

MY EXPERIENCES

AT CROSS-CULTURAL ENGINEERING PROJECT IN JAPAN

CEP@SIT PROGRAM

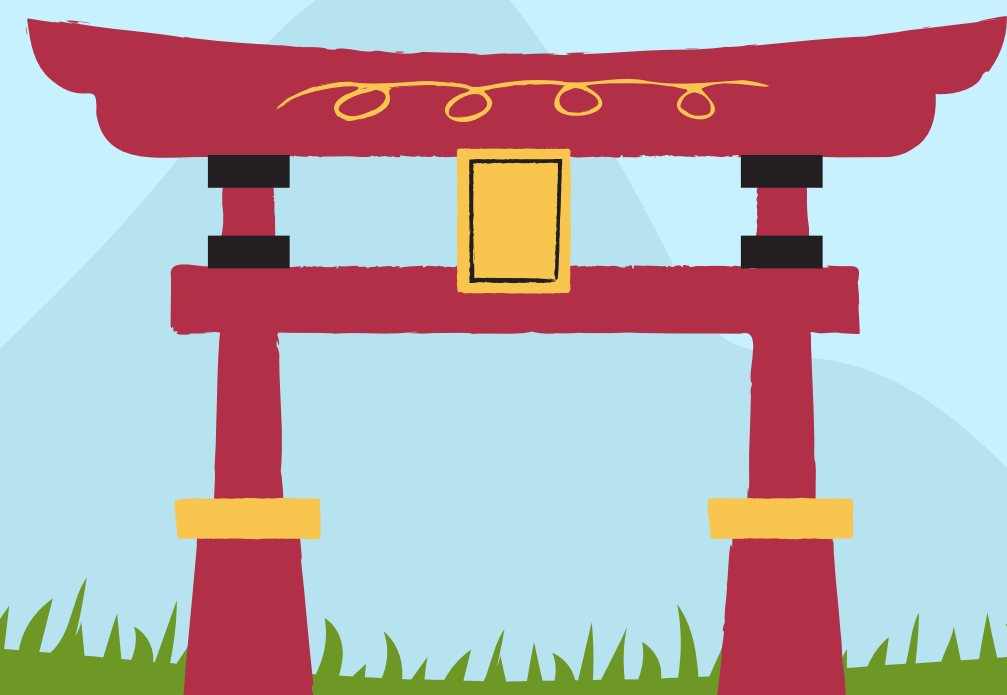
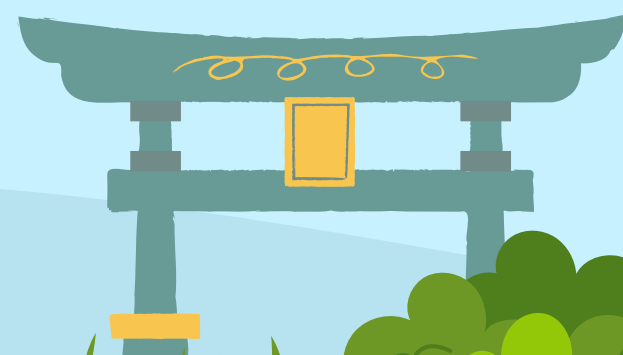
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DAY 1: ARRIVAL AND Welcome

