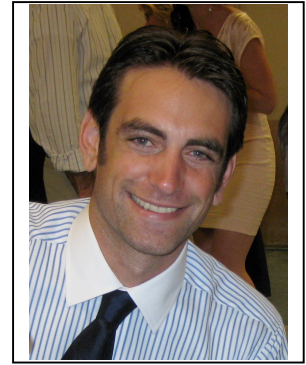


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CURRENT POSITIONS AND AFFILIATIONS

Assistant Professor and Hakubi Scholar, Kyoto University (Graduate School of Education and Hakubi Center for Advanced Research)
Visiting Scholar, Stanford University (Center on Adolescence)
Japanese Business Culture Advisor, Tesla Motors, Inc.

ONLINE PRESENCE

<http://www.aaronmiller.com>
http://www.hakubi.kyoto-u.ac.jp/eng/02_mem/h22/aaron.html
<http://coa.stanford.edu/people/miller-aaron-l>
<http://kyouindb.iimc.kyoto-u.ac.jp/e/pW2wE> (ENGLISH)
<http://kyouindb.iimc.kyoto-u.ac.jp/j/pW2wE> (JAPANESE)

FIELDS OF RESEARCH SPECIALIZATION

Japanese society, culture, and language
Modern sports, especially in Japan and the US
Sports coaching pedagogy, leadership, and management
Education, socialization, and enculturation
Corporal punishment and discipline
Intercultural business consulting

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Reviewer: *Journal of Sport and Social Issues*

Co-investigator (Government Report): Ministry of Education of Japan (MEXT) funded comparative project on injury prevention mechanisms in youth sports (Principal investigator for USA section of study). English report entitled, “Youth Sports Injury Prevention: Suggestions from the US for Japan” and available @ <https://coa.stanford.edu/sites/default/files/AaronLMillerUSAReportforMRIForCOA.pdf>, Overarching research project was funded by MEXT but administered by the Mitsubishi Research Institute. The report is available in Japanese @ http://www.mext.go.jp/a_menu/sports/jyujiitsu/_icsFiles/afieldfile/2012/07/27/1323969_1_1.pdf

Japanese Business Culture Advisor: Tesla Motors, Inc., Palo Alto, CA, October 2011-present (part-time) Assisting human resources department with cultural expertise regarding Japanese (business) culture; Spearheading strategy consulting re: long-term Japanese talent acquisition and retention

Visiting Scholar: Center on Adolescence, Stanford University, November 1, 2010-present Working with Professor William Damon, psychologist and Hoover Institution fellow specializing in human development, moral formation, character and youth purpose

Assistant Professor and Hakubi Scholar: Kyoto University (Hakubi Project), April 1, 2010-present Researching issues related to culture, sports and education One of nineteen researchers selected from pool of 588 international applicants (competition rate: 3%) One of two foreign researchers selected for inaugural class of five-year research focused program Anthropologist/education scholar among diverse group of researchers in a variety of academic disciplines

Daily Observational Fieldworker: Stanford University Women’s Basketball Team (USA), October 2010-April 2011

Invited Facilitator: Japan Olympic Committee, National Coach Academy, National Training Center, Tokyo, June 7-10, 2010

Research Associate: Waseda University, Center for International Education, Tokyo, Japan, November 2009-March 2010

Daily Observational Fieldworker: Waseda University Women’s Basketball Team (Japan), January 2008-January 2009

Weekly Observational Fieldworker: Japan Sports Association, April 2008-July 2008

Professional Japanese/English Translator: University of Tokyo, Institute of Social Science, April 2008-March 2010

Adjunct Professor: Sophia University Junior College, Tokyo, Japan, April 2008-March 2009

English Teacher: JET Programme, Mima Village, Shikoku, Japan July 2002-July 2004

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Anthropology Association, Anthropology of Japan in Japan, British Association of Japanese Studies, Japanese Society of Cultural Anthropology, Japan Society of Northern California

EDUCATION

10/17/06 to 10/23/09

University of Oxford

Institute of Social and Cultural Anthropology, Nissan Institute for Modern Japanese Studies and Linacre College

DPHil (Doctor of Philosophy): Socio-cultural anthropology

Thesis Title: “Bushido vs. Science: Beyond Conflicting Pedagogies of Japanese Basketball Coaching”

Academic Supervisor: Professor Roger Goodman, Nissan Institute Professor of Modern Japanese Studies and Head of Social Sciences

