

IDE Advanced School (IDEAS)

Chancellor: Masahisa Fujita (President, IDE-JETRO)

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IDEAS was established as an education wing of the IDE. Since its inauguration in 1990, it has offered postgraduate-level programs in development studies in order to nurture experts who are able to deal with development issues that developing countries face today.

IDEAS offers two types of programs in parallel: a one-year program for Japanese students (September–July) and a six-month overseas fellows program for young government officials of Asian countries (October–March). During the first six months (October–March), many courses are offered jointly to the two groups in English, which allows close interactions between the Japanese and foreign learners. Through the programs, students are expected to develop a comprehensive understanding of national development policies, so that they will be able to propose solutions to existing development issues, and to acquire practical knowledge to implement specific projects.

The main feature of the curriculum is an introduction of structured cluster courses. In particular, the program provides four core courses including two intensive lectures in the first semester, in which both Japanese students and overseas fellows can learn together about experiences of Japan and Asia in socioeconomic development as well as contemporary issues of development. For this curriculum enhancement, the school should acquire a higher capacity in training experts in economic and social development for developing countries. This modification may enable IDEAS to offer diplomas based on a balanced and accountable credit system.

Japanese students who successfully complete the program can then proceed to a graduate school in development studies at an appropriate university abroad.

Number of Japanese Students and Overseas Fellows (1991-2006)

Term	Japanese Students	Term	Overseas Fellows
1 (1990/10–91/9)	13	1 (1991/10–92/3)	8
2 (1991/10–92/9)	12	2 (1992/10–93/3)	11
3 (1992/10–93/9)	11	3 (1993/10–94/3)	13
4 (1993/10–94/9)	11	4 (1994/10–95/3)	15
5 (1994/10–95/9)	11	5 (1995/10–96/3)	15
6 (1995/10–96/9)	11	6 (1996/10–97/3)	17
7 (1996/10–97/9)	11	7 (1997/10–98/3)	15
8 (1997/10–98/9)	11	8 (1998/10–99/3)	15
9 (1998/10–99/9)	11	9 (1999/10–2000/3)	15
10 (1999/10–2000/9)	11	10 (2000/9–2001/3)	13
11 (2000/9–2001/8)	11	11 (2001/9–2002/3)	15
12 (2001/9–2002/8)	9	12 (2002/9–2003/3)	15
13 (2002/9–2003/8)	10	13 (2003/9–2004/3)	16
14 (2003/9–2004/8)	11	14 (2004/9–2005/3)	16
15 (2004/9–2005/8)	12	15 (2005/9–2006/3)	15
16 (2005/9–2006/8)	10	16 (2006/9–2007/3)	14
17 (2006/9–2007/8)	11		
Total	187	Total	213

Training program for fellows from Asian Countries

(October 2006-March 2007)

The training program for overseas fellows was initiated in 1991. The objective is to increase absorption capacity of foreign aid in developing countries. This objective can be achieved by training government officials who are in charge of planning and implementing socioeconomic development policies in the developing regions. The program provides opportunities to become acquainted with the aid administration policies of Japan and other developed countries as well as to study economic development in Japan and other Asian countries. In the current academic year, we invited fourteen government officials from eighteen Asian countries.

Follow-up Program

IDEAS conducts a short-term training program for the graduate IDEAS overseas fellows. This follow-up program aims to provide practical skills to cope with development issues which the overseas fellows are facing in their day-to day work after completing the IDEAS program. The follow-up program started in 1995 and was carried out in Asian countries from 2001 to 2004. The program for the 2005/06 academic year was held in Kyushu, Japan in November 2005 and that for the 2006/07 was held at the IDE under the theme of "Economic Development and Income Disparity" in November 2006 .

Training Program for Japanese Students

(September 2006-July 2007)

This marked the seventeenth academic year that we trained 11 Japanese students selected from among 33 applicants.



Intensive Lecture by Dr. Natalia Mirovitskaya, Senior Research Scholar and Lecturing Fellow of Public Policy, Duke Center for International Development, Duke University, USA

