Introduction

Nagaoka is located in the middle of Niigata Pref., which is a quiet city accessible from Tokyo in about 90 minutes by the Japanese Bullet Train (Jo-etsu Shinkansen). Every summer, the city gives famous Nagaoka fireworks display which attracts a large crowd from all over Japan. The city is a part of an area known with high snow fall in the winter.

Nagaoka University of Technology (NUT) is one of the prime universities in the engineering branch in Japan, covering a whole array of technical fields. Many of its faculty have rich business background to help foster world-class creative engineers and researchers. NUT has turned out more than 20,000 graduates since its inception in 1976 who are taking active parts in various industry sectors in Japan and overseas.

Basic Information (As of May 1, 2016)

- Faculties & Graduate Schools
  - School of Engineering (10 Courses)
  - 5-year Integrated Doctoral Program (Science of Technology Innovation Course)
  - Graduate School of Engineering (11 Master Courses / 4 Doctoral Courses)
  - Graduate School for Management of Technology (System Safety Course)

- Number of Int’l Students on the register
  - 309 (including Thai Student: 32 )

- Int’l Exchange Agreements
  - with 104 Institutes of 27 countries/regions (17 institutes in Thailand)

Mission of the office

1) To enhance research and educational collaborations between Thai universities and Nagaoka University of Technology

2) To increase number of companies and institutes which offer internship to Nagaoka University of Technology, Toyohashi University of Technology and KOSEN (National Colleges of Technology) students

3) To enhance collaborations between Thai universities, Thai industries and Nagaoka University of Technology

4) To increase Number of exchange students between Thailand and Japan (Nagaoka University of Technology)