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Em	ployment	Associate Professor of Economics, Senshu University	2019-
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Assistant Professor of Economics, Hitotsubashi University 2016-2019

Education Ph.D. in Economics, University of Western Ontario 2016

Committee: Audra Bowlus (advisor), Chris Robinson, and Todd Stinebrickner

A.M. in Economics, University of Pennsylvania 2010

M.A. in Economics, Hitotsubashi University 2008

B.A. in International Development, University of Tsukuba 2006

Research Fields Primary: Labor Economics, Economics of Education

Secondary: Public Economics, Family Economics, Health Economics

Current topics include human capital formation, early childhood interventions, mental health, gender gaps, and aging.

Peer-Reviewed Publications

Universal Early Childhood Education and Adolescent Risky Behavior *Journal of Public Economics, Forthcoming.* (with Michihito Ando and Shintaro Yamaguchi)

The Labor Market in Japan, 2000-2018

IZA World of Labor, 2019, 385.v2: 1-12. (with Daiji Kawaguchi)

Ageing and the Skill Portfolio: Evidence from Job Based Skill Measures

The Journal of the Economics of Ageing, 2016, 7: 89-103. (with Audra Bowlus and Chris Robinson)

Other Publication Birt

Birthdays, Test Scores, and Educational Attainment

Japanese Journal of Labor Studies, 2007, 569: 29-42. (with Daiji Kawaguchi, in Japanese)

Working Papers

Gender-Specific Exposure to Trade, Labor Market Adjustments, and the Family (with Kiho Muroga and Akira Sasahara)

Available as RIETI Discussion Paper 25-E-31.

School-Entry Regulations and Bullying: How Institutions Shape Victimization Risks (with Yuki Onozuka and Yuuki Takahashi)

The Effects of Trade on the Gender Gaps: A Model-Based Quantitative Investigation (with Akira Sasahara)

Available as RIETI Discussion Paper 21-E-076.

Childhood Health and Lifecycle Human Capital Formation

Research Grants

PI: JSPS Grant-in-Aid for Scientific Research 23K12493	2023-2026
PI: JSPS Grant-in-Aid for Scientific Research 17K13747	2017-2022
Co-I: JSPS Grant-in-Aid for Scientific Research 20H01510	2020-2022
Co-I: JSPS Grant-in-Aid for Scientific Research 16K21743	2016-2019

Professional Activities

 ${\bf 2024} :$ Application Reviewer, 2^{nd} Applied Social Sciences RA Boot Camp

2023: Application Reviewer, Kanematsu Prize (Kobe University); External Dissertation Examiner, Ryohei Kashima (Hitotsubashi University).

2022: Program Committee Member, 25^{th} Japan Labor Economics Conference; Co-organizer, Tokyo Labor Economics Workshop.

2021: Program Committee Member, 24^{th} Japan Labor Economics Conference; Co-organizer, Tokyo Labor Economics Workshop.

2017-2019: Co-organizer, Hitotsubashi Industry and Labor Economics Workshop.

Referee Service: Asian and Pacific Migration Journal, Economic Modelling, Economic Systems, European Economic Review, Hitotsubashi Journal of Economics, Japan and the World Economy, The Japanese Economic Review, Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization, and Pacific Economic Review.

Presentations

(*: Invited, †: Presentations given by coauthors)

2025: Econometric Society World Congress (Seoul, Scheduled), SOLE-EALE-AASLE World Labor Conference†(Toronto, Scheduled), Tokyo Labor Economics Workshop†(University of Tokyo, Scheduled), JEA Spring Meeting†(Chukyo University, Scheduled).

2024: AASLE Conference (Chulalongkorn University), JEA Fall Meeting (Fukuoka University), EALE Conference (NHH Norwegian School of Economics), Summer Workshop on Economic Theory* (Otaru University of Commerce).

2023: Japan Labor Economics Conference†(Osaka).

2022: AASLE Conference (University of Tokyo), Keio University*.

2020: Econometric Society World Congress†(Virtual).

2019: EALE Conference (Uppsala University), Tokyo Labor Economics Workshop* (University of Tokyo), SOLE Annual Meeting†(Arlington), IIPF Annual Congress†(Glasgow), Kansai Labor Workshop* (Osaka).

2018: AASLE Conference (Seoul National University), JEA Fall Meeting (Musashi University), Trans-Pacific Labor Seminar* (UCLA), Health Economics Workshop* (Keio University), GRIPS*.

2017: AASLE Inaugral Conference (Australian National University), GRIPS-UTokyo Empirical Workshop* (GRIPS), Health, Development and Labor Workshop* (Hitotsubashi University), RIETI*, Keio University*, Kansai Labor Workshop* (Osaka).

2016: North American Meeting of the Econometric Society (Philadelphia), Asian Meeting of the Econometric Society (Kyoto), CEA Annual Meeting (University of Ottawa), Otaru University of Commerce*, Hitotsubashi University*.

2015: CEA Annual Meeting (Toronto Metropolitan University), Human Capital and Aging Workshop* (Harvard University), UM-MSU-UWO Annual Labor Day Conference* (University of Michigan).

2014: CEA Annual Meeting (Simon Fraser University).

2008: JEA Spring Meeting (Tohoku University).

2007: Kansai Labor Workshop* (Osaka).

Invited Discussions

2023: JEA Spring Meeting (Virtual).

2018: JEA Fall Meeting (Musashi University).

2016: CEA Annual Meeting (University of Ottawa).

2015: CEA Annual Meeting (Simon Fraser University).

Teaching Experience

(*: Courses taught in English)

Graduate:

Applied Econometrics I (Senshu University)	2021-
Advanced Labor Economics I* (Hitotsubashi University)	2017-2018

Undergraduate:

Applied Microeconomics I-II (Senshu University)	2022-
Introduction to Economics (Senshu University)	2019-
Basic Statistics (Senshu University)	2019-
Statistics I-II (Senshu University)	2021
Essential Mathematics for Economics (Senshu University)	2021
Labor Economics I* (Hitotsubashi University)	2016-2018
Introductory Microeconomic Theory II* (Western Ontario)	2015

Public Lectures:

Data-Driven Decision Making in Economics (Senshu University)	2021
Causal Inference in Economics (Hoshino High School, Saitama)	2017