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LETTER FROM THE DIRECTOR

It is my privilege to inform readers of the successful completion of the 157th International Training Course on “Assessment and Treatment of Special Needs Offenders”, which took place from 14 May to 19 June 2014. In this Course, we welcomed 7 Japanese participants and 10 overseas participants: 5 from Asia, 3 from Africa, 1 from Oceania and 1 from South America. The participants included judges, prosecutors, law enforcement officers, and other high-ranking public officials. As this newsletter demonstrates, the Course was extremely productive. It consisted of lectures by visiting experts, ad hoc lecturers, and faculty members, individual presentations, visits to relevant criminal justice agencies, and group-workshop and plenary sessions.

Despite growing global awareness of the need for individualized, gender-specific treatment of offenders, many developing and developed countries do not have adequate correctional systems to protect the human rights of special needs offenders or to provide them with effective correctional treatment. This Course provided the participants with the opportunity to review and reflect on the current challenges of accommodating and treating offenders with unique needs, such as women, the elderly, and the mentally or physically disabled. The participants were introduced to relevant United Nations standards and norms—in particular, the *United Nations Rules for the Treatment of Women Prisoners and Non-custodial Measures for Women Offenders (the Bangkok Rules)*¹—and to good practices identified by the UNODC for the treatment of elderly and mentally or physically disabled offenders.

UNAFEI, as one of the institutes of the United Nations Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice Programme Network, held this Course to offer participants an opportunity to clarify and analyse the current situation and to explore more effective ways to assess and treat offenders with special needs. Additionally, the participants were able to share experiences, gain knowledge, and build a human network of counterparts.

During the Course, the participants diligently and comprehensively examined the course theme, primarily through a comparative analysis. The participants shared their own experiences and knowledge of the issues and identified problems and areas in which improvements could be made. With the academic and practical input from the visiting experts, ad hoc lecturers and UNAFEI faculty—and the in-depth discussions they had with each other—the participants are now better equipped to cope with the challenges of treating offenders with special needs.

I would like to offer my sincere congratulations to all of the participants upon their successful completion of the Course, made possible by their strenuous efforts. My heartfelt gratitude goes out to the visiting experts and ad hoc lecturers who contributed a great deal to the Course’s success. Furthermore, I appreciate the indispensable assistance and cooperation extended to UNAFEI by various agencies and institutions that helped diversify the Course.

I would also like to express my great appreciation to the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) for its immeasurable support throughout the Course. At the same time, a warm tribute must be paid to the Asia Crime Prevention Foundation (ACPF) and its branch

¹ General Assembly Resolution 65/229 (16 Mar. 2011).

organizations for their substantial contributions to our activities. Lastly, I owe my gratitude to all the individuals whose unselfish efforts behind the scenes contributed significantly to the successful realization of this Course.

Upon returning to their home countries, I genuinely believe that, like their predecessors, the strong determination and dedication of the participants will enable them to work towards the improvement of their respective nations' criminal justice systems, and towards the benefit of international society as a whole.

Finally, I would like to reiterate my best regards to the participants of the 157th International Training Course. I hope that the experience they gained during the Course proves valuable in their daily work and that the bonds fostered among the participants, visiting experts and UNAFEI staff will continue to grow for many years to come.

June 2014

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Tomoko Akane". The signature is fluid and cursive, with "Tomoko" on the left and "Akane" on the right, connected by a flourish.

Tomoko Akane
Director, UNAFEI

THE 157TH INTERNATIONAL TRAINING COURSE

ASSESSMENT AND TREATMENT OF SPECIAL NEEDS OFFENDERS

Course Rationale

To realize a safe society without crime, it is crucial that offenders receive appropriate treatment to prevent reoffending. Appropriate treatment programmes for offenders in correctional institutions or in the community require an understanding of the factors which influence offender treatment, such as intellectual abilities, mental and physical disabilities, vulnerabilities, criminal backgrounds, and home environments. Treatment programmes should be developed to respond to these factors.

In many countries, there are certain types of offenders who do not receive appropriate treatment due to the lack of awareness of these factors or difficulties in implementing appropriate programmes. In this training course, we considered assessment tools and the implementation and development of treatment programmes, mainly focusing on three types of offenders, i.e. women offenders, mentally or physically disabled offenders, and elderly offenders.

