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<p>I continued my research on Spanish determiners and conducted a study on the cases where the omission of Spanish articles before singular countable nouns in the predicate of the copula verb “ser” is allowed. One of the main conclusions obtained was that the article can be omitted in coordinate or negative structures as well as when temporal markers are employed when the predicate does not refer to an inherent property of the subject but to a category in which it can be classified. The results of this study were presented in the 474th gathering of the <i>Círculo de Lingüística Hispánica de Kansai</i> celebrated in May and will be on the magazine <i>Estudios Hispánicos</i>, published by Osaka University.</p> <p>Regarding my research on teaching methods, in October I presented some activities that included gestures and mimics which let learners assimilate the new linguistic code through its association to physical activities in the 82th workshop of the <i>Taller de Didáctica del Español de Kansai</i>.</p> <p>In February I visited the University of Groningen (Netherlands) where I participated in classes conducted by the Spanish Department as well as in some consultancy sessions of the students of the Erasmus Multiele master program. During my visit I was able to continue my research on the efficacy of different teaching methods and teaching materials.</p>	