

**Opening Address** 

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### Overview

- Date: June 24 July 3, 2019.
- Contents: International student teams explore urban renewal design from many aspects using Computational design, BIM (Building Information Modeling), GIS (Geographical Information System), and XR (Virtual, Augmented and Mixed Reality) technologies.
- The workshop helps students acquire expert skills and develop international perspectives.



#### Member

#### Harbin Institute of Technology, Shenzhen

- Assistant Prof. Dr. Sky Tian Tian Lo, Dr. Yang Xi
- 5 Master, 10 Bachelor students

#### **Osaka University**

- Associate Prof. Dr. Tomohiro Fukuda
- 1 Doctor, 3 Master, 6 Bachelor students
- Associate Prof. Dr. Shigeki Matsubara (Midterm presentation)
- Associate Prof. Dr. Kensuke Yasufuku (Midterm & Final presentation)





#### Venue

- TechnoAlliance
   Complex
- Interexchange space (1<sup>st</sup> Floor)

# Schedule

#### June 24 (Mon)

09:15 Arrive at Handai-Honbu-Mae Bus Stop

09:30 Meet at the workshop Venue

09:45-10:15 Opening Address & Information about Design Site (Dr. Fukuda)

**10:15-10:45** Presentation (Dr. Tian Tian Lo (Sky Lo))

10:50-11:20 Presentation (Osaka-U: 10 Students, 5 min. per team)

**11:20-12:10** Presentation (HITSZ: Yang Xi & 15 Students, 5 min. per team)

12:15-13:10 Campus & Labo tour

13:30-14:30 Lunch

**14:30-17:30** Work by the team (*Site Analysis, Make Concept, Planning, and Design*)

17:30 Closing

### June 25 (Tue) & 26 (Wed)

09:30 Meet at the Workshop Venue

09:30-17:00 Work by the team (Site Analysis, Make Concept, Planning, and Design)

**17:00-17:30** First/Second intermediate presentation (3 min.)

17:30 Closing

#### June 27 (Thr)

09:30 Meet at the Workshop Venue

09:30-16:30 Work by the team (Site Analysis, Make Concept, Planning, and Design)

16:30-17:30 Midterm (Third intermediate) presentation (5 min.)

17:30 Closing

#### June 28 (Fri)

**Technical Tour** 

09:40 Meet at Osaka Metro Tanimachi-6-Chome St. No.1 EXIT (In front of Daily Yamazaki (Convenience Store) on Ground Level)

**10:00-12:00** Visit NEXT 21 (Sustainable apartment building)

**14:30-16:00** Visit <u>FORUM8</u> Osaka (VR, BIM, and Advanced Information Technology company)

**16:30-18:30** Visit <u>Heart Beat Plan</u> (Urban Planning Consultant company) During HBP visit, Let five teams present their mid-term presentation in three minutes. HBP members will give some valuable comments.

**19:00-** Social Gathering (<u>Green Cafe Kawano Station Hachikenya</u>)



# July 1 (Mon)

09:30 Meet at the Workshop Venue

09:30-17:00 Work by the team (Planning, Design, Presentation)

17:00-17:30 Fourth intermediate presentation (3 min.)

17:30 Closing

## July 2 (Tue)

09:30 Meet at the Workshop Venue

09:30-17:30 Work by the team (Planning, Design, Presentation)

17:30 Closing

# July 3 (Wed)

09:30 Meet at the Workshop Venue
09:30-16:30 Work by the team (Design, Presentation)
17:30-19:00 Final presentation (7 min.)
19:00-20:30 Wrap-up Party (Workshop Venue)

# Theme

#### A Future of Kumagaya Distribution Center (熊谷流通センターの未来)

## Background

- Japan tends to decrease the population, and to age in many aspects.
- The local city will appear in this phenomenon in earlier days.
- In contrast, since the so-called "super-smart society" is approaching in the near future through such innovations as industry 4.0 and society 5.0

- Inland local city which locates 60 km north of Tokyo
- One of the largest cities in northern Saitama Prefecture (埼玉県北部地域)
- Current population: about 200,000



- On July 23, 2018, the city recorded an air temperature of 41.1 °C (the highest temperature in Japan)
- 2019 Rugby World Cup games will be held at the Kumagaya rugby stadium in Sep. and Oct. 2019.



