## NORTH ASIA UNIVERSITY (ノースアジア大学)

**Evaluation summary** 

This university has demonstrated satisfactory compliance with the standards of the Japan Institution for Higher Education Evaluation.

Standards	<b>Evaluation result</b>
Standard 1. Mission and Objectives, etc.	Satisfied
Standard 2. Students	Satisfied
Standard 3. Educational Curriculum	Satisfied
Standard 4. Faculty and Staff	Satisfied
Standard 5. Management, Administration and Finance	Satisfied
Standard 6. Internal Quality Assurance	Satisfied

## **Good practices**

- O Through the provision of a consultation system including parent-teacher-student interviews for students wishing to drop out, shared information through the issues of Seminar News, and the Operation Friendship in which the Student Committee members concerned provide students with interview-based advice and instruction, meticulous learning and class instruction support is provided. These initiatives are worthy of evaluation.
- O The National Exam Center has established courses and provides instruction for public servant exams and various other qualification exams. In addition, Web Qualification Courses respond to over 25 qualification exams including those for real estate transaction specialists and certified skilled professionals of financial planning. The mechanisms to aid the upskilling of students are thorough, and are worthy of evaluation.
- O A Student Faculty Development (FD) Meeting is held once a year. The frank opinions of students regarding teaching and learning that are not covered in the class evaluation questionnaires are directly obtained, feedback is provided, and a system leading to the improvement of teaching is in place. These initiatives are worthy of high evaluation.
- O Through the introduction of a rubric in the performance evaluation of the courses set for firstand second-year students, the teaching methods of faculty have changed from being one-way to dual-directional, seminars and presentations incorporated into teaching content, and both ingenuity and change have been observed in the teaching management and instruction methods. These initiatives are worthy of high evaluation.

## **Recommendations for improvement**

O The fill rate of total capacity in the Faculty of Law's Department of Law and Department of International Studies is below 70% and further improvements continue to be required in order

to fulfill quotas.

O Student consultation is being conducted in the offices of individual faculty who are not qualified to do so. Systematic improvements are required towards the establishment and use of a student consultation office and the assignment of qualified consultants.