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### Study on Education about Standardization by IEICE Standard **Education Committee, Japan**

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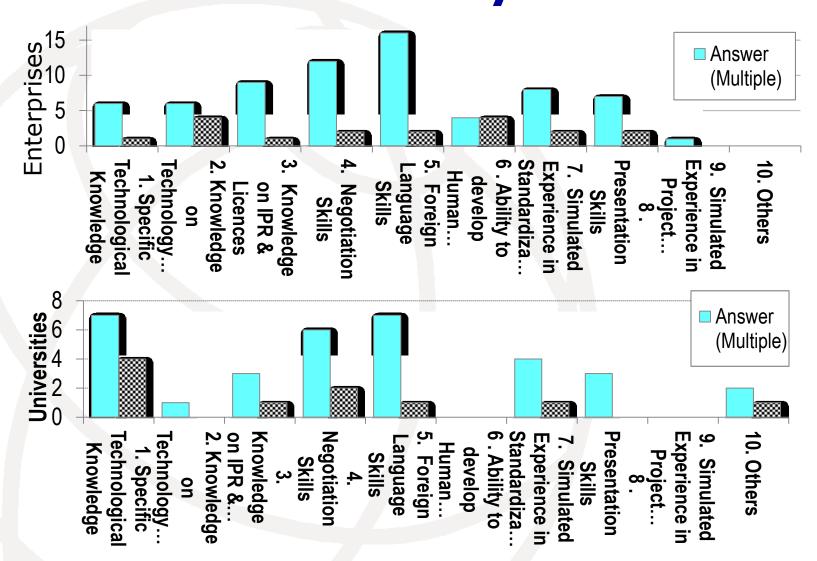
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### 1. Objectives and activities of IEICE Standard Education Committee

- To survey situation and requirements about standardization education of industries and universities in Japan and foreign countries.
- To study about standardization skill standard.
- To plan education about standardization by IEICE.
- To plan and propose education and its materials about standardization

## 2. Questionnaire survey result and their analysis



Gaps analysis between the two is now on going.

## 3. Survey on programs and courses about standardization education in universities

- University of Geneva and Kanazawa Institute of Technology offer Master's degree program.
- Osaka University offers a certificate program as a minor study at graduate schools.
- 24 Japanese universities offer 45 courses about global standardization

### 3.Survey results of programs and courses in universities

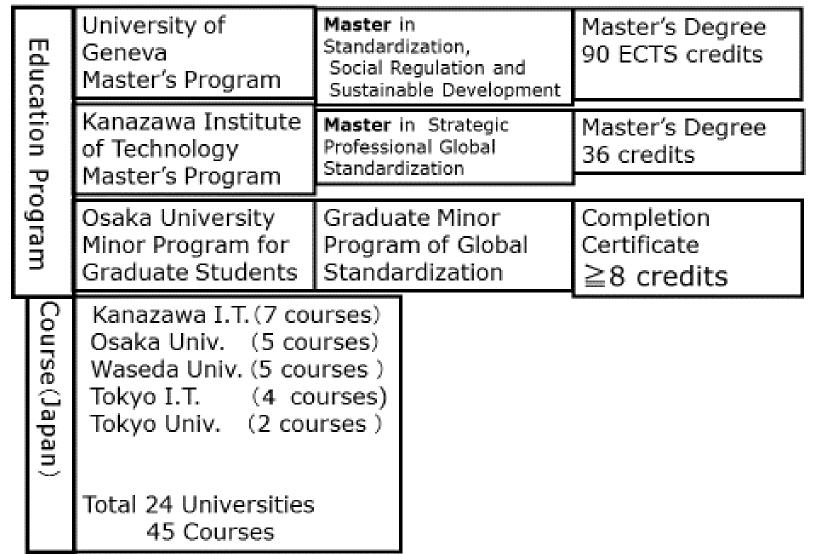


Figure 1. Education programs and courses

#### 4. "Standardization skill standard"

#### specifies

- 36 tasks required for standardization, and
- skills required for those tasks.