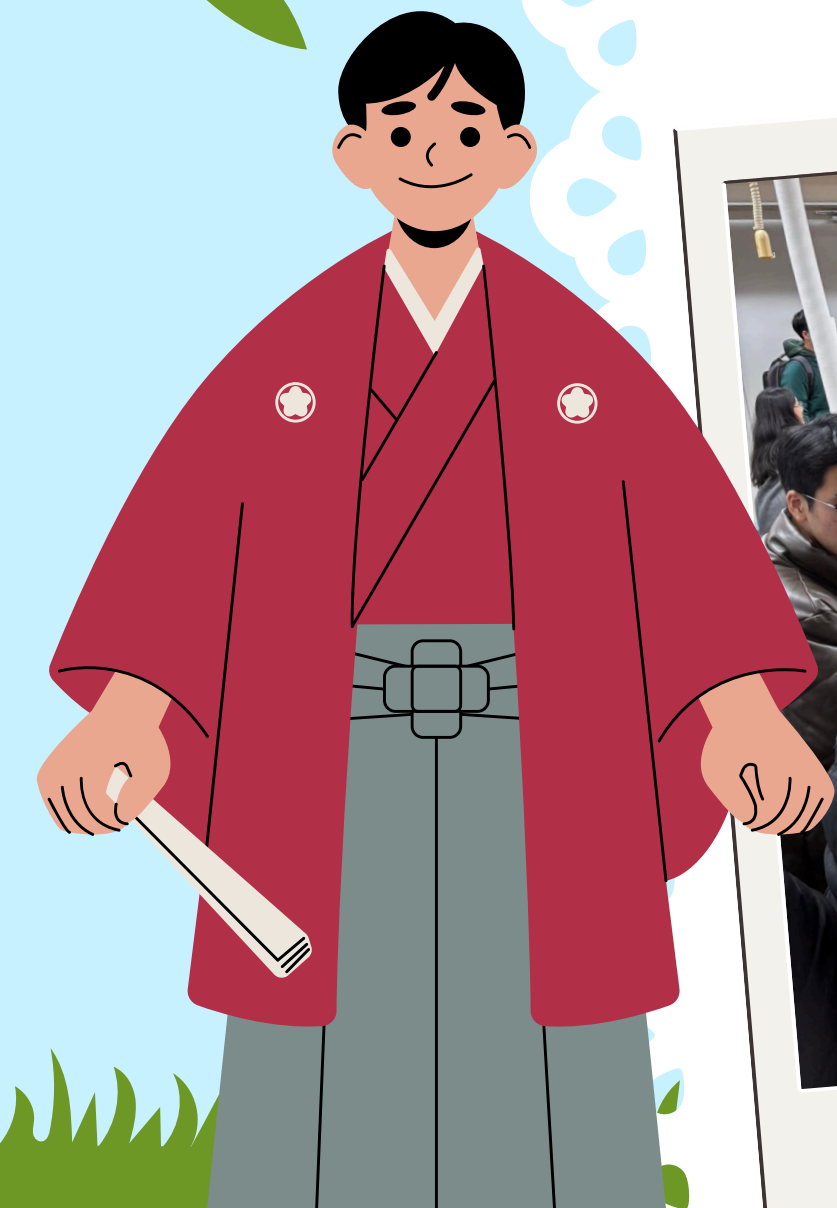
On the first day, we arrived at Higashi Omiya Station, where we were greeted by the TAs. We then headed to the Global Learning Center (GLC) for registration and the opening ceremony. It was a great start to the program, with introductions from professors and ice-breaking activities to get to know everyone.





DAY 2: TEAM FORMATION AND PROJECT PLANNING

Day 2 was all about team formation and project planning. We were divided into groups and given our project themes. We spent the day brainstorming, setting goals, and planning our business models. It was exciting to start working on our projects with such talented international students.




DAY 3: LEARNING AND PLANNING

We spent the day discussing business models and planning our projects. The workshops were interactive, which made learning fun. My group brainstormed different ideas and set goals for our project. Working as a team and sharing ideas made the experience even better.





