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**AFFILIATION:** Associate Professor (Tenure position, Full-time employment until age 63)

Information and Society Research Division

National Institute of Informatics (NII) (Japan)

Associate Professor (Tenure position, Full-time employment until age 63)

Informatics

Mathematical and Information Science

Graduate University for Advanced Studies, SOKENDAI (Japan)

And

Visiting Researcher (UK Government Authorized Exchange visa, Temporary Work)

Languages & Intercultural Studies

School of Social Sciences

Heriot-Watt University (The United Kingdom)

(Japanese and UK social science and humanities project to address the COVID-19 challenges supported by the Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (JSPS) and the UK Research and Innovation (UKRI); the Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC), the Arts and Humanities

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**LANGUAGE:** Japanese (License to teach Junior and Senior high school, Japanese Literature and Language;

Japanese language teacher to second language learners, major credits)

English (Academic writing level)

Japanese Sign Language (Interpreter level)

British Sign Language (Beginner, currently taking Scottish credit qualifications framework

(SCQF), level 3)

#### ACADEMIC QUALIFICATION:

Ph.D. in Applied Linguistics

Graduate School of Cultural Studies and Human Science.

Kobe University, Japan. 2005

(Laboratory of Joint Program with Advanced Telecommunications Research Institute International (ATR))

M.A. in Applied Linguistics

Graduate School of Cultural Studies and Human Science.

Kobe University, Japan. 2002

Undergraduate degree in Japanese Linguistics

Department of Japanese Language, Education and Literature.

Doshisha Women's College of Liberal Arts, Japan. 2000

(Japanese language teacher training course, over 45 credits)

#### **BRIEF INTRODUCTION:**

I received my Ph.D. in Applied Linguistics from Kobe University in 2005. My research considered how previous linguistic approaches, which focused on the form and function of language, can be applied to non-linguistic phenomena, such as body movement, gaze direction, and posture. My Ph.D. project involved a poster presentation setting in an open-public exhibition at ATR Media Information Science Laboratories in Japan like those seen at academic conferences. I demonstrated to build a machine-readable model of 'Participation Framework', initially provided by Canadian-American sociologist Erving Goffman, based on the verbal and non-verbal interaction between the exhibitor and visitors to share my linguistic and sociological knowledge with engineering and informatics researchers. After receiving my Ph.D., I have been accepted a position in informatics at ATR Media Information Science Laboratories, Kyoto University, and National Institute of Informatics. Working at several informatics research institutes, I engaged in regular, fruitful collaborative work with engineering and informatics researchers interested in human communication in many other fields, including psychology, anthropology, and sociology. Hence, I have always had diverse interests that encompass several perspectives. After receiving a Ph.D. degree, I have been conducting three fieldwork-based research:

 Fieldwork with Deaf and deaf-blind communities based on a conversation analytic approach to spoken Japanese and Japanese Sign Language (JSL) interactions.

- 2. Fieldwork examining a robot–human theater project, focusing on how a professional playwright, director, and engineer bring their professional visions to the creation of conversations between humans and robots on the stage.
- 3. Fieldwork at a science museum in Japan that draws on my Ph.D. thesis. We focus on the actions of the Science Communicators in the museum, exploring how they invite visitors to engage in scientific knowledge.

Currently, I am building sharable spoken and sign language multimodal corpora in a framework of open science for all academic researchers interested in human communication using artificial intelligence techniques such as deep learning. These projects are based on communication studies, ethnography, and conversation analysis.

