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KI-OU Joint Symposium, April 27 2016

Karolinska Institutet and the Graduate School of Medicine co-hosted an immunology symposium on April 27th, with its financial support provided by IPBS. There was an attendance of 130 people including students and researchers both from Osaka and Karolinska.



IPBS-National Taiwan University Symposium, May 21 2016

The IPBS-NTULS International Symposium—Fusion: Interdisciplinary Research in Life Sciences—was successfully held at the Center of Medical Innovation and Translational Research on Saturday May 21, 2016. The symposium was a joint event organized solely by students from the IPBS and NTULS (College of Life Science, National Taiwan University). 22 NTULS students and professors flew in Osaka for this all-day event; it featured two keynote lectures by Masaru Ishii and Hao-Sen Chiang, 6 student oral presentations, 18 student poster presentations, and a student workshop.



MEET THE LEADERS

The IPBS students regularly invite a leader of their selection and organize a seminar with him or her to discuss about leadership. Below is a list of the recently invited speakers.

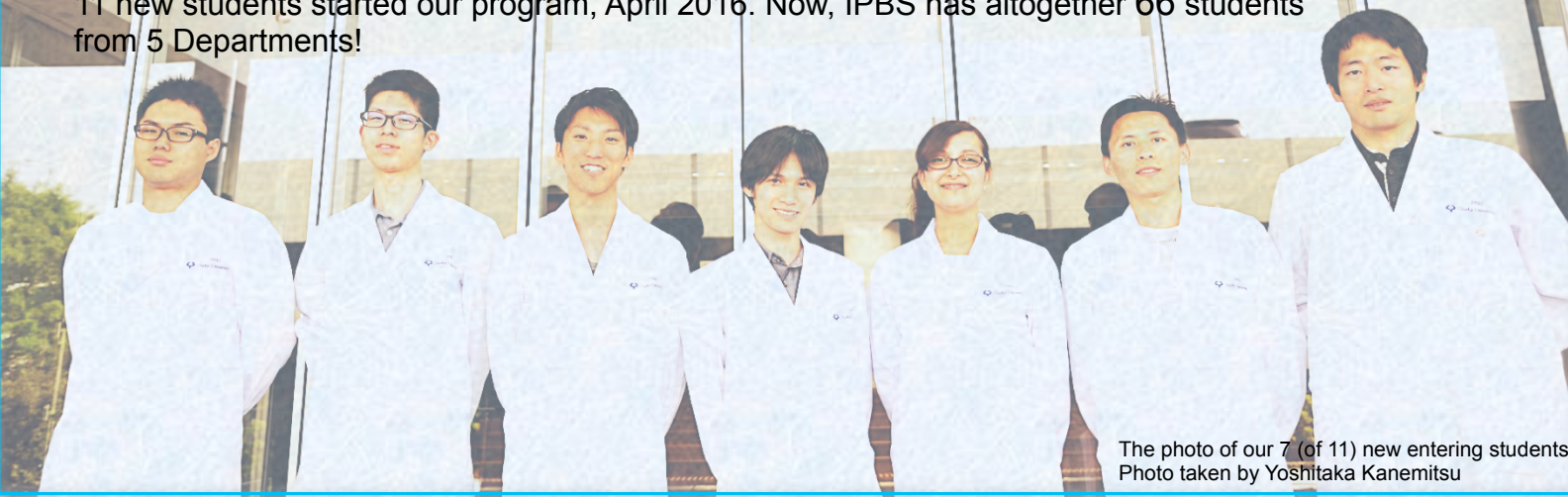
- **Masayuki Uehara**, from Shinshu University (organized by Arima and Miyagawa): 11/09/2015
- **Kenji Iijima**, from Interactive Materials Science Cadet Program, Osaka University (organized by Inai): 03/16/2016
- **Takayoshi Mamino**, from Hosei University (organized by Meichin): 04/20/2016

M2 curriculum: Academic Writing Course

M2 students finished a 1 week academic writing course taught by Piet van der Laan, an instructor from the Language Center of University Medical Center Groningen, on April 15th.

We have welcomed 11 new students from April 2016

11 new students started our program, April 2016. Now, IPBS has altogether 66 students from 5 Departments!



The photo of our 7 (of 11) new entering students
Photo taken by Yoshitaka Kanemitsu