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<p>Social Contribution</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Member, Science Council of Japan ▪ Members of several committees of the MEXT and the Cabinet Office ▪ Members of advisory committees of several national research institutes (such as National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology (AIST) , National Institute of Informatics (NII), National Institute of Information and Communications Technology (NICT); National Institute for Materials Science (NIMS)) ▪ Members of selection committees of Kyoto prizes, IMU prize, ICIAM prize ▪ Project leaders for promotion of women in science
<p>Recognition :</p>	<p>Saruhashi Prize (2005), President Special Prize of Tohoku University (2005) President Education Award of Tohoku University (2010)</p>
<p>Current Research:</p>	<p>Discrete Geometric Analysis, Geometry</p>