Motohiro Kumagai

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Economics

Year of completion: 2023

Brown University
Department of Economics

Advisors: Professor Oded Galor, Professor Stelios Michalopoulos, and Professor Louis Putterman

MA in Economics

Year of completion: 2015 Hitotsubashi University Department of Economics

BA in Economics

Year of completion: 2013 Hitotsubashi University Department of Economics

EMPLOYMENT

Lecturer (equivalent with Assistant Professor)

Year: From July 2024 Australian National University Research School of Economics

Specially Appointed Assistant Professor

Year: 2023-2024 Hitotsubashi University

Hitotsubashi Institute for Advanced Research

AWARDS AND HONORS

Third Year Paper Distinction Award

Year: 2019 Brown University

GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

Merit Dissertation Fellowship

Year: 2021 Brown University

Japan Student Services Organization Scholarship

Year: 2016-2019

CONFERENCE ACTIVITY

2025: Australian Cliometrics Workshop at Monash (scheduled), The Society for Institutional and Organization Economy Conference in Sydney, World Congress of the Econometric Society in Seoul, Asia-Pacific Economic and Business History Conference at Monash University

2024: Deep Roots of Political and Economic Development in Vienna, Mini-conference of Economics Development and History at Doshisha University

2023: SEA Annual Meeting, JADE-CEPR-Time Conference on Economic Development at Tokyo University, ASREC at Harvard University

2022: SEA Annual Meeting, Eurasia Business and Economic Society Conference at Berlin

2021: NEUDC at Boston University

SEMINAR/WORKSHOP TALKS

2025: Semianr at Monash University, Macroeconomics seminar at Keio University, SIPEC IE Seminar at Aoyama Gakuin University

2024: Australian Political Economy Workshop at University of Sydney, Rokko Forum at Kobe University, Seminar at Otaru University of Commerce, Seminar at Waseda University

2023: Tokyo Labor Economics Workshop at Tokyo University, Seminar at Musashi University, EDW/CEI Seminar at Hitotsubashi University, Historical Data Analysis Workshop at Tokyo University of Science, Kyoto Summer Workshop on Applied Economics, PhD EVS

2022: Applied Young Economist Webinar at Monash University

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Economic Policy Issues

Year: 2025 Lecturer

Australian National University

PPE Integration 3: Classic Literature in Politics, Philosophy, and Economics

Year: 2025 Lecturer

Australian National University

Theory of Economic Growth

Year: 2023 Teaching Assistant Brown University

Advanced Macroeconomics

Year: 2016 Teaching Assistant Hitotsubashi University

Introductory Microeconomics

Year: 2015 Teaching Assistant Hitotsubashi University

Basic Economic Mathematics

Year: 2015 Teaching Assistant Hitotsubashi University

Introduction to Economics

Year: 2014 Teaching Assistant Hitotsubashi University

Introductory Microeconomics

Year: 2013 Teaching Assistant Hitotsubashi University

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant for Professor Oded Galor

Year: 2018 Brown University

SERVICE TO PROFESSION

Editorial Service

Economic Inquiry (1) Economic Journal (1) Journal of Economic Growth (2) Journal of Political Economy (1) Review of Economic Statistics (2)

Discussant

Australian Cliometrics Workshop, 2024 NEUDC, 2021 Global Wellbeing Initiative, 2020

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

Python, ArcGIS, STATA, MATLAB, LaTex

Languages

English (fluent), Japanese (native)