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[Expertise]

Urban Economics, Regional Economics, Spatial Economics

[Education]

1972 Ph.D., Regional Science, University of Pennsylvania

1966 B.S., Engineering, Kyoto University

[Experience]

2007-present President and Chief Research Officer, Research Institute of Economy, Trade and Industry, RIETI

2007-present Professor, KONAN University

2003-2007 President, Institute of Developing Economies, JETRO

2007-present Adjunct Professor, Institute of Economic Research, Kyoto University

1995 Professor, Institute of Economic Research, Kyoto University

1994 Professor, Department of Economics, University of Pennsylvania

1986 Professor, Department of Regional Science, University of Pennsylvania

1981 Associate Professor, Department of Regional Science, University of Pennsylvania

1976 Assistant Professor, Department of Regional Science, University of Pennsylvania

1973 Assistant Professor, Department of Transportation Engineering, Kyoto University

[Selected Publications and Papers]

Urban Economic Theory, Cambridge University Press, 1989

The Spatial Economy: Cities, Regions, and International Trade, MIT Press, 1999 (with P. Krugman and A. J. Venables)

Economics of Agglomeration: Cities, Industrial Location, and Regional Growth, Cambridge University Press, 2002 (with J.-F. Thisse)

Spatial Economics, Volume I and Volume II (editor), The International Library of Critical Writings in Economics, Edward Elgar Publishing, Inc., UK, 2005

Regional Integration in East Asia: From the Viewpoint of Spatial Economics (editor), Macmillan, UK, 2007

[Others]

Membership of academic societies: American Economic Association, Japanese Economic Association (President), Applied Regional Science Conference