First, it is necessary to provide special consideration for women offenders based on their biological, psychological and criminological differences. There are many women offenders who have experienced sexual or physical abuse, drug addictions, and psychiatric disorders like depression. The interventional elements to reduce offending thoughts and behaviours should be used collaboratively with rehabilitative elements. In order to realize this, the correctional authorities should work closely with multiple agencies, such as public or private medical, health and welfare agencies. In particular, the provision of services associated with pregnancy, childbirth and breastfeeding are essential. We must also pay special attention to the impact on the development and welfare of the children of women inmates. Of course, it is crucial that measures to prevent sexual and physical violence against women are taken throughout all stages of treatment in order to protect their human rights. The adoption of the *United Nations Rules for the Treatment of Women Prisoners and Non-custodial Measures for Women Offenders (the Bangkok Rules)* by the United Nations General Assembly in December 2010 indicates the international surge of such demands.

Second, many mentally and physically disabled people commit crimes because they are excluded from society and they slip through the social safety net. To realize rehabilitation and prevention of repeated crimes, physical and mental care should be provided to disabled offenders while implementing appropriate assessments and treatment programmes; measures also should be implemented in cooperation with prisons, probation services, social welfare and mental care units, etc. However, appropriate treatment programmes are not being developed or implemented due to a lack of awareness of their importance and the lack of resources. Thus, implementing appropriate treatment and assessment of mentally and physically disabled offenders is a pressing issue of criminal policy.

Third, as the elderly population increases around the world, both developed and developing countries are facing the issue of increased crime committed by the elderly. Likewise, to rehabilitate elderly offenders, it is essential that physical and mental care be provided while implementing appropriate assessment and treatment programmes; measures also should be implemented in cooperation with prisons, probation services, social welfare and mental care units, etc. However, appropriate treatment programmes are not being developed or implemented for elderly offenders due to a lack of awareness of their importance. Elderly offenders sometimes have mental or physical disabilities such as limited mobility, dysphasia, dementia, etc. Due to these disabilities, it is often difficult for them to find jobs after their release as younger offenders do, which enhances isolation and the risk of recidivism of elderly offenders. It is essential to appropriately assess factors, such as physical disabilities, vulnerabilities, working ability and home environment, and to implement treatment programmes in response to these needs. Thus, the implementation of appropriate treatment and assessment of mentally disabled and elderly offenders is a pressing issue of criminal policy.

Objectives of the Programme:

This programme offered participants an opportunity to deepen their understanding and share experiences and knowledge on (i) the assessment and treatment of special needs offenders, (ii) measures in cooperation with social welfare units, (iii) international standards on the treatment of women offenders, such as the Bangkok Rules, special measures for women offenders in many countries, and so on. Another objective of the programme was to establish a global network of counterparts to facilitate exchange of updated information on country practices.

In order to achieve these objectives, this programme provided an opportunity to identify and examine current situations and challenges existing in the participants' countries, and enhanced the participants' knowledge of possible measures to improve current practice.

These objectives were achieved via lectures and the participants' dialogue and discussions.

Specific topics addressed were the following:

- 1) Status of crime committed by special needs offenders
 - (i) Types of offences and the number of crimes committed by special needs offenders
 - (ii) Characteristics (or risks and needs) of special needs offenders
 - (iii) Social background of crimes committed by special needs offenders
 - (iv) Others

- 2) Measures related to the treatment of special needs offenders
 - (i) Classification and assessment
 - (ii) Basic principles of women offender treatment
 - (iii) Human-rights-related issues
 - (iv) Institutional treatment (women/disabled/elderly)
 - Treatment programmes
 - Facility care
 - Others
 - (v) Community-based treatment (women/disabled/elderly)
 - Treatment programmes
 - Involvement of family and community
 - Others

- (vi) Measures in cooperation with other criminal justice organizations
 - Measures at the investigation, prosecution and trial/sentencing stages
 - Measures in institutions
 - Measures in communities
 - Others
- (vii) Other measures

Each participant was required to submit an Individual Presentation Paper regarding the above mentioned topics as they apply to his or her country, and to explain and discuss these topics in his or her individual presentation.

