2.6 Exchange Programs

(1) The ALRC Researchers' Travels Abroad

Subdivision of Natural Environment

Kamichika, M.

Peoples Republic of China (19 Sep. 2000 – 26 Sep. 2000)
'Studies on the movement and development use for desert land in Mu Us Shamo' Allocation from the University Funds
Peoples Republic of China (8 Mar. 2001– 12 Mar. 2001)
'Discussion on Japan-China Joint Project' funded by Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (JSPS)

Subdivision of Water Resources

Yano, T.

Israel (10 Mar. 2001 – 18 Mar. 2001)

"Collection of information about research in overseas institutes and investigation of possibility of joint research"

funded by National Institute of Polar Research

Kitamura, Y.

Ghana (30 Oct. 2000 - 25 Nov. 2000)

"Technical assistance of operation and maintenance for the Small-Scale Irrigated Agriculture Promotion Project in Ghana"

funded by Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA)

Pakistan (10 Mar. 2001 - 21 Mar. 2001)

"Research on salt behavior in soil affected by groundwater management and reuse of drainage water using subsurface drainage system"

Monbusho Grant-in Aid for Scientific Research

Subdivision of Plant Ecophysiology

Inanaga, S.

Tunisia (25 Apr. 2000 - 8 May 2000)
'Japan- Tunisia Joint Seminar' Allocation from the University Funds
Peoples Republic of China (1 Jul. 2000 – 8 Jul. 2000)
'Rehabilitation of Grassland and Control of Desertification in Dry Area' Funded by Chinese Academy of Sciences
Peoples Republic of China (2 Oct. 2000 – 6 Oct. 2000)
'Discussion on Japan-China Joint Project' Allocation from the University Funds
Syria (27 Feb. 2001 - 9 Mar. 2001)
'Discussion on JICA-ICARDA Joint Project' funded by Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA)
Peoples Republic of China (11 Mar. 2001 – 12 Mar. 2001)
'Discussion on Japan-China Joint Project' funded by Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (JSPS)

Sugimoto, Y.
USA (30 Jul. 2000 - 5 Aug.2000)
^{27th} Annual Meeting of Plant Growth Regulation Society of America
Monbusho Grant-in Aid for Scientific Research
Peoples Republic of China (8 Mar. 2001–12 Mar. 2001)
'Discussion on Japan-China Joint Project'
funded by Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (JSPS)
Subdivision of Plant Production
Toyama, M.
People's Republic of China (Ala Shan deserts) (1 Apr. 2000 – 10 Apr. 2000)
'Investigation on Forestation and Utilization of Water Holding Substances in Ala Shan deserts
Private expenses
Mongol (24 Apr. 2000 - 7 May 2000)
'Investigations on the effects of using water holding substance on desert areas'
Private expenses
Mongol (10 Jun.2000 – 17 Jun.2000)
'Investigation on the effects of using water holding substance on desert areas '
Private expenses
Mongol (7 Jul. 2000 – 12 Jul.2000)
'Investigations on the effects of using water holding substance on desert areas'
Private expenses
Mongol (22 Jul. 2000 – 26 Jul.2000)
'Investigations on the effects of using water holding substance on desert areas'
Private expenses
Mongol (9 Aug. 2000 - 17 Aug. 2000)
'Investigations on the effects of using water holding substance on desert areas'
Private expenses
Mongol (26 Aug.2000 – 31 Aug.2000)
'Investigation on the effects of using water holding substance on desert areas '
Private expenses
Mongol (20 Sep. 2000 – 28 Sep.2000)
'Investigations on the effects of using water holding substance on desert areas'
Private expenses
Mongol (13 Nov. 2000 – 20 Nov.2000)
'Investigations on the effects of using water holding substance on desert areas'
Private expenses
People's Republic of China and Mongol (1 Dec.2000 – 13 Dec. 2000)
'Investigation on the effects of using water holding substance on desert areas'
Private expenses
United States (4 Feb. 2001 – 11 Feb. 2001) 'Discussion on forestation strategies in dry group'
'Discussion on forestation strategies in dry areas'
Private expenses
Morocco (20 Feb. 2001 – 28 Feb.2001) 'Investigations on the effects of using water holding substance on desert areas'
Private expenses
Private expenses People's Republic of China and Mongol (8 Mar.2001 – 20 Mar. 2001)
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'Investigation on the effects of using water holding substance on desert areas' Private expenses

Subdivision of Revegetation and Grassland Development

Tamai, S.

People's Republic of China (17 Aug.2000 – 9 Sep.2000)

'Researches on the ecological characteristics of salt tolerant plants and soil improvement in salt accumulated areas along the yellow river'

funded by Nippon Life Insurance Foundation

Yamanaka, N.

People's Republic of China (27 Aug. 2000 – 13 Sep. 2000) 'Researches on the ecology of arid land plants ' Private expense

Subdivision of Land Conservation

Yamamoto, T.

Israel (3 Jul.2000-8 Jul.2000)

"Effect of microirrigation on degradation of soil and water in arid land areas"

Allocation from the University Funds

USA (9 Jul. 2000-13 July 2000)

"Preventing Algae Clogging of Filter and Emitter in Microirrigation System", Annual Meeting of American Society Agricultural Engineering Allocation from the University Funds

Inoue, M.

Peoples Republic of China (27 Aug. - 7 Sep. 2000)

'Investigating the Irrigation Projects of Combating Desertification and Presentation at the Japan - China Joint Seminar'

funded by the Japanese Institute of Irrigation and Drainage (JIID)

Peoples Republic of China (11 March - 17 March 2001)

'Views and problem in future on Rural Maintenance and Water Use Development of Agriculture'

funded by the Japanese Institute of Irrigation and Drainage (JIID)

Wen, G.

