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RESEARCH INTERESTS; City and Regional Planning, Cultural Landscape Management and History of Civil Engineering. In particular, participant community management.

CURRENT RESEARCH TOPICS; 1. Research on local governance in the urban waterfront area. 2. Research on public space management in the tourist city. 3. Research on city development based on human activities in the waterfront. 4. Research on the cityscape based on the infrastructure management under the modernization. 5. Historical design survey about central city area activation. 6. Research and development of the landscape evaluation method base on the cultural climate. 7. Research and development of the program for local studies based on the history of civil engineering. 8. Research on the social capital based on the communication in the self-build environment

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Theme: Study on community development based on the preservation of cultural landscape in the coast of Amakusa