DAY 4-5: WORKING ON OUR PROJECTS AND CULTURAL SHARING

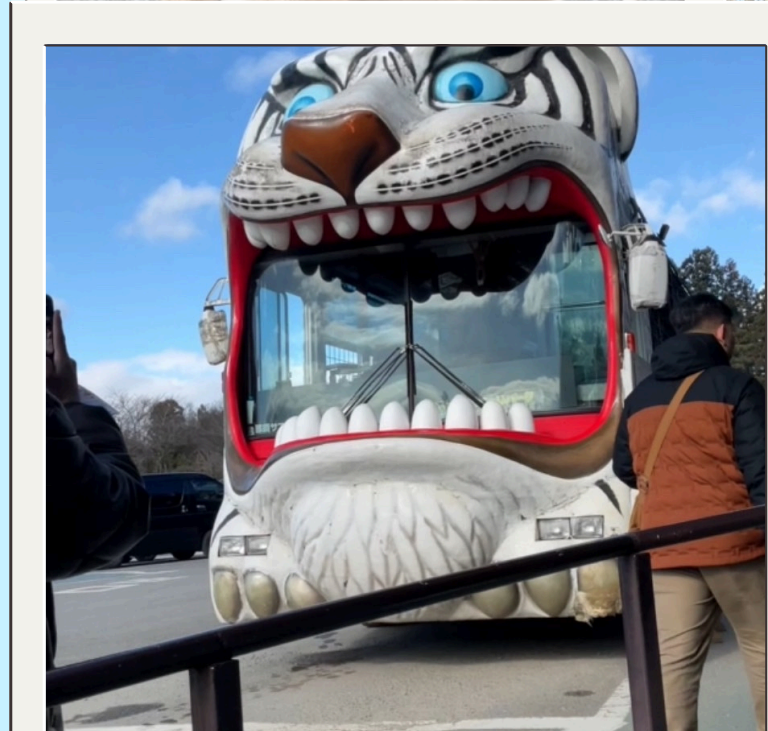


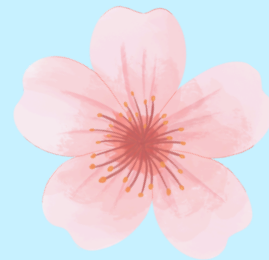
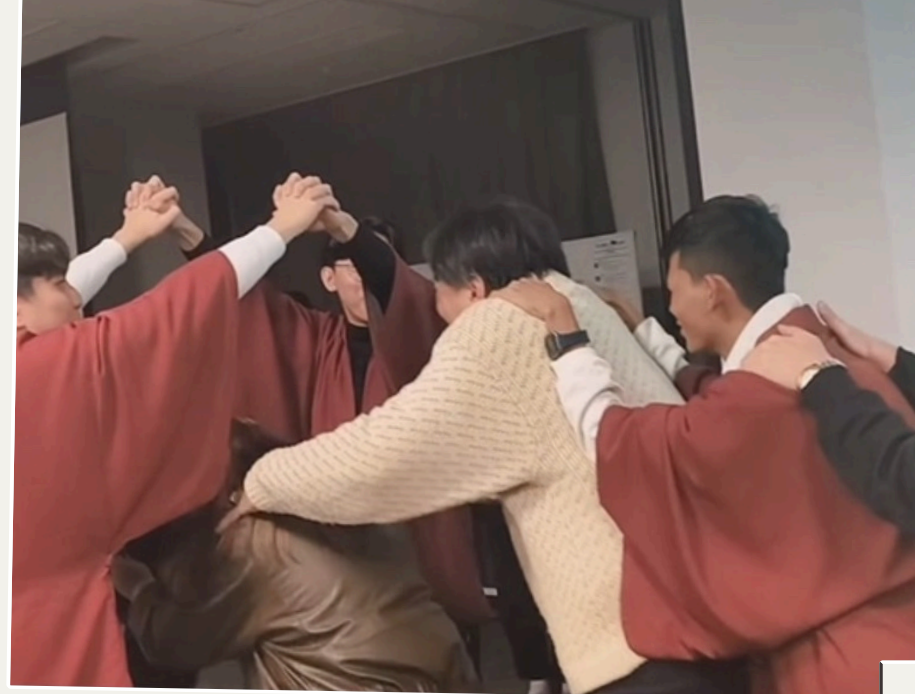
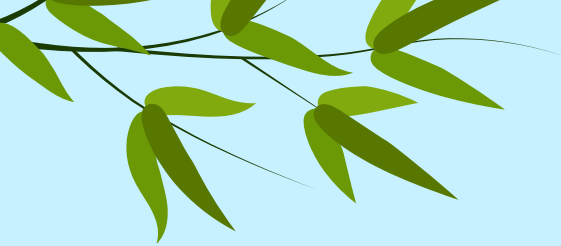
These two days were focused on developing our project ideas. We applied what we had learned earlier and started creating our prototypes. We also attended a workshop on generative AI, which showed us how technology can improve business ideas. It was exciting to see how AI could be used in real-world situations.

On Day 5, we worked on the OMG Project, where we had to create a copy robot and find ways to attract more tourists to improve our business model. It was a fun and challenging task that required creativity and teamwork. At night, we had a cultural session where I had the opportunity to teach other participants a Myanmar cultural dance and share our traditions. It was an unforgettable experience as participants from different countries also showcased their cultures. Seeing everyone enjoy and appreciate each other's traditions made me feel proud and happy. This moment truly highlighted the beauty of cultural exchange.

