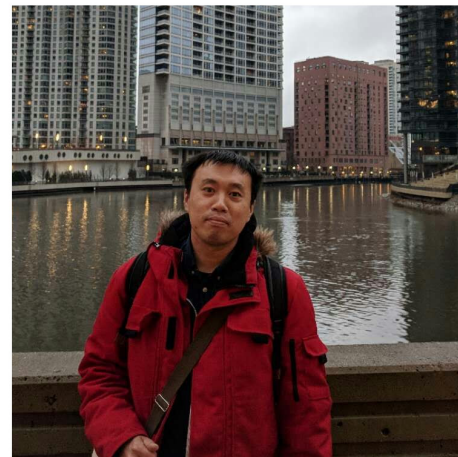


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## Personal

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## Education

Ph.D(Mathematics). Tohoku University, September 2010.

M.S(Mathematics). Tohoku University, March 2007.

B.S(Mathematics). Saitama University, March 2005.

## Employment

Associate professor at Department of Mathematics, College of Science and Technology, Nihon University, April 2015 – present.

Assistant professor at Department of Mathematics, College of Science and Technology, Nihon University, April 2012 – March 2015.

Post-doctoral researcher at Department of Mathematics, Graduates School of Science, Hokkaido University, April 2011 – March 2012.

Research Fellow of the Japan Society for the Promotion of Science, April 2009 – March 2011.

Research assistant of the global COE at Tohoku University, August 2008 – March 2009.

Research assistant of the Daigakuin GP at Tohoku University, January 2008 – May 2008.

Research assistant of the COE at Tohoku University, April 2007 – March 2008.

## Research

Research interest: Nonlinear analysis, Regularity theory for nonlinear partial differential equations, geometric measure theory and its application, Mathematical modeling for grain boundary motion.

*Journal articles with peer review*

- Takashi Kagaya, Masashi Mizuno, Keisuke Takasao, *Long time behavior for a curvature flow of networks related to grain boundary motion with the effect of lattice misorientations*, *Ann. Sc. Norm. Super. Pisa Cl. Sci. (5)* **25** (2024), 2369–2450.
- Xianjin Chen, Chiun-Chang Lee, Masashi Mizuno, *Unified asymptotic analysis and numerical simulations of singularly perturbed linear differential equations under various nonlocal boundary effects*, *Commun. Math. Sci. Communications in Mathematical Sciences*. **22** (2024), 394–434.
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- Chiun-Chang Lee, Masashi Mizuno, Sang-Hyuck Moon, *On the uniqueness of linear convection-diffusion equations in large domains with integral boundary conditions*, *C. R. Math. Acad. Sci. Paris* **361** (2023), 191–206.
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- Katayun Barmak, Anastasia Dunca, Yekaterina Epshteyn, Chun Liu, Masashi Mizuno, *Grain Growth and the Effect of Different Time Scales*, in “Research in Mathematics of Materials Science,” 33–58. *Assoc. Women Math. Ser.*, 31, Springer, Cham, 2022.
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- Yekaterina Epshteyn, Chun Liu, Masashi Mizuno, *Large time asymptotic behavior of grain boundaries motion with dynamic lattice misorientations and with triple junctions drag*, *Commun. Math. Sci.* **19** (2021), 1403–1428.
- Yekaterina Epshteyn, Chun Liu, Masashi Mizuno, *Motion of grain boundaries with dynamic lattice misorientations and with triple junctions drag*, *SIAM J. Math. Anal.* **53** (2021), 3072–3097.
- Masashi Mizuno and Keisuke Takasao, *Gradient estimates for mean curvature flow with Neumann boundary conditions*, *NoDEA Nonlinear Differential Equations Appl.* **24** (2017), Art. 32, 24pp.
- Masashi Mizuno and Yoshihiro Tonegawa, *Erratum to "Convergence of the Allen-Cahn equation with Neumann boundary conditions"*, *SIAM J. Math. Anal.* **48** (2016), 3035–3036.
- Masashi Mizuno and Yoshihiro Tonegawa, *Convergence of the Allen-Cahn equation with Neumann boundary conditions*, *SIAM J. Math. Anal.* **47** (2015), 1906–1932.
- Masashi Mizuno and Takayoshi Ogawa, *Regularity and asymptotic behavior for the Keller-Segel system of degenerate type with critical nonlinearity*, *J. Math. Sci. Univ. Tokyo* **20** (2013), 375–433.
- Masashi Mizuno, *Hölder estimates for solutions of the Cauchy problem for the porous medium equation with external forces*, *Manuscripta Math.* **141** (2013), 273–313.
- Masashi Mizuno, *Remarks on Hölder continuity for solutions of the  $p$ -Laplace evolution equations*, *J. Math. Anal. Appl.* **382** (2011), 785–791.
- Masashi Mizuno, *Harnack estimates for some nonlinear parabolic equation*, *Differential and Integral Equations* **21** (2008), 693–716.

