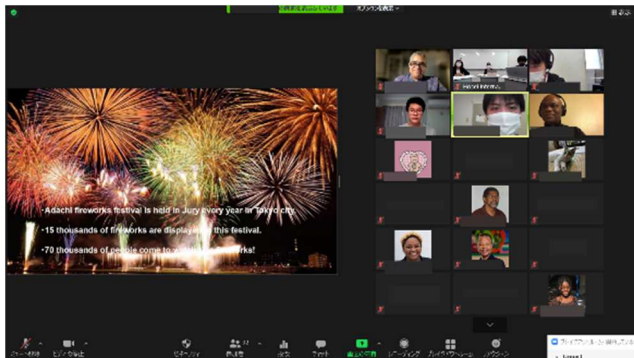


—法政大学 SGU 事業のお知らせ—

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■ Festivals in the Bahamas and Omatsuri in Japan

On April 20, we had our second online cultural exchange with students from a partner university, the University of the Bahamas, and the theme was festivals (*omatsuri*). Participants learned about a traditional Bahamas festival, “Junkanoo”, from Associate Professor Nicolette Bethel while a sophomore student majoring in English Literature delivered a presentation on Fireworks Shows (*Hanabi Taikai*). Students said that the event provided them with a precious opportunity to learn about Bahamas culture!



< Presentation of our students >

■ Student Online Event with Busan University of Foreign Studies

To facilitate communication among students, the Academic Strategy and Planning Office organized two exchange events with students from Busan University of Foreign Studies. The theme for March was “What’s trending?”, and students had fun talking and learning about trending dramas, *anime*, games and so on in Korea and Japan! A Faculty of Cultural Communication sophomore, Kyoka Atsumi, planned and ran the April event. The theme? “10 things you want to do while you are a university student”! Foreign language certificates topped the list, but many expressed a desire to travel and participate in various extra-curricular activities!

■ Global Education Center (GEC) and Career Center Joint Event

How can you effectively use university programs in job hunting? On May 7, about 180 sophomore and junior students participated in an online event jointly organized by GEC and the Career Center to pick up some tips. Understandably, many students expressed their worries about the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on job hunting, but the event has apparently given students a gentle push to be more proactive as indicated by the boost in applications to some programs after the event!

■ Global Day 2021!!

Our much-acclaimed annual event, Global Day, was held online on May 9! This student-organized event is part of the SGU project aimed at arousing interest in international cooperation and international exchange. The event began with recognizing students who have actively engaged in international activities, followed by a thematic panel discussion on refugees with Jotaro Kato, an adjunct lecturer at the Faculty of Lifelong Learning and Career Studies, and Rurika Hasegawa, a Rohingya with Japanese nationality. The panel discussion is followed by various thematic “booths”, spanning “World Cuisine”, “K-Pop”, “K-Drama”, “Global Quiz”, “Play with English”, and “Global x Conversation”, that participants freely participated in. A very enriching Sunday indeed!



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