Course Summary

Lectures

In total, the participants attended 33 lectures, including 10 presented by the visiting experts, 3 by ad hoc lecturers and 7 by the faculty of UNAFEI. Five distinguished criminal justice academics and practitioners served as UNAFEI's visiting experts. They lectured on issues relating to the main theme of the Course and contributed significantly beyond their lectures by encouraging discussions after their lectures, participating in the discussions of other programmes, and conversing with the participants on informal occasions. Additionally, the ad hoc lectures were delivered by the Director of the Nagasaki Community Settlement Support Center, the Supervising Research Officer of the Research Division of the Research and Training Institute of the Ministry of Justice, and the head of the Rehabilitation Support Division of the Tokyo District Public Prosecutors Office. The lecturers and lecture topics are listed on pages 7 and 8.

Individual Presentations

During the first three weeks, all participants delivered individual presentations which introduced the situation, problems and future prospects of the participants' countries. These papers were compiled onto USB memory sticks and distributed to all the participants. The titles of these individual presentation papers are listed on pages 9 and 10.

Group Workshop Sessions

Group workshop sessions provided the participants with the opportunity to further examine the sub-topics of the main theme. In order to conduct each session effectively, the UNAFEI faculty selected individuals to serve as group members for the sub-topics, based on their responses to a previously distributed questionnaire. Selected participants served as chairpersons, co-chairpersons, rapporteurs or co-rapporteurs, and faculty members served as advisers. Each group's primary responsibility was to explore and develop their designated topics in the group workshop sessions. The participants and UNAFEI faculty studied the topics and exchanged their views based on information obtained through personal experience, the individual presentations, lectures and so forth. After the group workshop sessions, reports were drafted based on the discussions in their groups. These reports were subsequently presented in the plenary report-back session, where they were endorsed as the reports of the Course. Brief summaries of the group workshop reports are provided on pages 11 and 12.

Visits and Special Events

Visits to various agencies and institutions in Japan helped the participants obtain a more practical understanding of the Japanese criminal justice system. In addition to the Course's academic agenda, many activities were arranged to provide a greater understanding of Japanese society and culture, with the assistance of various organizations and individuals, including the Asia Crime Prevention Foundation (ACPF). For more detailed descriptions, please refer to pages 13 to 16.

Lecture Topics

Visiting Experts' Lectures

- 1) Dr. Frank Porporino
 - Correctional Services for the Mentally Disordered Offender
 - Managing the Elderly in Corrections
 - Doing More of What Matters: Effective Correctional Programming in Perspective
- 2) Dr. Miriam Estrada-Castillo
 - United Nations Rules for the Treatment of Women Prisoners and Non-custodial Measures for Women Offenders (Bangkok Rules) and National Human Rights Institutions
 - Applying The Bangkok Rules' Women and Children with Special Needs
- 3) Dr. Uju Agomoh
 - Mental Health and Justice — Case Study of the Prison Decongestion and Re-Entry Scheme
- 4) Dr. Kelley Blanchette
 - Correctional Service Canada
 - Correctional Services for Women Offenders
- 5) Mr. Elias Carranza
 - Prisons in Latin America and the Caribbean — What to do, What not to do

UNAFEI Professors' Lectures

- 1) Mr. Naoya Oyaizu, *Professor*, UNAFEI
 - Japanese Police
- 2) Ms. Yukako Mio, *Professor*, UNAFEI
 - The Criminal Justice System in Japan: Investigation & Prosecution
- 3) Mr. Yusuke Hirose, *Professor*, UNAFEI
 - The Criminal Justice System in Japan: The Courts

- 4) Mr. Koji Yoshimura, *Professor, UNAFEI*
 - Correctional System of Japan — Advantages and Current situation
 - Juvenile Institutional Corrections in Japan
- 5) Ms. Fumiko Akashi, *Professor, UNAFEI*
 - Community-Based Treatment of Offenders System in Japan
- 6) Mr. Toru Nagai, *Professor, UNAFEI*
 - Challenges of SNOs in Japan
- 7) Ms. Akiko Tashiro, *Professor, UNAFEI*
 - Women Offenders Treatment's Pillar