#### **RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES:**

My academic paths have been diverse. After completing my Ph.D., I was a researcher at the Advanced Telecommunications Research Institute International (ATR) from 2005 to 2006 and in the Department of Intelligence, Science and Technology, Graduate School of Informatics, Kyoto University, from 2006 to 2007. While I was a Research Fellow at the Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (JSPS) in the field of informatics from 2007 to 2009, I visited the Center for Language, Interaction, and Culture (CLIC) at the University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA), as a visiting postdoctoral scholar under Prof. Charles Goodwin from 2007 to 2008 (6 months) and the Department of Anthropology, University of Texas, Austin (UT Austin), as a visiting scholar with Prof. Elizabeth Keating from 2008 to 2009 (7 months). Since 2009, I was an assistant professor (five-year contract) at the National Institute of Informatics (NII). I conducted an independent research project as part of Precursory Research for Embryonic Science and Technology (PRESTO), funded by the Japan Science and Technology Agency (JST), from 2009 to 2013. Since 2014, I was an associate professor (five-year contract) at NII and The Graduate University of Advanced Studies (SOKENDAI). I visited the Language and Cognition Group, Max Planck Institute (MPI) for Psycholinguistics, the Netherlands, as a visiting associate professor (guest) under Prof. Stephen C. Levinson from 2016 to 2017 (12 months) supported by JSPS Fostering Joint International Research. In 2019, I was promoted to the tenure position of associate professor at NII and The Graduate University of Advanced Studies (SOKENDAI). Currently, I am visiting Languages & Intercultural Studies, School of Social Sciences, Heriot-Watt University (HWU), The United Kingdom, as a visiting researcher to conduct the JSPS International Joint Research Program (JRP-LEAD with UKRI) with Dr. Robert Adam from 2022 to 2024 (24 months).

## ASSISTANTS/ INTERNSHIPS (mm/yyyy):

09/2003 - 03/2005	Intern Researcher, ATR Media Information Science Laboratories, Japan
09/2002 - 03/2003	Intern Student, ATR Media Information Science Laboratories, Japan
09/2000 - 03/2001	Teaching Assistant, Department, Faculty of Cross-Cultural Studies, Kobe University, Japan.
09/2000 - 03/2001	Research Assistant, JST/CREST (Japan Science and Technology Agency, Core Research for
	Evolutional Science and Technology), Japan.

# RESEARCH EXPERIENCE (mm/yyyy):

04/2023- present	Associate Professor (tenure position), Informatics, Mathematical and Information Science,
	Graduate University for Advanced Studies (SOKENDAI), Japan. (Due to intra-organisational
	changes)
09/2022- present	Visiting Researcher, Languages & Intercultural Studies, School of Social Sciences, Heriot-Watt
	University, The United Kingdom.
04/2019 - present	Associate Professor (tenure position), Information and Society Research Division, National
	Institute of Informatics (NII), Japan.
04/2019 - 03/2023	Associate Professor (tenure position), Department of Informatics, School of Multidisciplinary
	Sciences, Graduate University for Advanced Studies (SOKENDAI), Japan.
08/2017 - 07/2018	MEXT Program Officer, Grants-in-Aid for Scientific Research, Ministry of Education, Culture,
	Sports, Science and Technology-JAPAN (MEXT), Japan.
04/2016 - 03/2017	Visiting Associate Professor, Visiting Associate Professor, Language and Cognition Group,
	Mentor: Prof. Stephen C. Levinson, Max Planck Institute for Psycholinguistics, The Netherlands.
04/2014 - 03/2023	Associate Professor (five-year contract), Department of Informatics, School of Multidisciplinary
	Sciences, Graduate University for Advanced Studies (SOKENDAI), Japan.
04/2014 - 03/2019	Associate Professor (five-year contract), Digital Content and Media Sciences Research Division,
	National Institute of Informatics (NII), Japan.
04/2009 — 03/2014	Assistant Professor (five-year contract), Department of Informatics, School of Multidisciplinary
	Sciences, Graduate University for Advanced Studies (SOKENDAI), Japan.
04/2009 — 03/2014	Assistant Professor (five-year contract), Digital Content and Media Sciences Research Division,
	National Institute of Informatics (NII), Japan.
09/2008 - 03/2009	Visiting Scholar, Department of Anthropology, Mentor: Prof. Elizabeth Keating, The University of
	Texas at Austin, U.S.
10/2007 - 03/2008	Visiting Scholar, Center for Language, Interaction, and Culture (CLIC), Mentor: Prof. Charles
	Goodwin, University of California, Los Angeles, U.S.
04/2007 - 03/2010	JSPS Research Fellow (PD), Graduate School of Informatics, Kyoto University, Japan
04/2006 - 03/2007	Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Graduate School of Informatics, Kyoto University, Japan
04/2005 - 03/2006	Researcher, ATR Media Information Science Laboratories, Japan

