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OVERVIEW OF RESEARCH ACTIVITIES

ARCHITECTURAL PLANNING/ CITY PLANNING

Kenji TAKEMIYA

1. Study on Care and Support Environment for Severe Disabilities

This study aims to clarify the characteristics and architectural planning of facilities for severely deformed child. This year some remarkable results were got as follows:

1) Actual usage of the facilities for orthopedically-impaired children in transition to new system.

2) Spatial configuration and facility management of short-term stay facilities for severe disabilities.

3) We made the survey of outpatient day room in day care facility for severely disabled children, and we discussed on the care environment configuration in the day room.

2. Residential Care System and Milieu for the Elderly

This study aims at improving the quality of living environment for the elderly. This year, some remarkable results were got as follows:

1) The facility planning and management of small scale multifunctional care facilities.

2) Analysis of space utilization for terminal and bereavement care in nursing care facilities and rented accommodations.

3. Study on Regional Comprehensive Care Ward

We conducted a questionnaire survey to understand the development status of the Regional Comprehensive care ward in Japan, and derived the knowledge of a new ward plan from the Survey of pioneering regional comprehensive care ward.

4. Study on Architectural Planning of Kindergarten

We conducted actual usage survey of kindergarten that have distinctive building and garden, and organized the knowledge for architectural planning.

These studies are to be published in Summaries of Technical Papers of Annual Meeting, A.I.J.

Tohru YOSHIKAWA

1. Development of Methods for Analyzing Network of Community Facilities

Tohru YOSHIKAWA, Tatsuya SUZUKI (JSPS) and Ryo SANUKI

In Japan, reconstruction of community facilities network is demanded by social informatization, aging and maturation. To provide theoretical models and examples of the reconstruction planning, convenience of community facilities and their most suitable placement were analyzed. During this year, the results of the analysis on relationship between the accessibility to regional facilities, especially food facilities, and population distribution were summarized.

2. Development of the evaluation method for the existing building stock on the basis of location

Tohru YOSHIKAWA

It is the problem important to our country, which is leaving for the low birthrate and aging society, to utilize a large quantity of buildings accumulated after the war as effective social property. To this end, methods easy to use for evaluating the existing building stock easily would be effective. Therefore, this study aimed at the development of the

method to evaluate existing stock buildings based on the location. In this year, the characteristics of consumer surplus and numbers of visitors as evaluation indexes of social benefit for facilities with distance decay of utilization ratio were theoretically analyzed.

Masumi MATSUMOTO

1. Studies on Sustainable Living of Elderly People in their Local Communities

Masumi MATSUMOTO

This series of studies aims to research on the living environment of elderly people who continue to live in the same community, and to research and develop supporting systems for such people.

1) Research using sensors to monitor elderly people's behaviors in their homes.

2) Research on community salons and support for senior citizen.

3) Research on various community activities for elderly people and their relationship with the professionals working in community comprehensive care centers.

2. Studies on Regeneration and Revitalization of New Towns

Masumi MATSUMOTO

Tama New Town is the largest new town developed over 40 years ago in Japan. This series of studies aims to research and develop the methods for regeneration and revitalization of living environment of new towns, mainly exemplified by Tama New Town.

1) Research on housing conditions and lifestyles in Kaitori - Toyogaoka District of Tama New Town.

2) Research on neighboring commercial areas of Tama New Town.

3) Studies on governing body of an old condominium apartment.

4) Studies on community activities initiated by women residing in Tama New Town.

(3) Studies on the Positioning of Interior Design in Housing Design Processes Masumi MATSUMOTO

Conducted hearings to architects on the design making processes relating to housing designs.

ARCHITECTURAL DESIGN AND HISTORY

Masao KOIZUMI

1. Research on Accessibility of Urban and Architectural Space Masao KOIZUMI

The First Stage of the Research is to analyze the Relationship between Housing and the City. This Research will be generalized into an Analysis of Relation between Architecture and Urban City.

These Researches will cover Areas such as; Type of Connection and Distance between Housing and the City, an Arrangement of Territories, Strength of the Boundary between Different Territories, etc. These Basic analyses will be developed into Research and Practice of a Design Method concerning Accessibility in an Urban Scale.

2. Research on Housing Transformation Reflecting the Change of Family Masao KOIZUMI

Today a Family Style has transformed because of an Increase of Divorce and the rapid Progress of the Aging Society. But still most of the Houses are planned for so called "Nuclear Family".

The Goal of this Research is to develop a Planning Method for Housings and propose a new Typology, through the Analysis of Contemporary Japanese Family and their Life Style. Collective Housing will be a main Target for this Theme.

