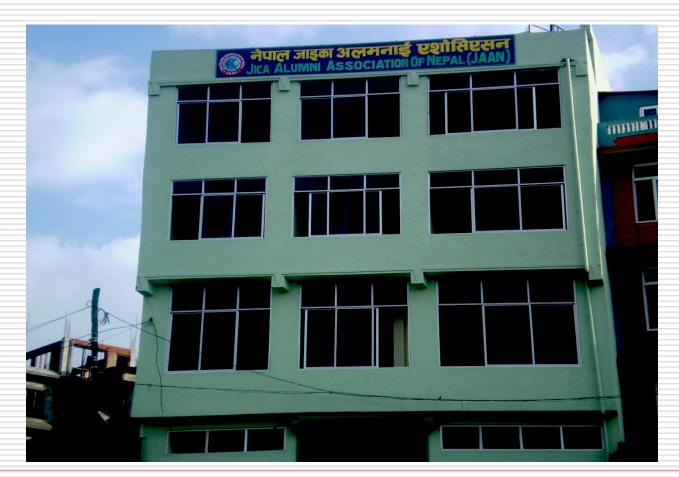
# JICA Alumni Association of Nepal (JAAN)



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#### About Us

- JAAN is a non political, non profitable forum and sister organization of JICA, Nepal
- JAAN has more than 1100 General Members and about 3000 eligible JICA Trainees to be JAAN members
- At present more than 560 life members
- JAAN executive committee is elected every three years
- JAAN is represented by all sectors of Nepalese Professionals except the Nepal Army.



JAAN Executive Committee & Members with the then Mr. Madhav Kumar Nepal, HE Ambassador of Japan to Nepal & JICA CR in a Annual Function Program



#### **Looking Back**

- JAAN was formed in 1973
- Contribution of His Excellency Mr. Harushisa Kobayashi, the then ambassador of Japan to Nepal, to establish this association
- The goodwill and understanding that our members experienced during their stay in Japan is the source of inspiration to culminate the goodwill between the people of Japan and us.



Mr. Sher Bdr. Deuba, the then PM, HE Ambassador of Nepal to Japan, JICA CR & Minister at JAAN Annual Function & JICA Exhibition



#### Why We Are

- Mutual exchange of knowledge foster harmony, cultivate affinity and develop mutual understanding
- Update and exchange the knowledge and skill acquired in Japan
- Promote friendship and mutual understanding between Japan and Nepal
- Work as the Center of Experts



JICA Ex. participants exchanging the knowledge acquired in Japan with JAAN members, Govt. people and community from hotel rooms to villages (farmer's field)

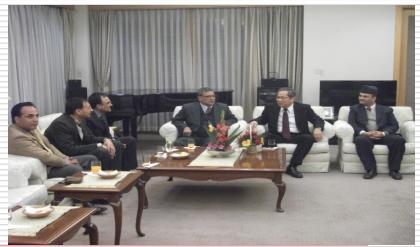


#### Why We Are

- To enhance the social fellowship among its members and diplomatic and development support corps as well as Japanese people residing in Nepal
- To conduct various educational, cultural, social, environmental and development activities to nurture and nourish the relation between people of both countries
- To get in touch with the institution of excellence of both the countries to sharpen the knowledge of members



HE Ambassador of Japan to Nepal organize meetings with JAAN Members time to time



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#### **Our Focus**

JAAN works in cooperation with JICA Nepal, the Embassy of Japan, and other GO/NGOs 1n,

- education
- primary health and nutrition income generation

- environment protection community development
- women empowerment
- social development consultancy works of JICA





#### **JAAN Sub-Committees**

- **Statute and Bye-Laws**
- Orientation
- Home Stay
- Health
- Library and Documentation
- Nepal-Japan Culture and Language Training
- **Hospitality**
- Specialized Human Resources and Consultancy
- **Community Development**
- Women Empowerment
- Education and Scholarship
- **JAAFS**

#### **Community Development Program**

- MOU for Community Development Center (CDC) construction between Embassy of Japan and JAAN in January 2008
- Community Development Center (CDC) was constructed with the support of Embassy of Japan, JAAN Members and well wisher in 2009
- Conducting various community development program in Nallu and Lele VDCs of Lalitpur and Chalnakhel VDC of Kathmandu district
- Ms. Hitomi Hizume, JOCV and a community mobilizer of JAAN working at field level for community development





#### **Community Development**

JAAN has organized interaction meetings with community people, school teachers and students before starting the program and now is also continuing







