# The 100th Anniversary Projects

Tohoku University marked its 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of foundation in June 2007. As preliminary steps, the University launched the "100th Anniversary Campaign", and since 2004 had held various seminars and events under the slogan "Tohoku University, Creating Global Excellence (Tohoku University provides opportunities for world-class research and education)".

### The Ceremony of Tohoku University Centenary Event

June 27, 2007 (Mon) Main Hall, Sendai International Center

Opening Speech

Akihisa Inoue President, Tohoku University

Congratulatory Address

Bunmei Ibuki Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology

Hiroshi Komiyama President, The University of Tokyo Wang Shenghong President, Fudan University

Renato Guarini Rector, University Degli Studi Di Roma La Sapienza

• Former Presidents Honoured

《the Recepients》

Nakao Ishida 15th Former President of Tohoku University Jun-ichi Nishizawa 17th Former President of Tohoku University 18th Former President of Tohoku University Takashi Yoshimoto 19th Former President of Tohoku University 19th Former President of Tohoku University

Science Koichi Tanaka Education Takako Aoki Industry Shoichiro Toyoda

Sports Japan Team Tohoku University Rowing Club Eight-Man Crew

(1960 Roma Olympic Game)

Arts and Culture Kazumasa Oda

Centenary Music Memoirs

'Watashitachiwa-Susumu (We Shall Go Forward)' composed and conducted by Mitsuharu Okazaki



Centenary Music Memoirs

### Centenary Anniversary Garden Party

August 26, 2007 (Sun) Katahira Campus, Tohoku University

Events:



Garden Event



Kagami-wari Celebration Ceremony

### Tohoku University Centenary Anniversary Festival

August 22, 2007 (Fri) Katahira Campus, Tohoku University

Events: Stage Show, Concert, and Exhibitions



Festival Main Gate



Partner Ballroom Dance Robot



Science Café

#### School Logo / Color Inaugural Ceremony

June 22, 2007 (Fri) Katahira Campus, Tohoku University

- Greetings from the President
- Progress Report
- Introduction of the School Flag
- School Song
  - "Aobamoyuru Kono Michinoku" (Amidst the Green Leaves Here in Michinoku) "Gakuyu-kai Male Chorus / Mixed Chorus
- Gakuyu-kai Cheering Group / Ceremony Elections for Student Ambassador



School Flag

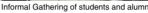
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### Home Coming Day at Tohoku University

October 7, 2007 (Sun)

- Campus Tour "Riding a Bus along Good Old Campus" "Let's Listen to the Senior Students' Experience (at Kawauchi Campus)"
- Informal Gathering between the university's graduate, undergraduate, and alumnus
- Gym Club Symposium (Gakuyu-kai): "Aiming Toward a High Level of Balance Between Education and Sports"
- International Centenary Symposium "Women's History in the Past 100 Years: Education, Marriage, Occupation (How they lived and how they should live)"







Gvm Club Svmposium

## The 8th Tohoku University Centenary Seminar: "How to educate elite engineers in this globalizing and high-tech dominated era?"

Nikkei Hall (Tokyo) Place:

Presentations: Ryoji Chubachi, President and Electronics CEO, Sony Corporation

Jacques Chambert-Loir, Chief Representative of Total Group for North-East Asia (Japan and South Korea)

Yves Michaud, Philosopher and Former Director, Ecole Nationale Superieure des Beaux-Arts

Hiroyuki Abé, Counselor to the President, Japan Science and Technology Agency Serge Feneuille, President, Haut Conseil de la Science et de la Tachnologie

#### Tohoku University Centenary Ceremony: Civil Concert

• Centenary Music Memoir - "We Shall Go Forward"

Conductor: Mitsuharu Okazaki Composer: Mitsuharu Okazaki Soprano: Emiko Kan Organist: Naoko Imai

Symphony No. 9 in D minor, Op. 125 'Choral'

Conductor: Makoto Takamiya Composer: Ludwig van Beethoven

Chorus Conductor: Masatoshi Sasaki

Soprano: Emiko Kan Alto: Kyoko Endo Tenor: Satoshi Chubachi Bass: Hiroyuki Narita

Orchestra: Gakuyu-kai Symphony Club

Chorus: Gakuyu-kai Male Chorus, Mixed Chorus, Alumni Volunteer Citizens

## Tohoku University Centenary Exhibition

Crown Asset of Tohoku University

A Century of Tohoku University: from the past documents"

[Tokyo] September 1, 2007 (Sat) - October 14, 2007 (Sun)

Edo-Tokyo Museum

[Sendai] November 2, 2007 (Fri) - December 9, 2007 (Sun)

Sendai City Museum

• Soseki Natsume: Tohoku University Centenary Commemoration/ Soseki's Centenary Celebration at The Asahi Shinbun Company/ 15th Anniversary at Edo-Tokyo Museum

September 26, 2007 (Wed) - November 18, 2007 (Sun) Edo-Tokyo Museum



Oxford University painted by Soseki Natsume



Soseki Natsume painted by Ippei Okamoto