Katsuhiro KOBAYASHI and Akira KINOSHITA

1. Analyses on Composition of Modern and Contemporary Architecture

Katsuhiro KOBAYASHI, Akira KINOSHITA

One of the main purposes of architectural design research is to clarify morphological principles that give birth to architectural beauty. For this purpose, it is important and effective to abstract compositional principles and compositional methods from existing architectural works and to examine the design principles. In the academic year of 2015, designs of resent high-rise buildings, domestic works of Alva Aalto and unbuilt projects of deconstructivist architects were analyzed. Research on resent high-rise buildings was published as a book titled "Skyscrapers-Challenges of High-rise Buildings in the World" in Aug. 2015.

2. Development of Architectural Design Method

Katsuhiro KOBAYASHI, Akira KINOSHITA

In architectural design research, it is also important to apply design principles and compositional methods abstracted by analyses to actual architectural design works. Thereby theory and practice, in other words, basic research and high-level application would be synthesized. In the academic year of 2015, relations between theory and design practice were pursued through three design works of our master program students.

3. Research on Design of Architectural Conversion

Katsuhiro KOBAYASHI, Akira KINOSHITA

It is becoming one of the crucial social subjects in the architectural field of Japan to find out various methods to revitalize the existing building stocks. Among these methods, architectural conversion is very useful and important. For these several years, we have made research survey on architectural conversion abroad. In the academic year of 2015, we published research results of the previous year in Summaries of Technical Papers of Annual Meeting, A.I.J. and made investigations on converted buildings in Italy (Venice, Milano, Torino, Roma and Florence for two weeks, from Sept to Oct.), India (Delhi, Jaipur and Mumbai for ten days, from Oct. to Nov.), and New York (Oct. to Nov.).

4. Study on English Baroque Architecture

Akira KINOSHITA

The perception of landscape or scenery is recognized as more important factor in the phase of urban development today. Whereas to perceive the design of architecture with the relation to its surrounding environment is more valued than the physical features of the building. In this research, the texts written by Sir John Vanbrugh, a 18th century British architect and dramatist, who implicitly expressed the concepts of landscape architecture in the early era. Sir John Vanbrugh had been famous comedy dramatist before he started his career as an architect. Here in this study we focused on the plots of the play, "Journey to London", the last work of Vanbrugh. In the play, the causes of laughter are generated by the variety of gaps between countryside and the city, such as; sophistication and vulgarity, corruption and naivety. Such structure of the play suggests that in the concept of the landscape beauty underlies the perception of countryside from the urban citizens' point of view. In the course of the study how the concept of landscape was evolved is examined comparing it to the enormously inflating city of London, absorbing massive amount of people from the countryside, as the background.

Yukimasa YAMADA

1. Studies on the Architectural History of Catholic Churches in the Northern Vietnam

Yukimasa YAMADA

Christianity in Vietnam, since its introduction early in the sixteenth century, has been evolving and expanding to an indigenous culture among the society, convention and thoughts different from European countries. We are focusing attention on three Catholic dioceses that have been played most important rolls in the history and culture of Christianity in the Northern Vietnam, Bui-Chu diocese, Thai-Binh diocese and Phat-Diem diocese. Collaborating with the liaison section of each diocese, we attempt to conduct surveys and analysis of existing historical churches, supported by JSPS KAKENHI Grand-in-Aid for Scientific Research (A). In this fiscal year, we tried to focus on non-wooden churches in Phat-Diem diocese, and also discussed their architectural characteristics like planning and façade design, based on the field survey in August 2014. And we submitted some papers to ICOMOS Thailand International Conference 2015 (CIAV+ICTC 2015), Bangkok, Thailand, and the annual meeting 2015 of A.I.J.

2. Studies on Conservation and Utilization of Historical Buildings in Japan

Yukimasa YAMADA

The trends in conservation and utilization of historical buildings under the law for the protection of cultural properties are changing recently with establishing the registration system for cultural properties in 1996 and the landscape law in 2004. In this fiscal year, based upon a nationwide questionnaire survey, we tried to make an analysis on the level of understanding and prevailing of the registration system for cultural properties and we reported it at the annual meeting 2015 of A.I.J.

3. Studies on Historic Architecture and Urbanism in the Islamic World

Yukimasa YAMADA

Although numbers of the historic architecture in the Islamic world have their own peculiar features in the architectural techniques and designs, their nature has not yet been understood adequately in Japan, nor has their urbanism as their agglomeration. In a series of our successive studies on the architectural history and urbanism in Islam, we discussed the historical background and changes regarding mosques management system in China, this fiscal year.

CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT AND BUILDING MATERIALS

Yoshinori KITSUTAKA and Koichi MATSUZAWA

1. Effects of Heating and Carbonation on Fracture Properties of Concrete

Yoshinori KITSUTAKA and Koichi MATSUZAWA

With a focus on the strength and durability of concrete subjected to a combined effect of heating and carbonation, the authors investigated its crack resistance by conducting fracture toughness tests on mortar specimens. Followings are conclusions, (1)The strength of specimens cured at 20°C is higher than that of specimens at an age of 4 weeks, but the strength development tends to be constrained by carbonation.(2)The strength of specimens cured at 65°C is lower than that of specimens at 4 weeks, but significantly becomes higher after carbonation.(3)The strength of 20°C-cured specimens may be increased by carbonation at later ages.(4)The softening rate of specimens with increased strength tends to be high. For this reason, their fracture energy remains low despite their high flexural strength and initial cohesive stress.

2. Concrete Carbonation Protection Performance of Finishing Materials Containing Calcic Powder

Yoshinori KITSUTAKA and Koichi MATSUZAWA

Slaked lime powder binds to CO_2 in the atmosphere to form calcium carbonate, contributing to further hardening. This process can reduce the amount of CO_2 that acts on concrete. In other words, the presence of slaked lime on the surfaces causes sacrificial carbonation, thereby inhibiting carbonation of internal concrete. This study is intended to elucidate the carbonation-inhibiting effect of finishing materials containing slaked lime powder. A finishing coat on mortar has a carbonation-inhibiting effect in comparison with no coating. The carbonation-inhibiting effect of slaked lime is not clearly observed when added to cement paste as a coating material with a low permeability, but which can be obtained by adding an appropriate amount of slaked lime to a thin-painting finish coating material with a high permeability.

3. Influence of Coarse Aggregate Types on Fracture Properties of Concrete Subjected to High Temperature Heating Koichi MATSUZAWA and Yoshinori KITSUTAKA

In this research, the influence of coarse aggregate types on the fracture properties of concrete subjected to high temperatures up to 800°C was reported. The fracture properties were evaluated based on tension-softening curves which were determined by polylinear approximation through inverse analysis. The follow conclusions were found: The initial cohesive stress of concrete containing sandstone, granodiorite, and chert slightly increased, while those of limestone slightly decreased at 100°C, and at higher temperatures, the initial cohesive stress of all specimens decreased. The fracture energy of all specimens increased up to a heating temperature of 300°C but then tended to decrease.

Makoto TSUNODA

1. Studies on Activation Technique of Public Building Stock Makoto TSUNODA

In Japan, demolition and new construction based on declining in the durability and increased availability of buildings continues to be practiced. This practice is unfavorable from the viewpoint of utilization of the existing building stock. Activation technique is necessary for leading preservation and improvement of the public property.

In this year, from the arranging of investigation stage of the individual facility maintenance by the unification of facilities' information that dispersed in the local government, we built the examination method of maintenance based on a quantitative index. At first, we clarified concrete examination content in the planning stage of single project from comparison of the information item such as quality and function of facilities. In addition, about comparison items, we made the evaluation standard using objective index.

2. Organization of Subcontractor for Stock Housing Makoto TSUNODA

Contents of improvement, such as reform, were diversified in requirement of residents. Therefore, the details of construction and its cost were complicated. As regards realization stock-based societies, the productive organization of effective utilization for stock housing, especially contribute to residential requirement were in urgent need. And it was necessary to creating the local housing construction network owing to sustainable improvement.

In this year, we paid attention to the improvement of water section of detached house, we clarified that the necessary occupation varying according to difference in repair works, and the occupation to take the initiative by repair contents. In addition, we considered the possibility of multi-skilled worker who carried out plural activities across construction contents. Furthermore, we arranged construction contents in the repair work of the existing house and grasped a workflow and the problems every occupation to affect it. and clarified policy for efficiency of construction process.

3. Research on How to Configure the Renovation Construction Methods Corresponding to the Building Stock Makoto TSUNODA

Although we were supported by using the formulas of the various construction system for performance was required in new construction, there is a completely different conditions in terms of new construction and renovation that are present in a pre-existing condition. And that the work of the components to the contents of the construction methods in new construction is not seen to reflect. Therefore, there is some relationship between the role of members in the construction methods and improved performance as a result of each repair. In the renovation, it is considered that the contents of the construction system are particularly reflected in the constituent members to direct.

In this year, we focused on construction performance in building system of exterior wall on the wooden detached house and showed the way of required improvement building system in future. We grasped diagnosis part and diagnosis contents of external wall in existing house and clarified adjustment contents necessary to attach new external wall materials. Furthermore, we showed construction process from the diagnosis of the existing part to detailed adjustment, and the form that a resident, building materials maker, a builder could participate in as improvement process superior to constructability flexibly was more necessary.

