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Education

Ph.D. in Economics, University of California, Los Angeles	2026
M.A. in Economics, The University of Tokyo	2019
B.A. in Economics, The University of Tokyo	2017

Working Papers

“Inventor Mobility, Knowledge Diffusion, and Growth” with Yasutaka Koike and Toshitaka Maruyama.

“Production Networks and R&D Allocation” with Yasutaka Koike.

“Knowledge Creation and Diffusion with Limited Appropriation” with Hugo Hopenhayn and Liyan Shi.

“Dynamic Oligopoly and Innovation” with Hugo Hopenhayn.

“Ownership Structure and Economic Growth”.

Publications

“The Aging Society, Savings Rates, and Regional Flow of Funds in Japan” with Shin-ichi Fukuda. *Journal of the Japanese and International Economies*, 2021.

“Regional Convergence under Declining Population: The Case of Japan” with Shin-ichi Fukuda. *Japan and the World Economy*, 2020.

Presentations

The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology; UCL; Hitotsubashi University; The University of Osaka; Kobe University; The Chinese University of Hong Kong; The University of Hong Kong; Bank of Japan; City University of Hong Kong; Hong Kong Baptist University; The University of Auckland; Carnegie Mellon University; Midwest Macroeconomics Meeting; NBER Summer Institute	2026
New York University; Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond; Barcelona School of Economics Summer Forum; Workshop of the East and South-East Asian Macroeconomic Society; Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting; Workshop for Young Macroeconomists	2025
Summer Workshop on Economic Theory, Osaka University	2023
Asia-Pacific Economic Association Annual Conference; Japanese Economic Association Spring Meeting	2019

Awards, Fellowships, and Visiting Positions

Dissertation Year Award, University of California, Los Angeles	2025–2026
Ph.D. Visiting Fellow, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond	2025
Ph.D. Visiting Scholar, NYU Stern School of Business	2025
Moriguchi Prize, Institute of Social and Economic Research, The University of Osaka	2023
Student Exchange Support Program (Graduate Scholarship for Degree Seeking Students), JASSO	2023–2025
Nakajima Foundation Scholarship for Japanese Students Studying Abroad	2020–2023
JSPS Research Fellow (DC1), Japan Society for the Promotion of Science	2019–2020
Exemption from Repayment for Graduate School Students with Particularly Outstanding Achievements (Full Exemption), JASSO	2019
Master's Program Representative, Division of Economics, Graduate School of Economics, The University of Tokyo	2019

Referee Service

The Review of Economic Studies; Journal of the Japanese and International Economies; The Japanese Economic Review