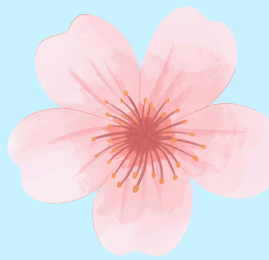
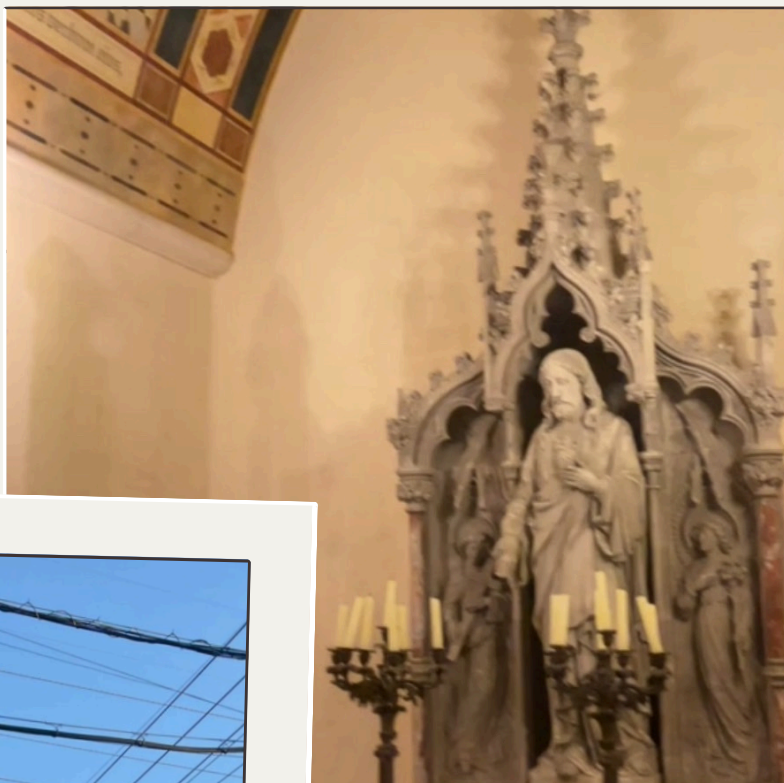
DAY 6: VISITING NASU SAFARI PARK AND STAINED GLASS MUSEUM

This was one of the best days of the program! At Nasu Safari Park, I got to see wild animals up close, which was both fun and educational. It was a nice break from our project work. Later, we visited the Stained Glass Museum. The colorful glass designs and bright lights made the place feel magical. I loved how peaceful and beautiful everything was.