To evaluate the skills required for the tasks, the skill standard introduces

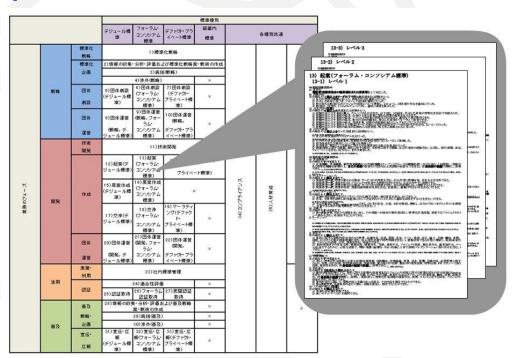
- skill evaluation criteria on performance,
- skill evaluation criteria on capability.

The skill and skill level are described in the skill card corresponding to the task.

#### **Table 1. Tasks for standardization**

			Standard Type						
			De jure standards	Forum/Consortium standards	De facto/Company– product standards	Houserules	All type		es
Task Phase	Strategy	Strategy planning		1) Strategy planning for standardization	on				
		Tactics planning	2) Information collecting/analyzing/evaluating and tactics planning				]		
			3) Supervising (Strategy)						
			4) Liaison establishing (Strategy)			N/A	_		
		Founding organization	5) Founding organization (De jure standards)	6) Founding organization (Forum/Consortium standards)	7) Founding organization (De facto/Company- product standards)	N/A	-		rties
		Managing organization	8) Managing organization (Strategy, De jure standards)	Managing organization (Strategy, Forum/Consortium standards)	10) Managing organization (Strategy, De facto/Company- product standards)	N/A		ŧ	llectual prope
	Development	Developing technology		11) Developing associated technology				lopme	ng inte
		Developing standards	12) Proposing new work items (De jure standards)	13) Proposing new work items (Forum/Consortium standards)	14) Proposing new work item facto/Company–product star		npliance	urce deve	53) Considering numen resource development. 36) Considering intellectual properties
			15) Drafting standards (De jure standards)	16) Drafting standards (Forum/Consortium standards)	N/A		lering co	man reso	
			17) Negotiating (De jure standards)	18) Negotiating (Forum/Consortium standards)	19) Marketing (De facto/Company- product standards)	N/A	34) Considering compliance	idering hun	
		Managing organization	20) Managing organization (Development, De jure standards)	21) Managing organization (Development, Forum/Consortium standards)	22) Managing organization (Development, De facto/Company- product standards)	N/A		35) Consi	
	Implementing	Applying standards	23) Applying standards						
		Acquiring certification	24) Conformance testing			N/A			
			25) Acquiring certification	26) Acquiring forum certification	27) Acquiring private certification	N/A	_		
	Promotion	Promotion planning	28) Information collecting/analyzing/evaluating and promotion planning			N/A	- - ]		⋖
			29) Supervising (Promotion)			N/A			N/A
			30) Liaison establishing (Promotion)			N/A			
		Advertising	31) Advertising (De jure standard)	32) Advertising (Forum/Consortium standards)	33) Advertising (De facto/Company–product standards)	N/A 8			

- The skills of standardization are classified into three levels: the level 1,2 and 3.
- Each level of skills is defined by skill card which includes a set of data for items of skill evaluation criteria on performance and capability.



tasks for standardization skill card Figure 2 Glancing over the Skill standard

### The skill standard makes it possible or feasible for a person or corporation to

- -comprehend and describe existing situation of standardization human resource,
- -set a target of education for standardization human resource,
- -evaluate an effect of standardization education,
- -collect standardization human resources,
- -re-allocate standardization human resource,
- -develop an education program or material for standardization human resource.

# 5. Questionnaire to collect information on education offered in universities worldwide

Questions are now in the process of design by the standard committee of IEICE.

It is summarized as in the following.

- Questions about the names of programs and courses in case offered.
- Questions about the websites address where syllabuses or course outlines are shown.
- Questions to ask about the skills required for standardization.
- Questions to ask expectations for the education about standardization by ITU.

#### **Conclusion**

Activities of IEICE Standard Committee are summarized as follows.

- Questionnaire survey results about standardization education show the importance of cultivating the ability of negotiation.
- 2 programs and 45 courses about standardization education.
- Standardizations skill standard has been studied and now are moving to next phase.
- Further questionnaire is now being designed to collect education programs and courses in universities world wide.