



Topics from the EAJ newsletter are listed up.

If you like to know further on particular topics, please contact EAJ Secretariat.

**1. New Year greetings from the President**

**2. Prof. Isamu Akasaki, EAJ member, received the 2014 Nobel Prize for Physics for the invention of blue LEDs.**

**3. Under the 3rd exchange round of the ERLEP (Australia Japan Emerging Research Leaders Exchange Program), selected seven Australian researchers visited Japan** from 3 to 14 November to explore new collaborations as well as to strengthen ties with the Japanese host researchers and institutions.

**4. Vision for the Technology Museum (technology-oriented museum) to help increase technological literacy, in younger generations in particular.**

**5. Recommendations to the Prime Minister and parties concerned:**

- Recommendation as to “Issues of contaminated water at the Tokyo Electric Power’s Fukushima Daiichi Nuclear Power Station” (27 May 2014)
- Recommendation as to “Management System for Maintaining Infrastructure” (27 Nov. 2014)