(PNTU) – On the morning of May 24th, 2024, an online meeting was held at the Smart Meeting Room of Pham Ngoc Thach University of Medicine (PNTU) to discuss the scholarship program offered by the International University of Health and Welfare (IUHW) in Japan for medical students. The meeting was attended by representatives from both institutions.

From PNTU, the attendees included Assoc. Prof. Nguyen Trong Hao, Chairman of the University Council; Assoc. Prof. Nguyen Thanh Hiep, Rector; Dr. Nguyen Ngoc Van Phuong, Head of the International Collaboration Office; MSc. Nguyen Ngoc Ha, Head of the Student Affairs Office; Dr. Ho Nguyen Anh Tuan, Deputy Head of the Undergraduate Academic Office; Assoc. Prof. Chau Van Tro, Head of the Vietnamese-German Faculty of Medicine; Dr. Dang Tran Ngoc Thanh, Head of Faculty of Nursing and Medical Technology; Dr. Phan Thai Hao, Head of the Faculty of Medicine's Office, and members of the International Collaboration Office of PNTU.

Representing IUHW, Japan, were Prof. Haruko Akatsu, Vice President of IUHW, and members of the International Cooperation Department.

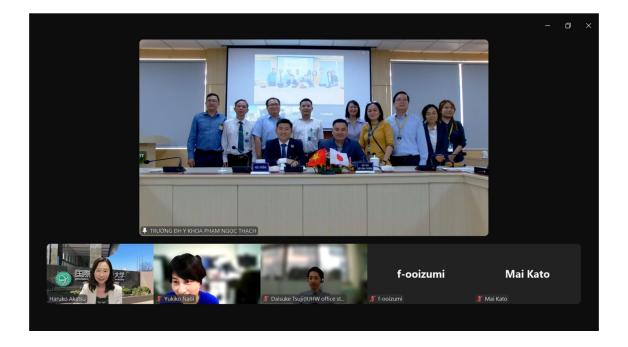
During the meeting, Prof. Akatsu provided an overview of IUHW, including its history, facilities, majors offered, and scholarship programs for international medical students, particularly for Asian students. Both sides discussed the scholarship opportunities available for first and second-year medical students at PNTU who demonstrate excellent academic achievements. Prof. Akatsu detailed the scholarship program, including the selection criteria. She also emphasized that students graduating from the program are required to return to Vietnam to serve for seven years as part of their study agreement with IUHW.

This program presents significant benefits for Vietnamese medical students, particularly those at PNTU. The PNTU board of Rectors expressed their hope that PNTU students will have the opportunity to receive scholarships from IUHW.

Some images from the meeting:



Prof. Haruko Akatsu, Vice President IUHW, presented from the Japan side



Pham Ngoc Thach University of Medicine and the International University of Health and Welfare, Japan, took a photo after the meeting

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