

Decision of Institutional Thematic Assessment

The attainment level of goals of the National Institute of Technology, Yonago College, is good in the area of Institutional Thematic Assessment A (research activities) set by the National Institution for Academic Degrees and University Evaluation.

The attainment level of goals of the National Institute of Technology, Yonago College, is excellent in the area of Institutional Thematic Assessment B (educational services offered to students other than full-time students) set by the National Institution for Academic Degrees and University Evaluation.

Good practices identified in Institutional Thematic Assessment B include:

- Unique continuous initiatives to enhance the quality of local engineers. The College continues to participate as a lecturer at workshops hosted by the Tottori Human Resources Development Center, as part of the program to enhance problem-solving skills in cooperation with Tottori Prefecture since FY2007. The College also holds the “Reintroduction of building structural design” workshop to enhance the skills of Tottori Prefecture government employees based on the results of the “Re-education program for structural engineers to improve earthquake resistance in consideration of regional characteristics,” selected in FY2008 for MEXT’s “Program for Education Promotion in Response to the Re-learning Needs of Adults.” “Trial Lectures” are also provided for the employees of member companies of the Business Society for the Promotion of NIT, Yonago College; and
- Contributing to local communities through broadcasts of “YONAGO KOUSEN intellectual seminar” television programs via the local cable television network’s prefectural channel, with programs covering the nationwide robot contest by colleges of technology, architectural history, literature, mathematics, and other topics of interest viewed by local Tottori residents and ranked among the channel’s most replayed programs.

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