

Topics for Today's Presentation

- RIT/NTID, Home of PEN-International
- PEN-International
- Areas of Collaboration
- Future Directions



RIT Information

- Founded in 1829
- Students
 - o ~13,000 Undergrad
 - o ~2,400 Graduate
- 1,500 Acre Campus
- Home of PEN-International



NTID Students, Faculty & Staff

- 1250 Students
 - 700 Sub-baccalaureate Programs, 475
 Baccalaureate Program at RIT, 75 Graduate Students
- 475 Faculty & Staff
 - o 200 Faculty, 165 Staff, 110 Interpreters
- Support During a Year



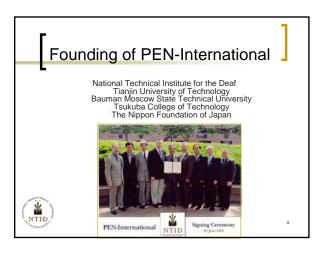
 80,000 Interpreter Hours, 40,000 Note Taker Hours, 20,000 Tutoring Hours

Nippon Foundation of Japan

- Improve Education in Participant Countries
- Establish International Network
- Provides Funds for PEN-International







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PEN-International Goals

- Improve Teaching, Learning and Curriculum Development
- Increase the Application of Technology to Teaching and Learning
- Expand Career Education Opportunities for Deaf and Hard-Of-Hearing People Around the World





Implementation Strategy

- Training & Faculty Development
- Multimedia Computer Centers
- Online and WWW Resources
- Evaluation & Research





PEN-International Partners

- Tsukuba College of Technology (Japan)
- Tianjin University of Technology (China)
- Beijing Union University (China) Changchun University (China)
- Zhongzhou University (China) College of St. Benilde (Philipp

- Bauman Moscow State Tech University (Manageria)
 Institute of Social Rehabilitation at Novosibirsk State Technical University (Manageria)
- Vladimir State University Center for the Deaf (Russia)
 Academy of Management "TISBI" at Kazan (Russia)
- Charles University (Czech Repub Ratchasuda College (Thailand)



rNational Technical Institute for the Deaf (USA)

- Established in 1968 on the campus of RIT
- Approx. 1250 Students
- 475 Faculty/Staff





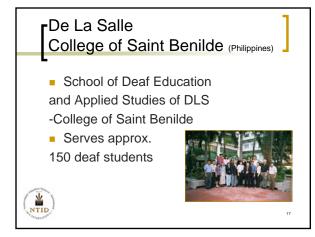
Tsukuba College of Technology Established in 1990 **Technical College** for Deaf Students Approx. 200 Students









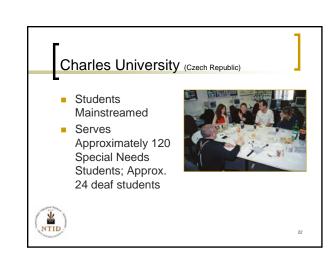


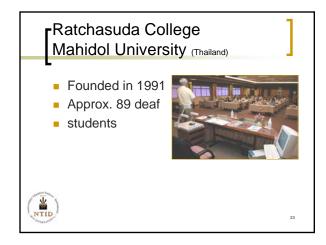


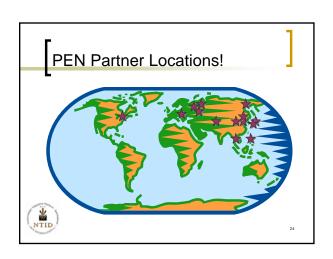












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Training & Faculty Development

- Needs Assessment
- Objective-based Workshops
- **Teachers Sharing** with Teachers
- Formative & Summative Evaluation





PEN Activities-**Recent Accomplishments**

- February 2005- Trip to Thailand by NTID faculty Rico Peterson and Patrick Graybill, Instruction of sign language
- March 2005- Trip to China by PEN faculty Jim DeCaro and Bill Clymer, signing with Zhongzhou University in Zhengzhou Haiku competition with students at NTID and Tsukuba College
- of Technology, Japan
 March 2005- two delegations of students and faculty groups
 from Japan visit NTID
- May 2005- NTID student delegation visit Japan.
- May 2005- visits to postsecondary institutions in Russia by Jim DeCaro and NTID VP/Dean Alan Hurwitz.



Current & Upcoming **PEN Activities**

- June 2005- International Instructional Technology symposium at NTID with 45+ international reps.
- July 2005- PEN representation at International Congress on Education of the Deaf (ICED), Maastricht, Holland.
- November 2005- Visit by CSB- Philippine faculty to
- July 2006- First-ever Leadership Institute for Deaf/hh postsecondary students, England.



Multimedia Computer Centers

- Support Student Learning
- Support Faculty Development of Materials





Lab Specifications

- **Smart Classroom** Technology
- Display Computer, Video, Objects
- Local Area Network
- 12 -18 Student Computer Stations



Videoconferencing

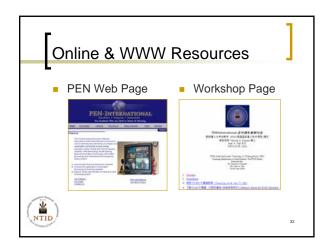


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Recent Accomplishments -PEN Multimedia Labs

- New Laboratories Opened in Beijing Union University & Changchun University, 2003 - 2004
- Tianjin University lab enhanced, 2004
- Changchun University lab enhanced,
- Labs are used an average of 32 Hours per Week for Course Work





Redesign of PEN Web Pages

- Goals
 - To Improve Dissemination of Resources
 - To Improve Usability
- Strategies
 - Web Site Architecture
 - Content Organization & Delivery
 - Accessibility



Search Engine



