Project Overview

INVOLution is an ETC project that is focused on creating a social interactive experience, which is designed to foster a virtual conversation among the citizens of Osaka, about Osaka. The goal is to create a virtual space in which citizens can share metropolitan "secrets" of Osaka as well as the pride of their city. Through this, we will also create a means for outsiders to get an intimate and real time glimpse of what makes Osaka come alive for its citizens.

This Week

The team spent most of this week settling into our new environment at the Osaka campus. We had to setup our apartments, work space and other necessities for living in Osaka, Japan.

The INVOLution team was able to meet with our clients this week to discuss what the clients wish to achieve with this project. We learned that our client really wants to emphasize on creating an innovative way for citizens of Osaka to share secrets of the city with each other. Secrets being text, images or video about something which other citizens may not be aware of. Our team did a lot of research into things that are popular in Japan in order to try and better acquaint ourselves with what would best suit the requirements of the client and make this project a success.

We're excited to work on this project that will allow residents to share with each other in a new and fun way; and we are looking forward to the semester ahead.

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