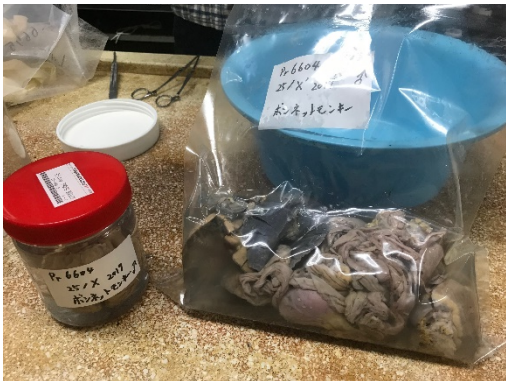



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<b>1. Country/location of visit</b>
Japan Monkey Centre
<b>2. Research project</b>
Zoo/ Museum Course
<b>3. Date (departing from/returning to Japan)</b>
2019. July 17 – 2019. July. 19 (3days)
<b>4. Main host researcher and affiliation</b>
Mr. Shintaku, curator at Japan Monkey Centre
<b>5. Progress and results of your research/activity</b> (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.
<p>Schedule of this course</p> <p>Day 1    Lecture about history of Japan Monkey Centre (Dr. Idani)                  Observation of making specimens</p> <p>Day 2    Experience of feeding for Japanese macaques and squirrel monkeys                  Observation of surgical operation for a Yaku macaque                  Lecture about the roles of zoo and museum (Mr. Takano)                  Observation of exhibit</p> <p>Day 3    Observation of treatment by veterinarian                  Lecture about zoo education and survey of visitors (Ms. Akami)</p> <p>During this course, I experienced and observed various works of curators and caretakers. There were a lot of attempts to develop environmental enrichment in foraging or playing in breeding space. Moreover, caretakers and veterinarians devotedly took care and conducted treatment not only for healthy individuals but also old or injured ones. Curators gave us lectures about the role of curators and how they work for zoos. I learned curators have an important role to connect researchers, citizens, caretakers and animals. These experiences will help me if I conduct a cooperative research with zoo in the future.</p>
<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p><b>Figure 2</b> We observed how to make specimen.</p> </div> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p><b>Figure 1</b> There were a lot of interesting exhibitions.</p> </div> </div>

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Figure 3 I experienced feeding for squirrel monkeys.



Figure 4 Environmental enrichment for Ring-tailed lemurs

## 6. Others

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