Curriculum for the IDEAS Program

During Fiscal Year 2006

1. Lectures for the 16th Group of Overseas Fellows (September 2006-March 2007)

Subject	Lecturer	Affiliation
Joint Lectures with Japanese Students		
Development Experience of Japan		
-Economic Development	Jozen Takeuchi	Zhejiang University
-Development in Agriculture	Akimi Fujimoto	Tokyo University of Agriculture
-Industrial Policy	Yoshiki Mikami	Nagaoka University of Technology
-Social Development – Poverty Reduction	Hiroshi Sato	IDE
-Environmental Issue and Development	Ryo Fujikura	Hosei University
International Trade and Policy and Industrial Development		
-International Economics: Opportunities and Challenges of Globalization from the Viewpoint of Developing Countries	Yumiko Okamoto	Doshisha University
-Economic Crises, Policy Prescription, and External Debt Management	Sayuri Shirai	Keio University
-WTO, Regional Trade Arrangements and East Asia Economic Integration (Intensive Lectures)	Hank Lim	Singapore Institute of International Affairs
-Case Studies of Industrial Development	Masami Ishida Wang Mariner	IDE Ritsumeikan Asia Pacific University
International Cooperation		
-Prospects for and Issues of Inter- national Development Assistance	Takamasa Akiyama	Nihon University
-Development and Law, Governance	Miwa Yamada	IDE
-International Development Cooperation by Japanese NGOs and NGOs in Asian Countries	Michio Ito	Rikkyo University
Contemporary Issues of Development		
-Project Planning and Management	Le Thanh Nghiep Kuriki	Josai International University
-Development and Infrastructure	Tsuneaki Yoshida	Tokyo University
-Development and Education	Kazuo Kuroda	Waseda University
-Policy Analysis for Development including gender issues (Intensive Lectures)	Natalia Mirovitskaya	Duke University, USA.
Special Lectures		
-Introduction to Input-Output Analyses	Satoshi Inomata	IDE
-Modern Society in Japan	Gregory Clark	Honorary President, Tama University

Lectures only for Overseas Fellows

Development Experience of Asian Countries

-East Asia	Reiitsu Kojima	Professor Emeritus, Daito Bunka University
-Southeast Asia	Kunio Yoshihara	University of Kitakyushu
-South Asia	Hiroichi Yamaguchi	Former Professor, Bunkyo University

Special Lectures

-Japanese Technical Cooperation and Role of JICA	Tomoyuki Tada	JICA
-Role and Function of JBIC	Toshio Nagase	JBIC
-Current State of the Japanese Economy	Dai Higashino	JETRO
-Japan's Inward and Outward Foreign Direct Investment (FDI)	Shin Tanimura	JETRO
-Economy and Politics in Postwar Japan	Minoru Ouchi	Nihon Fukushi University
-Japanese Style Management	Hideaki Miyajima	Waseda University

Others

-Development Economics	Kazumi Yamamoto	Aichi University
-Japanese Language	Japanese Instructors	Overseas Vocational Training Associations (OVTA)

2. Lectures for the 16th Group of Japanese Students (March-July 2006)

Subject	Lecturer	Affiliation
Intensive Lectures		
-Rural Development in Asia	Ashwani Saith	Institute of Social Studies (ISS), the Netherlands
Development Theories		
-Social Development	Hiroshi Sato	IDE
-Human Development	Hiroki Nogami	IDE
	Soya Mori	IDE
Area Studies		
-Middle East	Sadashi Fukuda	IDE
	Hiroyuki Aoyama	IDE
	Masaaki Watanabe	IDE
-Latin America	Akio Yonemura	IDE
	Taeko Hoshino	IDE
	Koichi Usami	IDE
-Africa	Shinichi Takeuchi	IDE
-Southeast Asia	Naoko Amakawa	IDE
Economics and Mathematics for Social Science		
-Data Analysis	Tatsufumi Yamagata	IDE
-Mathematical Statistics (Elective)	Hisayuki Mitsuo	IDE

Seminar

-Area Research/Social Development	Shinichi Shigetomi Hiroshi Sato	IDE IDE
-Economic Development	Tatsufumi Yamagata Hiroki Nogami	IDE IDE

Special Lectures

-Development and Environment	Michikazu Kojima Tadayoshi Terao Kenji Otsuka	IDE IDE IDE
-Population and Development	Yasuko Hayase Hideyuki Takahashi	Meikai University Japanese Organization for International Cooperation in Family Planning (JOICFP)
-PCM Training (Participatory Planning)	Takumi Kawahara	IC Net, Ltd.

English

-English Academic Writing	Paul Consalvi	English Instructor
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3. Lectures for the 17th Group of Japanese Students (September 2006-February 2007)

Subject	Lecturer	Affiliation
Joint Lectures with Overseas Fellows		
Development Experience of Japan		
-Economic Development	Jozen Takeuchi	Zhejiang University
-Development in Agriculture	Akimi Fujimoto	Tokyo University of Agriculture
-Industrial Policy	Yoshiki Mikami	Nagaoka University of Technology
-Social Development – Poverty Reduction	Hiroshi Sato	IDE
-Environmental Issue and Development	Ryo Fujikura	Hosei University
International Trade and Policy and Industrial Development		
-International Economics: Opportunities and Challenges of Globalization from the Viewpoint of Developing Countries	Yumiko Okamoto	Doshisha University
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International Cooperation