USA (4 Nov.2000-18 Nov.2000)

"N Recovery from Regular and Coated Fertilizers for Peanut Production in a Sand Soil in Tottori Sand Dune"

Monbusho Grant-in-Aid for Scientific Research of JSPS Fellows

(2) Visiting Scholars and Trainees from Abroad

1) Researcher

Center

Chen Gai Xue (13 June 2000 - 16 June 2000) from Peoples Republic of China

'For pre-discussion to conclude agreement of academic exchange and cooperation'

funded by Chinese Academy of Science

Yao Zhi Min (13 June 2000 - 16 June 2000) from Peoples Republic of China

'For pre-discussion to conclude agreement of academic exchange and cooperation' Allocation from the University Funds

Subdivision of Natural Environment

 He Wen Jun (1 Apr.2000 – 30 June 2000) from Peoples Republic of China
 'Studies on the effect of soil surface mulching for the agricultural development in arid' Private expenses

- Yao Hong Lin (20 Feb. 2001 28 Feb. 2001) from Peoples Republic of China
 'Observation of desertification area in Inner Mongolia using remote sensing technique and its development and utilization'
 funded by China Government
- Yang Wen Ding (20 Feb. 2001 28 Feb. 2001) from Peoples Republic of China 'Observation of desertification area in Inner Mongolia using remote sensing technique and its development and utilization' funded by China Government
- Yan De Ren (20 Feb. 2001 28 Feb. 2001) from Peoples Republic of China'Observation of desertification area in Inner Mongolia using remote sensing technique and

its development and utilization'

funded by China Government

Subdivision of Plant Ecophysiology

Ma Yong quin (29 Aug. 1999 - 28 Aug. 2001) from Peoples Republic of China 'Identification of *Striga hermonthica* germination stimulant from nonhost plant root culture'

funded by Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (JSPS)

- Qiman Younusi (1 Dec. 1999 20 Nov. 2000) from Peoples Republic of China 'Plant response to drought and salinity stresses' funded by Chinese Government
- Miroslava Luxova (1 Feb. 2001 31 March 2001) form Slovakia 'Crop response by environmental stress' Private expense

Subdivision of Plant Production

Lei Jia Qiang (28 March 2001 – 29 May 2001) from Peoples Republic of China 'Environment in arid area and ecology of drought tolerant plants' Exchange Program

funded by Chinese Academy of Science

Subdivision of Revegetation and Grassland Development

- Zou Xue Zhong (2 Feb., 2001 9 Feb. 2001) from Peoples Republic of China 'Studies on the effect of aridity gradient on vegetation in eastern China' funded by Nippon Life Insurance Foundation
- Wu Yue Liang (2 Feb. 2001 9 Feb. 2001) from Peoples Republic of China
 'Studies on the vegetation and forest management in Liaoning Province, China' funded by The Liaoning Academy of Forestry
- Wang Tai Xiang (2 Feb.. 2001 9 Feb. 2001) from Peoples Republic of China 'Studies on the vegetation and forest management in Liaoning Province, China' funded by The Liaoning Academy of Forestry
- Zhang Yun Jiang (2 Feb. 2001 9 Feb. 2001) from Peoples Republic of China 'Studies on the vegetation and forest management in Liaoning Province, China' funded by The Liaoning Academy of Forestry

Subdivision of Land Conservation

Guang Wen (1 Apr.1999-31 Mar.2001) from Canada'Effect of recycling material on soil improvement for irrigated fields in arid land areas' funded by Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (JSPS)

2) Trainees

Center

Mercedes YUCRA Solano (14 Aug. 2000 – 7 Dec. 2000) from the Republic of Bolivia REOUEBMEL Noc (14 Aug. 2000 – 7 Dec. 2000) from the Republic of Chad Jeny Perez PETITON (14 Aug. 2000 – 7 Dec. 2000) from the Republic of Cuba Belete TAFERE Desta (14 Aug. 2000 – 7 Dec. 2000) from Ethiopia FOUCAULT Antoine Emmaunel Andre (14 Aug. – 7 Dec. 2000) from the Republic of Haiti BOUBACAR Mourby (14 Aug. 2000 – 7 Dec. 2000) from the Republic of the Niger Naeem Said AL Shogaiba (14 Aug. 2000 – 7 Dec. 2000) from the Sultanate Oman Kenneth M MSIBI (14 Aug. 2000 – 7 Dec. 2000) from the Kingdom of Swaziland Yahia TOUJJAR (14 Aug. 2000 – 7 Dec. 2000) from the Syrian Arab Republic 'Irrigation Water Resources in Arid and Semiarid Regions and E.I.A.(Environment Impact Assessment) for Sustainable Development' funded by Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA)

3) Research Students

Subdivision of Water Resources

Yang Xiu Zhen (10 Oct. 2000 – 31 Mar. 2001) from **People's Republic of China** 'Studies on uptake of nutrient salts by plants under saline water irrigation'

Subdivision of Plant Production

Han Wen Jun (1 Oct. 2000 – 31 Mar. 2001) from **People's Republic of China** 'Studies on the characteristics of useful plants in the arid regions'

Subdivision of Land Conservation

Dehghani-Sanij, Hossein (4 Jan. 2001 – 31 March 2001) form **the Islamic Republic of Iran** 'Irrigation scheduling by micro-irrigation system'