## Research Activity Report

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### 1. Country/location of visit

Myouko kougen Nigata, Japan

### 2. Research project

Sasagamine field science course

### 3. Date (departing from/returning to Japan)

2014. 07. 22 – 2014. 07. 25 (4 days)

### 4. Main host researcher and affiliation

Kyoto University Sasagamine Hutte

### 5. Progress and results of your research/activity (You can attach extra pages if needed)

Please insert one or more pictures (to be publicly released). Below each picture, please provide a brief description.

In this field science course, I learned how to walk and reading a map, a variety of tie the rope, observe plants, flowers and animal feces. On the third day, we climbed Hiuchi mountain, it was 12 hour hike. The top of the mountain was very windy, cold and rainy. It was really hard for me and difficult to have wide interests because of getting tired.

Sasagamine hutte was really very nice. I have never tried to hike or climb a mountain during winter, but I will do the best and hope to enjoy the hutte again next march.

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### 6. Others