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Current Position

2022-Present

Institute of Developing Economics (IDE-JETRO), Japan Research Fellow, Area Studies Center.

Professional Experience

Mitsubishi UFJ Research & Consulting Co., Ltd, Japan Analyst (Full-time), Sustainable Society Dept.

Education

2020-2022	MSc in Agricultural Economics, National Taiwan University, Taiwan.
2016-2020	BSc in Agricultural Science, Major in Food and Environmental Economics, Kyoto
	University, Japan.
2017-2018	Exchange program, University of the Philippines Los Baños, Philippines.

Research interests

- Agricultural Economics: Food (in)security, Climate change adaptation, Technology adoption
- Development Economics: Poverty reduction, Child health/nutrition, Women empowerment

Journal articles

M Matsuura, YH Luh, and AHMS Islam. 2023. Weather Shocks, Livelihood Diversification, and Household Food Security: Empirical Evidence from Rural Bangladesh, Volume54, Issue4, Page 455-470, Agricultural Economics, https://doi.org/10.1111/agec.12776

Book chapter

M Matsuura, AHMS Islam and S Tauseef. 2023. Mobile money mitigates the negative effects of weather shocks: Implications for risk sharing and poverty reduction in Bangladesh, Conditionally accepted by Digital Connectivity Pathways: Exploring the Issues, Constraints, and Collaborative Prospects for Asia and the Pacific, ADBI books

Working papers

- [1] Economic Analysis of Sugarcane Block Farming in the Philippines: The Case of Batangas
- [2] Mobile phones, income diversification, and poverty reduction in rural Bangladesh (with AHMS Islam, S Tauseef), Revise and resubmit at Review of Development Economics
- [3] Gender matters in farm investment in rural Zambia: Implications for land tenure and household welfare (with O Chada, C Umetsu, W Kodama, and AHMS Islam), Under review
- [4] Climate shocks and child nutritional status in rural households in Bangladesh: Does labor allocation have a role to play?, (with K Homma, AHMS Islam, BL. Debela), Preparing for submission
- [5] Does Adaptation to Climate Change Benefit Agricultural Production? A Case of Vietnamese Rice Farmers, (with W Kodama, VO Pede), Submitted

Work in progress

Drafting	Child Health Disparities in Birth Order: Evidence from Bangladesh (with T Kishida and
	AHMS Islam), Draft coming soon
Analysis stage	Temperature shocks increase non-clean energy consumption in rural Bangladesh (with AHMS
	Islam, K Homma)
Pilot stage	Who will succeed to returns?: Technology adoption and social norms in Sub-Saharan Africa
	Temperature shocks increase non-clean energy consumption in rural Bangladesh (with AHMS Islam, K Homma)

(with W Kodama)
Pilot stage | Collective reputation and agrarian market: H

Collective reputation and agrarian market: Evidence from Fukushima Nuclear Accident (with Y Kashiwagi, T Takayama, T Senda, T Fujie)

Research grant

2023-2024	JSPS, Grant-in-Aid for Research Activity Start-up, JPY 2,860,000
2023	Tokyo Center for Economic Research, Research Grant, JPY 200,000

Presentation

2023	Resilience Seminar of Kyoto University, 11th International Conference Asian Society of Agri-
	cultural Economists (ASAE), Digital Connectivity Pathways: Exploring the Issues, Con-
	straints, and Collaborative Prospects for Asia and the Pacific (Held by ADBI), International
	Economic Development Seminar of Hiroshima University
2021	10th International Conference ASAE
2020	Japanese Society of Regional and Agricultural Development

Skills

Programming	R, STATA, Python (Beginner)
Software	MS Office, I₄TEX, CSPro, QGIS, ArcGIS

Honors and awards

2023	The second prize winner of the Best Paper Award at the 11th ASAE international conference
	(honorary mention)
2021	The first prize winner of the Best Paper Award at the 10th ASAE international conference
	(honorary mention)
2021	Seiwa Foundation International Scholarship (JPY 1,000,000)
2020-2022	National Taiwan University Outstanding International Graduate Student scholarship (TWD
	420,000/year)
2019	Hayashi Rheology Foundation Scholarship (JPY 360,000/year)
2019	Subsidy Program for Overseas Research Activities for Kyoto University Student (JPY
	200,000)
2018	Omoro Challenge Participant, Kyoto University (JPY 300,000)
2017-2018	Assistance and Allowances for Education Expenses for Study Abroad, Japan Student Service
	Organization (JPY 70,000/month)

Referee service

The Developing Economies, Cogent Economics and Finance

Research assistant experience

2021-2022	Research Assistant, Research Institute for Humanity and Nature, Postdoctoral Researcher
	Masahiko Haraguchi Ph.D
2020	Visiting Research Student, University of the Philippines Los Baños, Dean Roland T. Bello

Languages

Japanese Native
English Fluent, TOEFL iBT 97
Chinese Beginner

References

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Professor,
National Taiwan University
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Professor Emeritus,
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Hung-Hao Chang
Professor,
National Taiwan University