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## **ABSTRACT**

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Topic: Does the SEA-Teacher project bring new insights  
into education in Japan?

- Lessons learned from ASEAN's experience for Japan-

The SEA Teacher Project or the “Pre-Service Student Teacher Exchange in Southeast Asia” is a project that aims to provide opportunity for pre-service student teachers from universities in Southeast Asia to have teaching experiences (practicum) in schools in other countries in Southeast Asia. As an affiliated member of SEAMEO, the University of Tsukuba has been providing the student teachers from ASEAN with opportunity to have teaching practices at Senior High School at Sakado, University of Tsukuba.

The author explains about the actual SEA-Teacher experiences at Senior High School at Sakado, which is one of the laboratory schools of the University of Tsukuba. The implications and lessons learned from SEA-Teacher project for are (1) the importance of teaching experiences in overseas schools before working as a teacher, (2) positive impacts on the high school students studying at the receiving schools, and (3) the contribution to teachers' capacity building at the receiving schools.