2.6 Exchange Programs

(1) The ALRC Researchers' Travels Abroad

Subdivision of Natural Environment

Otsuki, K.

Pakistan (1 Nov. - 6 Nov., 1998)

"Positive studies for environmental conservation and establishment of sustainable agriculture in arid region"

funded by The Sumitomo Life Insurance Foundation

Subdivision of Water Resources

Yano, T.

Republic of Kazakstan (14 Aug. 1998 - 29 Aug. 1998)

"Development of technology for rehabilitation of salt accumulated soils in the Central Asia" funded by Global Environmental Research Fund from the Environment Agency.

Republic of Kazakstan, Republic of Uzbekistan and Republic of Turkey (19 Sep. 1998 - 10 Oct. 1998) "Development of technology for rehabilitation of salt accumulated soils in the Central Asia"

funded by Global Environmental Research Fund from the Environment Agency.

Kitamura, Y.

Republic of Kazakstan (15 Apr. 1998 - 14 May 1998)

"Development of technology for rehabilitation of salt accumulated soils in the Central Asia" Private expenses

Republic of Kazakstan (10 Jul. 1998 - 25 Jul. 1998)

"Development of technology for rehabilitation of salt accumulated soils in the Central Asia" Private expenses

Republic of Kazakstan, and Republic of Uzbekistan (9 Sep. 1998 - 23 Sep. 1998)

"Development of technology for rehabilitation of salt accumulated soils in the Central Asia" funded by Global Environmental Research Fund from the Environment Agency.

Subdivision of Plant Ecophysiology

Inanaga, S.

Israel, Palestine, Jordan, Syria and Egypt (4 Apr. 1998 - 19 Apr. 1998)

"Investigation on the project for combating desertification in the Middle East"

funded by Ministry of Foreign Affairs

France (29 May 1998 - 31 May 1998)

"Attendance at a steering committee of the World Bank project for combating desertification in the Middle East"

funded by Ministry of Foreign Affairs

Sugimoto, Y.

Sudan and The Netherlands (16 Oct. 1998 - 28 Oct.1998)

"Investigations and discussion on control of parasitic weeds"

funded by Tottori Industrial Technology Association

Subdivision of Plant Production

Toyama, M.
Mongol (25 Apr. 1998 – 5 May 1998)
"Investigations on the effects of using water holding substance on desert areas"
Private expenses
Mongol (23 May 1998 - 6 Jun.1998)
"Investigations on the effects of using water holding substance on desert areas"
Private expenses
Mongol (24 Jun.1998 – 27 Jun.1998)
"Investigation on the effects of using water holding substance on desert areas"
Private expenses
Mongol (8 Jul. 1998 – 15 Jul.1998)
"Investigations on the effects of using water holding substance on desert areas"
Private expenses
Mongol (8 Aug. 1998 – 16 Aug.1998)
"Investigations on the effects of using water holding substance on desert areas"
Private expenses
Mongol (22 Aug.1998 – 29 Aug.1998)
"Investigations on the effects of using water holding substance on desert areas"
Private expenses
Peoples Republic of China (7 Sep. 1998 – 12 Sep.1998)
"Investigations on the effects of using water holding substance on desert areas"
Private expenses
Mongol (17 Oct. 1998 – 24 Oct.1998)
"Investigations on the effects of using water holding substance on desert areas"
Private expenses
Mongol (16 Nov. 1998 – 6 Dec.1998)
"Investigations on the effects of using water holding substance on desert areas"
Private expenses
USA (24 Dec.1998 – 4 Jan.1999)
"Investigations on the effects of using water holding substance on desert areas"
Private expenses
Peoples Republic of China (1 Feb. 1999 – 14 Feb. 1999)
"Discussions on the prevention of desertification and promotion of industries in Ala Shan deserts"
Private expenses
Mongol (11 Mar. 1999 – 20 Mar.1999) "Investigations on the effects of using water holding substance on desert errors"
"Investigations on the effects of using water holding substance on desert areas"
Private expenses
Subdivision of Revegetation and Grassland Development
Tamai, S.
Brazil (8 Feb. 1999 – 7 Mar. 1999)
"Researches on ecosystems of sand dunes and semi-arid areas in northeast Brazil"
funded by Japan International Cooperation Agency
The People's Republic of China (17 Aug. 1998 – 26 Aug. 1998)
"Researches on revegetation of semi-arid areas"
Private Expense

The People's Republic of China (27 Aug. 1998 – 3 Sept. 1997)
"Researches on salt tolerant plants in semi-arid areas"
funded by The Inner Mongolia Academy of Forestry Science
Yamanaka, N.
Brazil (18 May. 1998 – 1 Jul. 1998)
"Researches on ecosystems of sand dunes and semi-arid areas in northeast Brazil"
funded by Japan International Cooperation Agency
The People's Republic of China (17 Aug. 1998 – 31 Aug. 1998)
"Researches on the ecology of arid land plants"
Private Expense

Subdivision of Land Conservation

Yamamoto, T.