#### **Community Level Training**

JAAN organize various training to the community people of the targeted areas for income generation and women empowerment







JAAN Activities

#### **Health & Nutrition**

- JAAN conduct free health camps for community people every year
- Organize awareness program on health, nutrition and preventive medicine for community people as well as JAAN members
- Conducting free health clinic for community people at JAAN CDC every Saturday
- Blood Donation





#### Support on Women Empowerment

- JAAN has provided a Male Goat to the Women Farmer Group of Nallu
- JAAN has formed farmer groups in the community level, provided training to farmers for income generation through vegetable production and marketing





# Visit on Japan Funded Project and Community Development Areas

JAAN Organize field visit program for JAAN members and community people to Japan/JICA funded projects and its community development areas







### Japan Information, Language & Culture Institute (JILCI)

- JILCI was registered in District Education Office in December 2001 and inaugurated by JICA Nepal then RR Mr. Eitaro Mitoma
- Running beginners to advance level Japanese language classes
- Conducting various Japanese Events



HE Mizuno testing the Japanese Sweets prepared by Japanese Volunteers on Japan Day Event



Ikebana program in JAAN CDC

#### **Pre-departure Orientation Program**

- Pre-departure orientation program in JAAN was started from 1999
- Orientation Sub-committee conduct pre-departure orientation to all JICA participants as per the list received from JICA (about 100 / year in average)
- JAAN conduct orientation to high level government officials including HE Ambassador of Nepal to Japan, Honorable Member of Parliament and Justices of Supreme Court





#### **Program Briefing and Pre-departure Orientation to Honorable MOFA**

 JAAN has organized program briefing and pre-departure orientation to Honorable Minister For Foreign Affairs Mr.
 Mahendra Bahadur Pandey before his departure to Japan





### Home Stay & Japanese Mission Visit Program

- JAAN organize Japanese mission visit program related to JICA activities
- Home Stay Program to new coming JOCVs and Japanese school teachers in JAAN members home







# Japanese Language & Culture Exam of JITCO Trainees

The government of Nepal has given the responsibility to JAAN to take the Japanese Language and Culture exam of JITCO trainees
JAAN conduct the exam of JITCO trainee and issue the certificate as per the exam result

•Also conduct JITCO stakeholder seminars as required





## Annual Function & Publication of MILAN Magazine

- JAAN organize Annual Function every year and invite to its members, parent organizations, partner GO/NGOs and well wishers in the function
- JAAN publish MILAN magazine every year and release in the Annual Function





#### **Executive & Annual General Body Meeting**

 JAAN conduct Executive Committee Meeting at least once in a month, AGM once in a year and other Sub-committee meetings as per required to discuss on various program planning and implementation





## New Year & Dashain Get-together Program

 JAAN organize Nepali New Year Eve and Dashain Get-together program every year & invite all members, their families, Japanese Embassy & JICA staffs, Japanese community also in the program







#### Seminar on Contemporary Issues

- JAAN organize Seminar/ talk program on contemporary issues and invite highly professionals to deliver the presentation
- JAAN members & community people jointly participate in such seminars
- Other several exchange programs



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#### **JAAN Support to Japan & Japanese People**

- JAAN member's supported to the Japanese casualties affected by Earthquake and Tsunami in March, 2011
- The Ambassador of Japan to Nepal has organized a meeting with JAAN members to thank their contribution to the Japanese people and to share the condition of Japan after a big Earthquake at his residence Tahachal
- JAAN has provided National Seminar reports to the Japanese Embassy, JICA Nepal and Govt. Secretaries (JAAN Members) for its implementation



# **Relief Distribution to Earthquake Victims & Community Development Program**

- Distribution of relief material to victims in Sindhupalchok, Kathmandu & Lalitpur as immediate response
- Conducting Community Development Program in support of Japan Nepal Society & JICA Nepal





#### **JAAN Member's Profile Publication**

- JAAN has collected professional information of its members and published Member's Profile recently.
- The profile was jointly released by H. E. Ambassador of Japan to Nepal, Former Japanese Ambassador, JICA Chief Representative and JAAN President with a special ceremony in September, 2018.





