

Final Evaluation at the end of FR

Title of the Project	Historical Interactions between Multi-Cultural Societies and the Natural Environment in a Semi-Arid Region in Central Eurasia
Project Leader	KUBOTA Jumpei
General advice and comments of PEC: <p>PEC has concluded that focusing on historical interactions between multi-cultural societies and natural environment is impressive and observed indications after implementation of this project are compatible with RIHN's founding missions and goals. This project has helped us gain a new perspective on historical aspects of multi-cultural society and natural environmental interaction as most of the goals presented in the original plan are achieved. Research on historical implications has been well done and documentation is impressive. At the same time, there might have been further indication or presentation of project results on how those historical findings could be utilized to analyze recent developments or address "futurability" issues of the region.</p>	