

# 2017 Global Report

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International Department

## Vietnam advanced Field work training was conducted!

### 1 Cooperation with Nagasaki-Vietnam Friendship Association NPO (Peace group)

Next month, four students from the international course are planning to do field work about peace in Ho Chi Min city, Vietnam. On Saturday, July 1st, they visited the Nagasaki-Vietnam Friendship Association NPO. They were spoken to by Mr. Tsutomu Tomioka, a member of the diet and chief director. They were introduced about the about the geography and history of business communication between Vietnam and Nagasaki. After, they discussed national characteristics and evidence of Vietnam's history, and the economic situation between Japan and Vietnam seen from a population structure.



### 2 Nagasaki University Museum of Tropical Medicine (Global Health Group)

Four students of Year 11 International Course are planning to do field work about global health in Hanoi, Vietnam in August. Prior to the field work, they visited Nagasaki University Museum of Tropical Medicine to learn about infectious diseases and the Institute of Tropical Medicine based in Vietnam. There are so many panels and samples providing the basic knowledge regarding infectious diseases, which helped the visiting students to fully understand the medical problems in a Southeast Asian nation. While at the museum, the students spent a good amount of time learning everything from the basics like what a virus is to the specific problems such as malaria and schistosomiasis which are now spreading in Vietnam. After the visit, one of the students said, "I find infectious diseases to be very dangerous. They are very likely to occur in Japan as well as in Vietnam. I want to observe what is happening in Vietnam so that I can make my research better."



### 3 Nagasaki University Faculty of Environmental Science (Water Group)

Four students of Year 11 International Course are planning to do field work about water in Hanoi and Halong Bay in Vietnam. Prior to the field work, on Friday, the 1st of July, they visited Associate Professor Hironori Hamasaki at Nagasaki University Faculty of Environmental Science. The students made small presentations about what their research interests were and what they were planning to do in their field work, each of which Associate Professor Hamasaki gave advice to. To the group that would try to investigate the proper management in the amount of the food to prevent water from becoming dirty by fish aquaculture, he advised them that they should compare the amount of food actually given and the proper estimated amount. He also suggested that they interview the local fishermen. Furthermore, he pointed out that there might be some food that contains certain kinds of chemicals, which may be contaminating the water. His advice is so specific that it should help the students very much.