4. Studies on methodology of the building improvement to be compatible with value of property and utility. Makoto TSUNODA

It is not unusual for an available building to be removed for some reason. As a removal reason, completion original performance cannot maintain and use of building changes. There are various things in reproduction technique to resolve these situations. So far to improve the property values when we extend the life of an existing building, maintenance and improvement of various performances and addition of the new performance that does not hold it are required. Similarly, to improve the utility value, physical changes of the building it and the function changes such as the usage of building are required. These two value improvement does not become independent each, and renovation program of the building should be drafted after having considered the trade-off of both. Various renovation techniques are seen in today, but the technique that included plural value improvement to advance building renovation of building are the urgent need.

The result of this year is as follows.

We grasped the actual condition of the interior finishing work that a resident participated in dwelling unit of condominium in China and clarified about "Do it resident's oneself" in the renovation. It is necessary for realization of the resident participation in the interior finishing production of dwelling unit that the content of the operations for each stage

were changed and auxiliary business by an interior finish contractor supplementing the ability of the resident were existed. In addition, the related occupations were complicated, and the possibility that difference in intention occurred, we showed that the communication between contractor and resident and enough explanation were important.

We paid attention to information in the rental apartment house of customized model, and we clarified how possible is the repair by the borrower. We suggested technique to derive repair levels from finish contents and construction degree of difficulty. In addition, the repair menu which we derived to increase the rental houses of the customized model as reporting of the landlords were useful thing.

From field survey of the demolition works with the renovation, we clarified the actual condition of construction and showed the prior examination item which was useful for reduction in labor for demolition. In addition, the partial demolition were effective for reduction in labor and we clarified prior examination items of partial demolishing and made demolition work flow.

Tomoyuki GONDO

1. Conventional House Production System in Asian Countries

Hirotake Kanisawa, Tomoyuki Gondo, Kazuya Shide

In South-East Asian country, we expect active house production. In Vietnam, from the interviews with several architects, construction teams, building parts suppliers, we made clear the building system of conventional RC and brick construction. In Thailand, we focused on the increase of high rise condominiums, and investigated the maintenance system of them.

2. Lack of Skilled Workers and Necessity of Industrialization

Shuichi Matsumura, Hirotake Kanisawa, Tomoyuki Gondo

To deal with the lack of skilled workers, we record several problems in construction site of an industrialized house builder, and propose some improvement plan. In Singapore, the government strongly push forward to industrialize construction to reduce the number of foreign workers. We investigated the contractor's action toward the law in Singapore.

STRUCTURAL ENGINEERING

Kazuhiro KITAYAMA

1. Seismic Performance and Different Limit States for Prestressed Reinforced Concrete Cruciform Beam-Column-Slab Subassemblage Forming Beam Yield Mechanism

KITAYAMA Kazuhiro and JIN Kiwoong

An ultimate objective of this study is to propose estimation method which can evaluate easily deformation capacity at different limit states with good accuracy for prestressed reinforced concrete (PRC) flexural beams, eventually aiming to formulate a performance-based seismic design methodology for PRC buildings.

Actual buildings have both slabs and transverse beams. Therefore, three beam-column-slab subassemblage specimens with transverse beams were tested in 2014 under cyclic load reversals to investigate hysteretic characteristics and the process of damage for PRC beams with slabs. A surface deformation along post-tensioning tendons, i.e., a plain bar or a deformed bar, and a contribution ratio of post-tensioning tendons to ultimate bending capacity for a PRC beam section (hereafter called a PT-ratio) were varied for specimens.

All specimens failed in beam flexure. Lateral force capacity attained to the peak for all specimens at or after yielding of post-tensioning tendons, after beam longitudinal bars yielded in tests. Concrete crushing at beam ends and buckling of longitudinal bars occurred for a beam using post-tensioning plain tendons. Crack patterns in slabs were almost same for subassemblage specimens with plain or deformed beam tendons regardless of poor or good bond along post-tensioning tendons. Following findings were obtained from the study.

(1) Regardless of a PT-ratio and bond conditions along post-tensioning tendons, the effective width of a slab on beam flexural capacity attained to 0.1 times the beam span length, which is provided by the AIJ Standard for Structural Calculation of R/C Structures, before a beam deflection angle of 0.3%, and reached 0.2 times the span length of the beam before lateral force capacity attained to the peak.

(2) When a PT-ratio was set to be approximately 0.4 or 0.8 under top or bottom tension of a T-shaped section respectively, a maximum ratio of a residual deflection to a peak deflection for the beam became greater than 0.5 or less than 0.1 respectively, exhibiting remarkable difference in a residual deflection. Even if slabs are placed to a beam top, damage level, a residual deflection, a residual crack width and equivalent viscous damping ratio for a T-shaped-section beam were almost same under top and bottom tension of the beam, when both PT-ratios are set to be greater than 0.5 under top and bottom tension.

(3) Bond along a deformed post-tensioning tendon, which was good comparing with that along a plain tendon, deteriorated due to strain concentration at a beam critical section before lateral force capacity attained to the peak. Transverse beams enhanced the bond capacity along beam longitudinal bars within a beam-column joint due to those confining effect to a joint panel.

