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Current Position

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| 2022-Present | Institute of Developing Economics (IDE-JETRO), Japan Research Fellow, Area Studies Center. |
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Professional Experience

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| 2022 | Mitsubishi UFJ Research & Consulting Co., Ltd, Japan Analyst (Full-time), Sustainable Society Dept. |
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Education

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| 2020-2022 | MSc in Agricultural Economics, National Taiwan University , Taiwan. Committee: Dr. Yir-Hueih Luh (Chair), Dr. Ming-Feng Hsieh, Dr. Feng-An Yang |
| 2016-2020 | BSc in Agricultural Science , Major in Food and Environmental Economics, Kyoto University , Japan. Advisor: Dr. Chieko Umetsu |
| 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

Publication

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| [1] | M Matsuura, Y-H Luh, and AHMS Islam. (2023) Weather Shocks, Livelihood Diversification, and Household Food Security: Empirical Evidence from Rural Bangladesh, Forthcoming , <i>Agricultural Economics</i> |
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Working papers

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| [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), Preparing for submission |
| [2] | Mobile Phone ownership, income diversification, and poverty reduction in rural Bangladesh, (with AHMS Islam, S Tauseef), submitted |
| [1] | Assessing the Impact of Sugarcane Block Farming Program in the Philippines : Evidence from Province of Batangas. |

Work in progress

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| Drafting | Climate Change Adaptation, Productivity, and Production risk: Empirical Evidence from Rice Farmers in Vietnam (with W Kodama, VO Pede) |
| Drafting | How Does Labor Reallocation Mitigate Agricultural Shocks on Child's Nutritional Status?: Empirical Evidence from Rural Bangladesh (with K Homma, AMM Saiful Islam) |
| Drafting | Birth Order and Child Health in Bangladesh (with T Kishida, AHM Saiful Islam) |
| Analysis stage | Mobile money mitigates the negative effects of weather shocks: Implications for flood risk and poverty reduction in Bangladesh (with AHMS Islam, S Tauseef), Abstract accepted as a chapter of ADBI book <i>Digital Connectivity Pathways: Exploring the Issues, Constraints, and Collaborative Prospects for Asia and the Pacific</i> |

Presentation

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

Skills

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| Programming | R, STATA, Python (Beginner) |
| Software | MS Office, L ^A T _E X, CPro, QGIS, ArcGIS |

Honors and awards

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| 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 (Approx USD 10000/year) |
| 2020-2022 | National Taiwan University Outstanding International Graduate Student scholarship (Approx USD 15000/year) |
| 2019 | Hayashi Rheology Foundation Scholarship (Approx USD 3600/year) |
| 2019 | Subsidy Program for Overseas Research Activities for Kyoto University Student (Approx USD 2000) |
| 2018 | Omoro Challenge Participant, Kyoto University (Approx USD 3000) |
| 2017-2018 | Assistance and Allowances for Education Expenses for Study Abroad, Japan Student Service Organization (Approx USD 700/month) |

Referee service

The Developing Economies

Research assistant experience

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| 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

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| Japanese | Native |
| English | Fluent, TOEFL iBT 97 |
| Chinese | Beginner |

References

[Yir-Huieh Luh](#)

Professor,

National Taiwan University

[Abu Hayat Md. Saiful Islam](#)

Professor,

Bangladesh Agricultural University

[Chieko Umetsu](#)

Professor Emeritus,

Kyoto University

[Hung-Hao Chang](#)

Professor,

National Taiwan University