Ad Hoc Lectures

- 1) Mr. Takashi Izumaru
Director, NPO Network, Nagasaki Community Settlement Support Centre
 - Measures for Elderly Offenders and Offenders with Disabilities
- 2) Mr. Yoko Hashimoto
Chief Research Officer, the Research Department, Research and Training Institute of the Ministry of Justice
 - Treatment of Female Inmates in Japan
- 3) Mr. Ryo Matsutomo
Certified Social Worker, Volunteer Probation Officer, Rehabilitation Support Division, Tokyo District Public Prosecutors Office
 - Measures for Elderly Offenders and Offenders with Disabilities

Individual Presentation Topics

Overseas Participants

- 1) Mr. Abdul Ahad Saifi (Afghanistan)
 - Basic Principles of Women Offenders' Treatment in Afghanistan
- 2) Mr. Raz Mohammad Zirak (Afghanistan)
 - Special Needs of Offenders and Recommendations for the Best Treatment of Offenders in Prison
- 3) Mr. Duciran Van Marsen Farena (Brazil)
 - Special Needs Offenders in the Brazilian Correctional System — with Focus on Incarcerated Women
- 4) Mr. Jacob Omondi Adero (Kenya)
 - Assessment and Treatment of Special Needs Offenders
- 5) Ms. Pamela Atieno Onyango (Kenya)
 - Assessment and Treatment of Special Needs Offenders
- 6) Mr. Horace Chacha Sereria (Kenya)
 - Assessment and Treatment of Special Needs Offenders
- 7) Mr. Thant Zin Win (Myanmar)
 - Assessment and Treatment of Special Needs Offenders
- 8) Mr. Brucelee Peterhudson Adam (Nauru)
 - Nauru Correctional Services
- 9) Ms. Walaya Sripayak (Thailand)
 - Overview of Probation Services in Thailand

Observers

- 10) Mr. Chiu Siu Tsz (Hong Kong)
 - Assessment and Treatment of Women Offenders in Hong Kong
- 11) Mr. Nochul Song (Republic of Korea)
 - Assessment and Treatment of Special Needs Offenders (Elderly Offenders)

Japanese Participants

- 12) Mr. Ryo Fukuoka
 - Legal Status of Special Needs Offenders
- 13) Ms. Asuka Hamasako
 - Community Based Treatment for Women Offenders in Japan
- 14) Mr. Noriaki Hashimoto
 - Examination of the Treatment of Offenders with Mental Disorders from a Public Prosecutor's Standpoint
- 15) Mr. Tougo Nakamura
 - Correctional Education for Juveniles Enrolled in Special Education Courses at Medical Juvenile Training Schools in Japan — a Study of Kanagawa Medical Juvenile Training School
- 16) Ms. Kanako Nayuki
 - A Study on the Notion of Special Needs Treatment for Inmates in Japan — Through the Practice of Treatment of Foreign Inmates
- 17) Ms. Mika Tsutsumi
 - Elderly Offenders and Offenders with Mental Disorders in Japan
- 18) Ms. Takako Yamada
 - The Treatment of Special Needs Offenders at the Investigation Stage

Group Workshop Sessions

Group 1

**FOCUS ON THE BANGKOK RULES—CREATING A BETTER ENVIRONMENT
FOR CORRECTIONAL REHABILITATION OF WOMEN OFFENDERS**

Chairperson	Mr. Duciran Farena Van Marsen	(Brazil)
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Rapporteur	Ms. Pamela Atieno Onyango	(Kenya)
Co-Rapporteur	Ms. Asuka Hamasako	(Japan)
	Ms. Wallaya Sripayak	(Thailand)
Members	Mr. Saifi Ahad Abdul	(Afghanistan)
	Ms. Kanako Nayuki	(Japan)
	Ms. Takako Yamada	(Japan)
	Mr. Chiu Siu Tsz	(Hong Kong)
Adviser	Prof. Fumiko Akashi	(UNAFEI)

Report Summary

Group 1 addressed the treatment of women offenders from the perspective of the Bangkok Rules. It was noted that the Bangkok Rules complement the Standard Minimum Rules for the Treatment of Prisoners and that equal treatment is a requirement of justice.