## RESEARCH PROJECTS UNDERTAKEN (mm/yyyy -> mm/yyyy)

From 2009 to 2013, I conducted an independent research project as part of PRESTO, funded by the Japan Science and Technology Agency (JST). The research aim was to understand everyday JSL conversation and examine the availability of information support and sign language interpretation in academic settings. In parallel, I

have been leading several research projects on the Japanese Sign Language (JSL) Corpus Project funded by the Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (JSPS) over a decade. I am conducting the most extensive research project for under-45-year-old researchers in Japan as a top Principal investigator (PI), composed of three PIs, nineteen Co-PIs, and eight collaborators funded by the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (MEXT). The current main ongoing research projects are titled (1) Understanding Gesture and Sign Language in Language Interaction, which is collaborative research project with linguists and engineering researchers who are professionals in corpus linguistics, multimodal conversation analysis, and artificial intelligence, and (2) Multimodal Research on Sign Language, Tactile Sign Language, and Finger Braille in Interaction: A Bilingual and Bimodal Study of the Influence of Spoken Language. A part of this research was conducted as a collaborative work with Monash University, Australia. The number of research grants obtained as PI amounts to 15 in linguistics and Informatics. The total amount was 286,961,450 yen.

 $05/2022 \rightarrow 03/2025$ 

MEXT Grant-in-Aid for Transformative Research Areas, Category (B)

Project name: Understanding gesture and sign language in language interaction.

Top PI (Principal investigator): Bono, M.

Number of teams: 5

Number of members: 3 (Pls), 19 (Co-Pls), 8 (Collaborators)

Project website: https://research.nii.ac.jp/EmSemi/index e.html

JSPS website: https://www.jsps.go.jp/j-grantsinaid/39 transformative/index.html

 $05/2022 \rightarrow 03/2025$ 

MEXT Grant-in-Aid for Transformative Research Areas, Category (B)

Project name: A02: Building a multimodal semiotics for icons and indices in sign languages.

PI: Bono, M.

Co-Pls: Harada, N., Fujikawa, N., Osugi, Y, & Sagara, K.

Awarded Amount: 35,230,000 JPY

 $05/2022 \rightarrow 03/2025$ 

MEXT Grant-in-Aid for Transformative Research Areas, Category (B)

Project name: X00: Establishment of an academic community and network for the establishment of

**Embodied Semiotics** 

PI: Bono, M.

Co-Pls: Takanashi, K., Nakayama, H., & Kikuchi, K.

Awarded Amount: 14,820,000 JPY

 $04/2022 \rightarrow 03/2025$ 

JSPS Grants-in-Aid for Scientific Research, Category (B)

Project name: Understanding communication and comprehension mechanisms in finger Braille interactions.

#### PI: Bono, M.

Co-Pls: Fukushima, S., Sakaida, R., Makino, R., & Ochiai, K.

Awarded Amount: 17,290,000 JPY

#### $12/2021 \rightarrow 11/2024$

JSPS International Joint Research Program (JRP-LEAD with UKRI)

Project name: Understanding cross-signing phenomena in video conferencing situations during and post-

COVID-19 in rural areas.

## Japanese PI: Bono, M.

UK PI: Adam, R.

Awarded Amount (Japan): 28,491,450 JPY

Project website: https://www.cross-sign.nii.ac.jp/

JSPS website: https://www.jsps.go.jp/j-bottom/03 i jyoukyou.html

#### $04/2018 \rightarrow 03/2021$

JSPS Grants-in-Aid for Scientific Research, Category (A)

Project name: Recognition of sentence units in signed dialogue for the construction of a sign language translation system.

#### PI: Bono, M.

Co-Pls: Satoh, S., Baba, Y., Koiso, H., Kikuzawa, R., Osugi, Y., and Miyao, Y. Kikuchi, K., & Kusunoki, F.

Awarded Amount: 38,220,000 JPY

#### $07/2017 \rightarrow 03/2021$

JSPS Grants-in-Aid for Scientific Research, Category (B)

Project name: Japanese language influences and multimodality in sign language, tactile sign language and finger Braille.

#### PI: <u>Bono, M.</u>

Co-Pls: Osugi, Y., Fukushima, S. & Den, Y.

Awarded Amount: 16,900,000 JPY

## $04/2016 \rightarrow 03/2019$

JSPS Fostering Joint International Research

Project name: Proposal for a linguistic description method for sign language interaction analysis.

#### PI: Bono, M.

Awarded Amount: 13,650,000 JPY

#### $01/2016 \rightarrow 12/2020$

Australian Research Council (ARC)

Project name: Talking through touch: adapting sign languages for use by Deafblind people.

