



# Professor's Voice



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“Radiation environment” is a typical example of an environment system relating to both humans and surrounding society. Our research field “Environmental Safety Management” covers all studies on safety and risk management, mainly in radiation environments. The keywords of our research are “radiation and radioactive materials” and “radiological protection”. We pursue studies from the viewpoints of both natural and social sciences.

Our main research targets are:

Development of methods for radiation measurement and dosimetry.

- Study of safety measures for radiation applications and the management of radioactive waste materials.
- Study on natural radiation environments and naturally occurring radioactive materials.
- Study on environmental protection and environmental assessment on radiation.
- Study on risk management and risk communication, etc.

Our laboratory has accepted two researchers from Vietnam and China so far. Accepting young, aggressive and excellent young researchers like them with both sophisticated activity plan and extremely high motivation, Japanese staff, students and graduate students in our laboratory receive great stimulation from them. Experiences from general international cultural exchanges make large changes in our daily life and research activities of the Japanese side.

I am really looking forward to seeing that they, who learned in our laboratory in Japan, grow up as leaders in their home country.