Thesis successfully defended before external examiner Professor William Kelly (Yale University, Department of Anthropology) and internal examiner Professor Takehiko Kariya (Oxford University, Nissan Institute of Modern Japanese Studies)

Program Completed: October 23, 2009

Official Degree Conferred: July 16, 2011

04/01/07 to 3/31/09

University of Tokyo

Faculty of Education

Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology of Japan (Monbukagusho) Research Student Fellowship

09/01/06 to 06/15/07

Stanford University

Inter-University Center for Japanese Language Studies, Yokohama, Japan

Fully-funded, ten-month, intensive study program in advanced Japanese

Awarded Hayase Moriyama Saito Prize for Excellence in Japanese

10/01/05 to 10/17/06

University of Oxford

Institute of Social and Cultural Anthropology, Nissan Institute for Modern Japanese Studies and Linacre College

MSc (Masters of Science): Socio-cultural anthropology

Thesis Title: “Taibatsu: Corporal Punishment on Japanese High School Baseball Teams”

Academic Supervisor: Professor Robert Barnes, Professor of Social Anthropology

Graduated with ‘Distinction’ (Highest Honors Awarded in a UK university)

10/01/00 to 06/15/01

London School of Economics and Political Science

General Course (Junior Year Abroad Program)

Completed Program with ‘First-Class’ Marks

09/01/98 to 06/15/02

University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA)

Department of Political Science

BA (Bachelor of Arts): Political theory

Graduated with Honors (*cum laude*)

BOOKS AND MONOGRAPHS

Single-authored **Book**: *Expecting Greatness: Tara VanDerveer, Stanford University, and the Making of Modern Professional Women*, Currently writing.

Single-authored **Book**: *From Spirit to Science: On Socio-cultural Change in Japanese Sports*, Proposal currently under review at Routledge/Nissan Institute Series.

Single-authored **Monograph**: *Discourses of Discipline: An Anthropology of 'Corporal Punishment' in Japanese Schools and Sports*, Accepted for publication by UC Berkeley Publications Committee (April 12, 2012), To be published by the Institute of East Asian Studies (Japan Research Monograph Series), Late 2012

Co-translated **Book**: *Education in Crisis and Stratified Japan*, by Kariya Takehiko, Professor of Sociology and Japanese Society at the University of Oxford (Translation with Dr. Jeremy Rappelye), To be published by Routledge, 2012

Translated **Book**: *Fudōshin and Shinnen wo Tsuranuku*, memoirs by professional baseball player Hideki Matsui, Manuscript currently being shopped to various US publishers

Co-translated **Book**: *A Bilingual Dictionary of Japanese Culture (Eigo de shōkai suru nihon jiten)*, (General Editor: Horiguchi Sachiko, with Mizuki Nakajima and Tsuchiya Nozomu), Tokyo: Natsumesha, January 2010, Second Edition Published in 2011, Available Online @ http://www.amazon.co.jp/カラー版-英語で紹介する日本事典-堀口-佐知子/dp/4816348328/ref=sr_1_1?ie=UTF8&qid=1296523964&sr=8-1,

Single-authored **Travel Memoir**: *Walking With Sasaki*, Self-Published, March 2005

RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS

Single-authored **Journal Article**: “For the Court and the Cubicle: New Expectations for University Athletes and Company Employees in Japan,” *Japanese Studies*, Accepted and in Press (Peer Review)

Single-authored **Encyclopedia Entries**: “Zen Buddhism in Japanese Sports,” “Bushido in Japanese Sports” and “Nitobe Inazo”, In *Japan at War*, Edited by Louis Perez, ABC-CLIO: Forthcoming in 2013

Single-authored **Database Essay**: “Does the Legend of the Japanese Samurai Match Up with Historical Reality?”, In ABC-CLIO/Praeger Publishing, *Academic Solutions Database for World History: Ancient and Medieval Eras (from prehistory to 1500 CE)*, Author Publisher: Forthcoming

Single-authored **Book Chapter**: “The ‘Physical Culture’ of Japan: Historical and Contemporary Perceptions of the Japanese Sporting Body”, In Andrews, David and Michael Silk (eds.) *Physical Cultural Studies: A Constitutive Anthology*, Temple University Press: Forthcoming

Single-authored **Encyclopedia Entry**: “Sports”, In Stanton, Andrew L. and Edward Ramsamy, eds. *Cultural Sociology of the Middle East, Africa and Asia: Volume III* (Encyclopedia), London: Sage, 2012, pp. 371-372, Available Online @ <http://www.sagepub.com/books/Book234665> or read for free at <http://www.amazon.com/Cultural-Sociology-Middle-East-Africa/dp/141298176X> by searching my name within the book.