The group focused its discussion on eleven topics: (1) health, (2) infrastructure and facilities, (3) protection of privacy and relationships with the outside world, (4) staff training, (5) female detainees in custody, (6) rehabilitation, reintegration and resettlement, (7) pregnant offenders and female offenders with dependent children, (8) female offenders with mental and physical disabilities and those suffering from terminal illness, (9) foreign and migrant female offenders, (10) elderly female offenders, and (11) juvenile female offenders. It was emphasized that all female offenders should be considered together; these subtopics related to women offenders were only created in order to facilitate the understanding of each subtopic.

After discussion, the group concluded that female offenders in most jurisdictions are disadvantaged due to their gender, age, disabilities and deficiencies in correctional infrastructure. The group further concluded that countries should act aggressively to correct these problems by implementing relevant UN standards and norms.

To do so, the group identified 17 recommendations, including, among others: (1) making concerted efforts to use non-custodial measures to divert female offenders, especially those who are pregnant, caring for babies or children, elderly, suffering from disabilities, or juvenile; (2) developing gender-specific assessment tools such as risk and needs instruments for female offenders; (3) developing gender-specific healthcare programmes for female offenders in correctional institutions; (4) ensuring external monitoring by human rights institutions; (5) establishing nurseries and day-care centres to meet the needs of children residing with their mothers in prison; (6) enhancing communication between female offenders and their families; (7) providing staff training on UN standards and norms; (8) connecting offenders with social services; (9) considering the needs of female offenders from the perspective of past victimization; (10) taking a proactive approach to community education for the promotion of reintegration; (11) providing special facilities and programmes for female offenders with special needs, particularly the elderly and the physically or mentally disabled; (12) the use of compassionate release, pardon or amnesty for elderly inmates and those suffering from serious and terminal diseases, and (13) using evidence-based assessment and treatment strategies for female offenders.

Group 2

ASSESSMENT AND TREATMENT OF SPECIAL NEEDS OFFENDERS— FOCUSING ON DISABLED AND ELDERLY OFFENDERS

Chairperson	Mr. Jacob Omondi Adero	(Kenya)
Co-Chairperson	Mr. Nochul Song	(Korea)
Rapporteur	Mr. Fukuoka Ryo	(Japan)
Co-Rapporteur	Ms. Tsutsumi Mika	(Japan)
Members	Mr. Raz Mohammad Zirak	(Afghanistan)
	Mr. Thant Zin Win	(Myanmar)
	Mr. Brucelee Peterhudson Adam	(Nauru)
	Mr. Hashimoto Noriaki	(Japan)
	Mr. Nakamura Tougo	(Japan)
Advisers	Prof. Nagai Toru	(UNAFEI)

Report Summary

Group 2 discussed the assessment and treatment of elderly and disabled offenders by considering three correctional stages in chronological order: (1) *the pre-conviction stage*—non-custodial measures and sanctions; (2) *the imprisonment stage*—management policies and strategies/preparation for release; and (3) *the post-release stage*—prevention of recidivism/reintegration into society.

The group began by identifying the problems faced by elderly and disabled offenders in correctional systems. Elderly offenders suffer from physical or mental weakness, diminished ability or lower passion to work, and isolation from family and friends. They also experience bullying and other forms of harassment from younger inmates. Similarly, mentally disabled offenders require continuous medical care and are stigmatized by their disabilities.

In general, the problems experienced by elderly and disabled offenders have similar remedies. The group members reported that, with few exceptions, the represented jurisdictions had no special prisons to house elderly or disabled offenders. During the pre-conviction stage, the group recommended the use of diversion programmes to treat both groups in the community and to rely on family members to support the offender. During the imprisonment stage, both groups require treatment from specially trained prison staff, and the group found it important to find ways to maintain “family links” to support each offender’s rehabilitation. However, at the post-release stage, elderly and disabled offenders all struggle with the common problem of having no home to return to. In this sense, the group stated that it was critical for correctional services to connect special needs offenders with social welfare agencies.

However, the group also identified different approaches to the treatment of these categories of special needs offenders. Elderly offenders will benefit from accessible, barrier-free facilities that facilitate their restricted movement and lifestyles. Furthermore, accommodations for the elderly should be separated from younger prisoners so that correctional staff can focus on the special needs of the elderly. Finally, greater use of parole, pardons and remission should be used to incentivize work in prison or in the community.

