

Decision of Institutional Thematic Assessment

The attainment level of goals of National Institute of Technology, Asahikawa College is good in the area of Institutional Thematic Assessment A (research activities) set by NIAD-UE.

The attainment level of goals of National Institute of Technology, Asahikawa College is excellent in the area of Institutional Thematic Assessment B (educational services offered to students other than full-time students) set by NIAD-UE.

Good practices identified in Institutional Thematic Assessment B include:

- The “Program for Developing Manufacturing Core Human Resources in Small and Medium-sized Enterprises through Industry/Academia Cooperation,” selected in FY2007 in METI’s program to support industry/academia joint development of practical curriculums for developing human resources, carried out in FY2007 and FY2008 with the Asahikawa Chamber of Commerce and Industry as the managing corporation and the college as the core educational institution, and devising educational programs aimed at developing human resources expected to play a central role in development design, production, *etc.*, at manufacturing sites; and the “Training Manufacturing Engineers” project, co-hosted by the college and the Asahikawa Chamber of Commerce and Industry and carried out as an educational service aimed at developing human resources expected to play a leading role in the area in the future and creating new industries based on the developed educational programs. The project began after the end of FY2008, when the college’s program supported by METI came to an end.

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