Single-authored **Journal Article**: “From Bushido to Science: A New Pedagogy of Japanese Sports Coaching,” *Japan Forum* 23(3): 385-406, 2011. Available Online @ http://www.tandfonline.com/loi/rjfo20?open=23#vol_23 (Peer Review)

Single-authored **Book Chapter**: “Taibatsu: From educational solution to social problem to marginalized non-issue” In Goodman, Roger, Imoto, Yuki and Tuukka Toivonen (eds.). *A Sociology of Japanese Youth: From Returnees to NEETs*. London: Routledge (UK), Nissan Institute Japanese Studies Series, 2011, pp. 81-97. Available Online @ <http://www.routledge.com/books/details/9780415669276>

Reviewed in the *Japan Times* (Sunday May 20, 2012) by Jeff Kingston:
“...This superb collection of essays presents a social constructionist analysis of why youth problems erupt when they do and how they evolve. This is an exceptionally well-written book that is destined to become a classic in Japanese studies and is a truly collaborative effort that benefits from a high degree of dialogue between the authors.”

Single-authored **Book Chapter**: “Beyond the Four Walls of the Classroom: ‘Real’ and ‘Imagined’ Change in Japanese Sports and Education,” In Willis, David and Jeremy Rappleye (eds.) *Reimagining Japanese Education: Borders, Transfers, Circulations and the Comparative*, Oxford, UK: Symposium Books/Oxford Studies in Comparative Education, 2011, pp. 171-191. Available Online @ <http://www.symposium-books.co.uk/books/bookdetails.asp?bid=76>

Reviewed in the *Australian Universities’ Review* (vol. 53, no. 2, 2011) by Damien J. Rivers:
“...written with an impressive level of depth and explores processes within Japanese sports policy from a range of stimulating perspectives...immensely stimulating.”

First-authored **Journal Article**: “To Discipline or Accommodate? On the Rehabilitation of Japanese ‘Problem Youth’”, with Tuukka Toivonen, *Japan Focus: The Asia-Pacific Journal*, June 2010, Available online at <http://www.japanfocus.org/-Aaron-Miller/3368> (Peer Review)

Single-authored **Journal Article**: “*Taibatsu ni kansuru kokusaiteki dōkō*” (International Trends Regarding Corporal Punishment), Written in Japanese for a special Issue of the Japan Sports Association’s Quarterly Magazine, *Sports Journal*, Winter 2009, Volume 282, pp. 14-15. (Peer Review)

Single-authored **Journal Article**: “Taibatsu: ‘Corporal Punishment’ in Japanese Socio-cultural Context,” *Japan Forum* 2009: 21(2): 233-254, Available Online @ http://www.tandfonline.com/loi/rjfo20?open=21#vol_21 (Peer Review)

Single-authored **Film Review**: “Kōkōyakyū: (High School Baseball)”, *Visual Anthropology Review*, 2007: 23(2): 167-168, Available Online @ http://people.virginia.edu/~ds8s/VAR/var23_2.html (Peer Review)

TRANSLATIONS

Translated **Research Publication Abstract**: “Teacher and Student Relationships among Cultured People and Financiers”, by Inagaki Kyoko (Professor, Kyoto University, Graduate School of Education), August 2012

Translated **Conference Presentation**: “*Omoide Kyōdōtai: Jogakusei no Yuujō*” (“Communities of Nostalgia: Friendship among Girls’ School Students”) by Inagaki Kyoko (Professor, Kyoto University, Graduate School of Education), Delivered at international conference entitled, “Conceptualising Friendship”, Leiden University, September 2010

Co-translated **Website**: “Waseda University Writing Center”, with Victoria Young, Accessible @ <http://www.cie-waseda.jp/awp/index.html>

Translated **Research Publication**: “Acculturation of Balinese Dance Technique”, by Kokuho Mami, Ph.D. Candidate at Waseda University, Accessible @ http://waseda-sport.jp/ronbun_2010.php

Translated **Research Presentation**: “The Birth of ‘Supo-kon’ Manga as ‘Les Lieux de Memoire’”, by Abe Ikuo, Professor, University of Tsukuba, Delivered at international conference entitled, “Remember the Glory Days of the Nation: Sport as *lieu de mémoire* in Japan”, Brussels, Belgium, March 18-20, 2009

Translated **Journal Article**: *Nihongo bogo washa ga nihongo de eigo bunshō wo kentō suru session no yuukōsei*, (“Effectiveness of Tutoring English Writing in Japanese: NNS Tutors Helping NNS Writers at Waseda SILS Writing Center”) by Sadoshima Saori, Shimura Mika and Ota Yuko, *Waseda Global Forum*, 2008, No. 5.