Chile (15 Aug. 1998 - 23 Aug. 1998)

"Sustainable development for protection technology of soil degradation in arid land" Allocation from the University Funds

Belgium(26 Aug. 1998 - 29 Aug. 1998)

"Sustainable development for protection technology of soil degradation in arid land" Allocation from the University Funds

(2) Visiting Scholars and Trainees from Abroad

1) Researcher

Center

Subdivision of Water Resources

Rai, Niaz Ahmad (3 Nov. 1997 - 2 Nov. 1998) from Islamic Republic of Pakistan
"Studies on water management for sustainable irrigated agriculture in Pakistan" funded by Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (JSPS)

Subdivision of Plant Ecophysiology

Imad-eldin Ahmed Ali (10 Jul. 1997 - 9 Jul. 1999) from Sudan

"Temperature generated signals in roots and their influence on water transport in plants" funded by Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (JSPS)

2) Trainees

Center

Mohamed Samir Mohamed Abo SOLIMAN (24 Nov. 1998 - 3 Dec. 1998) from Egypt Mahmoud Mohamed Mahmoud SAIED (24 Nov. 1998 - 3 Dec. 1998) from Egypt BALLIS EL Houssein (24 Nov. 1998 - 3 Dec. 1998) from Morocco OMERANI Abdesslam (24 Nov. 1998 - 3 Dec. 1998) from Morocco Bassam Mohammad Ahmed SHALAN (24 Nov. 1998 - 3 Dec. 1998) from Palestine Younis Hassan Khalil SBEIH (24 Nov. 1998 - 3 Dec. 1998) from Palestine Jamel ABIDI (24 Nov. 1998 - 3 Dec. 1998) from Tunisia Nabil HAMADA (24 Nov. 1998 - 3 Dec. 1998) from Tunisia Abdalla Muhammed Ali Ahmad SHISHANI (24 Nov. 1998 - 3 Dec. 1998) from Jordan Mohammad Jamil Moh'd AL FSHAKAT (24 Nov. 1998 - 3 Dec. 1998) from Jordan "Seminar for combating desertification" funded by Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) Tsutomu MOROGUMA (31 Aug. 1998 - 20 Nov. 1998) from Brazil Mina Fawzy SADEK (31 Aug. 1998 - 20 Nov. 1998) from Egypt Elancie MOISE (31 Aug. 1998 - 20 Nov. 1998) from Haiti Bennard IMBAMBI Kasabuli (31 Aug. 1998 - 20 Nov. 1998) from Kenya Saadou Ebih Ould Mohamed El Hacen (31 Aug. 1998 - 20 Nov. 1998) from Mauritania Bernardo MURILLO AMADOR (31 Aug. 1998 - 20 Nov. 1998) from United Mexican States Soud Ali Al Farsi (31 Aug. 1998 - 20 Nov. 1998) from Oman Waleed Ahmed Mohammed Ali DALAAN (31 Aug. 1998 - 20 Nov. 1998) from Saudi Arabia Nadim AL-AHMAD (31 Aug. 1998 - 20 Nov. 1998) from Svria Wasan Junjue (31 Aug. 1998 - 20 Nov. 1998) from Thailand Shawki Sami Hassan Bader El Din (31 Aug. 1998 - 20 Nov. 1998) from Egypt "Water Resources Development and its Use in Arid Areas" funded by Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) Subdivision of Revegetation and Grassland Development Abdou Maisharou (1 Apr. 1998 - 3 Apr. 1998) from Niger "Social Forestry" funded by Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) Antonio Roberto Lisboa de Paula (14 Jul. 1998 - 5 Aug. 1998) from Brazil "Sand dune fixation" funded by Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) Fernando Pereira de Assis (14 Jul. 1998 – 5 Aug. 1998) from Brazil "Sand dune fixation" funded by Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) Sagna Mathar (26 Oct. 1998 – 27 Oct. 1998) from Senegal "Nursery Management" funded by Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA)

Diallo Abdoul (26 Oct. 1998 – 27 Oct. 1998) from Senegal "Nursery Management" funded by Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA)

3) Research Students

Subdivision of Plant Production

Gamaan Rabeea Shamas (1 Oct.1998 – 30 Sep. 1999) from The Sultanate of Oman "Studies on calcium nutrition of crops in the arid regions"

Li Xiang Jun (7 Oct.1998 – 31 Mar. 2000) from The People's Republic of China "Compensation effects of crop growth after insect injuries"

Subdivision of Revegetation and Grassland Development

Chen Yingmin (6 Oct. 1997 - 31 Mar. 1999) from **The People's Republic of China** "Water and nutrient dynamics of plants under semi-arid conditions"