(4) A residual deflection and a residual crack width of a PRC beam grew large with good bond along tendons and longitudinal bars when post-tensioning tendons yielded prior to beam longitudinal bars. The greater a PT-ratio was set to be, the more remarkably this tendency was observed.

(5) A residual deflection, a residual crack width and equivalent viscous damping ratio for a PRC beam predicted by "Guidelines for Structural Design and Construction of Prestressed Concrete Buildings Based on Performance Evaluation Concept (Draft) " agreed approximately with test results. However, more studies are needed to improve the accuracy.

(6) A point on a skeleton curve in force-deflection relationship for a PRC beam corresponding to a first restorable limit state determined by elastic limitation or yielding of post-tensioning tendons coincided almost with a point where abrupt decline of a stiffness occurred. Points corresponding to a second restorable or safety limit state determined by core concrete crushing coincided almost with a point where load-carrying capacity decreased. A safety limit state for a T-shaped-section beam under top tension was attained due to concrete crushing at a bottom of the beam end.

2. Seismic Performance and Ultimate Flexural Capacity Evaluation Based on 3D Joint-Hinging Failure Model For R/C Corner Column-Beam Joint Subjected to Tri-Directional Loading

KITAYAMA Kazuhiro

Static loading tests to two reinforced concrete (R/C) three-dimensional (3D) corner column-beam subassemblage specimens were carried out by Katae and Kitayama (2014) to investigate the effect of column compressive axial load on failure mechanics of joint-hinging proposed by Shiohara at the University of Tokyo. The Shiohara's proposal pointed out that failure mode of a R/C beam-column-joint frame depends greatly on the ratio of an ultimate flexural capacity of a column section to that of a beam section at a center of a beam-column joint (called a column-to-beam capacity ratio hereafter) and joint-hinging failure tends to develop when a column-to-beam capacity ratio is close to unity. Note that a column-to-beam capacity ratio can be varied by changing not only the magnitude of column axial load but also the amount of column longitudinal reinforcement.

Therefore three 3D corner column-beam subassemblage specimens (two without slabs and one with a slab having a thickness of 70 mm) were tested in 2014 under bi-lateral loading and constant column axial load where a column-to-beam capacity ratio of 1.5 and 2.6 was set by placing column longitudinal reinforcement of 8-D16 (SD295A) and 8-D19 (SD490) respectively. Column section was reduced to a depth of 300 mm from 350 mm for specimens in 2014. Beam longitudinal reinforcement was mechanically anchored by an end plate within joint concrete with a horizontally projected length of 255 mm corresponding to 0.85 times the column depth. Concrete compressive strength ranged from 75 to 78 N/mm2. All 3D corner column-beam subassemblage specimens with/without slabs failed in joint-hinging with an increase in story drift.

It is revealed by Katae and Kitayama (2014) that the ultimate flexural capacity of corner column-beam joints under bi-lateral loading can be estimated based on the new mechanism of joint-hinging by assuming that the orbit on the rectangular coordinates plane defined by joint-hinging capacities in both directions orthogonal to each other traces an ellipse curve under bi-lateral loading. Three-dimensional (3D) failure surfaces and stress flow conditions in a corner column-beam joint subjected to bi-lateral loading, however, are not clarified yet. Then a 3D joint-hinging failure model was constructed for a corner column-beam joint based on test results referring to a plane joint-hinging failure model proposed by Kusuhara and Shiohara. A quick evaluation method for the ultimate joint-hinging capacity was proposed based on the 3D failure model in a corner column-beam joint under bi-lateral loading.

General conclusions are drawn from the study as follows.

(1) When a column-to-beam capacity ratio increased from 1.5 to 2.6, the ultimate joint-hinging capacity computed as a resultant force of two orthogonal story shear forces under bi-lateral loading increased to 1.19 times by large amount of column longitudinal reinforcement. This indicates that the ultimate joint-hinging capacity was enhanced by the increase in a column-to-beam capacity ratio due to increasing the amount of column longitudinal reinforcement.

(2) When a column-to-beam capacity ratio was changed from 1.5 to 2.6 by the increase in the column compressive axial load in past tests or the amount of column longitudinal reinforcement in this tests, the column compressive axial load had a greater influence on enhancement of the ultimate joint-hinging capacity under bi-lateral loading than the amount of column longitudinal reinforcement.

(3) A slab contributed to enhancing the ultimate joint-hinging capacity by 1.07 times that without a slab for 3D corner column-beam subassemblages with a column-to-beam capacity ratio of 1.5, failing in joint-hinging. Torsional moment at the end of a transverse beam caused by tensile force of slab reinforcing bars in the longitudinal direction, whose rotating direction is counter to that of upper and lower columns, is carried to a beam-column joint and restrains rotation of the upper and lower columns. This is the reason for enhancement of the ultimate joint-hinging capacity due to a slab.

