



Research Activity Report
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1. Country/location of visit
Kota Kinabalu, Malaysia
2. Research project
CET-Bio International Workshop, Malaysia
3. Date (departing from/returning to Japan)
2018.10.15-2018.10.21
4. Main host researcher and affiliation
Dr. Henry Bernard, University Malaysia Sabah
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.
<p>I visited Sabah, Kota Kinabalu, Malaysia to join the international workshop organized by CET-Bio. In the workshop, I gave the poster presentation about my master study. In addition to a lot of speakers in Malaysia, researchers from Brazil, China, Indonesia, India also gave us presentations from their aspects for the wildlife conservation. One of subjects in this workshop was human-animal conflict. This problem in South east Asia seems different from one in Japan, because many species of animals living in the tropical rainforest in south east Asia is endangered. Therefore, we should try to find solutions for the coexistence of human and those animals. However, many countries are also facing this problem. Details in each problem will be different but the primary thought and direction should be same, in other words all of us try to find the way to the coexistence. Changing information and opinions is essentially important to achieve our goals. In this workshop, I met some Japanese students working in foreign countries. Usually, it's rear to meet students studying animals in foreign countries in Japanese conference because we have focused on study topics in those conferences. Therefore, forming new network was very cool experience for me.</p> <p>Following the workshop, we visited Kinabatangan river, Sukau. We did two times of river cruises and planting. River cruise that were held during evening and night was quite exciting. We saw many species including long tails macaques, proboscis monkeys, owls, slow loris, owls.</p> <p>Thorough these experiences, I got much information and many opinions for the wildlife conservation. It seems difficult to integrate and get the one correct answer, but understanding many aspects of one issue will make us possible to get the correct answer in each case.</p>
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6. Others
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