## Preprints

Yekaterina Epshteyn, Chun Liu, and Masashi Mizuno, *Longtime Asymptotic Behavior of Nonlinear Fokker-Planck Type Equations with Periodic Boundary Conditions* .

Kouta Araki and Masashi Mizuno, *Long-time behavior of free energy in the nonlinear Fokker-Planck equation* .

Masashi Mizuno, Ayumi Sakiyama and Keisuke Takasao *The Łojasiewicz-Simon inequality related to grain boundary motion and its applications* .

## Proceedings without peer review

Masashi Mizuno, *Mathematical modeling for grain boundary motion with dynamic lattice misorientations and triple junction drag* (Japanese), in Proceedings of 46th Sapporo Symposium on Partial Differential Equations, **181** (2021), 39–50.

Masashi Mizuno and Keisuke Takasao, *Gradient estimates for mean curvature flow with Neumann boundary conditions*, in RIMS Kôkyûroku, Theory of evolution equations and applications to nonlinear problems, **2066** (2018), 35–45.

Masashi Mizuno and Yoshihiro Tonegawa, *Convergence of the Allen-Cahn equation with Neumann boundary conditions*, in RIMS Kôkyûroku, Regularity and Singularity for Partial Differential Equations with Conservation Laws **1962** (2015), 10–16.

Masashi Mizuno and Takayoshi Ogawa, *Hölder continuity for some degenerate parabolic equation and its application*, in RIMS Kôkyûroku, Nonlinear evolution equations and mathematical modeling **1693** (2010), 45–56.

## Grants(Principal Investigator)

Grant-in-Aid for Scientific Research (C), JSPS KAKENHI Grant Number 22K03376, 4,030,000 JPY, April 2022 – March 2027.

Grant-in-Aid for Encouragement of Young Scientists, JSPS KAKENHI Grant Number 18K13446, 3,510,000 JPY, April 2018 – March 2022.

Grant-in-Aid for Encouragement of Young Scientists (B), JSPS KAKENHI Grant Number 25800084, 3,250,000 JPY, April 2014 – March 2016.

Grant-in-Aid for JSPS Fellows, JSPS KAKENHI Grant Number 09J01281, 1,400,000 JPY, April 2009 – March 2011.

## Professional and society memberships

Member of Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics, October 2019 – present.

Member of The Japan Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics, April 2018 – present.

Member of Mathematical Society of Japan, October 2007 – present.

## Professional activities

### Organizing Seminars

Organizer of Research Analysis seminar, 1 February 2017 – present.

Organizer of Saitama Mathematical Analysis seminar, 1 April 2012 – present.

Organizer of Sandaigaku PDE seminar, 1 April 2012 – 31 January 2017.

Organizer of PDE seminar at Hokkaido University, 1 April 2011 – 31 March 2012.

### *Organizing International Workshops*

Organizer of “The University of Newcastle-Nihon University joint workshop on Applied Mathematics,” 1 Nov 2025 – 4 Nov 2025.

Organizer of “Critical Phenomena in Nonlinear Partial Differential Equations, Harmonic Analysis, and Functional Inequalities,” 7 Nov 2023 – 10 Nov 2023.

Organizer of Mini-symposium “Mathematical Aspects of Multiscale Phenomena in Materials and Complex Fluids” in 10th International Congress on Industrial and Applied Mathematics, 23 August 2023.

### *Committee*

Editorial board member of “Bulletin of the Japan Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics,” April 2025 – March 2026.

A district representative of “Mathematical Society of Japan,” March 2025 – February 2026.

Vice editor-in-chief of “Bulletin of the Japan Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics,” April 2023 – March 2025.

Editorial board member of “Bulletin of the Japan Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics,” April 2020 – March 2023.

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