

Special Feature

20th Anniversary of the Kyoto Protocol 120th Anniversary of Kyoto University Jikatsu Project



Hey, Kyodai newcomers! Have you heard about "Jikatsu" or the SDGs? Launched last year—the 20th anniversary of the Kyoto Protocol's adoption and the 120th Anniversary of Kyoto University—Jikatsu is a project uniting Kyodai students and faculty with businesses and groups to cooperate and work together. In this, we focus on the UN's Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and, while first studying them, discuss everyday how Kyoto University and individuals can take these Goals to a higher level. Discussions are dynamic, sometimes quiet, mild, reserved, or even hesitant, and sometimes more heated. These discussions are bursting with this, that, and the most curious of ideas! Please take a look at our "Simplified Environment Chart" (a different leaflet), where the details of these discussions are finely recorded! For those of you interested, please contact us! We have a ton of events and activities planned, so keep an eye on our Facebook and website!



The wonder of meeting with different people



Coordination with even elementary schools

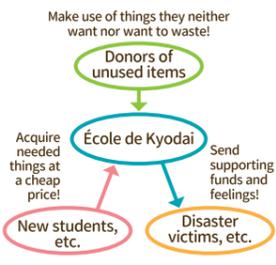


Presentations at international symposiums



"Initiative for New Students & Students from Disaster-Stricken Areas or Developing Countries" Charity Flea Market

As part of École de Kyodai, this Spring we are collecting unused items and selling them in our charity fundraiser for disaster relief. As it's the beginning of the year, we hope to have new students buy our reasonably-priced goods and provide a win-win-win situation (refer to the graphic).



Operating hours	Weekdays 10 : 00 ~ 17 : 00
Location	Main Campus, Faculty of Engineering Engineering Science Departments Building, North Building 7F If lost or the door is locked, please call : 075-753-5922

Sales plans

Brand clothes and shoes, furniture, eating utensils, books, and other items ranging from 10 to 500 yen.

As for payments, if you do not need change, please put it in our donations box. If you need to break money for smaller currency, please call our staff.



Kusu-chan Study Room

Not just new students but everyone is invited to relax in **Room 707**. You can enjoy the sakura at the base of Yoshida Mountain. Depending on the time, we might even have exchanges with study abroad students. Feel free to have our tea and snacks.

Access

Meeting and flea market location (Yoshida Main Campus)



At building No. 57, enter from the West Main Entrance and proceed on the right side. Take the elevator to the 7th Floor. We are in the inner room (eastward), Room 709.

École de Kyodai

Our Activities & 2018 Call for Members

Composed mainly of volunteer students and faculty, through projects open to everyone, École de Kyodai aims to improve environmental awareness and realize a "sustainable campus"!

Starting with our "Early Summer Campaign" from May to June, our many events aren't just for everyone to participate in reducing our burden on the environment, but also to create a place where we can think about the environment both seriously and enjoyably as well as expand "sustainability" and our activities from a campus to global scale. For more details, please take a look at the "Our Activities" section in this leaflet!

It doesn't matter what department or year you're in! Let's work together! Come observe our occasional meetings. We can send you more details about our meetings and where they're held if you just e-mail us. Please don't hesitate to contact us anytime!

"I'm interested in 'eco' and the environment! I definitely want to get involved!"

"I want to cooperate with many people and come up with projects together!"

"I want to do something besides clubs at Kyodai!"

These kinds of friends and colleagues are waiting for you!



Think Globally
Act Locally!!

Feel on the Campus!



"École de Kyodai's Early Summer Campaign" is from May to June and involves a diversity of projects in a variety of places. Check inside for more details! We're planning our "Early Summer Campaign" start-up meeting for the end of April. Every year, Kyodai faculty and clubs, businesses, and groups are cooperating in our projects. If you are interested, please contact us as soon as possible.



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École de Kyodai: Our Activities



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École de Kyodai Website
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Early Summer Campaign 2017

June of every year is "Environment Month", when we conduct several projects for our Early Summer Campaign! In 2017, we had the "Open Lab" in Café Rune, made up of workshops led by environmental researchers. A flea market for disaster relief in Nepal, documentary screenings, the Eco-Eko Project "Yukata Fitting Class", the Jikatsu Project, and much, much more! What kind of plans will we have this year...? Well, why don't you make them with us? There might be plenty of wonderful encounters waiting for you!



