

Study  
Tour

# STUDY TOUR TO OSAKA

## ON TECHNOLOGIES AND MEDIA DESIGN

26 - 30 MAY 2015



Group Photo outside Osaka Castle

### Activity Outline

The present project is submitted for a group of students in the Associate of Science in Creative and Interactive Media Production (CIMP) to visit Osaka, Japan. Japan is one of the top Asian countries in design, art and new media and technologies, and also one of the closest competitors to Hong Kong in the technology and media industries. The creative media and IT industries are competing in a global environment. Grasping at the latest knowledge and development of computer technologies in our neighboring region will definitely benefit to our students. Mr. Nelson Tsang and 16 students have visited Osaka on 26 to 30 May 2015.



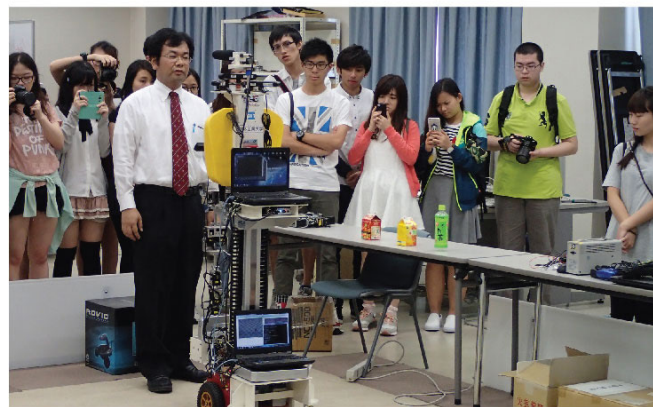
## Student Reflections

**Kwan Hoi Wa, Ashley (AScCIMP year 2 student)**

Thank you for Community College of City University giving us a chance to join the study tour. In this tour to Osaka, it gave me a very unforgettable experience. We went to Osaka Institute of Technology, Osaka castle, Kyoto, Nara. In the visit of the institution, we have chance to watched the demonstration of their works. After that, I learned the history of Japan by visited the Osaka castle. In the other day, we went to Kyoto. This is a very beautiful place with traditional temples and natural view. The architecture of their houses and temples are very special. In Nara, I can interacted with the deers in a park. It was quite strange to me because we don't have chance to get in touch with the animals as close as in Nara park. After I got this experience, I fell in love with this place! If I use one sentence to conclude the impressions of Japan, it will be "I am so admire the cultural preservation and the etiquette of Japanese."



Mr. Nelson Tsang provides photography advice to students.



The professor of Osaka Institute of Technology demonstrates their robotic project to CCCU students.

**WAI Fong Ching, Cecilia(AScCIMP year 1 student)**

Our schedule was very tight, in these few days we have visited the temple, the University of Osaka, Osaka Castle , Nara and Universal Studio. Since we had not book coach so everywhere we went, we went by the JR or train. Mr. Tsang taught us how to buy the ticket, if we join the agent's tour, we will not learn these things .I found Japan has a high technology, when I use the machine to buy JR ticket, it can read the denomination of the money and gave you back the changes by paper money, not the coins, it is very convenience.

On the second day, we arrived the Osaka Institute of Technology. In the entree, they had put a banner with the words" Welcome CCCU" there that surprised us. They were very friendly. The university let a Japanese student guide us to a room. In the room, the professor showed us a robot, it listened to the order of the professor, and picked up the things that he wanted, then gave it to the people he pointed out. It was amazing that university students can make those type of high tech machine out. After the introduction had finished, we went to canteen, we bought the lunch through the lunch ticket vending machine, it was convenience, we talked to the Japanese student, he was very talkative, we also learnt some Japanese speaking, and we became friend through this trip.