Willoughby, L. (Primary Chief Investigator (PCI)), Iwasaki, S. (Chief Investigator (CI)), Manns, H. (Chief Investigator (CI)), **Bono, M.** (Partner Investigator (PI)), & McKee, D. (Partner Investigator (PI))

Awarded Amount: A\$220,000.00.

 $04/2015 \rightarrow 03/2018$ 

JSPS Grants-in-Aid for Scientific Research, Category (B)

Project name: Collective learning mechanisms of community <mind-body knowledge> through festival preparation.

PI: Enomoto, M.

Co-PIs: Den, Y., Hosoma, H., Bono, M., Teraoka, T. & Takanashi, K.

Amount distributed: 845,000 JPY.

 $04/2015 \rightarrow 03/2018$ 

JSPS Grants-in-Aid for Scientific Research, Category (C)

Project name: Family practice in the age of information technology: clarifying the reality of intergenerational communication.

PI: Sunakawa, C.

Co-Pls: Hata, K., Bono, M. & Kikuchi, K.

Amount distributed: 260,000 JPY.

 $04/2014 \rightarrow 03/2017$ 

JSPS Grant-in-Aid for Young Scientists, Category (A)

Project name: Proposal for a linguistic description method for sign language interaction analysis.

PI: Bono, M.

Awarded Amount: 22,750,000 JPY

 $04/2013 \rightarrow 03/2016$ 

JSPS Grants-in-Aid for Scientific Research, Category (B)

Project name: Documentation, preservation, and analysis of the Japanese Sign Language lexical system from the perspective of the Deaf community.

PI: Osugi, Y.

Co-Pls: Bono, M., Takei, W., & Kikusawa, R.

Amount distributed: 2,990,000 JPY.

 $04/2013 \rightarrow 03/2016$ 

JSPS Grant-in-Aid for Challenging Exploratory Research

Project name: Understanding and supporting science communicators' working practices as knowledge transfer interfaces.

PI: Bono, M.

Co-Pls: Ogata, H, & Takanashi, K.

Research collaborator: Sumi, Y.

Awarded Amount: 3,770,000 JPY

#### $04/2012 \rightarrow 03/2015$

JSPS Grants-in-Aid for Scientific Research, Category B

Project name: A cross-cultural exploration of gestures and signs as interactions.

PI: Sugawara, K.

Co-Pls: Kimura, D. Ishii, M., Hosoma, H., Omura, K., Iwatani, H., Kamei, N., Iwatani, A., & <u>Bono, M.</u>

Amount distributed: 1,326,000 JPY.

#### $04/2011 \rightarrow 03/2014$

JSPS Grants-in-Aid for Scientific Research, Category B

Project name: A Colloquial Corpus of Japanese Sign Language: The Growth of Linguistic Awareness

between Deaf and Hearing

#### PI: Bono, M.

Co-PI: Osugi, Y., Kikuchi, K., Horiuchi, Y. & Harada, N.

Research collaborator: Takanashi, K.

Research Assistants: Sunada, T., Takashima, Y., Kamba, M., Taira, E., & Moriuchi, Y.

Awarded Amount: 19,110,000 JPY

#### $10/2009 \rightarrow 03/2013$

JST-PRESTO research program: Information environment and humans

Project name: Information for All: The construction of coordinated environments for Deaf and Hearing

#### PI: Bono, M.

Awarded Amount: 54,730,000 JPY

#### $10/2009 \rightarrow 03/2014$

JSPS Innovation for interdisciplinary approaches across humanities and social sciences

Project name: Suggestions for telecommunication environment in Japanese Sign Language communities

## PI: Bono, M.

Co-Investigators: Nakanishi, H., Arakawa, Y., Shirasawa, M., Kuroda, T., Kawano, S., & Naito, I.

Awarded Amount: 15,800,000 JPY

## $04/2009 \rightarrow 03/2012$

JSPS Grants-in-Aid for Scientific Research, Category C

Project name: An Investigation of Integrated Relation and Sequential Relation of Utterance in Spoken Japanese and Japanese Sign Language.

PI: Takanashi, K.

#### Co-PI: Bono, M.

Co-Investigators: Hosoma, H., Horiuchi, Y., Harada, N., Kanda, K., & Yasui, E.

Research Assistant: Joh, A.

