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Game Theory and International Relations

Chair: **Assoc. Prof. Toshinori TANAKA** (Research Promotion Coordinator of Q-AOS)**Key Words**

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Prisoner's Dilemma

Stag Hunt Game

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Born in Seoul, South Korea. I received my B.A. in political science and diplomacy from Inha University, College of Social Sciences, South Korea, with a second degree in 2005. And I completed my M.A. at the same university. Subsequently, I became an assistant professor at the National Open University and a researcher at the Institute of International Relations. During my undergraduate years, I participated in a program of visiting Japan sponsored by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan and Korea. In 2010, I came to Japan for further study. In 2018, I received my Ph.D. (Law) from the Graduate School of Law, Kyushu University. I became an assistant professor at the university's Faculty of Law in 2017 and a cooperative researcher from 2019 to now. From 2022, I became an Academic Research Fellow at Kyushu University Institute for Asian and Oceanian Studies. My research topics include U.S. diplomacy and U.S.-Japan relations, as well as international relations theory, particularly working with international relations theory to analyze state relations.

There are several perspectives on understanding the phenomena of the international relations. Realism and liberalism are typical analytical perspectives. Realism focuses on the anarchic nature of international society and attempts to understand international relations based on human self-interest and the power of nations. Liberalism, on the other hand, emphasizes cooperation among nations and tries to understand international society in terms of the interests of humanity as a whole and cooperation among nations. These perspectives are closely related to game theory. In my lecture, I will introduce game theory and discuss some current international issues.