Nagasaki University and Moi University (Kenya) conclude an Agreement on Academic Cooperation, and Memorandum of Understanding on Student Exchange Based on the Academic Cooperation Agreement.

On Oct. 10, at the signing ceremony that was held at Nagasaki University, President Shigeru Katamine of Nagasaki University and Vice Chancellor Professor Richard K. Mibey of Moi University signed an Agreement of Academic Cooperation, as well as a Memorandum of Understanding on Student Exchange Based on the Academic Cooperation under the presence of concerned parties, the Dean of Graduate School of Engineering, Professor Takakazu Ishimatsu, Professor Senya Kiyasu, and Professor Tomoaki Itayama.

Since the first visit of the Dean, Prof. Ishimatsu and other engineering members to Moi University in January, 2012, both universities have had repeated consultations and come to the conclusion to conduct of joint research in the area of Water Environment, Health Science, and Fisheries Science which lead to this Agreement and Memorandum.

At the ceremony speech, President, Katamine had expressed anticipation of active exchanges between both universities, pointing out the necessity for accumulation of comprehensive knowledge that includes various related areas through the cooperative research with Engineering, Fisheries, and Health Departments not only the research of medical area for the solution of local health problems. Prof. Mibey also told press that the mission of Moi University is to take responsibilities for the development and the stability of Kenyan society through academic improvement and creation of industries.

He also expressed anticipation for improving human resources to contribute to the future development of Kenya.

Currently, the commencement of joint research related to the improvement of water environment is been discussed between two universities.