Amount distributed: 715,000 JPY

 $04/2007 \rightarrow 03/2008$ 

JSPS Grant-in-Aid for Publication of Scientific Research Results

Project name: A Study for Understanding Sequential Structures of Verbal-nonverbal Expression in Japanese Conversation.

PI: Bono, M.

Awarded Amount: Publication costs of an academic book

 $04/2007 \rightarrow 03/2009$ 

JSPS Grants-in-Aid for JSPS Fellows (PD)

Project name: A Study for Understanding Participation Structures in Multi-party Conversation.

PI: Bono, M.

Awarded Amount: 2,200,000 JPY

 $04/2006 \rightarrow 03/2009$ 

JSPS Grants-in-Aid for Scientific Research, Category C

Project name: An Investigation of Inter-Dependencies of Speech, Signed Languages, and Gestures in

Utterance - A Multi-disciplinary Approach.

PI: Bono, M. (2006) -> Takanashi, T. (2007-2008)

Co-Pls: Harada, N., Takanashi, K. (2006), Horiuchi, Y., Hosoma, H., & Kanda, K.

Collaborator: Fischer, S. & Bono, M. (2007-2008)

Awarded Amount: 4,000,000 JPY

(\* Bono has been stepped down from PI to a collaborator in 2007 due to another grant from JSPS Fellows

(PD) starting from April 2007)

 $04/2006 \rightarrow 03/2009$ 

JSPS Grants-in-Aid for Scientific Research, Category B

Project name: Achievement of agreement: Turn-taking system in multi-party interactions

PI: Katagiri, Y.

Co-PIs: Iwasaki, M., Den, Y., Bono, M., & Takanashi, K.

Research collaborators: Matsusaka, Y. & Enomoto, M.

Awarded Amount: 17,000,000 JPY

(\* Bono has been stepped down from Co-PI to a research collaborator in 2007 due to another grant from

JSPS starting from April 2007)

#### AWARDS (mm/yyyy):

03/2019 Outstanding Presentation Award, The Japanese Association of Sociolinquistics Sciences, Japan.

Okada, T. & Bono, M. (2019)

"Deaf people's language use in Japanese sign language conversation - Focusing on the frequency of Deaf people's use of mouthing by age group"

Oral presentation

09/2016 Encouragement Award, Japanese Cognitive Science Society

**Bono, M.** (2015)

"Can a Robot Join an Idobata Kaigi?: A Field- work on Theatrical Creation of Daily Conversation" Refereed long paper

07/2016 Student Award, SIG AAC (Assistive & Accessible Computing), Information Processing Society of Japan Okada, T., Makino, R., & <u>Bono, M.</u> (2016)

"A survey on the social role of 'words' in signer community"

Oral presentation

04/2015 Young Scientist Award, The Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology, Japan.

Bono, M. (2015)

"A comparative studies of multi-party interaction in Japanese and Japanese Sign Language." Nomination based.

06/2012 JSAI Incentive Award, The Japanese Society for Artificial Intelligence, Japan.

Toyama, E., Den, Y., Bono, M. & Otsuka, K. (2011)

"Reconsideration of Gestural Viewpoint."

Oral presentation

03/2012 Tokugawa Munemasa Award, The Japanese Association of Sociolinguistics Sciences, Japan.

Bono, M. (2011)

"Multimodal Analysis for Sign Language Conversation: From Two Case Studies on Three Party Conversations."

Refereed long paper

07/2009 Outstanding Presentation Award, The Japanese Association of Sociolinguistics Sciences, Japan.

Bono, M. (2009)

"Schisming in Japanese Sign Language Conversation: From a Point of View of Turn-taking and Participation Framework."

Oral presentation

03/2006 Tokugawa Munemasa Award, The Japanese Association of Sociolinguistics Sciences, Japan.

Bono, M. & Katagiri, Y. (2005)

"Interactive viewpoint in face-to-face interactions: coordination of gesture, gaze and speech."

Refereed long paper

06/2005 JSAI Incentive Award, The Japanese Society for Artificial Intelligence, Japan. (June 2005)

Bono, M., Suzuki, N., & Katagiri, Y. (2004)

"Identification of Conversation Participation Procedures with Ubiquitous Sensors."