-Prospects for and Issues of International Development Assistance	Takamasa Akiyama	Nihon University
-Development and Law, Governance	Miwa Yamada	IDE
-International Development Cooperation by Japanese NGOs and NGOs in Asian Countries	Michio Ito	Rikkyo University

Contemporary Issues of Development

-Project Planning and Management	Le Thanh Nghiep Kuriki	Josai International University
-Development and Infrastructure	Tsuneaki Yoshida	Tokyo University
-Development and Education	Kazuo Kuroda	Waseda University
-Policy Analysis for Development including gender issues (Intensive Lectures)	Natalia Mirovitskaya	Duke University

Special Lectures

-Introduction to Input-Output Analyses	Satoshi Inomata	IDE
-Modern Society in Japan	Gregory Clark	Honorary President, Tama University

Lectures only for Japanese Students

Development Theories

-Social Development Introduction	Hiroshi Sato	IDE
Social Development and Human Rights	Yasushi Katsuma	Waseda University
Rural Development and People's Organization	Masafumi Ikeno	KRI International Corp.
Rural Development and Improvement of Living	Kazuko Oguni	Nihon Fukushi University
Life and Water	Eri Sugita	JICA
Development and Health	Shoko Matsuyama	Nagasaki University
Education and Development	Yoshiko Isono	Rikkyo University
Family Planning and HIV	Emi Inaoka	JBIC
Microfinance	Hidemi Yoshida	IC Net Ltd.
Social Investigation	Takuo Utagawa	Hokkaido University of Education
Social Development and Facilitator	Miho Ota	Tokyo University
Role of Education Development and World Bank	Takako Yuki	International Development Education Consultant, Yuki & Associates
Social Capital	Shozo Sakata	IDE
-Economic Development	Hiroki Nogami	IDE

Area Studies

-East Asia		
China	Kenichi Imai	IDE
Taiwan	Momoko Kawakami	IDE
South Korea	Satoru Okuda	IDE
-Southeast Asia		
Mekong Area Development	Toshihiro Kudo	IDE
Malaysia	Masashi Nakamura	IDE
Vietnam	Shozo Sakata	IDE
Myanmar	Ikuko Okamoto	IDE
-South Asia	Norio Kondo	IDE
	Mayumi Murayama	IDE
	Hisaya Oda	IDE

Economics and Mathematics for Social Science

-Micro Economics	Seiro Ito	IDE
	Kensuke Kubo	IDE
-Macro Economics	So Umezaki	IDE
-Data Analysis	Tatsufumi Yamagata	IDE
-Mathematics for Economics	Hiroshi Kuwamori	IDE
	Masahiro Kodama	IDE

Statistics and Econometrics (Elective)

-Mathematical Statistics	Hisayuki Mitsuo	IDE
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English

-English Academic Writing	Paul Consalvi	English Instructor
-TOEFL (Elective)	Kregg Johnston	English Instructor

4. Lectures for the 17th Group of Japanese Students (March-July 2007)

Subject	Lecturer	Affiliation
Intensive Lectures		
-Participation and Social Development in Developing Countries	Sunil Kumar	The London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE), UK
Development Theories		
-Social Development	Hiroshi Sato	IDE
Gender Work Shop	Yoshiko Isono	Rikkyo University
-Human Development	Hiroki Nogami	IDE
-Disability and Development	Soya Mori	IDE
Area Studies		
-Middle East		
Iran	Yoko Iwasaki	IDE
Sectarian Institution and Sectarian Confrontation	Hiroyuki Aoyama	IDE
Egypt	Ichiki Tsuchiya	IDE
-Latin America	Akio Yonemura	IDE
	Taeko Hoshino	IDE
	Koichi Usami	IDE
-Africa	Shinichi Takeuchi	IDE

Economics and Mathematics for Social Science

-Data Analysis Tatsufumi Yamagata IDE

Statistics and Econometrics (Elective)

-Mathematical Statistics Hisayuki Mitsuo IDE

Seminar

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Hiroki Nogami IDE

Special Lectures

-Development and Environment Michikazu Kojima IDE

Tadayoshi Terao IDE

Kenji Otsuka IDE

-Population and Development Yasuko Hayase Adjunct Professor, Meikai University

Hideyuki Takahashi JOICFP

-Project Evaluation Seminar (Elective) Seiro Ito IDE

-Globalization and Developing Countries John T. Thoburn University of East Anglia, UK

-PCM Training (Participatory Planning) Takumi Kawahara IC Net, Ltd.

English

-English Academic Writing Paul Consalvi English Instructor
