

JCCP Program Closing Speech



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Mr. Nakai and distinguished guests,
program management, Ladies and
Gentlemen, Good morning, Ohayo-
gozaimasu

On behalf of my colleagues of the
strategic management for Petroleum
Industry course.

Let me first thank JCCP for nominating me
to address the representative speech of
this closing ceremony.

It is my privilege to be with all of you this
morning.

I am also delighted to be sharing this
session with JCCP program managements,
general manager Mr. Arii, deputy general

manger Ms. Kitahara and the gentleman
we miss this morning, Mr. Yuasa.

I must say that Japan is an inspiring
location for this kind of strategic
management program. Japan is a
perfect place to gather the full strength of
the energy industry, and share with us the
strategy of the sustainable energy future
while maintaining healthy environment.

I can express my feeling regarding this
program by the following few words "I
have been on a lot of scientific
conferences and training but none of
them are like this, this one: makes us feel
really different." And I am sure this is as
well the feeling of all our colleagues.

In my belief, it is because of "the power of open". The JCCP management was very open in terms of sharing and exchanging the technical information. Of course, the term of "power of open" is an emphasis in the qualities of sharing, collaboration, and transparency.

Now, please allow me to shed some light on some of the program agenda by using the strategic cycles; plan, act, check and adjust.

We have learned how Japan developed the strategic plans early in the 19th century, which was obvious when we visited the museum of the Mitsubishi Hitachi Power Systems(MHPS), the Kyushu University and MHPS energy efficiency workshop.

We have learned in the field how this strategy was executed with no doubt that it was a successful existing real story. This was obviously clear during the visit of the Toyota Motors, MHPS and JX Refineries.

We have understood how the plan was checked and reviewed after the implementation when there was an oil crisis in the crude market during the years

of 1973 and 1986, not only that but we were able to be masters in terms of how to do the proper analysis.

We have learned how did the Japanese adjusted to overcome these difficulties firstly by developing new markets such as petrochemical, lubricant and integrated with the power generation, (secondly)by strengthening operational capabilities such as improving refinery efficiency and thirdly by expanding in the scale where 18 oil companies merged and integrated into 7 companies in 2015.

As I said earlier, this is a very scientific program as we have been exposed to some new technologies, like using the hydrogen fuel cell for cars and we tried and experienced these fuel cell cars that have been already in the market. Also, we have learned other new technologies for refinery process from the outstanding presentations in the JGC, Idemitsu and University Professors.

We have been exposed on a daily basis to Japanese culture and learned more about the history and not to forget the delicious (oishii) Japanese traditional food. The

designated visits to Nagasaki Peace Memorial Park, Nuclear Bomb Museum will remain in our memory representing the symbol of peace.

I will not forget to thank the Japanese government for encouraging and supporting such a program and we do appreciate all the support that we have received starting with a warm welcome at the airport and at the various stages of the program.

The weather was more than perfect thanks to those whom working behind the scene to the point that they selected the best whether forecast during the year. Let me close my speech by saying the following:

"We have great challenges and with the strategic plans, great opportunities will be created and with the cooperation between our countries we will have a healthy and happier world".

I wish you a health and your country a wealth.

Sumimasen for the little bit long speech.