Oral presentation

## TEN CAREER-BEST RESEARCH OUTPUTS (2005 - present):

- (1) [Journal paper] <u>Bono, M.</u>, Sakaida., R., Ochiai, K., & Fukushima, S. (2023) Intersubjective Understanding in Finger Braille Interpreter-mediated Interaction: Two Case Studies of Other-initiated Repair. Lingua, Elsevier Statement: This study analyzed data obtained from interviews with a deafblind man (DBM), mediated by Japanese finger braille interpreters (FBIs), to explore the negotiation of intersubjective understanding between participants.
- (2) [Book Chapter] Bono, M., Okada, T., Kikuchi, K., Sakaida, R., Skobov, V., Miyao, Y., & Osugi, Y. (2023) Chapter 13. Utterance unit annotation for the Japanese Sign Language Dialogue Corpus: Towards a method for detecting interactional boundaries in spontaneous sign language dialogue, Advances in Sign Language Corpus Linguistics by Wehrmeyer, Ella (ed.) [SCL 108], pp.353-382. John Benjamins.
  - Statement: This chapter describes a method for annotating "utterance units" to the Japanese Sign Language (JSL) dialogue corpus. We have been developing a way to identify interactional boundaries to define an utterance unit in sign language using sign movements and various multimodal features accompanying signing.
- (3) [Journal paper] <u>Bono, M.</u>, & Fukushima, S. (2020) Researcher × Tojisha: How Does Fukushima Connect with the World?, Cognitive Studies, Bulletin of the Japanese Cognitive Science Society, pp.123-137. doi: 10.11225/cs.2020.011
  - Statement: This paper suggests that interactional analysts, researcher, should be bold in engaging with actual actors, *Tojisha* in Japanese, in the real world and may be able to provide a valuable perspective, mainly due to their careful awareness and observations of actions from the perspective of interaction studies.
- (4) [Journal paper] Bono, M. (2017) Syuwa sougokoui ni okeru sokkyo syuwa hyogen syuhuku no rensa no kanten kara (Improvisational Signing in Sign Language Interaction Through a Lens of Repair Sequence). Syakai gengo kagaku (The Japanese Journal of Language in Society), Vol.19, No.2, pp.20-31. (written in Japanese)
  Statement: In this paper, we rely on analyses of an excerpt of a signed interaction to consider how signers solve this problem. We analyzed sign language dialogue data within the framework of the repair sequence as provided by conversation analysis (CA).
- (5) [Journal paper] <u>Bono, M.</u> (2015) Robotto wa idobatakaigi ni haireruka: nichijyoukaiwa no engekiteki sousakubamen ni okeru fi-rudowa-ku (Can a Robot Join an Idobata Kaigi?: A Fieldwork on Theatrical Creation of Daily Conversation). Ninchi kagaku (Japanese Journal of Cognitive Science Society). Vol.22, No.1, pp.69-83. (Encouragement Award, Japanese Cognitive Science Society)

- Statement: Based on fieldwork in a human–robot theatre project, we analyze multimodality and sequential organizations in human–robot interactions.
- (6) [Journal paper] Bono, M., Ogata, H., and Takanashi. K., & Joh, A. (2014) The Practice of Showing 'Who I am': A Multimodal Analysis of Encounters between Science Communicators and Visitors at Science Museum. Universal Access in Human-Computer Interaction. Universal Access to Information and Knowledge Lecture Notes in Computer Science Volume 8514, pp. 650-661.
  - Statement: In order to understand how science communicators (SCs) represent 'who I am' in a museum, we conducted an ethnographic observation to focus on scenes where SCs meet visitors.
- (7) [Journal paper] Bono, M. (2011) Shuwakaiwa ni taisuru maruchimo-daru bunseki- shuwa sanninkaiwa no futatsu no jireibunseki kara. (Multimodal Analysis for Sign Language Conversation: From Two Case Studies on Three Party Conversations). The Japanese Journal of Language in Society. Vol.13, No.2, 20-31. (Tokugawa Munemasa Award, The Japanese Association of Sociolinguistics Sciences, Japan.)
  - Statement: This paper analyses signed conversations from the perspectives of conversation analysis (CA) and multimodal interaction analysis.
- (8) **[Book] Bono, M.** (2008) Nihongo kaiwa ni okeru gengo-higengohyougen no douteki kouzou ni kansuru kenkyuu (Study on Temporal and Sequential structure of Verbal and Nonverbal Representation in Japanese Conversation). Hituzi Shobo. vii+191pages.
  - Statement: This book is based on my doctoral thesis submitted to Kobe University in 2005. It has been restructured as a handbook of communication studies and gesture studies.
- (9) **[Book]** Bono, M., & Takanashi, K., and The Japanese Society for Artificial Intelligence (eds) (2009) Taninzuu intarakushon no bunseki shuhou (Handbook of multiparty interaction analysis). Ohmsha. viii+252 pages.

