**Overview of Doshisha University Project** 

Global human resources who "think

2,400

Taking Classes in a Foreign Language

Improving Foreign Language Skills

Generating Motivation

Preparing while in High School (within the Group of The Doshisha)

Study Abroad-Base

Go Global

**Passport** 

Checking the progress on "Go Global" Portfolio

Type A

#### Admission Quota (Undergraduate): 6,035 (As of April 2014)

#### 1. Objectives of the Project and Our Vision of Ideal Global Human Resources

Doshisha University holds "Christian principles," "liberalism," and "internationalism" to be the key components of its "education of conscience." This plan aims to produce global human resources (individuals with global competence) who can "think and act" –who "use their abilities as conscience dictates" with a free and open mind grounded in advanced foreign language proficiency and a Christian moral outlook.

#### 2. Plan Summary

We set up two organically-linked educational programs: "Study Abroad-Based" and "Domestic-Based" programs, enabling students to acquire global competence inside and outside of Japan. By the final year of this project, 1,800 Study Abroad-Based Program students and 1,200 Domestic-Based Program students will have acquired global competence through these programs. With these initiatives and other measures based on our liberal arts education, we intend to lead the globalization of universities in Japan.

## Internationalization of the Curriculum

### **OMeasures and Efforts**

The study support by Academic Instructors and Learning Assistants (graduate students with high language skills) continues at the Learning Commons and is gaining more popularity among students, with 1,051 cases of consultation in 2014. In addition to the full implementation of the Common Course Numbering System, the establishment of the Center for Global Education has been decided to improve the quality and quantity of courses conducted in English.

#### OTransmission of Information

We have released information on our efforts and achievements in this project to the public through our university's website (including updates in four languages) and Facebook page, in addition to the International Center's original Facebook page, pamphlets introducing our initiatives, magazine advertisements and various joint publicity activities with other universities selected for the GGJ project.

#### **OGlobalization of Administrative Structure**

In addition to continuing the pre-employment training for prospective employees and the Language Qualification Examination Fees Subsidy System, we helped our staff members improve their English proficiency by making the TOEIC preparation courses for students available to them and sending them to our overseas partner institutions. We also conducted "global mind" training and practical English communication training for the workplace to improve our staff's practical skills.

## 2. Efforts to Cultivate Global Human Resources

#### **OEnhancement of Regular and Extracurricular Programs**

We have drastically increased the number of classes of Practice and Tutorial components of the "Intensive Courses for TOEFL (ICT)," which is aimed at acquiring an advanced level of English competency, to 37 classes, which enables a maximum of 740 students to participate in the courses. Regarding extracurricular programs, we started "TOEFL Seminars" where ICT instructors introduce effective study methods, and a pre-exam supplementary "Pre-TOEFL Special Summer Course." We also added more variety to our extracurricular preparation courses for TOEIC and TOEFL, including biweekly courses during the semester, one-day courses and intensive courses during break, to enable more students to participate in them.

### OOverseas Internships and Enhancement of Study Abroad Programs

We launched an overseas internship course a year earlier than initially planned. After preparatory sessions in June and July, participating students spent 20 days in the United States receiving business training and engaging in an internship at local Japanese-affiliated companies. They then reinforced their experiences in the program by giving presentations after returning to Japan. We plan to improve risk management of the program based on the participants' feedback. We will also offer three new Summer Programs starting in 2015. Individual faculties have also been developing their own study abroad programs. Two of these programs launched in 2014, and additional programs are being planned for 2015.

## Improvement of Foreign Language Competencies

### OAppropriate Assessment of Foreign Language Skills and Study Abroad Experience until the through Secondary Education

We tried to determine each applicant's English ability based on reading and thoughts from general admission. Our English examination features long reading comprehension passages. We require applicants to posses not only high school-level English ability, but also logical thinking skills that will serve as the basis for university study.

### **OEffective Language Education and Educational Structure**

We held an orientation session for the "Go Global" Portfolio at the beginning of the academic year to familiarize new students with the system and encourage their participation, successfully doubling the number of participants. We utilized CASEC as a placement test and initially launched university-wide competence-based English classes at all six faculties at Kyotanabe Campus. We assigned CASEC to students again at the final examination to review the effectiveness of the competence-based classes.

# 4. Faculty Development for Global Education

### OGlobalization of the Education System

We will establish the Center for Global Education and provide more classes conducted in English starting in 2016. Accordingly, we have made efforts to hire foreign faculty, faulty who graduated from foreign universities, and faculty who have overseas teaching experiences.