POPULAR PUBLICATIONS AND PUBLIC OUTREACH

Wrote, Directed and Narrated **Video Message**: “How Northern Californians are helping the Victims of the Great Northeastern Japan Earthquake”, Uploaded April 12, 2011, Viewable Online @ <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4lBrYI55LDo>

Co-authored **Op-ed**: “How You Can Help Japan, and Why You Should” (with Erin B. Sedloff) *Stanford Daily*

March 28, 2011 Available @ <http://www.stanforddaily.com/2011/03/28/op-ed-how-you-can-help-japan-and-why-you-should/>

Single-authored **Magazine Essay**: “The Slow Train to Snow Country” *Kansai Time Out*, February, 2009

Single-authored **Magazine Essay**: “Japan Abroad: In Windy Wellington” *Eye-Ai*, April, 2005

Single-authored **Magazine Essay**: “China and the Environment” *Kansai Time Out*, November, 2004

Single-authored **Magazine Essay**: “Kōshien: The Japanese Boy’s Dream” *Eye-Ai*, June, 2004

Single-authored **Magazine Essay**: “Kodo: The Children of the Drum” *Eye-Ai*, February, 2004

Single-authored **Magazine Essay**: “Onsen of Southern Ehime” *Kansai Time Out*, December, 2003

PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS

Invited Lecture: “For mettle or money: Conflicting goals of big-time college sports in the US”, Delivered at the “Hakubi Cosmology” Symposium, Kyoto University Shiran Kaikan, April 12, 2012.

Invited Panelist/Lecture: “Taibatsu: From educational solution to social problem to marginalized non-issue,” Panel: “A sociology of youth problems in Japan,” European Association of Japanese Studies (EAJS), Triennial International Conference, Presentation entitled, “Taibatsu”, Tallinn, Estonia, August 23-28, 2011

Invited Panelist/Lecture: “The interface of formal and non-formal education III (university sports clubs and the corporate sector)”, Japan Studies Association of Australia (JSAA), Annual Conference, Presentation entitled, “Exploring educational continuities in Japanese sports and corporate Japan” (delivered on my behalf by Professor Kaori Okano), Melbourne, Australia, July 1-3, 2011

Invited Lecture: “A comparison of Japanese and American sports: Coaching philosophy, discipline and character development,” Lecture delivered in both English and Japanese, Kobe University, Faculty of Law, April 27, 2011

19th Hakubi Seminar (In Japanese): “On the role of longterm fieldwork in social science research” (with Dr. Nathan Badenoch), Kyoto University, April 26, 2011

Invited Panelist/Lecture: “Sports and education in Japanese sports”, Presentation entitled, “Disciplining youth: A symbolic anthropologist’s interpretation of corporal punishment in Japanese schools and sports”, Association of Asian Studies, Annual Conference, Honolulu, Hawaii, March 30-April 3, 2011

Visiting Scholar Colloquium: “Character development in schools and sports: What Americans can learn from Japan”, Stanford University, Center on Adolescence, Stanford, California, January 12, 2011

12th Hakubi Seminar (In Japanese): “*Ni kōchi monogatari: nichibei basukettobōru kōchi no kōchingu ryūiten to seidoteki na sōiten*”, (A tale of two coaches: The institutional differences and coaching similarities of American and Japanese basketball coaches), Yakushima, Japan November 13, 2010

Invited Presenter: “From spirit to science: Measuring social and cultural change in Japanese sports coaching”, International Workshop on Modern Sports in Asia: Cultural Perspectives, National University of Singapore (Asia Research Institute), April 29-30th, 2010

Keynote Address: “From spirit to science: Social change in Japanese sports and society”, Dynamics & Design Conference, Hokkaido University, August 4th, 2009

Invited Lecture: “Japanese basketball coaching: Past, present and future”, Hitotsubashi University, Department of Education, Tokyo, July 29, 2009

Invited Participant: Global Network of Research Training in Japanese Studies, Funded three-day workshop established to build international/global networks among young social scientists specializing in the study of modern Japan, Sheffield, UK, March 21-25, 2009

