

【Campus Asia Report】 OGAWA KENTO

Major in your home university : Public Health

Period of your stay : February 2019 – March 2019

Name of the host department : Public Health, Peking University

1. Program description

"First, I'm really appreciate for allowance to join this useful program. This program included the following classes and opportunities, Public Health overview health education, visit of Psychiatric hospital, Global health, Health economics, fangshan Cohort study, Infectious disease, food safety, Air pollution of PM 2.5, CKB data. There were more than 30 hours time in this 3 weeks and we can ask and discuss the questions of the theme directly. We are satisfied of these classes."

2. Learning outcomes

"I have two good results, generally. I could deepen the knowledge about the ongoing public health environment in China, in addition, the expectation of the Chinese government policy to cope with that situation. And, There was an opportunity to present my own topic of research for Chinese researchers in Peking University. They gave me some constructive ideas through discussions. "

3. Experiences in the country you studied

Through the experience the life in Beijing of three weeks, I could gain the two views about the surroundings in China. China is one of the most rapid developing countries, and has been already developed country. There are still some problems about the public health, in particularly, air pollution, smoking habit of people, metabolic issue. I could experience those things directly. Moreover, I could understand the research environments was ideal mainly because professors, teachers and other researchers are supportive to researchers.

4. Influence on future career goals or choices

Now I'm planning that the studying abroad for one year to Peking University. In order to enable to study for long term, I could get the valuable information about selections of the topic, choosing of the supervisor, and basement of the daily life. This is a quite good opportunity to get to know actual situation of studying in Peking University.

I could imagine some part of the future plan.

5. Comments

There is one Chinese proverb, yan jian wei shi 眼見為實. This proverb is literally right. A lot of things about Chinese public health fields surprised me. Finally, Thank you for immense support for me.