- Central Kumagaya locates between Tone River (利根川) and Arakawa River (荒川)
- Developed as a post town on the Nakasendo highway (中山道) during Edo period (1603-1868).



- An essential point of transportation.
  - Express highways (Kanetsu Expressway and Tohoku Expressway)
  - National highways (R17, R125, R140, and R407)
  - Railway lines (JR Joetsu Shinkansen, JR Takasaki-line, Chichibu Main Line)
  - 40 min. by shinkansen, and 80 min. by local train to Tokyo.



• During Meiji (1868-1912) and Taisho periods (1912-1926), Kumagaya developed as the sericultural industry city called "蚕都" in addition to the agriculture industry.



- Kumagaya involves in Kanto Inland Industrial Area (関東 内陸工業地域).
- Categories
  - Machine industry (45.0%)
  - Food industry (15.5%)
  - Metallic industry (11.6%)
  - Chemical Industry (10.2%), etc.
- The shipment amount
  - The third in Japan (JPY 30 trillion)
  - Bigger than that of Keihin Industrial Zone (JPY 24.5 trillion)

## **Design theme**

- Re-design suburban area in local city
- Kumagaya Distribution Center and around the Socio Distribution Center Station (ソシオ流通センター駅).
  - One stop from Kumagaya station via Chichibu Main Line (秩父 鉄道秩父本線)



#### Kumagaya Distribution Center (協同組合 熊谷流通センター)

- Opened in the suburban area of Kumagaya in 1975
  - To solve urban problems in the downtown area
- A big wholesale complex and facilities becomes old.



#### Kumagaya Distribution Center (協同組合 熊谷流通センター)

- Due to the change in industrial structures, the wholesale industry needs to rethink its role.
  - Shift Traditional shopping streets to big supermarket, to convenience store system and web selling system.



## **Design theme**

- How should the Kumagaya Distribution Center redesign in the near future in the aspects of space and utilization?
  - Urban and architectural design
  - Placemaking
  - Cooperation between the public and private sectors



## **Design theme**

- Propose your cutting-edge design using digital technologies such as Generative design, BIM and GIS and demonstrate your proposal using XR (virtual/augmented/mixed reality).
- Urban integration should be considered during the renovation process. How will the renovation bring changes to the urban environment and the needs of the people in the surrounding?

#### Team A

A group to look and the history and culture

#### Virtual and Real Interaction -- Historical and Cultural Reproduction

Cui WeiQiang (Leader, M2) Zhu ZiXuan (B2) Li XiangMing (B2)

Muhammad Hegazy (Leader, D1), Kento Oguchi (B4)

#### Team B

A group to look at the urban elements

#### **Comparison of Urban Streets Design**

Zhang YeMing (Leader, M2) Zhang XinWang (B2) Wei RuJi (B2)

Mizuki Nakabayashi (Leader, B4), Naoki Kikuchi (B4)

### Team C

A group to look at the streets

#### **Urban Spatial Structure Evolution**

Zhu ShunJie (Leader, M2) Amelia Liu (B2) Liang XiaoLin (B2)

Daiki Kido (Leader, M2), Katsuhisa Deto (B3)

### Team D

#### A group to look at the local demographics

#### **Population Demand and Spatial Vitality**

Wang JiaQi (Leader, M2), Liu RuiLing (B2), Tang XiaoHan (B2)

Kazunosuke Ikeno (Leader, M1), Totaro Yoshinori (B4)

#### Team E

A group to look at the spatial evolution

#### **Reconstructing using Elements of Town and Cities**

Wang MengHan (Leader, M2), Wu JinXuan (B2), Wu ChengJia (B2)

Daichi Ishikawa (Leader, M1), Chen Taishan (B3)