

日常英会話 基礎・応用

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大学院 経営情報

JICA スリランカから参加

EASY ENGLISH

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新城志織



国際学部 3年

YFU アメリカ留学

~みんなで楽しく英語を学んでみませんか~

時間：毎週水曜日 4時半～5時半

毎週金曜日 3時～4時

英検準2級Work Shop

関谷里奈



国際学群 2年

場所: LLC

時間: 水曜日 4限目(関谷)

木曜日 4限目(比嘉)

比嘉 千春



国際学群 2年

私たちは、LLCのニュースレターにぜひあなたの英文記事を載せたいと思っています。

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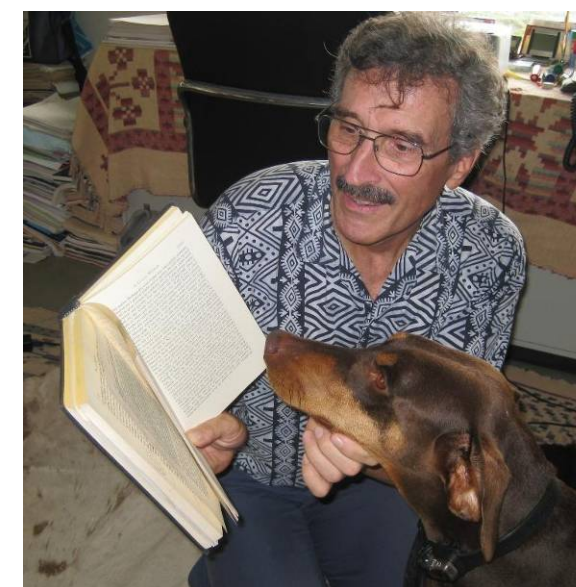
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Importance of Learning other Languages



As human beings, we are born into a family, a culture, a language. Moreover, we are born in a particular (限って) place (our native country (御国), our hometown) and at a particular time (for most of my readers, the late twentieth century). All of the above make for a kind of valley (谷), a place of comfort (楽しみ), familiarity (親しみ) and coziness (心地の良い).

To go outside this valley, to see over its surrounding hilltops (丘の頂) to take in a broader horizon is the effect (結果) of learning another language. While setting out to learn a new language, we begin climbing ever closer to the hilltops of our valley.

When we reach there--it doesn't take too long--we begin to take in more of the world by traveling to other places where our new language is spoken. With our new language we begin to learn new perspectives (観点), appreciate other ways of thinking, see new ways of interacting (交流) with others; in other words, we transcend (超越する) our own culture.

And, in a way, we transcend ourselves. We no longer belong solely (だけ) to the valley we were born into. Now, with our new language and new experiences, we acquire new sympathies (理解の広さ), and our imagination is activated (働かせた) in unanticipated (思いがけない) ways.

The above metaphors (比喩) of “being born into a valley” and “climbing out of the valley” apply to place, but also to time. When we learn the ancient languages of Rome, of Athens, of Jerusalem, of India, of China, of Japan we read about other centuries, about the experience of life in earlier times, about the values of the ancient world, and about ancient people’s sense of their own humanity. When we learn these things, we climb too out of the valley of the modern era.

My personal history with language learning began in high school where I studied classical Latin (古ラテン語) and classical Greek (古ギリシャ語). In college I studied German, French and a little Spanish and Russian. I spent a year in Germany studying philosophy (哲学) at a German university.

Then in graduate school (大学院) I studied Dutch and Dutch dialects (方言), then went to The Netherlands for a year to learn what it was like to be a Dutchman (オランダ人).

After that, my interest (興味) in African languages took me to southern Africa where I studied Zulu, Xhosa, Nama Hottentot, Afrikaans and Oshiwambo. (Two of our children have Zulu names: Thandi and Themba.) While there, I learned much about the heart of Africans hoping for freedom in Namibia and South Africa. At that time, my heart became darkened (比喩的: 悲しみいっぱい) with their sadness and bright with their hope.

After returning from southern Africa, I studied Menominee, a language of Wisconsin. I collected much folklore (民間伝承) in this language, and learned much more about Native Americans than I could learn in school. Learning Menominee was like looking back in time since many of the tales (愚話), stories and anecdotes (逸話) I recorded (as a field linguist) took place many years before I was born.

Finally, I came to Okinawa where I have taken up Japanese. I want to learn more and more about Japanese tanka in order to compose (作る) poems as if I were Japanese.

Japanese Workshop

仲里 かな子



にちじ まいしゅうもくようび
日時: 毎週木曜日 9:30~10:30

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内容: 日常会話、発表の仕方

おきなわ にほんぶんか
沖縄・日本文化について

国際学群 3年

スペイン語を勉強しましょう!!!

伊佐 正



時間: 火曜日 16:30-17:30

もしスペイン語に習う興味があったら、
スペイン語のチューターがいるので
是非来て下さい!

交換留学生

医療英語ワークショップ

伊藤 千恵



日時 毎週木曜日

時間 11時~12時

一緒に英語を楽しみましょう!

看護学科の方大募集です!

看護学科 2年