# Welcome to Japanese Ambassador & JICA Chief

 JAAN organizes Welcome and JAAN activities briefing program to all Ambassadors of Japan to Nepal, JICA Chief and other high officials of the Japanese Embassy and JICA Nepal





#### Farewell to Japanese Ambassador & JICA Chief

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#### **Courtesy Meeting with Japanese Ambassador and JICA Chief**

JAAN Conducts

 courtesy meeting with
 New Japanese
 Ambassador and JICA
 CR and brief about
 JAAN activities. Also
 organize their visit to
 JAAN building





#### Honorary Membership to Japanese Ambassador and JICA Chief

JAAN provide
 honorary membership
 to Japanese
 Ambassador and JICA
 Chief in a special
 ceremony organized by
 JAAN





#### JAAN's Relation to JICA Headquarter

 JAAN Team met JICA President and welcome him during his visit to Nepal and JAAN President visited to JICA HQ and briefed about JAAN activities





#### **Felicitation Program**

JAAN Felicitate its Members time to time for their significant achievement. Life Member of JAAN and then Chief Secretary of the Government of Nepal Dr. Som Lal Subedi for his promotion in the Chief Secretary Position was felicitated. Also Er. Sugat Ratna Kansakar, General Manager of Nepal Airlines was felicitated by JAAN.





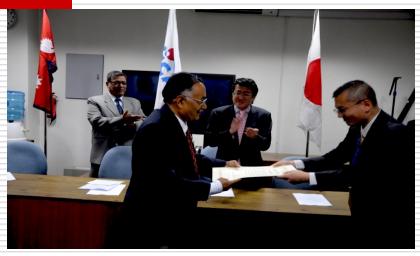
#### **Ambassador** Award

□ The Government of Japan, Embassy of Japan to Nepal provided the "Ambassador Award" to JAAN for its significant contribution on strengthening good relation between Nepal & Japan and playing a vital role in Nation Building through conducting several activities



#### **JICA Recognition Award**

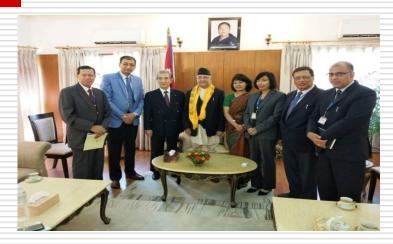
JICA Head Quarter, Tokyo provided the JICA Recognition Award to Mr. Chandi Prasad Shrestha, Immediate Past President, JAAN for his and JAAN Team contribution to JICA activities.

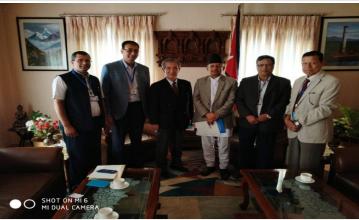




#### Facilitation and Coordination between Nepal and Japan

JAAN facilitate for various high level meeting and visits between Nepal and Japan. Recently Former Ambassador of Japan to Nepal and President of Japan Nepal Society Mr. Mitsuaki Kojima visited Nepal, met Rt. Honorable Prime Minister of Nepal Mr. K. P. Oli, Honorable Minister for Foreign Affairs Mr. Pradip Gewali, Mayor of Kathmandu Metropolitan City and other Government High Officials. JAAN has facilitated and coordinated for all these visits.





#### **JAAN's Other Several Program**

- JAAN President and Team hosted a reception dinner in the occasion of getting JICA President Award 2011
- JAAN conduct several exchange program time to time





# JICA Alumni Association Forum of SAARC

- "JICA Alumni Associations' Forum of SAARC Countries" was formed in 2008
- The first meeting was held in Dhaka, Nepal was elected as the President and Bangladesh as the General Secretary of this Forum
- The second meeting was conducted in Kathmandu







JAAN Activities

#### **JAAFSC** Third Meeting in Dhaka

- JAAFSC Third Meeting was conducted in Dhaka in October, 2017 and Eleven Executive Committee Members of JAAN participated in the Dhaka Meeting
- JAAFSC Annual Meeting is planned in Kathmandu on December 24, 2018.





#### JAAFSC Secretariat Established in Kathmandu

- As per the JAAFSC meeting conducted in Dhaka, JAASC Secretariat was shifted from Dhaka to Kathmandu and Secretariat Office was established in JAAN Building.
- The Office Secretariat was inaugurated by Mr. Jun Sakuma, JICA CR in a special ceremony organized by JAAN.





#### JAAN President Visit to SAARC Countries and JICA Head Quarter

- JAAN President has visited SAARC Countries (Bhutan, Bangladesh, India, Sri Lanka, Maldives) before Dhaka meeting and conducted preparation meetings with concern JICA Offices and Alumni
- Also JAAN President visited to JICA HQ and briefed about JAAN and JAAFSC activities/plan to HQ





#### JAAN Activities Published in Japanese Daily News Paper (April, 2013)

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# Executive Committee of JAAN (2016-2019)

