>		



- Implementation plan:
 - Write articles in each news organization
 - Post on each participant's personal social media
- Contents of articles / posts:
 - Details about Hakuba
 - Snow play experience
 - Visiting the Shinano Mainichi Shimbun, etc.
- Method of implementation: Online platforms such as Zoom, Meet

Implementation agency: Japan International Cooperation Center (JICE)