

Keita Abe

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CURRENT POSITION

PhD Candidate 2013-
Economics, University of Washington (Seattle)

EDUCATION

Master of Arts, Economics, University of British Columbia 2013

Master of Science, Environmental Science, Hokkaido University 2012

Exchange study, University of Hawaii at Manoa, Department of Economics 2011

Bachelor of Arts, Policy Studies, Kwansei Gakuin University 2009

Kwansei Gakuin High School 2005

WORK EXPERIENCE

Research Fellow

Faculty of Agriculture, Iwate University 2017

- Project: “Successful cases in Japanese Fisheries”

Research Assistant 2014-2016

Supervisor: Dr. Chris Anderson (SAFS at University of Washington)

- “Modeling Biological and Economic Implications of Layered Management Measures for Bering Sea Groundfish fisheries “

Teaching Assistant (Instructor)

Department of Economics, University of Washington (Seattle) 2017-

- Economics 200, Introduction to Microeconomics (Autumn 2017)

- Economics 201, Introduction to Macroeconomics (Spring 2017)

Teaching Assistant

Department of Economics, University of Washington 2016

- Economics 200, Introduction to Microeconomics (Autumn 2016)
- Economics 201, Introduction to Macroeconomics (Spring 2016, Winter 2017)

Vancouver School of Economics, University of British Columbia 2013

- Economics 371 Economics of the Environment, Winter 2012 term 2
- Economics 370 Cost Benefit Analysis, Summer 2013 term 2

Research Associate (part time: *Gakujyutu Kenkyuin*(*学術研究員*)),

Center for Sustainability Science, Hokkaido University 2009-2012

- Field research of fisheries in Erimo, Hokkaido
- Policy review for International Science Committee for Tuna and Tuna-like species in North Pacific Ocean
- Data management of curriculum development: Environmental leader and meister program
- Data management and analysis for fish market and longline fishery operations in Kesenuma

FIELDS OF INTEREST

Natural Resource Economics, Policy and Management, Fishery Resources, Empirical analysis, Environmental Economics, Labour economics, Discrete choice models, International trade, Sustainability Science, Social Survey, Business Management

PUBLICATIONS

Abe, K., Ishimura, G., Tsurumi, T. et al. (2017) “Does trade openness reduce domestic fisheries catch?” Fish Sci. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s12562-017-1130-0>

WORKING PAPERS

“Harvesters’ Dynamic Decision on Fishing Trip Length”

“Estimating dynamic decision making process in fisheries choice” (with Chris Anderson & Matthew Reimer)

“Exploring optimum economic efficiency of fishing: Shall we move from the convention?” (with Gakushi Ishimura)

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

2017

North American Association for Fisheries Economics forum 2017 (Mexico), Hokkaido University (Japan), Ocean Policy Research Institute (Japan)

2016

International Institution of Fisheries Economics and Trade conference 2016 (UK)

AWARDS

Best Student Paper Award, North American Association for Fisheries Economics	2017
Kwansei Gakuin School of Policy Studies Award (TOP 10 grade)	2009
Kwansei Gakuin School of Policy Studies Kojima Award (Thesis prize of encouragement of the year: “Analysis of Environmental Policy in Japan”)	2008

SCHOLARSHIPS AND FELLOWSHIPS

Conley Fellowship (Department of Economics, University of Washington)	2017
ITO foundation for International Education Exchange	2012
UBC international tuition scholarship	2012
Clark Foundation Scholarship (Hokkaido University International Scholarship)	2010
East West Center Student Affiliate Program	2010
Kwansei Gakuin Alumni scholarship	2008

WORKSHOPS

MSC Workshop “Evaluating socio-economic impact of MSC certification” in London	2016
STeLA Leadership Forum at Stanford University	2011

SKILLS AND QUALIFICATIONS

R, Stata, SPSS, Microsoft Access, Fortran90, Booking Verification 2nd class (Japan), Certified Social Researcher (qualification for social survey) (Japan)

Language

Japanese (Native), English (Fluent)

Citizenship

Japan