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Professional Appointments

Assistant Professor at Osaka School of International Public Policy, Osaka University, 2024-

Education

Ph.D. Economics, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2024.

M.P.P. Public Policy, University of Tokyo, 2014.

B.A. Economics, University of Tokyo, 2012.

Predoctoral Employment

2017–2018 Project Researcher at University of Tokyo, Graduate School of Economics, Tokyo, Japan

2014–2017 Consultant at Mizuho Information & Research Institute, Social Policy Division, Tokyo, Japan

Research interests

Health economics, Labor economics

Working Papers

1. "Medical Debt, Self-Insurance, and the Value of Health Insurance for the Non-Elderly".
2. "Shrinking Populations, Aging, and Access to Healthcare" (with Toshiaki Iizuka).

Publications

1. "False alarm? Estimating the marginal value of health signals" (with Toshiaki Iizuka, Karen Eggleston, and Brian Chen). *Journal of Public Economics*, 2021, 195, 104368.

Work in Progress

1. "Medical Debt and Access to Hospital Care"(with Qing Gong).
2. "The Impact of Job Displacement on Health Insurance Coverage in the Post-ACA Era"

Teaching

Health Economics (undergraduate), Fall/Winter 2024

Econometrics 1 (undergraduate), Spring/Summer 2025

Conference and Seminar Presentations

2025 Keio, ASHEcon, IHEA, GRIPS, OSIPP lunch seminar

2024 Nazarbayev, Wuhan, OSIPP, OSU, OSIPP lunch seminar, The workshop on the economics of human resource allocation

2023 Triangle Applied Microeconomics Conference, SEA Annual Meeting

2018 The 9th Seminar for Young Researchers at Japanese Health Economics Association

Honors and Awards

2023 Bill Parke Research Award, Department of Economics at UNC-Chapel Hill

2023 UNC Graduate Representative (Graduate Student Award), SEA Annual Meeting