For disabled offenders, the group emphasized the great importance of providing continuous medical care for the mentally disabled. This intensive treatment requires extensive coordination and information sharing between the offender, social workers, prison and probation officers and social welfare agencies. Further, the group recommended the Nagasaki model as a good practice in Japan designed to identify mental health issues during the pre-conviction stage, involving cooperation between prosecutors and mental health professionals. The group concluded by generating a list of ten recommendations addressing elderly and disabled offenders, which are included in the final group workshop report.

Observation Visits

<u>Date</u>	<u>Agency/Institution</u>	<u>Main Persons Concerned</u>
21 May	Ministry of Justice	• Mr. Sadakazu Tanigaki (Minister of Justice)
27 May	Yokohama Probation Office	• Ms. Chizuko Takizawa (Chief Probation Officer)
4 June	Tokyo District Court	Ms. Koda Kazuyo (Senior Officer)
	Supreme Court	• Ms. Yasuko Shimada (Officer)
6 June	Fuchu Prison	• Mr. Takanari Fujioka (Director)

Group Study Tours

<u>Date</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Agency/Institution</u>	<u>Main Persons Concerned</u>
11 June	Onomichi	Onomichi Prison Branch	• Mr. Michio Misumi (Worden)
12 June	Kyoto	Halfway House “Nishihongan-ji Byakkoso”	• Ms. Sumie Nakamura (Director)
13 June	Kyoto	Kyoto Police Headquarters	• Mr. Koji Tanaka (Chief Inspector)

Special Events

4 May *Welcome Party*

16, 20, 22 May *Japanese Conversation Classes*

The overseas participants attended three Japanese conversation classes and learned practical Japanese expressions. The *sensei* (teacher) was Ms. Misako Ukita from the NIHONGO NO KAI Business Co-operative.

19 May *Social with Volunteer Probation Officers*

The participants had an opportunity to exchange views with Japanese Volunteer Probation Officers at a social at UNAFEI.

21 May *Courtesy Call to the Ministry of Justice and Reception by the Vice-Minister of Justice*

At the conclusion of their visit to the Ministry of Justice, during which they met the Minister of Justice, Mr. Sadakazu Tanigaki, a reception was held for the participants by the Vice-Minister of Justice, Mr. Nobuo Inada, at the Danwa-shitsu Lounge on the 20th floor of the ministry building, overlooking Hibiya Park.

23 May *UNAFEI International Table Tennis Tournament*

The UNAFEI Table Tennis Tournament was held in the auditorium. Mixed teams of international participants, Japanese participants and UNAFEI faculty and staff were formed, and competed against each other. All participants, faculty and staff celebrated later in Lounge B.

24 May *Grand Sumo Tournament Visit and ACPF Kisei Branch Party*

Following a tour of Ryogoku, including a visit to Edo-Tokyo Museum, the participants attended the Grand Sumo Tournament at the Ryogoku Kokugikan, Tokyo. They later enjoyed a party hosted by the Kisei Branch of the ACPF held at the Daiichi Ryogoku Hotel.

30 May *Yokohama Dinner Cruise*

The participants enjoyed a sunset cruise and dinner aboard the *Marine Rouge*, hosted by the ACPF Yokohama branch.

3 June *The Way of Tea (Tea Ceremony)*

The participants participated in a “*cha-no-yu*” or “*sado*”, a formal Japanese tea ceremony, kindly hosted by Soroptimist International Tokyo, Fuchu.

7 June

Home Visits

The Volunteer Probation Officers Association in Support of UNAFEI's Activities kindly organized a home visit programme. The hosts were Mr. Chikyo Shimamura, Mr. Ichiro Yato, Ms. Shizuko Beppu and Mr. Kimio Tanaka. They kindly invited the participants to their homes.

19 June

Farewell Party

A party was held to bid farewell to the participants.

