

Decision of Institutional Certified Evaluation and Accreditation

The National Institute of Technology, Fukui College complies with the Standards for the Establishment of Colleges of Technology and other relevant laws and regulations, and meets the Standards for Evaluation and Accreditation of Colleges of Technology set by NIAD-QE.

It fulfills all requirements defined as the Priority Evaluation Items in Viewpoint 1-1.

Good practices identified by the review committee include:

- Launch of the “Project Seminar” in the Interdisciplinary Subjects for fourth-year students in fiscal 2019 as a creative teaching initiative that has previously introduced project-based learning (PBL) seminars in each department, with these approaches producing successful outcomes that include winning prizes in the AM Design category of the 2018 Kosen (college of technology) Design Competition and the 29th Kosen Programming Contest in Anan College; and
- An extremely high employment rate (the number of students employed divided by the number of students seeking employment after graduation) for both the associate and diploma courses, with students employed in the manufacturing industry, information and communications businesses, construction industry, electricity/gas/heat/water supply companies, and other employment befitting of the engineers the college hopes to produce; and an extremely high rate of students advancing to higher education (the number of students advancing to higher education divided by the number of students wishing to advance to higher education) for both the associate and diploma courses, with students advancing to the diploma courses at colleges of technology or schools of engineering, graduate schools of science and engineering and other schools and graduate schools at universities related to the students’ associate and diploma courses.

Areas for improvement identified by the review committee include:

- Failure to conduct a survey of students at the time of graduation (course completion) as part of the self-assessment process.

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