

# Monthly Report (Oct. 2012)

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Themes of the Month	
(1) Ensure the success of the 7th International Symposium on Teacher Education in East Asia.	Specific Mission of Action: Ensure the success of the symposium by making final confirmations with the participating researchers and companies providing venue operation and interpreting services.
(2) Examine Tokyo Gakugei University's policy for internationalization.	Specific Mission of Action: Consider in concrete ways the kind of internationalization that would best suit Tokyo Gakugei University.
Details	
For Theme (1): <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Matters discussed by the Project Team for the International Consortium for Universities of Education in East Asia</li></ul> Performed the following in preparation for the 7th International Symposium on Teacher Education in East Asia on November 3 and 4: Management of participants (handling cancellations, etc.); allocation of staff (staff members and part-timers); confirmation of program and order of ceremony; final confirmation with the MC, venue operation company, hotel, interpreting services company, and printing company; preparation of booklet and materials for use at the symposium.	
For Theme (2): <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Create policy and concrete concept for internationalization at Tokyo Gakugei University based on last month's discussions.</li><li>● Considered the merger of the International Exchange Committee and the Office of Promoting International Strategies.</li></ul>	
Results	
For Theme (1): <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Completed all preparations for the 7th International Symposium on Teacher Education in East Asia.</li><li>● Visited Osaka Kyoiku University on October 26 and made final confirmation regarding the international collaborative research project report (sessions 1 and 3) on November 3 and 4.</li><li>● Completed <i>7th International Symposium on Teacher Education in East Asia</i>, a booklet for distribution at the symposium.</li></ul> For Theme (2): <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● The Office of Promoting International Strategies created a TGU internationalization policy that states TGU's aim to respond to globalization and train up and graduate exceptional human resources that meet the needs of society. The Office proposed the TGU International Student Step Up Program (tentative name) to respond to numerical targets set.</li><li>● Gained support of the overall direction to merge the International Exchange Committee and the Office of Promoting International Strategies at the Committee's and Office's respective monthly meetings.</li></ul>	
Plans for November	

Ensure the success of the 7th International Symposium on Teacher Education in East Asia. Continue study of the merger of the International Exchange Committee and the Office of Promoting International Strategies. Handle application process for JASSO's Student Exchange Support Program for the next academic year.