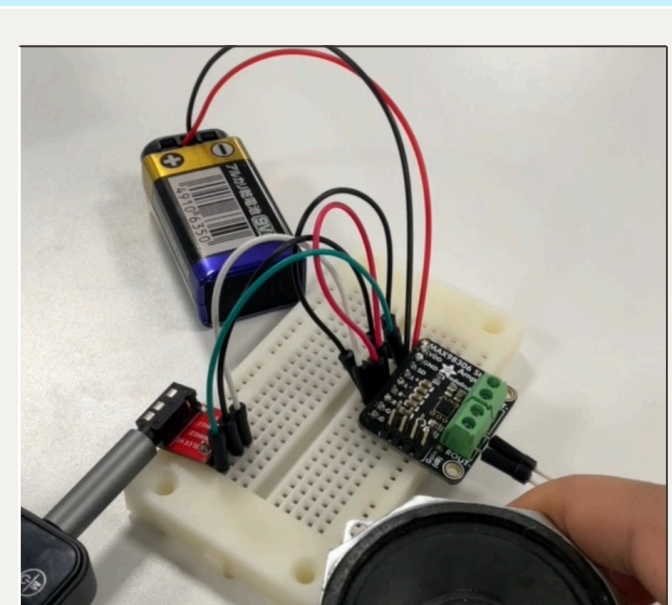
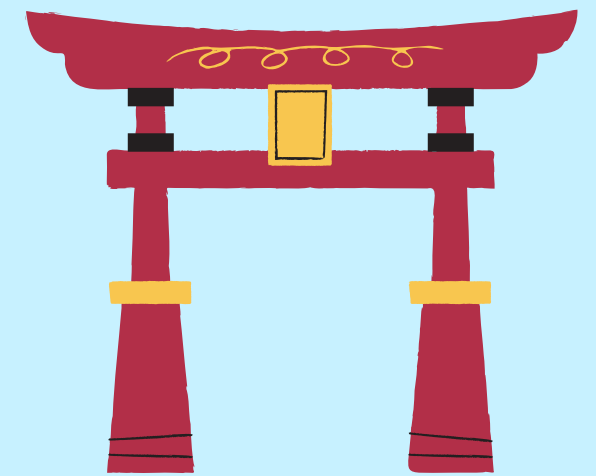
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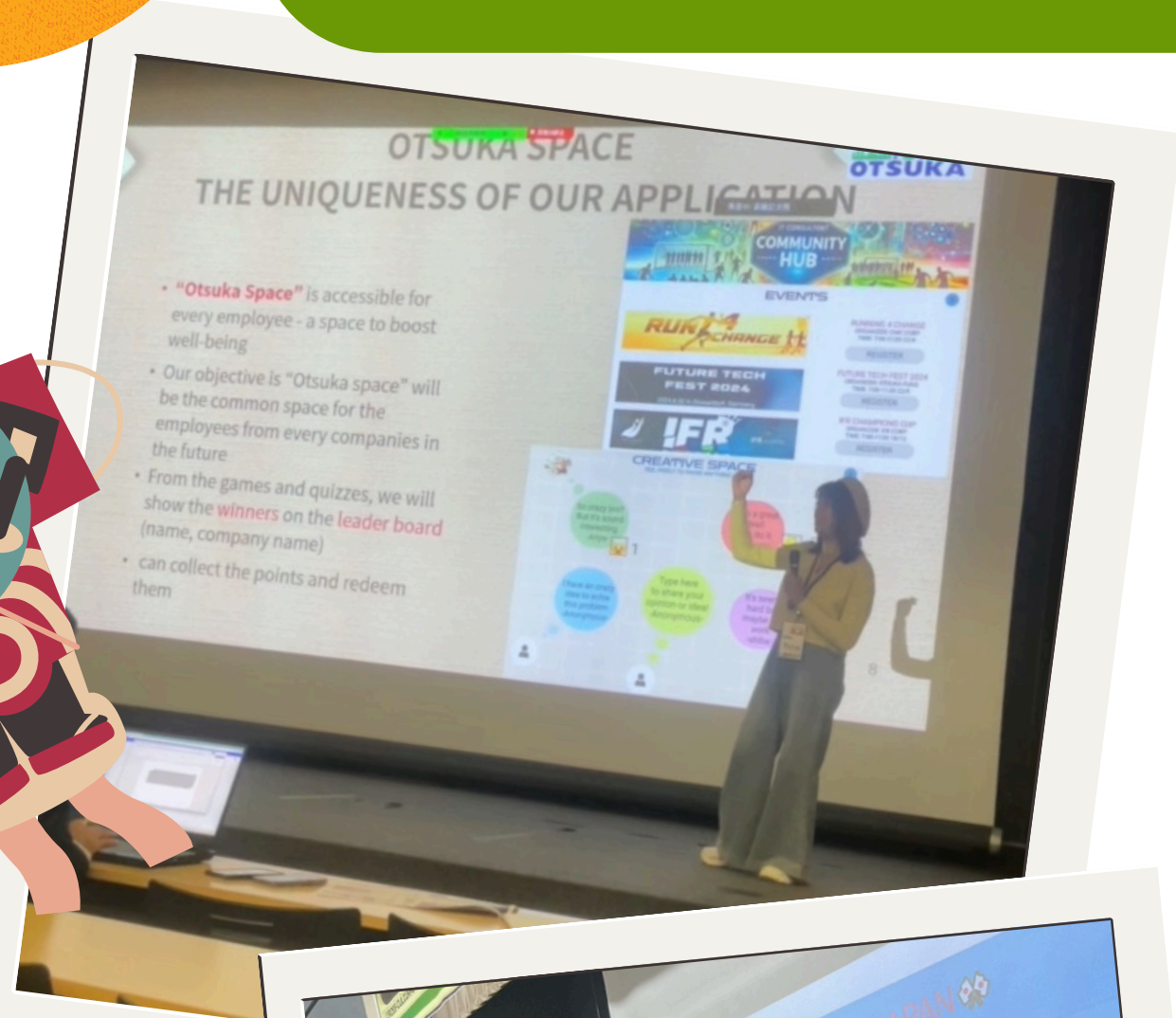


DAY 7: IMPROVING OUR WORK

After our fun day out, we got back to work. We used the feedback we received to improve our business models. Everyone in my group worked really hard to make our project better. Seeing how dedicated my teammates were was truly inspiring.

