



Open Workshop 2024

Moving beyond the gaps: Expanding our mental models for research problems

研究の動機付け：研究問題に対するメンタルモデルを拡張

It is not controversial to say that a research project starts by addressing a problem and formulating a research question. Conventionally, the research problem, or the initial observation inspiring the research question, is traditionally understood as ‘a gap in the research which needs to be filled’. Essentially, the problem is commonly framed in terms of ‘a lack of research’ in the area. While this is true in some cases, there are other ways in which the research problem can be conceptualized. This workshop, therefore, presents a more nuanced characterization of research problems and argues for a broad view beyond the traditional research as gap-filler model. Taking a more holistic view of research problems can be beneficial to both educators and their students at any stage of their research.

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Date **November 14, 2024 (Thursday)**

Time **16:30 - 18:00**

Place **Room 109** (Humanities Common Facility Building)
(人文学共用館)

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Open to all!

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