SAKI KUZUSHIMA

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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENT

Postdoctoral Fellow 2024 - 2025

Program on U.S.-Japan Relations, Harvard University, Weatherhead Center for International Affairs

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Political Science and Scientific Computing

University of Michigan

Methodology and International Relations

Master of Arts in Statistics 2020 - 2024

University of Michigan

Dual Degree with Ph.D. in Political Science

Bachelor of Liberal Arts 2012 - 2017

University of Tokyo

International Relations, College of Arts and Sciences

PUBLICATIONS

- Mitchell Bosley, **Saki Kuzushima**, Ted Enamorado, and Yuki Shiraito. "Improving Probabilistic Models in Text Classification via Active Learning." *Forthcoming at American Political Science Review*.
- Saki Kuzushima, Kenneth Mori McElwain, and Yuki Shiraito. 2023. "Public Preference for International Law Compliance: Respecting Legal Obligations or Conforming to Common Practices?" Review of International Organizations.

WORKING PAPERS

- ByungKoo Kim, **Saki Kuzushima**, and Yuki Shiraito. "Paragraph-Citation Topic Models for Corpora with Citation Networks."
- Saki Kuzushima, Itsuki Umeyama, Kenneth Mori McElwain, and Yuki Shiraito. "When International Organizations Help Domestic Leaders Persuade the Public: Avoiding Blame for Unpopular Policies."
- Saki Kuzushima. "Survey Experiments with Composite Outcome."

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

Society for Political Methodology Meeting	2020, 2022, 2023
New Directions in Analyzing Text as Data (TADA)	2021
Midwest Political Science Association Meeting	2021
Japan Society for Quantitative Political Science Winter Meeting	2021, 2024
Asian Political Methodology Meeting	2021
American Political Science Association Meeting	2020

SOFTWARE

activeText: An R package for Text Classification via Active Learning.

TEACHING

Graduate Student Instructor, University of Michigan

2019 - 2022

- POLSCI489: Advanced Topics in Political Science (Instructor: Yuki Shiraito)
- POLSCI514: The Use of Social Science Computer Programs (Independent class)
- POLSCI599: Statistical Methods and Political Research (Instructor: Kevin Quinn)
- POLSCI798: Advanced Topics in Quantitative Methodology (Instructor: Yuki Shiraito, Kevin Quinn)
- POLSCI799: Multivariate Analysis (Instructor: Walter Mebane)

SELECT AWARDS AND GRANTS

Rackham One-term Dissertation Fellowship, University of Michigan	2024
One-term Research Fellowship, Department of Political Science, University of Michigan	2023
Society of Political Methodology Travel Grant.	2022
Kenneth Organski Award, Center for Political Studies, University of Michigan. \$6,000.	2022
Summer Collaboration Grant, Department of Political Science, University of Michigan. \$3,000.	2021
Rackham Doctoral Fellowship. University of Michigan. 2018-2019.	

SERVICE

Coordinator: Interdisciplinary Seminar in Social Science Methodology, University of Michigan
Reviewer: European Journal of International Security, Japanese Journal of Political Science

SKILLS

Programming: R, Python, Rcpp, C++, Git, Linux, High Performance Computing Language: English (Professional Fluency), Japanese (Native)

Last Updated: July 2024