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This is my last article during my staying at Tsukuba *Daigaku*. Yeah...am going back very soon! I am very excited but at the same time I feel sad as there are a lot of sweet, bitter and mixed memories to be treasured. I take this opportunity to thank my supervisor, Utsumi *sensei* and my lab members for their kind help and support. *Domo arigatou gozaimasu*. You guys are awesome and wonderful!!!

But before going back, I need to accomplish one of my research objectives. I need to identify the species of bacteria from my isolated bacteria. Hopefully, I am able to complete this mission and get the desired result. Still, this research has a long way to go to the finishing line. *Gambatte!!!*

Last week, June 11th. 2015, Chief Secretary to Deputy Minister of Education Malaysia, (cum University of Tsukuba Visiting Professor) Professor Dato' Seri Ir. Dr. Zaini Ujang came here. During his visiting, he gave a lecture titled "Thirsty in Tropical Monsoon". The talk held at Graduate School of Life and Environmental Sciences and a lot of students attended his lecture. I am happy to attend this lecture as it gives me an idea of how important water management is and the worst scenario may occur in the future cause by failure to do so.



A: Statue of "Tabi-e" in front of Life and Environmental Sciences Building



B: Lecture by Professor Dato' Seri Ir. Dr. Zaini Ujang