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On 20th June, 2015 I participated in the 1st Foreign Exchange Student Study Tour. I left home (The University dormitory) at about 7am together with other international students from China and Sri-Lanka, we trek from the University to the AizuWakamatsu Station to take a Bus to Koriyama, and arrived Koriyama in the morning around 8:30am where we mate other students from various institutions within the Fukushima Prefecture, and also we mate organizers of the Tour in the Station. Not Quite long in the station we were ask to enter into a bus to start moving from Koriyama to various locations as scheduled in the participant' s guide.

The first place we visited after leaving Koriyama was the Fukushima Agricultural Technology Centre, where we listened for a short lecture/seminar from the management staff of the Centre, and also we went round to see the all the sophisticated machines they were using for food inspections such as germanium semiconductor detectors. According to the lecture and what I have seen and confirmed, the inspections were conducted before shipping using the above named equipment at the Centre. We spent 1 hour and 20minutes in the Centre.

Furthermore, we took our lunch at Kurayashiki Adamusa, which is about 1 hour 30minutes trip by bus from the Centre. Then we trek to otazukikura-doori where our bus was packed.

Yamatogawa Sake Brewery is a very historical place for making breweries, we visited the place to hear an explanation about Aizu Electric Company' s efforts, and also to listen to a brief explanation about how was that brewery company was constructed and they are preparing the products.

NPO Kitakata Green Tourism Centre was a point where local farmers welcomed us, we were divided into various groups based on the Nationality and Gender, and each group belongs to one corresponding local farmer. We joined them to their houses for accommodation and Dinner. We stayed in this farm location until the next day in the morning where we were taken to the farms to see many agricultural products, and then conveyed back to NPO Kitakata Green Tourism Centre by 10:40am.

We trained ourself for painting at Tsurugajo Kaikan Akabeko Painting Experience, we had our Lunch there, after which we proceeded to Tsurugajo Castle Tour, and left the place by 14:00. Our finally visitation was at IIE which is factory for interior goods, manufacturing using local materials making both producers and users happy. We discussed at length with the Representative Director of IIE "Takuro Yazu" .

Finally, we arrived our finally destination AizuWakamatsu Station at 16:00.

The Tour was an interesting that if given the same chances next year I will love to be part of it again.