

9. ジェンダーバイアスとその克服（2）：構造理解

Some children seemed puzzled at the gap

between what they were seeing and what they had in mind before the event.

Gender bias has a great impact on our perception, and it might seem difficult to change.

However, the story of Michelle Wu suggests otherwise.

Michelle became the mayor of Boston in 2021, the first woman to hold that position.

On the day of her election, her little son asked, "Mom, can a boy become a mayor, too?"

Just one instance was enough for him to form a bias that is completely the opposite

of what society had shared for a long time. With a wider range of role models,

children will be able to pursue their dreams more freely and gender bias can be overcome.

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