Joint Symposium:

UTokyo x PolyU International Collaboration on Climate-Resilient Infrastructure and Smart City

The University of Tokyo, Interfaculty Initiative in Information Studies (III) & The Hong Kong Polytechnic University, Otto Poon Research Institute for Climate-Resilient Infrastructure (RICRI)

In the face of escalating climate change risks, resilient and intelligent infrastructure systems have become critical to ensuring the safety, adaptability, and sustainability of our urban environments. Building on this urgent global agenda, this symposium brings together leading scholars and experts from Utokyo and PolyU to explore strategic approaches for climate-resilient infrastructure and smart city development. The event serves as a platform for international collaboration, multidisciplinary knowledge exchange, and forward-looking discussion on integrating data science, AI, and engineering innovations into resilient urban systems.



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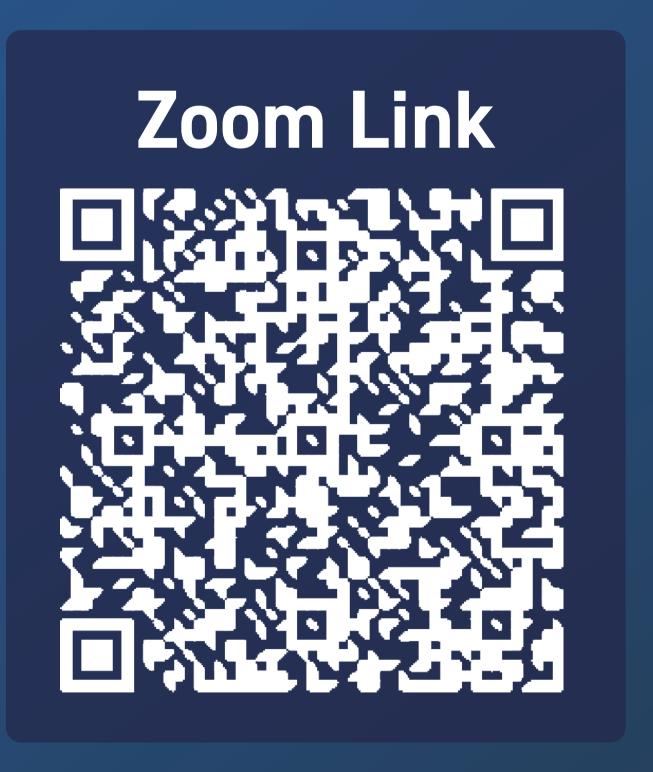
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Agenda

14:00 - 14:10 Opening Remarks & Group Photo



Prof. Kimiro MEGURO Dean of III (UTokyo)



Prof. Xiang-dong Ll Director of RICRI (PolyU)

14:10 - 14:50 Session 1: Keynote Speech - Vision & Research Directions (Part 1)



Prof. Kimiro MEGURO (UTokyo)

Title: Towards Implementation of Proper Disaster Management Measures in an Aging and Depopulation Society



Prof. Yoshihide SEKIMOTO (UTokyo)

Title: Development of Sustainable Urban Digital Twin



Prof. Xiang-dong LI (PolyU)

Title: Introduction to Research Institute for Climate-Resilient Infrastructure (RICRI) at PolyU



Prof. Jinyue YAN (PolyU)

Title: IPT4U: Intelligent Platform & Toolbox for Urban Infrastructure Resilience

15:20 - 15:50 Session 2: Expert Sharing - Future Integration (Part 2)



Prof. Noboru KOSHIZUKA (UTokyo)

Title: Smart City Operating Systems: Architectures for Interoperability and Governance



15:50 - 16:30

(Project) Assoc. Prof. Hangli GE (UTokyo)

Title: Cyber-Physical Big Data Driven Approaches for Urban Resilience Enhancement



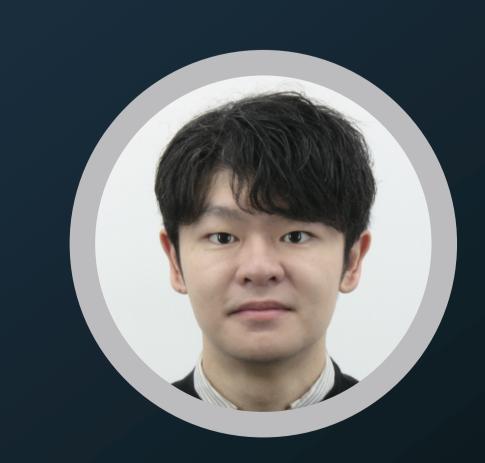
Prof. Songye ZHU (PolyU)

Title: High-fidelity Monitoring and Prediction of Extreme Climate Events in Hong Kong and Surrounding Regions



Prof. Huan-Feng DUAN (PolyU)

Title: Extreme Rainstorm Disasters and Nature-based Solutions



Moderator

Asst. Prof. GUO Zhiling (PolyU)



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Panel Discussion & Closing Remarks



