

Japanese Studies Resources on the Web

This session emphasized the fact that when searching the web in Japanese, results can vary considerably depending on the form of Japanese script (hiragana, katakana, kanji) used to enter the search term. Universities and organizations in Japan are indeed embracing internationalization and globalization and trying to participate in the international online community. However the amount of information found in English on their web sites is still fairly minimal. See also:

Using Network Information

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Prof. Edamoto showed us how to search effectively relevant uploaded information on the Internet. His discussion was closely related to one aspect of the information literacy concept, namely the evaluation of available resources online. The emphasis was on the user's perspective. Useful information web sites and portals were presented throughout the handouts.

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