

# Feb 19-27 Advanced Phase Overseas Training

## [Period]

Feb 19 (Leave Japan) Feb 27 (Return to Japan)

[Participants] 30 people (University Trainee: 14 (The Univ. of Tokyo: 8, Shizuoka Univ. 5, Ochanomizu Univ. 1), National Laboratory: 1, Corporate Trainee: 9, Teachers: 5, Corporate: 1)

## [Major Activities]

Mentoring: 3 times, Pitch: 4 times (UCSD, SCU)

Company/VC visit: (Facebook, DNX Ventures)

Lecture: (Teacher (4), Angel Investor (1), Startup (4))

## [Comments from Judges]

### From viewpoint of education:

- ✓ The important thing is to believe yourself and never give up.
- ✓ Talk by making eye contact. Grab attention in the first slide.
- ✓ Always step forward and take action.
- ✓ Incorporate “what is expected” rather than “what you want to do” into plan.

### From viewpoint of business:

- ✓ Present the milestone goal and ask investment amount to achieve it to VC.
- ✓ Do experiment and make prototype, and show the data and result.

