



# Living Together with Communities

We understand the situation of the community, as well as the thoughts of the people there, raise our sensibility and think of their future needs.

## Korean university students received as interns (at the Toyama Works)

We received two students from Korea's College of Information Technology and Engineering, Inha University, as interns at our Toyama Works for five days from February 20 to 24, 2012.

During the internship period, the interns underwent practical training mainly on the structure of semiconductor-manufacturing equipment and process development, along with technical and cultural exchanges through roundtable talks held with executives and young employees. Before and after the internship period, the interns were given opportunities to participate in beach volleyball, sightseeing trips, and many other kinds of activities to learn Japanese culture and our state-of-the-art technology. We later received a letter of thanks from the university for having received the interns.

We intend to continue actively receiving foreign students as interns, thereby fostering an even friendlier relationship with the universities in related countries.



A letter of thanks (escutcheon)

## Participation in joint seashore cleaning by the Hitachi Group (Toyama region)

The joint cleaning of the Iwasehama seashore near Toyama City by the Hitachi Group (Toyama region) was conducted on Saturday, September 8, 2012. A total of 194 sweaty employees from 13 Hitachi Group companies participated in the cleaning project. Among the 194 participants, 92 were from our Group, including their family members.

The work took more than an hour, but resulted in a clean, nice beach and marine park.

This seashore cleaning volunteering project is scheduled to continue as a volunteer project of the Hitachi Group next year and onward.



Cleaning work conducted by employees scattered on the beach under intense sunshine in September



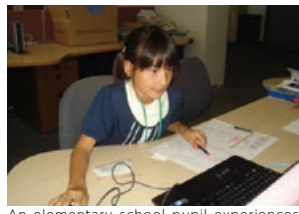
Participants in the seashore cleaning

## Cooperating with elementary school in social learning

Our Koganei Works cooperated with neighboring elementary schools in their "learning about work," and received pupils for "work experience" and "work interviews."

In October 2012, we received two sixth-year pupils for work experience and had them do PC input work, take inspection tours for workplace safety, and do other work for two days at the Administration Department.

In January 2013, we received work interviews and questions



An elementary school pupil experiences working

about "work and companies" from six second-year pupils.

By receiving these requests, we wanted the pupils to understand "the importance of work" and "the hardships endured by fathers and mothers." But we reaffirmed the difficulty of teaching children how to work, or giving them explanations, as having been fresh experiences that we usually cannot have. Conversely, it felt as if we adults had learned from them.

We will continue to cooperate for providing some help in training "human resources supporting the future."



Elementary school pupils visiting our premises for a work interview

## Basic life support learned from "Let's Learn Together: A Rescue and Life-saving Seminar (commonly known as "Minkyu")"

On March 19, 2013, through the intermediary of the industrial physician for our Koganei Works, we received members of the group "Let's Learn Together: The Rescue and Life-saving Organizing Committee (commonly known as "Minkyu")," a volunteer association consisting of medical students from Nippon Medical School serving as instructors at our Koganei Works. Then a total of 28 employees (health and safety committee members of each company) from our Company, Hitachi Kokusai Electric Services Inc. (today's Hitachi Kokusai Yagi Solutions Co., Ltd.), and Kokusai Electric Techno Service Co., Ltd. learned "Basic Life Support (BLS)" or primary cardiopulmonary resuscitation through ordinary rescue training.

On the day of the training, the trainees were divided into groups, each consisting of two or three members. By using dummies, the instructors from "Minkyu" taught the trainees how to perform heart massage and artificial respiration, and operate the AED. At the end of the training, all the participants received a certificate of completion.

With the present project as the turning point, we will systematically hold ordinary life-saving seminars centering on primary cardiopulmonary resuscitation throughout our Group to encourage employees to raise their awareness and improve their skills, so as to become able to volunteer and perform rescue and life-saving tasks not only for people in the company but also eventually for any citizen that may collapse on the street.



An employee of our Company experiencing heart massage



Medical students of Nippon Medical School with employees of our Company

## Voice

It was our first effort, but ended in a friendly manner among the juniors of my old school and the employees of our company, and thus I felt relieved. Everyone worked on it seriously and some people apparently had muscle pain the next day.

Statistics show that it takes about eight minutes from calling for an ambulance to its arrival at the scene. Should an ordinary citizen perform "BLS" in the meantime, the patient's chances for survival will rise remarkably. With this project as the turning point, I will give assistance so that every employee will become skilled at BLS, and that more employees will seek training as advanced trainees.



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