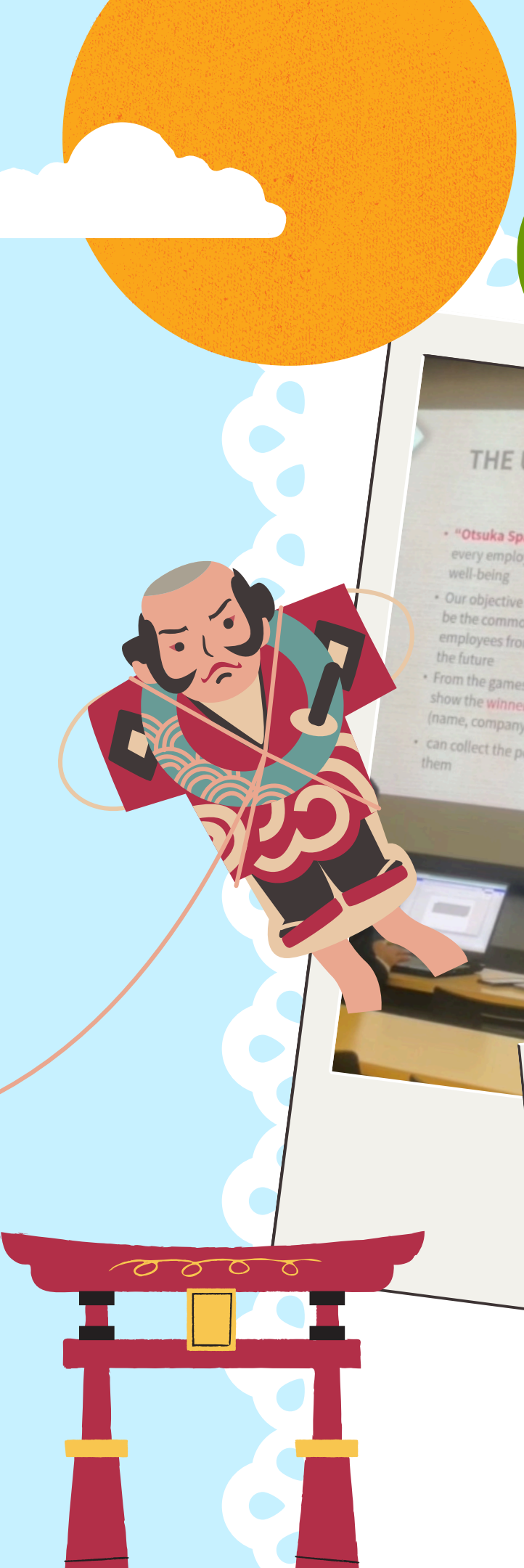


DAY 8 AND DAY 9: PRESENTATIONS AND FAREWELL



With the final presentation coming up, we spent the day preparing. We practiced speaking, polished our slides, and made sure we were ready. I was both excited and nervous. Luckily, the professors and mentors gave us a lot of support, which helped us feel more confident.

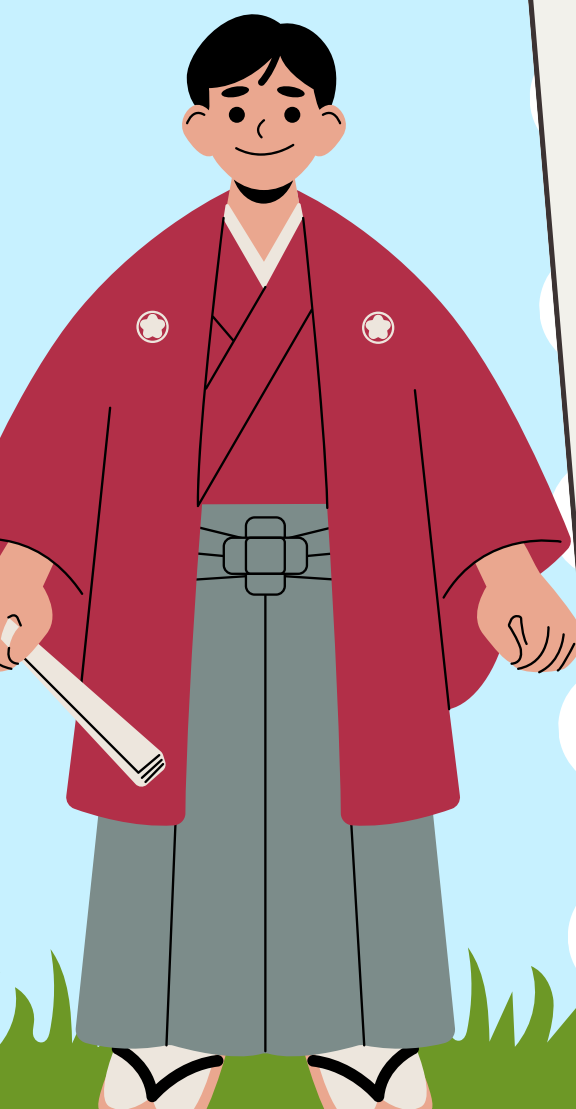
This was the big day! Every group presented their projects, showing off all the hard work we had done. It felt great to see how much we had learned in such a short time. The closing ceremony was emotional because we had to say goodbye to the new friends and mentors we had met along the way.