(4) Proposed method based on 3D failure model herein can adequately evaluate the ultimate joint-hinging capacity of a corner column-beam joint under bi-lateral loading since there is a discrepancy within 10 % between predicted ultimate

3. Evaluation of Ultimate Flexural Strength and Deformation for Beams in Unbonded Precast Prestressed Concrete Cruciform Unit Frame

KITAYAMA Kazuhiro and JIN Kiwoong

In the precast prestressed concrete frame assembled by post-tensioning unbonded tendons with ungrouted sheaths, called an unbonded PCaPC frame, the beam rotates against the column face as a rigid body, causing remarkable opening at a connecting interface between a precast concrete column and a beam with scarce residual deformation. This can be achieved by the post-tensioning unbonded tendon, since its tensile strain is kept constant over the whole length. The unbonded PCaPC frame is designed as a strong column-weak beam system, so an accurate and simplified evaluation method for the ultimate flexural strength and deformation of the beam is necessary to mitigate earthquake damage. Attempts to estimate these values were carried out in previous studies. However, most studies dealt with an isolated beam removed from a moment-resisting frame, which cannot well reflect the precise seismic behavior of actual frames. In addition, they also requires a complicated mathematical calculation.

In this study, therefore, a macro-model, which can reproduce the flexural behavior of the cruciform unbonded PCaPC subassemblage, is proposed to evaluate the ultimate flexural strength and deflection of the beam, whose unbonded tendons are placed symmetrically at the top and the bottom in the beam section. An accurate and simplified estimation method for the ultimate flexural strength and deflection is then proposed based on the macro-model. These values predicted by the method are finally compared with previous experimental results to verify its validity. The proposed macro-model and general findings taken from this study can be summarized as follows.

(1) In the macro-model, after an opening occurs at the beam-column interface due to bending moment, the beam rotates as a rigid body. Beam axial deformation resulting from compressive strain, which develops at the extreme compression fiber along the entire length of the beam, is supposed to concentrate on the beam end. Concrete on the compressive side of a beam is shortened at a tendon position, and the opening at the beam-column interface contributes primarily to elongation of the beam at a tendon position on the tensile side.

(2) The evaluation formula for the ultimate flexural strength and deflection of a beam was proposed based on the plane section assumption at the beam end and the following conditions; the sum of axial deformation attributed to both the concrete shortening and the opening distance at the beam-column interface at the tendon position in a cruciform subassemblage is equal to the total elongation of the tendon, and the tensile and compressive resultant force in a beam section is the same.

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6. Analysis of Two Reinforced Concrete Buildings with Different Earthquake Damage Level Regardless of Having Similar Seismic Capacity Indices

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A reinforced concrete (R/C) four-story class-room building in the H elementary school, which is located on the Hoshakuji-plateau at an eastern suburb area of Utsunomiya City in Tochigi prefecture, suffered moderate damage by the 2011 East Japan Earthquake. A Minimum value among the seismic capacity indices Is for the building was 0.55 at the second story, which were less than 0.7 for the first to third stories. Damage by the 2011 Earthquake to another R/C four-story class-room building in the T elementary school which is only 3.9 km away from the H school, on the other hand, remained quite slight although a minimum value of 0.51 among the seismic capacity indices Is was almost same as that for the H school building.

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(4) Earthquake response analyses to three-dimensional frame models were carried out using acceleration time-histories obtained as mentioned above. Peak story drift angle in the second story reached the greatest value of 0.25 % among stories

for the H school building, corresponding to actual damage concentration on the second story. C-4 columns in the first to third stories and C-5 columns in the first and second stories failed in shear also for the analysis as same as actual damage to the columns. Results of the analysis agreed approximately with actual damage conditions for the H school building. On the other hand, though cracks developed in columns and walls in the analysis to the T school building, a beam failure mechanism was formed finally. Judging from the seismic performance evaluation due to the third level procedure and the earthquake response analysis to 3D frames, flexural yielding at beam ends in the T school building is a principal cause of slight damage to columns and walls by the 2011 Tohoku Earthquake.

7. Interaction between Seismic Retrofit and Damage to Piles for Reinforced Concrete Buildings

- Study Using Coupled System among Soil, Piles and Superstructure -

KITAYAMA Kazuhiro

Several reinforced concrete (R/C) buildings suffered damage under the 2011 East Japan Earthquake though seismic retrofit to those buildings was already carried out. Among them, there were R/C buildings which suffered not only minor or moderate damage to the superstructure, but also severe damage to the pile foundation.

