1. Contribution toward a new research field of Inflammology and cross-cutting approach for a breakthrough

While inflammation is essential to protect the host from infection and other harmful stimuli, inflammation also underlies the development and/or aggravation of variety of seemingly unrelated diseases. The long-term vision for the Center is to consolidate seemingly distant inflammation-related research disciplines to facilitate a critical mass of concentrated research effort, spawning a highly attractive field of Inflammology.

We have been contributed to the development of new methods for the diagnosis, prevention and treatment of inflammation-associated diseases. The Center have also improved the education of students in terms of their acquisition of broad scientific knowledge, fostering of incisive ideas and teaching of advanced techniques in this burgeoning research field.

2. Science Diplomacy for the hope-filled young scientists

As for the science diplomacy, we’ve been continuously working to enhance scientific interactions between Germany and Japan.

We had guests from German and Japanese embassies for our symposia. Sometimes ambassadors gave us speeches or ambassadros or his deputy joined our symposia. We had also opportunities to visit embassies, where we presented our bilateral center and talked about future science and Center’s activities.

Strengthening the presence of our Center and its research field of Inflammation, we strongly believe its notion will be widely spread and we should have more support to our research field and future science.