"Sekei ga Sensei (The World Is the Teacher)" A Cross-Cultural Learning Project

2023 Applications will be accepted: December 11th ~

International Students Needed

How would you like to have a good time with Nagaokans by introducing them to the culture, history, and customs of your country? You will be a lecturer of a cross-cultural learning project known as "Sekai ga Sensei (The World Is the Teacher)"

We Want to Share with Everyone!

We want to share and spread our culture and traditions by enjoying interactions with many local residents and students!

Please Show Us!!

We want to experience traditions and cultures of various countries around the world by trying on your ethnic costumes, playing games, and cooking together with you!

Nagaoka City International Afffairs Center 2-2-6 Ote Street, Nagaoka City 2 0 2 5 8 - 3 9 - 2714

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* What kind of project is it?

International students (graduate and undergraduate) studying in Niigata Prefecture will be asked to visit schools, community centers, or other facilities in Nagaoka City as lecturers in order to promote mutual understanding among participants through learning about each other's culture, history, lifestyle, and customs.

* What activities are expected?

International students will be asked to give lectures or presentations to participants about your country in various ways, for instance by:

- showing photographs using slides.
- showing your ethnic costumes and letting participants wear them.
- introducing music from your country by playing CDs.
- introducing ethnic dishes by cooking with participants.
- having a good time with participants by playing games from your country.

Eligibility and Requirements for Lecturers

*****Eligibility for Entry

International students who:

- ① are enrolled as graduate or undergraduate students in colleges, universities, or graduate schools in Niigata Prefecture.
- (2) are good speakers of Japanese or English.
- ③ are able to commit themselves to this project for a minimum of one year.
- (4) can lead active interactions with participants.

*****Compensation

- Honorarium for presentations: ¥8,000 per session (withholding a 10.21% income tax)
 - (Except for cases in which a bilateral tax agreement is applicable.)
- Honorarium for briefing with a host school: ¥1,000 (withholding a 10.21% income tax)
 - (Except for cases in which a bilateral tax agreement is applicable.)
- Transportation expenses will be provided for international students living outside of the city boundary.
- Transportation expenses will not be provided for your screening interview.

*****Application Methods

Please fill out the application form with the necessary information and send it, or bring it in person to the Nagaoka City Internationa Affairs Center. (Applications are accepted via E-mail. For further information, you can use the QR code below.)

*****Application Deadline

No later than Wednesday, January 17, 2024

*****Screening Procedure

- 1. Application forms will be reviewed.
- 2. Applicants will be interviewed.
 - Date: Wednesday, January 24, 2024 2:00 p.m.-(If you want another date, please let us know.) Venue: Nagaoka Civic Center

*****For further information and application:

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