

AC21 Thai-Japanese Cross-cultural Interaction through TV conference

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AC21

- The Academic Consortium (AC21)
 - An international network of educational organizations throughout the world.
 - Encouraging the advancement of global cooperation
 - Contributing to higher education, regional societies, and the world.
- Chulalongkorn University in Thailand
 - Distinguished Institution

Purpose of our project

- Learn and appreciate how other cultures have impacted our own culture.
- Understand the historical benefits derived from other cultures
 - including positive and negative consequences.

Procedure of our project

- Learn some cultural influences through fieldwork at a place.
 - The place with a deep cultural influence from Thailand.
- Make a twenty-minute summary of our discoveries with PowerPoint.
- Exchange our views with Thai students through a television conference.

Requirement of participants

- Group: Three to five students
- Attend lunchtime talks and presentation sessions
- Create your own 20-minute presentation with PowerPoint
- Organizing a teamwork presentation for the group in Thailand
 - Including its digital and oral parts

Schedule

- 1 Preliminary Session 10:30-12:00. Fri. Jan. 18, 2008
- 2 Lunchtime Talk (1) *Thai-Japanese Cultural History* ASAP (One hour)
- 3 Lunchtime Talk (2) *Thai-Japanese Cultural History* ASAP (One hour)
- 4 Group Fieldwork at Nittai Temple ASAP
- 5 Independent Presentation (1) *Two ten-minute presentations & Short Question time*
- 6 Independent Presentation (2) *Two/Three ten-minute presentations & Short Question time*
- 7 Non-supervised Student Session: Making a PowerPoint file and a manuscript for the team-work presentation
- 8 Preliminary Presentation for the Supervisors **2:30-4:00. Tue. Mar. 4**
 - Advice and hints for improving the quality of the presentation
- 9 Team-work Presentation for the Thai group **2:30-4:00 (12:30-14:00 Thai Standard Time)**
Tue. Mar. 11
 - Presentation and Discussion through a TV conference
- **Note: Every session is to be filmed and photographed for further educational purposes.**

English to be used

- Preferably Flawless, standardized English
- Fine with an English flavored with our cultural influences.
- Professor Stavoy is going to help you!

Supervisors and Students

- Motto:
- Be frank and constructive with each other.
- We are open to your suggestions

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