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EDUCATION

Brown University, Ph.D. in Economics, May 2023 (Expected)
The University of Tokyo, M.Phil. in Economics, 2016
Hokkaido University, B.S. in Agriculture, 2014
Shri Ram College of Commerce (Delhi University), Non-degree student in B.A. (Hons.) Economics, 2012-2013

REFERENCES

Professor **Andrew Foster**

Department of Economics, Brown University afoster@brown.edu

Professor **Matthew Turner**

Department of Economics, Brown University matthew_turner@brown.edu

RESEARCH FIELDS

Primary: Development Economics, Spatial Economics, Environmental Economics
Secondary: Agricultural & Resource Economics, Political Economy, Conflict

PUBLICATIONS

Tsuda, Shunsuke. "Refugee inflows, surplus farm labor, and crop marketization in rural Africa."
Journal of Development Economics (2022): 102805.

WORKING PAPERS & WORKS IN PROGRESS

"Human and Nature: Economies of Density and Rainforest Conservation in Amazon River Networks." with Mari Tanaka and Yoshito Takasaki
"The Golden City on the Edge: Economic Geography and Jihad over Centuries." with Masahiro Kubo
Hayami Award 2022
"De-Radicalization and Reintegration from Violent Islamic Extremism." with Robert Blair, Jun Goto, and Yosuke Nagai
"The Economics of Subsistence in Africa: Land Endowments, Population Density, and Agglomeration Forces for Market Transactions." (2019) *S4 Graduate Student Paper Prize 2020, the 2nd place*

PUBLICATIONS IN JAPANESE

"Entrepreneurship, Informality, and Preference Heterogeneity of Small and Micro Businesses in India" (with Jun Goto, Hironori Ishizaki, Takashi Kurosaki, and Yasuyuki Sawada), *Keizai Kenkyu (The Economic Review)* 69(3) July 2018: 242-275.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Referee

Journal of Development Economics, Journal of Urban Economics

Presentations

2022: IRES Graduate Workshop (Chapman)*; Growth Lab (Brown)*; Applied Micro Lunch (Brown); JADE Conference (Virtual)*
2021: Applied Micro Breakfast (Brown); Applied Micro Lunch (Brown)
2020: NEUDC (Dartmouth, Virtual); Working Group in African Political Economy (WGAPE) Annual Meeting

May 2022

(Virtual); Research Conference on Forced Displacement (UN City, Copenhagen); Kobe Development Economics and Economic History Seminar (Kobe-DEEH);

2019: Applied Micro Lunch (Brown, twice)

2018: North East Universities Development Consortium (NEUDC, Cornell)

2016: Hitotsubashi Summer Institute; JEA meeting (Nagoya-U); Microeconomics Workshop (U-Tokyo)

*: *Presented by a coauthor*

Affiliations

2021-: Graduate Affiliate, Institute at Brown for Environment and Society, Brown University

2020-: Guest Researcher, CREPE, The University of Tokyo

2017-: Trainee, Population Studies and Training Center, Brown University

2017-: Fellow, Spatial Structures in the Social Sciences, Brown University

RESEARCH EXPERIENCES

Research Assistant for Professors Daniel Björkegren and Nick Tsivanidis, 2019

Research Assistant for Professors Jesse Shapiro and Matthew Turner, 2018

Research Assistant for Professor Andrew Foster, 2017-2018

Research Assistant for Professor Yoshito Takasaki, 2015-2017

Research Assistant for Professors Yasuyuki Sawada, Takashi Kurosaki, and Jun Goto, 2015-2017

TEACHING

Brown University, Department of Economics

ECON2020 Computing for Economists, Instructor, Spring 2020, Spring 2021

CEEC0925 Econometrics: Statistical Tools to Understand Economic Data, Teaching Assistant for Kenichi Shimizu, 2019 Summer

The University of Tokyo, Graduate School of Economics and Graduate School of Public Policy

Development Economics: Macroeconomic Approach, Teaching Assistant for Professor Kenichi Ueda, 2016

Natural Resource and Environmental Economics, Teaching Assistant for Professor Yoshito Takasaki, 2015

Case Study: Financial Development and Inequality, Teaching Assistant for Professor Kenichi Ueda, 2015

HONORS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND GRANTS

Interdisciplinary Opportunity Dissertation Completion Fellowship, 2021-2022

Teaching Award, Brown University, 2021

The Bravo Center Research Funding, Brown University, 2020

The Murata Science Foundation Research Grant, 2020

Graduate Program in Development (Watson Institute, Brown University) Summer Funding, 2020

S4 (Spatial Structures in the Social Sciences) Graduate Student Paper Prize, the 2nd place, 2020

Japan Student Services Organization Scholarship, 2016-2019

Research Fellow of Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (DC1), 2016

Sato Yo International Scholarship Foundation, 2012-2013

EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCES

Operation of Self-Help-Groups program, Internship at Chetanalaya, India, September 2012-May 2013

COMPUTER SKILLS Stata, Python, Julia, Matlab, ArcGIS, Git, LaTeX

LANGUAGES English (fluent), Japanese (native), Spanish (basic), Hindi (beginner)