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EDUCATION

Ph.D.            The University of Tokyo, 2012 (Political Science)  
M.A.            The University of Tokyo, 1999 (Political Science)  
B.A.            Tokyo Metropolitan University, 1997 (Political Science)

EMPLOYMENT

2015-           Professor of Political Science, Okayama University  
2008-2015      Associate Professor of Political Science, Kochi University  
2004-2007      Research Associate (Assistant Professor), The University of Tokyo  
2002-2004      Postdoctoral Fellow, Japan Society for the Promotion of Science  
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TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2015-           Undergraduate Courses Taught: Modern Political Analysis, Political  
                    Process, Okayama University  
                    Graduate Courses Taught: Political Process1, Okayama University  
2014            Undergraduate Courses Taught: Political Process, Kagawa University  
2013            Undergraduate Courses Taught: Electoral Behavior, Kokugakuin  
                    University  
2010-2011      Political Science I, Political Science II, Kochi Junior College  
2008-2014      Undergraduate Courses Taught: Political Science, Introduction to  
                    Political Science, Kochi University

Graduate Courses Taught: Advanced Course on Political Science,  
Kochi University

2005-2008 Undergraduate Courses Taught: Political Science, Special Lecture on  
Political Science, Saitama University

Undergraduate Courses Taught: Contemporary Japanese Politics,  
Introduction to Political Science, Seijo University

### VISITING POSITIONS

2017/12-2018/1 Visiting Researcher, Freie Universität Berlin

### SELECTED WORKS

(Books)

Uekami, Takayoshi, and Mari Miura eds. 2018, *Introduction to Japanese Politics*,  
Yūhikaku Publishing [in Japanese].

Uekami, Takayoshi 2013, *Party Politics and Japan's Inconsistent Electoral Systems:  
National Elections, Local Elections, and Party Leadership Selection*, University of  
Tokyo Press [in Japanese].

Uekami, Takayoshi, and Hidenori Tsutsumi eds. 2011, *Organization and Policies of  
Democratic Party of Japan: From its Formation to Acquisition of Power*, Tōyō  
Keizai Shinpōsha [in Japanese].

(Chapters in Books)

Uekami, Takayoshi, and Hidenori Tsutsumi forthcoming, “Inverse Relationship between  
Party Institutionalisation and Party System Competitiveness: The Transformation of  
Postwar Japanese Party Politics,” in Robert Harmel and Lars G. Svåsand eds.  
*Institutionalisation of Political Parties: Comparative Cases*. Rowman & Littlefield  
International, in partnership with ECPR Press.

Uekami, Takayoshi, and Hidenori Tsutsumi 2015, “Voting Advice Applications in  
Japan: An Overview,” in Da-Chi Liao, Boyu Chen and Michael J. Jensen eds.  
*Political Behavior and Technology: Voting Advice Applications in East Asia*. Palgrave  
Macmillan, 15-36.

Tsutsumi, Hidenori, Takayoshi Uekami and Kazunori Inamasu 2015, “The Effects of

- VAAAs on Voter's Sophistication in Japan," in Da-Chi Liao, Boyu Chen and Michael J. Jensen eds. *Political Behavior and Technology: Voting Advice Applications in East Asia*. Palgrave Macmillan, 91-114.
- Uekami, Takayoshi 2015, "Party Presidential Elections during the period of DPJ Government," in Yukio Maeda and Hidenori Tsutsumi eds. *Party Government and Party Governance: The Case of the Democratic Party of Japan*, Chikura Shobō, 79-111 [in Japanese].
- Uekami, Takayoshi, and Hidenori Tsutsumi 2015, "Policy Making and Manifestos during the period of DPJ Government," in Yukio Maeda and Hidenori Tsutsumi eds. *Party Government and Party Governance: The Case of the Democratic Party of Japan*, Chikura Shobō, 113-146 [in Japanese].
- Uekami, Takayoshi 2015, "Local Assembly and Neighborhood Community Association," in Shigeki Uno and Kaoru Iokibe eds. *Local Governance in Japan*, Yūhikaku Publishing, 271-296 [in Japanese].
- Uekami, Takayoshi 2013, "Changes in the Profiles of Party Leaders: The Cases of LDP and DPJ," in Jun Iio ed. *Government Change and Party Politics*, Chūō Kōron Shinsha, 45-73 [in Japanese].
- Tsutsumi, Hidenori and Takayoshi Uekami 2013, "Utility of VAAAs under Information Constraint," in Kazunori Kawamura et al. eds. *Election Environment in the Disaster-Affected Area after the Great East Japan Earthquake*, Tohoku University Press, 91-121 [in Japanese].

