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The National Institute of Technology (KOSEN), Fukushima College (Fukushima KOSEN) was founded in April 1962 as one of the first institutes of technology in Japan. In 1994, the tuition-free program was added in order to extend the scope of KOSEN’s educational curriculum.

The college was established in April 2004. The educational doctrine of Fukushima KOSEN is as follows:

Fostering engineers for the next generation, who can develop a sustainable society and play an active role in the local community as global citizens, and to develop the spirit of the KOSEN tradition.

Based on this doctrine, we are making great strides to enhance the academic and research levels of KOSEN. KOSEN is working to foster engineers for the next generation who will work globally as well as locally to make society and the world sustainable. KOSEN professionals are expected to contribute to the development of a sustainable society.

“KOSEN” System

The “KOSEN” system is a five-year program that combines three years of high school and two years of an undergraduate university degree program.

At the end of the five years, students can continue at KOSEN for another two years and finish their university degree to transfer to another university for the final two years of their degree or enter the workforce.

KOSEN was established in 1961 in response to a strong demand from the industrial sector to foster engineers who could help sustain the high Japanese economic growth which was occurring at the time.

The KOSEN mission is to foster students with diverse backgrounds and abilities to develop into engineers who can contribute to society.

Characteristics of “KOSEN” Education

We follow a curriculum centered on liberal arts and professional studies.

We have a highly qualified academic staff (more than 90% of special subject teachers have doctoral degrees).

We provide practical training, internships, and co-op education.

We offer international exchange opportunities.

We offer student dormitories and extracurricular activities.

We hold Robert, Programming, Design and Speech contests.

We organize a spring daily KOSEN Athletics Competition.

We help students to find various career paths.

We produce engineers with extensive and practical creative abilities.

Message from the President

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