A number of seismically retrofitted buildings whose foundation suffered minor or more damage was approximately one-quarter the total number of seismically retrofitted buildings, judging from field reconnaissance conducted by the Architectural Institute of Japan. This ratio was more than twice the damage ratio of non-retrofitted buildings whose foundation suffered minor or more damage. This was probably caused by the enhancement of lateral load carrying capacity of the superstructure due to seismic retrofit, leading to concentration of excessive stress to the pile foundation. Such seismic retrofit to the superstructure of R/C buildings tended to intensify damage to the pile foundation under earthquake excitation.

Therefore, earthquake response analyses were carried out using a coupled system among soil, piles and the superstructure to investigate the interaction between seismic retrofit and damage to the pile foundation for R/C buildings. A reinforced concrete three-story school building in Ichikai Town was chosen as an object of the analysis, which suffered moderate damage to the superstructure and severe damage to the pile foundation during the 2011 East Japan Earthquake regardless of seismic retrofit by means of steel-braced frames and eventually was demolished. Seismic performance of the superstructure of the building was already studied by Ishiki and Kitayama using earthquake response analyses to both a multi-degree-of-freedom system and a three-dimensional frame model.

For the analyses to an original building without retrofit and the building retrofitted by steel-braced frames, the Penzien type model was used. Masses of each floor in the superstructure and some segments divided arbitrarily along a pile length were lumped at the floor levels and the each point along the pile length respectively. A tri-linear model was used for an envelope curve in lateral force – drift relationship at each story, and an origin-oriented model or the Takeda model was chosen as hysteresis rules. Relationship between bending moment and curvature for piles was obtained by a section analysis under long-term axial load, and simplified to a tri-linear model based on the section analysis.

A response lateral drift obtained by the analysis was the largest at the third story among stories of the superstructure. A top of piles failed in flexure in the analysis. These results corresponded approximately to actual damage of the retrofitted building. Seismic retrofit of the superstructure increased flexural deformation at a top of piles comparing with the original building without retrofit. A ductility factor of curvature at a pile top increased greatly from 1.8 in the original building to 11.2 in the retrofitted building.

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A reinforced concrete (R/C) three-story school building, located in Nasu town in Tochigi prefecture, which was

under construction for seismic rehabilitation using steel-braced frames suffered moderate damage under the 2011 East Japan Earthquake. A plan of the building is 108 meter long for the longitudinal direction, and the first term construction for seismic retrofit was completed but the second term construction was not conducted yet when the 2011 Earthquake attacked the building. Damage during the earthquake concentrated on a non-retrofitted area of the building; three R/C columns failed in shear and severe shear cracks classified as Grade 3 were observed for four columns.

Residual seismic capacity after the earthquake was estimated to be 0.77 times the original seismic capacity before the earthquake for the first story in the longitudinal direction. In this estimation of the residual seismic capacity, the damage grade for a steel-braced frame was assumed to be similar to that for a shear wall with boundary columns at both ends, which seemed to underestimate the residual seismic capacity. Thus the damage of the building was classified into the moderate level. In contrast, residual seismic capacity limited to a non-retrofitted area of the building was re-estimated to be 0.59 times the original seismic capacity, judging to be the heavy damage level.

Static push-over analyses were carried out for spatial moment-resisting frames of the school building in the longitudinal direction to investigate the reason why damages concentrated on a non-retrofitted area of the building. For the non-linear analysis assuming rigid floors, short columns located in a non-retrofitted area failed in shear, which was able to reproduce actual damages by the earthquake. Short columns located in a retrofitted area, which suffered slight damage, however, also failed in shear for the analysis. Lateral drift is equal at all nodes aligning at same floor level for the analysis assuming rigid floors. However it is probable that lateral drift was different at each node because of the long length of the building plan and enhancement of the stiffness due to installation of steel-braced frames.

Therefore using the un-rigid floor model, allowing in-plane shear elastic behavior for R/C slabs and elasto-plastic elongation of longitudinal R/C beams, static push-over analysis was carried out again. Shear failure of short columns located in a non-retrofitted area occurred earlier for the un-rigid floor model than that for the rigid floor model. Shear failure of a column located in a retrofitted area also occurred, but lateral drift of the column was smaller by 1.1 mm than that of columns located in a non-retrofitted area, expecting to trace actual slight damage of the column.

9. Seismic Performance and Damage by the 2011 East Japan Earthquake to Reinforced Concrete School Building Retrofitted by Steel-braced Frame

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A reinforced concrete three-story class-room building in the Ichikai junior high-school suffered moderate damage to the superstructure and severe damage to the pile foundation during the 2011 East Japan Earthquake regardless of seismic retrofit by means of steel-braced frames. This was caused by the enhancement of lateral load carrying capacity of the superstructure due to seismic retrofit, leading to concentration of excessive stress to the pile foundation. Such seismic retrofit to the superstructure of R/C buildings tended to intensify damage to the pile foundation under earthquake excitation.