(Articles)

- Matsubayashi, Tetsuya, Michiko Ueda, and Takayoshi Uekami 2014, "District Population Size and Candidates' Vote-Seeking Strategies: Evidence from Japan," *Journal of Elections, Public Opinion and Parties*, 25(2): 159-177, DOI: 10.1080/17457289.2014.933837.
- Uekami, Takayoshi 2010, "Changes of Government and the Policy Process: Reconsidering the Mandate Model," *Journal of Public Policy Studies*, 10: 45-58 [in Japanese].
- Uekami, Takayoshi 2010, "Electoral Manifestos of Democratic Party of Japan," *Social Science Japan*, 42: 12-15.
- Uekami, Takayoshi, and Tetsuya Sato 2009, "Estimating the Policy Positions of Political Actors: An Application of Computerized Coding to the Japanese Policy Documents," *Japanese Journal of Electoral Studies*, 25(1): 61-73 [in Japanese].
- Uekami, Takayoshi 2008, "The Democratization of Party Leadership Selection in Japan,"

- The Annals of Japanese Political Science Association*, 2008 (I): 220-240, DOI: 10.7218/nenpouseijigaku.59.1\_220 [in Japanese].
- Uekami, Takayoshi 2008, “National Party Realignment and Local Politics in Japan: The Case of Kamaishi City Council Members,” *The Journal of Social Science*, 59(3/4): 39-80 [in Japanese].
- Uekami, Takayoshi and Hidenori Tsutsumi 2008, “How to Make a Vote-Assisting Tool: Behind the Scenes of the Japanese VoteMatch,” *Review of Electoral Studies*, 10: 27-48 [in Japanese].
- Uekami, Takayoshi, and Daisuke Shimizu 2007, “Spatial Competitions under Inconsistent Electoral Systems,” *Leviathan*, 40: 255-272 [in Japanese].
- Uekami, Takayoshi 2007, “Survey of the Kamaishi City Council Members,” *Social Science Japan*, 36: 25-27.
- Uekami, Takayoshi 2006, “How IT Helps People to Vote: Practice in the Netherlands and Future Perspectives in Japan,” *Review of Electoral Studies*, 6: 43-64 [in Japanese].
- Kabashima, Ikuo, Jonathan Marshall, Takayoshi Uekami, and Dae-Song Hyun 2000, “Casual Cynics, or Disillusioned Democrats?: Political Alienation in Japan,” *Political Psychology*, 21(4): 779-804, DOI: 10.1111/0162-895X.00216.

(Book Reviews)

- Uekami, Takayoshi 2014, “Book Review: *Japan Under the DPJ: The Politics of Transformation and Governance*, edited by Kenji E. Kushida and Phillip Y. Lipsy. The Walter H. Shorenstein Asia-Pacific Research Center, 2013,” *Social Science Japan Journal*, DOI: 10.1093/ssjj/jyu027.

(Presentations, only in English)

- Uekami, Takayoshi, Asako Takashima, Hiroki Ogawa, Masako Tanaka, and Yu Ajishi 2018, “Explaining Issue Salience of Party Manifestos in Multi-Level Settings: A Cross-national Study,” the World Congress of the International Political Science Association, held in Brisbane, Australia.
- Tsutsumi, Hidenori, Takayoshi Uekami, Kazunori Inamasu, Hiroko Ide Levy, Jaehyun Song, and Yutaka Shinada 2018, “The Impact of Voting Advice Applications on Voters’ Behavior and Political Interest: A Field Experiment in the 2016 Upper House Election in Japan,” the CeDEM Asia 2018: Conference for E-Democracy and Open Government, Asia 2018, held in Yokohama, Japan.
- Uekami, Takayoshi 2017, “How to Measure Party Institutionalization: Expanding the