Conference Presentation: “Samurai or science: pedagogy, practice and training of sports coaches in Japan”, Japan Educational Research Association (JERA), Kyoto University, August 29-30, 2008

Conference Presentation: “Sports coaching in Japan: Notes from ongoing fieldwork at a sports science department”, International Sociology of Sport Association (ISSA), Kyoto University, July 28-31, 2008

Graduate Seminar (In Japanese): “*Kōchi yōsei no minzokushiteki kenkyū: kantōken no shiritsu daigaku supōtsu-kei gakubu de no sanyō kansatsu kara*” (Ethnographic research on coach training: Notes from

participant-observation fieldwork at a private sports science department in the Kanto region of Japan), Tokyo University, Department of Education, Tokyo July 14, 2008

Conference Presentation (In Japanese): “*Supōtsu wo oshieru hito wo yōsei suru: supōtsu kagakubu wo sanyō kansatsu fiirudōwaaku kara no minzokuteki dōsatsu*” (Training teachers of sport: Ethnographic insights from participant-observation based fieldwork of a sports science department), Japanese Society of Cultural Anthropology (JASCA), Kyoto University, May 31-June 1, 2008

Invited Guest Lecture: “Samurai or science: two models of coaching and sports education in contemporary Japan”, International Christian University, Tokyo, May 19, 2008

Conference Presentation: “Training sports teachers: amateur sports coaching pedagogy, practice and training in Japan”, Comparative and International Education Society (CIES), Columbia University, New York, March 17-21, 2008

Conference Presentation: “Legal vs. Cultural Authority: The *tatema* and *honne* of corporal punishment on high school baseball teams”, Anthropology of Japan in Japan (AJJ), Tokyo, November 17-18, 2007

Conference Presentation: “*Taibatsu*: A critical study of corporal punishment as educational tool on high school baseball teams”, XIII World Congress of Comparative Education Societies (WCCES), Sarajevo, Bosnia, Sept. 1-7, 2007

Graduate Seminar (In Japanese): “*Ai no muchi to shingen: Amerika, Ijirisu, Nihon de no taibatsu wo seitōka suru koe*” (The whip of love and the Proverbs: Justifications for corporal punishment in America, England and Japan), Tokyo University, Department of Education, Tokyo, June 15, 2007

AWARDS, GRANTS AND RESEARCH FUNDING

Research Funding: Kyoto University (Hakubi Project), Heisei 24 (2012 Academic Year) (¥1,400,000)

Research Funding: Kyoto University (Hakubi Project), Heisei 23 (2011 Academic Year) (¥1,400,000)

Speaking Honorarium: International Workshop on Modern Sports in Asia: Cultural Perspectives, National University of Singapore, April 29-30th, 2010 (SGD 1,000)

Research Funding: Kyoto University (Hakubi Project), Heisei 22 (2010 Academic Year) (¥2,500,000)

Speaking Honorarium: Dynamics & Design Conference, Hokkaido University (¥120,000)

John Crump Ph.D. Dissertation Writing Grant: British Association of Japanese Studies, 2009, (£2,500)

Ministry of Education, Sports, Science and Technology Research Student Fellowship: University of Tokyo, 2007-2009 (¥4,080,000)

Invited Participant: New Scholars Workshop, Comparative and International Education Society, 2008

Winner, Hayase Moriyama Saito Prize: Excellence in Japanese, Stanford Inter-University Center, 2007

Winner, Ivan Morris Memorial Prize: Best Japanese Studies Essay in a UK University, Oxford University, 2007 (£150)

Funding for Advanced Study of Japanese: U.S. Department of Education and Sato Foundation, 2006-2007 (\$15,000)

Captain and Starting Point Guard: Oxford University Men's Basketball Team, 2005-2006

Winner, Rosalind M. Alcott Essay Scholarship Contest: University of California, Los Angeles, First Prize, 2001 (\$250)

Starting Forward: London School of Economics Men's Basketball Team, 2000-2001, (Team Placed 2nd in British University Sports Association's National Basketball Championships)

Sportsmanship/Scholar Athlete Awards: London School of Economics, 2001, Las Lomas High School, 1997-98

Class Vice President and Graduation Salutatorian: Las Lomas High School, 1998

Captain of Freshman, Junior Varsity, and Varsity Football (QB) and Basketball (Forward) Teams: Las Lomas High School, 1994-98