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1. Country/location of visit

Japan Monkey Centre, Inuyama

2. Research project

Zoo/Museum Course

3. Date (departing from/returning to Japan)

2014. 7. 14 – 2014. 7. 17 (4days)

4. Main host researcher and affiliation

Japan Monkey Centre (JMC)

5. Progress and results of your research/activity (You can attach extra pages if needed)

Please insert one or more pictures (to be publicly released). Below each picture, please provide a brief description.

This training course is to learn the role of the zoo as a museum and the job of the curators.

First, we listened to the head of the zoo about the history of the primates research. Next, we listened to the curators, and acted or watched the jobs with each curators. JMC has five curators and each has different job. The jobs included breeding, making specimens, enrichmental, displaying and looking visiting lecture.

The works are mainly not known very well, so it was very good experience to think about zoo work. I think that the researchers should consider how to express the interests of animals to public people.





Left: The lectures of curators Right: The store of specimens







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Center: Making feeders Right: Visiting lecture

6. Others

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