Orientation for Internship Program

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Objectives of Internship Program

- To foster practical expertise, technical skills and environmental management skills through a combination of on-site experience and classes.
- To broaden practical and technical senses related to global environmental issues.
- To extract and study the issues related to the global/local environment through practical experience, and search for methods to resolve them.

GSGES Internship Program (1)

- Compulsory subject in Environmental Management Course (Master's / Doctoral)
- 10 credits are counted.
 - for Master's course student
 - 8 credits for implementation of interns
 - 2 credits for attendance at Internship program debriefing
 - for Doctoral course student
 - 10 credits for implementation of interns (you have to report your intern)

GSGES Internship Program (2)

- Period
 - For master's course students (2 options)
 - 1) Long-term internship: 3 to 5 months or
 - Short-term internship: at least 1 month
 - + Preliminary study for master's thesis
 - For doctoral course students, at least 5 months

Evaluation of Grades

- Done by your supervisor and sub-supervisor
- Considering the evaluation by organization/institution
- Requirements
 - Submission of complete set of reports (Keep all the documents/reports in the guidebook or website)
 The report sets are slightly different in long/short-term internship program.
 - Interview
 - Presentation

Institution / Organization (1)

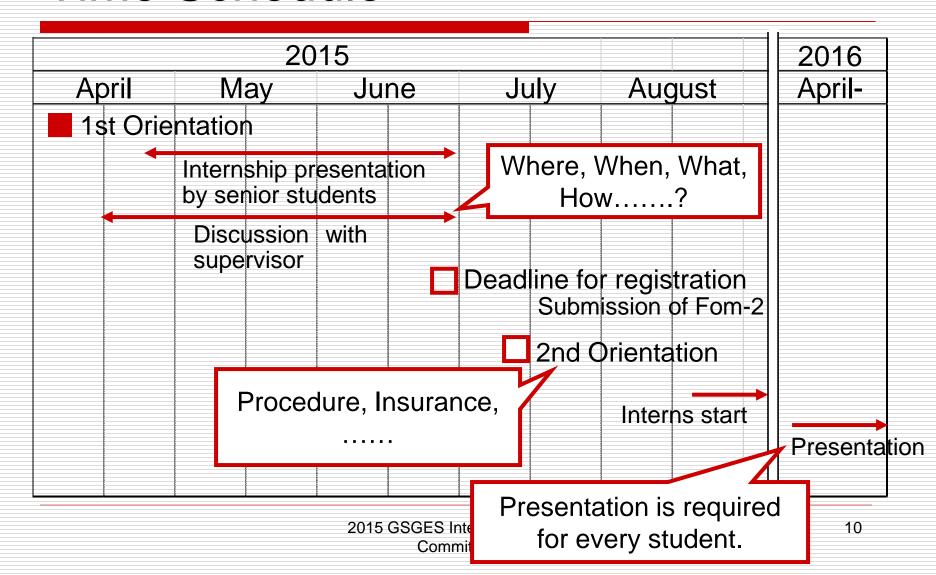
- ☐ GSGES have made arrangements with more than 150 domestic and international organizations to serve as hosts for the internship program.
 - Private Sector
 - Public office
 - Overseas institution, university
 - NGO/NPO, etc.
 - Only for short-term internship program,
 - Labs in other university in Japan

You can see the details of institutions / organizations at our website. (Sorry, Japanese only)

Institution / Organization (2)

- Internship programs organized by outside institutions / organizations (e.g. JICA) can be transferred, if they meet our requirements mainly in terms of the period and subject.
- □ It is possible to make new arrangements.

Time Schedule



Practical Examples by Senior Students

- List of organizations
 - See Guidebook
 - Keep visiting the GSGES website
 - Latest information
 - http://www.ges.kyoto-u.ac.jp/intern/index.html
- Internship Presentation Meeting
 - April 24, May 8, May 15, May 22, May 29, Early December (13:30 – around 17:00)
 - M2, D students reports his/her internship activities.
 - Good opportunities to communicate with senior students
 - You have to join this meeting series.
 - Presentation will be evaluated for grades by Professors.

Transfer of Work Experience to the Internship Program

- The internship study committee may approve your working experience as completing the internship program, if the experiences can meet the following our requirements;
 - The work experience should be related to environmental management
 - The following terms of work experiences are required; For long-term internship: at least 5 years experiences For short-term internship: at least 2 years experiences
 - The application for the transfer is subjected to the review by committee members (Presentation and Interview).
- Applicants must submit the application form (Form-17) and a curriculum vitae (free format) to the administration office after the discussion with their academic supervisor (See the guideline).

Thank you for your attention.