We strongly recommend you to contact one of our faculty members in order to discuss your research interests and research plan prior to submitting your application. If you have any inquiry regarding our faculty, please do not hesitate to contact us: moten@st.ritsumei.ac.jp
*The following information of faculty profile is as of 1st Apr, 2015.

**Field of Research**
- Knowledge Management, Operational Risk Management, Business Intelligence (Data and Text Mining) and Big Data,
- Business Model, Business simulation, Technology Evaluation

**Theme of Research**
- Knowledge and Information Management of Failure and Design Rational Data in Technology and Product Development
- Knowledge Mining, Structuring and Sharing for Operational Risk Management
- Risk Evaluation and Management for Value Chain Management
- Development of Environmental Friendly Supply Chain Management
- Computer Aided Business Model Simulation and Design
- Technology Evaluation Scheme for Value Creation Systems Engineering
- Application of Text Mining for Innovation Management Research
- Cash Management Modeling and Simulation based on Business Intelligence

**Teaching subjects**
- Master's Program: Management of Value Creation, Value Chain Management
- Doctor's Program: The Analysis of Structure of Research Papers

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**Atsushi AOYAMA**
Professor/ Ph.D. (PURDUE University)

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**Shuichi ISHIDA**
Professor/ Ph.D. in Business Administration (HOKKAIDO University) Ph.D. in Engineering (KYOTO University)

**Field of Research**
- Management of Technology, Management Systems

**Theme of Research**
- Organizational Behavior, Strategy Implementation,
- Knowledge-Based Networking in Technology Management

**Teaching subjects**
- Master's Program: Organization Science of Technology Management
- Doctor's Program: Qualitative Research Methods, Empirical Methods

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**Keiichi TAO**
Professor/ Certified Public Accountant

**Field of Research**
- Financial Engineering, Risk Management

**Theme of Research**
- Corporate Risk Management
- Business Management using Financial Engineering
- Business Process Innovation

**Teaching subjects**
- Master's program: Financial Strategy, Corporate Risk Management


- **Field of Research**
  - Wide-Variation-Small-Volume Production System

- **Theme of Research**
  - Production System Using the Modularized Design of Group Plan Product

- **Teaching subjects**
  - Master’s program: MOT Career Management, Manufacturing Process Management

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- **Field of Research**
  - Management of Technology, Business Strategies in SMEs and Venture Businesses, New Products Development

- **Theme of Research**
  - Business Strategies in Small- and Medium-sized Enterprises and Venture Businesses
  - New Products Development by Collaboration of Industries and Universities
  - Intellectual property strategies in Small- and Medium-sized Enterprises and Venture Businesses

- **Teaching subjects**
  - Master’s program: Technology and Project Evaluation
    - Proposal, Planning and Evaluation of New Technology and Business
    - Project Management of Technology Based Companies

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- **Field of Research**
  - Innovation Study, Strategic Management, Social Systems Engineering

- **Theme of Research**
  - Innovation Dynamics
  - Strategic Management of Technology-Based Enterprise
  - Triple Helix of Government, Industry and University

- **Teaching subjects**
  - Master’s program: Strategic Management of Technology-Based Enterprises
    - Innovation Dynamics
  - Doctoral program: Advanced Lecture-Research Methods for Practice B

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- **Field of Research**
  - Management Information Systems, Management of Technology, Competitive Strategy, Business Administration

- **Theme of Research**
  - IT Management, Software Industry Analysis, Capability Measurement Design,
    - Business Model Creation & Innovation, Innovation Management,
    - Social Research & Simulation

- **Teaching subjects**
  - Master’s program: Strategic Technology Development
    - IT Management
    - Project Valuation
    - Frontiers in Science and Technology Related Business
■ Field of Research

■ Theme of Research
Management Strategy in the light of Intellectual Property

■ Teaching subjects
Master’s program: Technology and Intellectual Property Related Law
Intellectual Property Strategy
Research Methodology for Technology Management
Doctoral program: Research Methods

Tetsuaki ODA
Associate Professor/ Ph.D. in Engineering (TOKYO University)

■ Field of Research
Strategic management of innovation, Global Standardization Strategy,
Strategic management of collaboration of Industry-Academia-Government

■ Theme of Research
Global Business Strategies, Competitive Strategies on Standardization,
Platform Business and Business Eco-system
Offshoring Strategy and Industrial Evolution in Indian IT Segment

■ Teaching subjects
Master’s program: Basic Management, Research Methodology
Innovation Strategy
Doctoral program: Literature Review, Statistical Data Analysis Academic Journal

Chikako TAKANASHI
Associate Professor/ Ph.D. in Commerce and Management (HITOTSUBASHI University)

■ Field of Research
Entrepreneurship, History of Innovation, Design and Brand Management,
New Product Development, Design Thinking, Triple Helix

■ Theme of Research
Entrepreneurship Management of Technology in East Asia,
Design and Brand Management of Global Automotive Industry,
Japanese and South Korean Car Manufacturers
Global Fashion and Beauty Industry

■ Teaching subjects
Case Study Method, History of Technology Management,
Research Methodology, Academic Writing, Creative Management,
Competitive Strategy, Thinking Methods

Eugene CHOI
Associate Professor/ Ph.D. (University of Cambridge)

■ Field of Research
Technology Marketing, Road mapping, System Dynamics, Aerospace Systems

■ Theme of Research
Development of an impact evaluation model for futuristic R&D project
Prototyping technologies for futuristic system design and management
Gaming and simulation for sustainable supply chain management

■ Teaching subjects
Master’s Program: Management Science of Technology Based Enterprises
Marketing of Technology Based Enterprises
Strategic Management of Technology Based Enterprises
Technology Management III
Doctor’s Program: Advanced Lecture (Advanced Statistics)

Nobuaki MINATO
Associate Professor/ Ph.D. (Keio University)