▲An event organized by SIED

### OEfforts for Faculty Development in Global Education

The faculty development training for instructors who conduct classes in English, which started in 2012, was offered again in 2014 in a more accessible format.

# 5. Support System to Promote Study Abroad

OEfforts for Enhancing Motivation and Promotion of Study Abroad/Support for Students during and after Their Study Abroad

We continue to offer consultation by Study Abroad Coordinator and Study Abroad Assistants at the Learning Commons. This year, Study Abroad Assistants also assumed the role of Conversation Partners, offering students the chance to practice foreign language conversation before and after studying abroad. International exchange activities of the International Center's student group SIED began in full swing and

dramatically enhanced student-led cross-cultural exchange, attracting 1,876 total Japanese and international students for 120 events held over 60 days. Additionally, the Career Center held a month-long university-wide Global Career Fair for students aspiring to work on the global stage, offering a variety of programs on topics ranging from study abroad and language study to career development with guest speakers working in global enterprises and international organizations. The fair is aimed at providing students with accurate information and instilling in them the idea of a global career. We also held a 3-day joint company information session when students returned in order to support their job hunting.

2015

909

443

1,330

5,753

30.8%

8(4)

20/61

110(35)

210/670

56(15)

106/426

150(50)

184/860

80(78)

222/850

140(110)

196/831

48(9)

95/375

42(19)

54/280

80(74)

50/760

25(16)

20/210

25(22)

23/156

25(11)

30/154

80(0)

80/80

40(0)

40/40

0(0)

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2016

1,200

579

1,800

6,015

39.6%

9(6)

27/60

120(43)

235/670

63(40)

120/450

155(45)

236/850

90(80)

245/850

148(135)

223/850

58(30)

110/375

47(30)

71/280

95(90)

110/760

48(28)

46/210

39(36)

40/210

28(16)

37/150

80(0)

80/80

40(0)

40/40

180(0)

180/180

# **Specific Competencies for Graduates**

Total

Requirement for Foreign Language Proficiency

No. of Students Studying Abroad / Graduates

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year. The target for the final year stays unchanged.

No. of stu. who meet req. for foreign language proficiency

Of the above, No. of students not to study abroad (A)

Number of students studying abroad (B)

Number of graduates (C)

Ratio ((A+B)/C))

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SS

Law

Ε

С

PS

CIS

SE

**LMS** 

**HSS** 

Psy

GC (Eng)

GC (Ch)

GR

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Indicative Outputs of the Project	Results	Planned

2012

729

5.679

14/64

143/666

60/376

77/920

172/850

132/881

39/392

47/280

19/738

13/212

3/160

10/140

2013

360

230

565

5,782

13.7%

2(1)

19/68

108(64)

113/643

12(6)

69/431

94(71)

61/890

40(23)

95/867

41(20)

94/870

10(8)

37/365

17(11)

30/268

15(12)

17/828

10(8)

16/262

5(3)

5/160

6(3)

9/130

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-/-

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2014

517

260

769

6166

16.7%

5(5)

14/82

105(49)

138/704

16(6)

78/457

90(64)

75/875

39(17)

79/883

68(47)

124/896

45(22)

69/446

11(4)

38/262

27(20)

28/875

11(10)

9/275

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6/146

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34/449

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70/870

TOEFL-iBT 79

192/850

TOEFL-iBT 79

149/846

TOEFL-iBT 79

35/331

14/256

TOEFL-iBT 79

11/780

TOEFL-iBT 79

20/202

TOEFL-iBT 79

TOFFI -iBT 79

5/135

8/76

TOEFL-iBT 79, IELTS6.0

Chu-ken Lvl2, HSK Lvl5

TOEFL-iBT 79, CEFR B1

Th: Theology, L:Letters, SS: Social Studies, E: Economics, C:Commerce, PS: Policy Studies, CIS: Culture and Information Science, SE: Science and Engineering, LMS:

The number of students studying abroad for some faculties has been corrected from the initial plan as it included the students who are not expected to graduate in that

11 The number in "( )" indicates "Number of students not to study abroad with credit recognition or credit transfer" out of "Number of students who meet requirements for foreign language proficiency".

Life and Medical Sciences, HSS: Health and Sports Science, Psy: Psychology, GC: Global Communications, GR: Global and Regional Studies

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TOEFL-iBT 79, UNATE Level A

15/55

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