Reference Materials

**UNAFEI 157TH INTERNATIONAL TRAINING COURSE
LIST OF REFERENCE MATERIALS**

1	Women Offenders			
	Title	Author	Year	Note
1	United Nations Rules for the Treatment of Women Prisoners and Non-custodial Measures for Women Offenders (the Bangkok Rules)	United Nations	2011	
2	Guidance Document on the United Nations Rules on the Treatment of Women Prisoners and Non-custodial Measures for Women Offenders (The Bangkok Rules)	Thailand Institute of Justice	2013	
3	Gender-Responsive Strategies: Research, Practice, and Guiding Principles for Women Offenders	National Institute of Corrections	2003	
4	A Distinct Approach: A guide to working with women offenders	NOMS Women and Equalities Group	2012	
5	Prison Service Order: Women Prisoners	HM Prison Service	2008	

2	Disabled Offenders			
	Title	Author	Year	Note
1	Handbook on Prisoners with Special Needs	United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime	2009	
2	The Treatment of Prisons with Mental Illness in Prisons and Jails: A State Survey (abridged)	Treatment Advocacy Center	2014	

3	Improving Outcomes for People with Mental Illness under Community Corrections Supervision: A GUIDE TO RESEARCH-INFORMED POLICY AND PRACTICE	Seth Jacob Prins Laura Draper	2009	Council of State Governments Justice Center
4	The Effectiveness of Criminal Justice Liaison and Diversion Services (CJLDS) for Mentally Disordered Offenders : A systematic review	David Scott Dr Martin Dempster Dr Michael Donnelly Dr Sinead McGilloway Dr Fred Browne		
5	Inmates with Physical Disabilities : Establishing a Knowledge Base	Jessie L. Krienert Martha L. Henderson Donna M. Vandiver	2003	The Southwest Journal of Criminal Justice
6	Disabled prisoners : A short thematic review on the care and support of prisoners with a disability	HM Inspectorate of Prisons	2009	

3	Elderly Offenders			
	Title	Author	Year	Note
1	Older and Geriatric Offenders: Critical Issues for the 21st Century	Ronald H. Aday Jennifer J. Krabill		
2	The Healthcare Challenges of Older People in Prisons - a briefing paper.	Jenny Louise Docherty		Prison Health Research Network
3	Responding to the Needs of an Aging Prison Population	John Jay College	2012	Policy Research Associates
4	The Reintegration of Elderly Prisoners: An Exploration of Services Providers in England and Wales	Matthew Davies	2011	Internet Journal of Criminology

5	Aging While Incarcerated: A Qualitative Study of Geriatric Prisoners in America	Elissa Kozlov	2008	Wesleyan University
6	Managing Elderly Offenders	Meave O'Brien Titera Tewaniti Jake Hawley Darryll Fleming	2006	
7	Elderly Inmates: Issues for Australia	Anna Grant	1999	Australian Institute of Criminology

Expert and Participant List

Visiting Experts

Dr. Frank Porporino	ICPA Board Member Senior Partner – T3 Associates Training and Consulting Inc. Canada
Dr. Miriam Estrada-Castillo	Visiting Professor Raoul Wallenberg Institute of Human Rights and Humanitarian Law (RWI) Sweden
Dr. Uju Agomoh	Executive Director Prisoner's Rehabilitation and Welfare Action (PRAWA) Nigeria
Dr. Kelley Blanchette	Director General Women Offender Sector Correctional Service of Canada (CSC) Canada
Mr. Elias Carranza	Director United Nations Latin American Institute for the Prevention of Crime and the Treatment of Offenders (ILANUD) Argentina

Overseas Participants

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Oita Probation Office

Mr. Naoki Hashimoto

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Chief Supervisor
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Tokyo Probation Office

Ms. Takako Yamada

Captain
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**THE FIRST CRIMINAL JUSTICE TRAINING
PROGRAMME FOR FRENCH-SPEAKING
AFRICAN COUNTRIES**

The First Training Programme for French-Speaking African Countries was held from 19 February to 11 March 2014 at UNAFEI. Thirty participants attended.

