

APNG 9th Camp Report

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Overview

I got very excited when thinking about APNG 9th Camp for it had been such a nice and successful activity in my memory. I met a lot of friends from different countries and had learnt a lot while communicating with them. The camp had presented me with vivid lectures, discussions, parties and visiting. And I got to understand various cultures in the world.

Technology Learning

I learnt quite an amount of interesting things during the camp, and one of the most important benefits is technology learning. The camp had provided us an excellent platform for communication and for presentation. And I became to realize that technology could mean a great deal in a nation's development. For example, many people live in India and other countries were facing horrible disasters each year and their network research was concentrated on the robustness of systems which could survive in earthquakes, hurricanes and tsunamis. They have designed web systems that could decrease the damage and loss caused by disasters. I quite appreciated their work in that they contributed to their country and protected their people taking advantage of network.

Furthermore, I learnt many new things about wireless network, e-learning, e-commerce and so on. All these topics were very fascinating and I enjoyed a lot. And what made me happiest was the opportunity to express my own idea about internet and to present my research work. I gave my presentation and several fellows asked me technical questions which could improve the work I did.

Social Life

To tell you the truth, this was the first time I had been to Xi'an even I have lived in Beijing for more than 20 years. I have heard so much about Xi'an city and have been longing for a chance to visit the famous city. So I quite enjoyed the life in Xi'an and had been so exciting.

And I made a lot of friends in Xi'an, including both Chinese students and foreign people. Our group visited the Xi'an Jiao Tong University together in a rainy day and we all had an memorable time. I can still remember that Jaya Kuma learnt Chinese from a local taxi driver and made us all laughed to tears. We talked on all our way and laughed all the time. It was a great time in my memory.

Suggestions

The lectures, though acceptable, can be improved to provide more helpful information.

Acknowledges

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