

Kyoto University Top Global Program  
International Workshop for Early-career Researchers

**Reconnecting Rural to Urban:  
Local Resources, Food Production and Cuisine**

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**Date:** 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2022

**Time:** 10:30-16:30

**Venue:** Large Conference Room (C102), Faculty/Graduate School of Agriculture Main Bldg.

**Timetable**

*\* Each speaker has 20 minutes for presentation, followed by 10 minutes for discussion.*

*Opening remarks:* Prof. Motoki Akitsu, Kyoto University

**10:30- 11:00: Changing goals of local revitalization in the GIAHS area: a case of Nishi-Awa Steep Slope Land Agriculture System**

Nozomi Iwao, PhD student at Kyoto University

**11:00- 11:30: Sake-inspired Moonshine and Community in a Japanese Incarceration Camp in Hawai'i**

Kaori Akiyama, Part-time lecturer at Kwansei Gakuin University

**11:30- 12:00: Proactive Branding of Undifferentiated Geographically Indicated Products: The Case of the Anxian Konjac in Sichuan Province, China**

Huang Wenbo, PhD student at Kyoto University

**12:00- 13:00: Lunch**

**13:00-13:30: The True Worth of Agricultural Philosophy and Farming Methods in Natural Farmers: from the Rationale of Forgoing Fertilizer and the Definitional Battle**

Shouma Tsuchiya, PhD student at Kyoto University

**13:30-14:00: Educating Women: The Pedagogical Nature of Meiji Domestic Cookbooks**

Eric Funabashi, PhD student at the University of Kansas/ Japan Foundation Fellow (Keio University)

**14:00- 14:30: An Analysis of the Transformation Process of the Business Domain by Introducing CSA: A Case of a Community-based Group Farming Organization in Aichi Prefecture**

Shoutarou Yamada, PhD student at Kyoto University

**14:30-15:00: Break**

**15:00- 15:30: Local food and alternative food networks in the UK**

Jasmine Black, JSPS Postdoctoral Fellow (University of Tokyo and United Nations)

University)

**15:30- 16:00: Flexibility of Community Membership in Japanese Rural villages: A Case Study of Kehara Rice Terraces in Kyoto**

Tetsushi Yamamura, PhD student at Kyoto University

**16:00- 16:30: General Discussion**

Guest Discussant: Benjamin Schrag, Assistant Professor at Utsunomiya University

Closing remarks: Prof. Motoki Akitsu, Kyoto University

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**Getting to the North Campus in which the Faculty/Graduate School of Agriculture is located.**

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**Map of the Venue**



**Notes:**

**Advance registration required to join this workshop.**

**Please register by emailing the contact below.**

**Wearing a mask required for participants.**

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