DAY 10: SAYING GOODBYE

I was excited to go home and share my experiences, but I also felt sad because I didn't want this journey to end. This trip was more than just an academic program; it was a journey of personal growth, cultural exchange, and lifelong friendships..

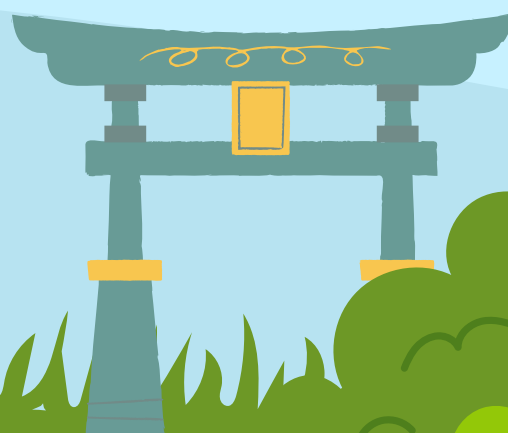


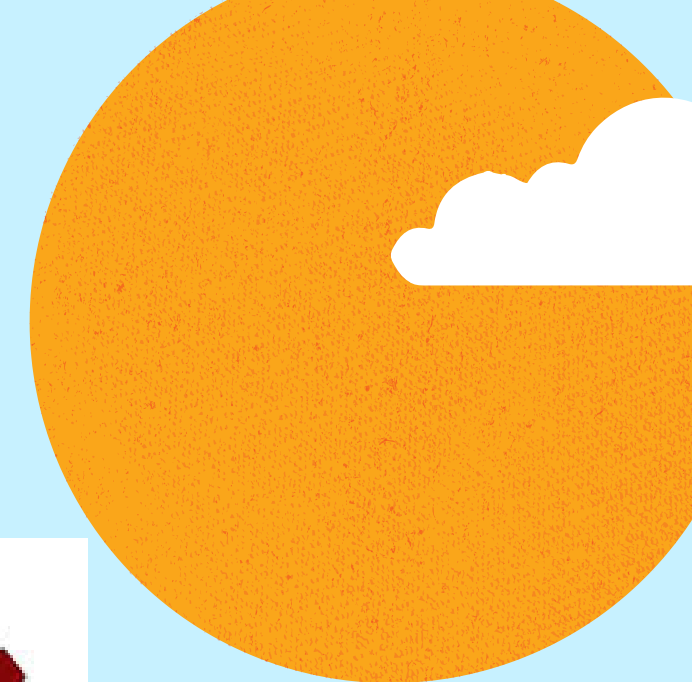
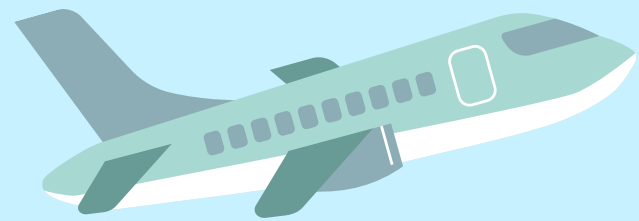
CONCLUSION

I am so grateful for all the support I received during this journey.

A huge thank you to the SUT Engineering Department for choosing me for this program, CIA-SUT for their guidance and financial support, and JASSO Scholarships from SIT for making this trip possible. I also want to thank my professors, group members, and participants from all over the world for making this experience so special.

As I prepare to share my experience through a video, I hope to inspire others to join programs like this. It's a great way to learn, meet amazing people, and explore new places. Thank you, CEP@SIT, for an unforgettable adventure.





Thank You

