

Decision of Institutional Thematic Assessment

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

Good practices identified in Institutional Thematic Assessment A include:

- The college's Hachinohe Technology Facility contributing to local communities through carrying out collaborative projects involving industries, academia, local governments, financial institutions and private sector organizations, joint research with local companies and other institutions, commissioned research, commissioned programs and internal joint research projects, and also reflecting the achievements of these activities in education through having many students participate in joint research and supervising their special research and graduation research.

The attainment level of goals of Hachinohe National College of Technology 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 CAD/CAM Experts in the Hachinohe Area" and the "Development of Experts with High-level Skills and Techniques in Machining" program, both selected in METI's Program to Support the Development of Human Resources in Small and Medium-sized Enterprises by Utilizing Colleges of Technology, in which the college has made achievements in helping local small and medium-sized enterprises advance their machining technologies and techniques and job seekers and young engineers and technicians improve their basic abilities and skills, and
- The college's human resource development programs selected in a MEXT program related to the Program for Developing Human Resources in the Nuclear Energy Field and carried out from FY2008 through FY2011, which continue with the cooperation of local people after the MEXT program ended and contribute to the development of human resources in energy-related industries in Aomori Prefecture.

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