

A brief biography (CV) of Dr. Masayuki Ohkado

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University Education

BA in English Studies, Department of English, Osaka University of Foreign Studies, 31st
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MA in English Linguistics, Department of Literature, Nagoya University, 31st March
1988

PhD in Liberal Arts (Liberalium Artium), University of Amsterdam, 5th September 2005

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April 2011-present: Professor in Department of Language and Cultures in Graduate
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Previous Academic Posts

April 1989-September 1996: Lecturer in Department of Education, Osaka Kyoiku University

September 1991-August 1992: Visiting Scholar, Department of Linguistics, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

July 1994-September 1994: Visiting scholar, Department of English Linguistics, University of Amsterdam

October 1996-March 1998: Associate professor in Language Center, Chubu University

April 1998-March 2005: Associate professor in Department of Humanities, Chubu University.

April 2005-March 2009: Professor in Department of Humanities, Chubu University

April 2009-March 2011: Professor in Department of International Relations, Chubu University

March 2012-present: Visiting Professor, Division of Perceptual Studies, University of Virginia

Professional Service (Relevant to research on the survival of human consciousness only)

April 2009-March 2010: Director, International Society of Life Information Science

April 2010-March 2020: Managing Director, International Society of Life Information Science

April 2010-March 2020: Editorial Board, International Society of Life Information Science

April 2012-present: Director, Society for Mind-Body Science

Publications (Relevant to research on the survival of human consciousness only)

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- Ikegawa, Akira and Masayuki Ohkado (2015a) *We Can Be Reborn*. Tokyo: Poplar Publishing.
- Ohkado, Masayuki (2015b) *Why Are People Born and Why Do They Die?* Tokyo: Takarajima.
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- Ohkado, Masayuki (2014a) "Facial Features of Burmese with Past-Life Memories as Japanese Soldiers," *Journal of Scientific Exploration* 28(4), 597-603.

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- Ohkado, Masayuki and Bruce Greyson (2014c) "A Comparative Analysis of Japanese and Western NDEs," *Journal of Near-Death Studies* 32(4), 187-198.
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Award (Relevant to research on the survival of consciousness only)

24th November 2012, Yuasa Prize (Promotion Prize) for the 2011 book above, by the Society for Mind-Body Science.

31st March 2010, Promotion Prize, Prize of the International Society of Life Information Science.

1st July 2019, Excellent Paper Prize, Prize of the International Society of Life Information Science.