# Hiroaki Murayama

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Name: Hiroaki Murayama

**Education:** 

2019-present Medical Student, Dept. of Medicine, School of Medicine, International University of

Health and Welfare, Chiba, Japan

**Career/Academic Appointments:** 

2020-present Advisor, The National COVID-19 Cluster Taskforce, Ministry of Health, Labour and

Welfare, Tokyo, Japan (Advisor: Prof. Hiroshi Nishiura)

2021-present Research Assistant, Graduate School of Social Sciences, Chiba University, Chiba, Japan

(Advisor: Dr. Shoto Yonekura)

2021-present Member, CoV-Navi (https://covnavi.jp/)

#### **Publications:**

## Peer-Reviewed Original Research

1. **Murayama, H.,** Kayano, T. & Nishiura, H. Estimating COVID-19 cases infected with the variant alpha (VOC 202012/01): an analysis of screening data in Tokyo, January-March 2021. *Theoretical Biology and Medical Modelling* 18, 13 (2021).

### **Preprint** (†: equal contribution)

1. **Murayama**, H.†, Yamasaki, L.† & Hashizume, M. The impact of temperature on the transmission potential and virulence of COVID-19 in Tokyo, Japan. *medRxiv* (2021).

#### **Skills:**

#### Analytical

Infectious disease epidemiology, Mathematical modelling of infectious diseases, Bayesian inference

## **Programming**

R, Julia, Stan

## **Membership**

- 1. Japan Epidemiological Association
- 2. Japanese Society of Tropical Medicine