  Statement: We edited this book for engineers and informatics researchers interested in communication studies to design a social robot and human interface to study human–robot interactions (HRI).
- (10) [Journal paper] <u>Bono, M.</u>, & Katagiri, Y. (2005) Taiwa komyunikeeshon ni okeru sougokouiteki shiten- jesucha siten hatuwa no kyouchou. (Interactive viewpoint in face-to-face interactions: coordination of gesture, gaze and speech). The Japanese Journal of Language in Society. Vol.7, No.2, 3-13. (Tokugawa Munemasa Award, The Japanese Association of Sociolinguistics Sciences, Japan.)

Statement: This paper discusses speaker viewpoints in face-to-face interactions. A new type of viewpoint, "the interactive viewpoint," which captures spontaneous gestures, is proposed to supplement "the descriptive viewpoint" in gesture studies.

## RESEARCH SUPERVISION EXPERIENCE (yyyy - yyyy):

2014 - 2017, Ryokosaku Makino

Three-year Doctor course (Ph.D. course), Department of Informatics, School of Multidisciplinary Sciences, Graduate University for Advanced Studies (SOKENDAI), Japan.) Ph.D., Instructional language: Japanese.

Associate Professor (non-tenure-track), Faculty of Human Sciences, Waseda University.

(Replace from A/Prof. Nobuhiro Furuyama to A/Prof. Mayumi Bono)

#### 2014 - present, Tomohiro Okada

Five-year Doctor course (Master + Ph.D. course), Department of Informatics, School of Multidisciplinary Sciences, The Graduate University for Advanced Studies (SOKENDAI), Japan. Instructional language: Japanese Sign Language.

#### 2020 - present, Victor Skobov

Three-year Doctor course (Ph.D. course), Department of Informatics, School of Multidisciplinary Sciences, The Graduate University for Advanced Studies (SOKENDAI), Japan. Ph.D. candidate, Instructional language: English.

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE (yyyy - yyyy):**

2009 - present, [Full-time, half-yearly] (2 or 3 weeks, omnibus sessions).

"Introduction to Intelligent Systems Science II",

Graduate School of Interdisciplinary Information Studies, Department of Informatics,

The Graduate University for Advanced Studies (SOKENDAI).

2009 - present, [Full-time, half-yearly] (15 weeks, every other year)

"Communication Environment Theory",

Graduate School of Interdisciplinary Information Studies, Department of Informatics,

The Graduate University for Advanced Studies (SOKENDAI).

2016 - 2021, [Part-time, omnibus] (8 weeks).

"Research Methods in Learning Studies (1)(2)",

Human Innovation Course, Department of Social Informatics, Graduate School of Social Informatics, Aoyama Gakuin University.

2017 - 2018, [Part-time, half-yearly] (15 weeks).

"Special Studies in Education 2A",

Department of Education, Graduate School of Letters,

Rikkyo University.

2013 - 2016, [Part-time, half-yearly] (15 weeks).

"Nonverbal Communication Theory"

Graduate School of Independent Study, Department of Intercultural Communication,

Rikkyo University.

2011 - 2016, [Part-time, half-yearly] (8 weeks, omnibus sessions).

"Research on Intelligence Emergence Practice (B)",

Human Innovation Course, Department of Social Informatics, Graduate School of Social Informatics, Aoyama Gakuin University

2011 - 2016, [Part-time, half-yearly] (8 weeks, omnibus sessions).

"Research Methods for Learning Studies (1)(2)",

Human Innovation Course, Department of Social Informatics, Graduate School of Social Informatics, Aoyama Gakuin University

2008 - 2009, [Part-time, half-yearly] (15 weeks).

"Conversation and bodily expression"

University-wide general subject,

Mukogawa Women's University.

2008 - 2009, [Part-time, half-yearly] (15 weeks).

"Nonverbal communication"

University-wide general subject,

Mukogawa Women's University.

### LIST OF ACHIEVEMENTS

## [Papers]

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