

Visiting students from La Source University

In late 2022, we accepted international students from La Source University.

Two international students from La Source University, Switzerland, took part in a three-week exchange program from 14 November to 2 December 2022, based on an exchange agreement between our university and La Source University. The students learnt about Japanese nursing and medical systems through nursing exercises and lectures at the university, and also took part in a wide variety of cultural activities.



Peace Park from Orizuru Tower



Exercises with students at the university

During their visit to HICARE (the Council for the Promotion of International Cooperation in Radiation Survivors' Health Care), the students were given a lecture on radiation disaster medicine and the actual damage caused by the atomic bombs, which provided them with an opportunity to think about peace. They also visited Red Cross facilities in Hiroshima Prefecture to deepen their understanding of the Japanese Red Cross Society's activities (medical services, blood services, disaster relief, international activities, etc.). They also enjoyed Japanese cultural experiences such as calligraphy and tea ceremony, as well as sightseeing in Hiroshima City, Miyajima and Iwakuni.

During on-campus exercises and lectures, they had the chance to participate in a variety of activities with our students, deepening exchanges between them. Our students were able to communicate directly with our Swiss guests in English, which was a good stimulus for them. On their final day in the university, the international students gave a presentation to summarise their experiences of studying in our university, and were presented with a certificate of completion by the President. In March 2023, five students from our university are scheduled to visit La Source University in Switzerland.



Congratulations!