Mr. Darga Wennelebsida-Jean-A	Central Police Commissioner Central Police Office of Ouagadougou Ministry of Security and Territorial Administration Burkina Faso
Mr. Hien Didier Yenemina	Deputy Attorney General Prosecutor General at the Court of Appeal in Ouagadougou Ministry of Justice Burkina Faso
Mr. Ye Etienne	Deputy Attorney General Prosecutor General at the Court of Appeal in Ouagadougou Ministry of Justice Burkina Faso
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INFORMATION ABOUT FORTHCOMING PROGRAMMES

1. The Asia Volunteer Probation Officers Meeting

From 9 to 10 July 2014, the Japan Rehabilitation Aid Association and UNAFEI will co-host the first Asia Volunteer Probation Officers Meeting in Tokyo, Japan. The purpose of the meeting is to provide volunteer probation officers from Japan and Southeast Asia with an opportunity to share information and experiences related to their respective volunteer probation officer programmes.

2. The 158th International Training Course

From 20 August to 25 September 2014, UNAFEI will host the 158th International Training Course in Tokyo, Japan. The theme of the Course is “Conducting Speedy and Efficient Trials”. Government officials from across Southeast Asia, including Japan, and visiting experts and lecturers will attend.

3. The 17th UNAFEI UNCAC Training Programme

From 5 October to 12 November 2014, UNAFEI will host the 17th UNAFEI UNCAC Training Programme in Tokyo, Japan. The name of the Programme is the “17th UNAFEI UNCAC Training Programme: Effective Measures to Prevent and Combat Corruption Focusing on Identifying, Tracing, Freezing, Seizing, Confiscating and Recovering Proceeds of Corruption”. Government officials from across Southeast Asia, including Japan, and visiting experts and lecturers will attend.

4. The Eighth Regional Seminar on Good Governance for Southeast Asian Countries

From 18 to 20 November 2014, UNAFEI will host the Eighth Good Governance Seminar in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia. The theme of the Seminar will address “Current Issues in the Investigation, Prosecution and Adjudication of Corruption Cases”. Government officials from across Southeast Asia, including Japan, and visiting experts and lecturers will attend.

ADMINISTRATIVE NEWS

Faculty Change

Mr. Kenichi Kiyono, formerly the Deputy Director of UNAFEI, was transferred to the Tokyo District Public Prosecutors Office on 1 April 2014.

Mr. Taro Morinaga, formerly the Deputy Chief of the Saga District Public Prosecutors Office, was appointed as the Deputy Director of UNAFEI on 1 April 2014.

Mr. Ryo Tsunoda, formerly a professor of UNAFEI, was transferred to the Shizuoka Probation Office on 1 April 2014.

Ms. Fumiko Akashi, formerly a Probation Officer at the Tokyo Probation Office, was appointed as a professor of UNAFEI on 1 April 2014.

Overseas Trips by Staff

Deputy Director Kenichi Kiyono visited Nay Pyi Taw, Myanmar from 21 to 24 January 2014 to assist the Drafting Committee of Extradition Law of Myanmar.

Professor Toru Nagai visited Bangkok, Thailand from 21 to 25 January 2014 to attend the Regional Preparatory Meeting for Asia and the Pacific for the 13th United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice.

Professor Koji Yoshimura visited Nay Pyi Taw, Myanmar from 2 to 6 February 2014 to attend JICA's seminar held in cooperation with the Myanmar Correctional Department.

Director Tomoko Akane and Professor Toru Nagai visited Bangkok, Thailand from 4 to 7 March 2014 to attend the IPPF Colloquium.

Professor Yusuke Hirose and Mr. Yasushi Toyoda visited Kathmandu, the Federal Democratic Republic of Nepal from 17 to 26 March 2014 to research the current state of the legal system and its practices and to discuss future plans of technical assistance for judicial reform.

Director Tomoko Akane and Professor Kazuhiko Moriya visited Jakarta, Republic of Indonesia from 20 to 26 April 2014 to research the current state of the legal system and its practices and to discuss future plans of technical assistance for judicial reform.

Director Tomoko Akane and Professor Akiko Tashiro visited Vienna, Austria from 11 to 18 May 2014 to attend the 23rd Session of the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice.

Professor Shinichiro Iwashita visited Portsmouth and London, U.K. from 11 to 25 May 2014 to attend a Hampshire State Police training course.

Professor Yukako Mio visited Changi, Singapore from 27 to 30 May 2014 to attend the 1st ASEAN-Japan Cybercrime Dialogue.

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