

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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2014–2016 M.S. course, Department of Material Chemistry, Graduate School of Engineering,  
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## Research and Professional Experience

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2019–2020 Postdoctoral Fellow  
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2017–2019 JSPS Research Fellow  
2017, Jul.–Sep. Visiting Scholar at University of California, Berkeley  
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2015, Sep.–Nov. BASF International Internship (Ludwigshafen, Germany)

## Awards

2019 The 99th Annual Meeting of the Chemical Society of Japan Presentation Award  
2018 The 9th Otsu Academy Award Fellow (No. 144)  
2018 The 48th Congress of Heterocyclic Chemistry Heterocycles Award

## List of Publications (2023/11/09 updated)

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9. Akira Matsumoto, Bich-Ngoc Nguyen, Tsubasa Honda, Ryu Sakamoto, Xiao Huang, Shigeyoshi Sakaki, Keiji Maruoka. “Deacylative Carbon–Carbon Bond Cleavage of Ketone Equivalents: Applications to Radical Carbon–Carbon Bond Formation Reactions”, *Chem.–Asian J.* **2021**, *16*, 282–286.
10. Zhe Wang, Akira Matsumoto, Keiji Maruoka. “Efficient cleavage of tertiary amide bonds via radical–polar crossover using a copper(II) bromide/Selectfluor hybrid system”, *Chem. Sci.* **2020**, *11*, 12323–12328.
11. Shunya Sakurai, Akira Matsumoto, Taichi Kano, Keiji Maruoka. “Cu-Catalyzed Enantioselective Alkylarylation of Vinylarenes Enabled by Chiral Binaphthyl–BOX Hybrid Ligands”, *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **2020**, *142*, 19017–19022.  
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