- PPDB to Asia,” the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, held in San Francisco, USA.
- Uekami, Takayoshi 2017, “Japanese Parties from the Comparative Perspective of the Political Party Database (PPDB) Project,” the Conference on Parties in a Globalised World: Challenges and Responses in the Internet Era, held in Shanghai, China.
- Uekami, Takayoshi 2017, “Party Organizations in Japan: Does the PPDB Coding Scheme Work Well?” Düsseldorf Launch Conference of the Political Party Database Project,” held in Düsseldorf, Germany.
- Uekami, Takayoshi 2016, “Political Parties Online in Japan: An Overview,” International Workshop on Parties Online: New Party Organizational Strategies in 8 Democracies, held in Kaohsiung, Taiwan.
- Uekami, Takayoshi, and Hidenori Tsutsumi 2016, “Inverse Relationship between Party and Party System Institutionalization: The Transformation of Postwar Japanese Party Politics,” ECPR Joint Sessions of Workshops (Workshop on Institutionalization and Deinstitutionalization of Political Organizations), held in Pisa, Italy.
- Uekami, Takayoshi, and Hidenori Tsutsumi 2015, “Inverse Relationship between Party and Party System Institutionalization: The Transformation of Postwar Japanese Party Politics,” the Workshop on Institutionalization and Deinstitutionalization of Party and Political Organizations, held in Kaohsiung, Taiwan.
- Tsutsumi, Hidenori, Takayoshi Uekami, and Kazunori Inamasu 2014, “The Effects of VAAs on Voter’s Sophistication in Japan,” the International Workshop on Voting Advice Applications in East Asia, held in Kaohsiung, Taiwan.
- Uekami, Takayoshi, and Hidenori Tsutsumi 2014, “Voting Advice Applications in Japan: An Overview,” the International Workshop on Voting Advice Applications in East Asia, held in Kaohsiung, Taiwan.
- Tsutsumi, Hidenori, Takayoshi Uekami, and Kazunori Inamasu 2014, “The Effects of VAAs on Voter’s Sophistication in Japan,” the Annual Conference of Asian Network for Public Opinion Research, held in Niigata, Japan.
- Uekami, Takayoshi, and Hidenori Tsutsumi 2014, “Voting Advice Applications in Japan: An Overview,” the Annual Conference of Asian Network for Public Opinion Research, held in Niigata, Japan.
- Uekami, Takayoshi 2013, “VAAs in Japan: History and Future Prospects,” the International Workshop on Voting Advice Applications: Review & Prospect, held in Kaohsiung, Taiwan.
- Uekami, Takayoshi 2012, “The Party Presidents of DPJ after the Change of Government: Koizumi again?” The Keio-NCCU Workshop on the Changing

International Relations of East Asia with the Emerging Nation, held in Tokyo, Japan.  
 Matsubayashi, Tetsuya, Michiko Ueda and Takayoshi Uekami 2011, “The Size of Electoral Districts and the Importance of Party Labels,” the Annual National Conference of the Midwest Political Science Association, held in Chicago, USA.  
 Uekami, Takayoshi, and Daisuke Shimizu 2006, “The Consistency of Electoral Systems: A Theoretical Review and Hypotheses,” the World Congress of the International Political Science Association, held in Fukuoka, Japan.  
 Tsutsumi, Hidenori, and Takayoshi Uekami 2006, “Party Policy Coherence in Japan: Evidence from 2003 Candidate-Level Electoral Platform,” the World Congress of the International Political Science Association, held in Fukuoka, Japan.

## GRANTS AND AWARDS

### (Grants)

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| 2017-     | PI, “Basic Research for Comparative Party Politics in Asia and the Pacific,” Grant-in-Aid for Scientific Research (B) No. 17H02481, JSPS, Japan.                               |
| 2014-2017 | PI, “Transformation of LDP Leadership Selection Process,” Grant-in-Aid for Scientific Research (C) No. 26380173, JSPS, Japan.  |
| 2011-2014 | PI, “Changes and Continuity of LDP Leadership Selection Process during the 2000s,” Research Grant for Young Scientists (B) No. 23730142, JSPS, Japan.                          |
| 2008-2011 | PI, “Determinants of Party-centered Campaigns in Local Assembly Elections,” Research Grant for Young Scientists (B) No. 20730092, JSPS, Japan.                                 |
| 2004-2007 | PI, “Research on the Impact of the Electoral Reform: the ‘Inconsistency of Electoral Systems’ Hypothesis,” Grant-in-Aid for Scientific Research (B) No. 16330023, JSPS, Japan. |

### (Awards)

Excellent Research Award for Young Scholar, Kochi University, 2010

## PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS AND SERVICES

Board Member, Japan Association for Comparative Politics, 2014-  
Editor in Chief Annals, 2018-2019  
Chairperson, Planning Committee, 2017-2018  
Vice-Chairperson, Planning Committee, 2016-2017  
Chairperson, Public Relations and International Exchange Committee, 2014-2016  
Member, Japanese Political Science Association  
Member, Japanese Association of Electoral Studies  
Member, Public Policy Studies Association JAPAN  
Member, American Political Science Association

#### OTHER SERVICES

Member, Study Group on Local Assemblies and Local Assembly Members, appointed  
by Director of Local Administration Bureau, Ministry of Internal Affairs and  
Communications, 2016-2017  
Member, Institutional Review Board, appointed by Dean of Kochi Medical School,  
2012-2015  
Member, Recruitment Examination Committee, appointed by President of National  
Personnel Authority, 2009-2011