P-Ecology



In P-Ecology, we have everyone think about sustainability—from familiar actions to the food we eat. Every year we collaborate with several partners and hold "Tasty Eco"! For example, the FAOxKyodai Dinner Show; the "Ecovege Cooking" class by the Decovege Café; and even the "Dashi Class" by Megumi Hata, manager of Kyoto Hata-ke! We support a sustainable and healthy self-cooking for beginners!

The Blue Seafood Initiative



Actively eating certain species of fish to protect the ocean's resources: this is Blue Seafood. As part of this, École de Kyodai teamed up with Sailors For the Sea Japan and Kyoto University CO-OP to make the Presidential Blue Seafood Curry. With current President Juichi Yamagiwa's supervising from the idea to the taste, we developed this coconut-flavored dish where sablefish, blue mackerel, and scallop play the main roles. Not ending with the last bite, but rather serving as a motivation for thinking, learning, and acting—the *raison d'être* of this new dish.

Rice-Bran Pickle Challenge



Rice-bran pickling requires hands-on tending everyday and has been a technique passed down in households for generations upon generations. In "1 Day 1 Eco/Rice-Bran Pickle Challenge", we take it as a symbol of sustainability in our turnover relay involving several participants. From 2015, we continuously uploaded videos on our École de Kyodai Facebook page and have had over 200 people participate, from Kyodai students to celebrities! Stay tuned for the rice-bran pickling baton coming your way!

The Eco-Eko Project



Reexamining some of the things we casually do everyday and trying to really enjoy them—that goes back to "eco". Focused on Japanese culture, we took these sorts of realizations and held classes on "Brewing Delicious Tea" and "Yukata Fittings"! Those unecological pet-bottled teas taste lacking can't compare to the brewing method we learned using tea leaves and its delicious results, And why address the summer heat with an air conditioner when you could get over it in an elegant yukata?

Kistory



We started this plan with one idea: to revitalize those kimonos sleeping in your dresser. In 2017, we were able to do just that by passing out the 50 kimonos we received from all over Japan to the young. For 2018, we're planning how to level-up our kimono revitalization. Stay tuned!

The Campus Garden Project



A new project initiated in 2017! We're making this garden in front of Research Building No. 5 filled with plants not just pretty to look at, but enjoyable to eat—like vegetables, fruits, herbs, and edible flowers! Located in a familiar place on campus, why not put a little effort in raising food, tasting the fruits of your labor, and—through this local production for local consumption—learn about the roots of food with us?

100-Person Conference



With over 120 members—including professors, students, along with other experts and stakeholders—the "100-Person Conference for Kyoto University's Environment & Sustainability" opens the floor to debates on several topics. Regarding the principles of campus sustainability and concrete measures, we take in various opinions, estimate awareness, and set viable ideas as our goals. Last year at Tofukuji Temple, we practiced zazen meditation, held our meeting, and actually implemented some of the project ideas we received.

Talks are bustling and activities are underway with undergrads, grad students, faculty, and people from outside campus!

Meetings too!



In École de Kyodai, there's nothing more important than the meetings between people. Because environmental problems involve a number of disciplines, there is much interaction with a lot of people. It helps us realize there are many people working out there on these problems unknown to anyone. Meet with people and achieve together—this is an indispensable process to realizing a sustainable society. The picture above is from the 118th Anniversary of Kyoto University in June 2015. We lit our eco-candles made from Katsura's bamboo and recycled oils. We are hoping for more collaborations with more people in 2018!

International symposiums too!



The "Think Globally" of École de Kyodai gives us active participation in environment-related symposiums overseas. We've had representatives attend the Japan US International Symposium for Ocean Conservation in Hawaii and the Our Ocean, One Future Summit in Washington D.C. We've introduced Japan's environmental measures on the global stage and have joined students around the world in learning about the latest research. We take the challenge of addressing environmental problems from a global perspective.

Training tours too!

It's not enough to just be on campus! And so we've been all over Japan. For instance, we've observed the disaster recovery efforts in Kumamoto and Minatama Cities, the frontlines of FP Corporation's food tray recycling in Fukushi City (Hiroshima Prefecture), and SHIZEN ENERGY Inc.'s wind power operations in Karatsu City (Saga Prefecture). We experience the frontlines of "eco" with our eyes and bodies!