On the other hand, a two-story special class-room building constructed in 1973, which is adjacent to the three-story class-room building with a seismic joint gap of 100 mm, was retrofitted in 2009 by three steel-braced frames in a longitudinal direction at the first story. The residual seismic capacity of the building after the earthquake was estimated to be 0.96 times the original lateral-load carrying capacity for the first story in a longitudinal direction. A damage level of the building was regarded as slight on the basis of this observation. Damages like cracks and spall-off of cover concrete were observed to 23 percent of piles among 130 piles which were inspected by an excavation survey. Inclination and settlement of the foundation of the special class-room building did not occur. Damaged piles were repaired to use the building successively.

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The effect of transverse walls on the seismic performance of RC columns was studied.

The strength, deformability and ductility index were compared for cases with and without transverse walls. The major findings from the studies that were done for columns with shear and flexure modes are as follows.

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We research on understanding the seismic performance of frames with uneven large section beams and clarify the influence of the height of beams and the shape of fitting type joints on the behavior of the frame. In this study, we conducted a cyclic loading test for four test frames with spans of one or two and investigated the seismic performance and failure behavior. Moreover, analysis model was constructed by beam elements and compressive springs, and the initial stiffness is simulated by linear analysis.

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3. Strength Test of Mortal Mixed Cellulose Nanofiber to Develop Joint Replacement Method of Brick Wall Noriko TAKIYAMA

Recently, there are some advanced materials and the one is cellulose nanofiber. In past study, bending tests were conducted on masonry wall specimens reinforced by joint replacement cellulose nanofiber as intramural reinforcement to clarify the relationship between the changes of stiffness raising rate. Then, in this year, we made the some mortal test pieces had various mixture ratios of cellulose nanofiber, and conducted some material test on the test pieces.

4. Present State Analysis for Renovating Facilities in Densely Built-up Wooden House Areas Noriko TAKIYAMA, Ryo SANUKI, Masumi MATSUMOTO, Tomoyuki GONDO and Shigeru AOKI

We research on buildings and their surroundings for disaster prevention in Chuo-3, Ota City, one of the areas in Tokyo, Japan that is Densely Built-up Wooden House Areas in Tokyo, Japan. We conducted an exhaustive survey of 383 buildings and roads in the northwest area of Chuo-3 in the last year. The buildings and their surroundings were considered. Next, we conducted microtremor measurements on the ground in the area. In this year, we summarized the outcomes of the review.

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An ultimate objective of this study is to propose estimation method which can evaluate easily deformation capacity at different limit states with good accuracy for prestressed reinforced concrete (PRC) flexural beams, eventually aiming to formulate a performance-based seismic design methodology for PRC buildings.

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In the study, unbonded PCaPC cruciform beam-column subassemblages, which were designed to develop beam flexural yielding, were tested under cyclic load reversals to investigate those mechanical behavior and a failure process. A ratio of total tensile force induced to post-tensioning unbonded tendons to the product of a beam sectional area and concrete compressive strength (called a PC-steel ratio) was varied in the test.

Two plane specimens and a 3D specimen with slabs and no-loaded transverse beams were tested. A PC-steel ratio of beams was 0.09 and 0.17 for two plane specimens, and 0.09 for the 3D specimen. A column-to-beam capacity ratio of 2.3 and 2.6 was set by adjusting the amount of column longitudinal reinforcement respectively for plane specimens, and 1.9 for the 3D specimen. This was intended to prevent joint-hinging failure of a beam-column joint panel. Concrete compressive strength was 40 N/mm2.

All specimens failed in concrete crushing at beam ends, showing an origin-oriented shape of hysteresis loops. Column longitudinal bars did not yield for all specimens. Lateral load-carrying capacity for a plane specimen with a PC-steel ratio of 0.09 reached the peak with concrete crushing at beam ends after strain of post-tensioning tendons exceeded the elastic limitation. Post-tensioning tendons yielded after the peak capacity for the specimen. Lateral load-carrying capacity for a plane specimen with a PC-steel ratio of 0.17 and a 3D specimen reached the peak when attaining to elastic limitation strain of tendons, after joint lateral hoops yielded and crushing occurred in cover concrete at beam ends. Effective width of a slab on the beam bending moment capacity increased with deformation of the beam, eventually developing yielding for almost all slab longitudinal bars at a story drift angle of 3 %.

ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING

Nobuyuki SUNAGA

Research on Comfortable Bioclimatic Architecture

For the benefit of preserving global environment, the effective use of energy consumed in architecture and the utilization of natural energy are indispensable factors for architectural design. Furthermore to popularize Zero Energy Building and Bioclimatic Architecture (BA) which is designed by considering energy conservation, natural energy utilization and comfortable environment, it is necessary to clarify the actual performance of BA and to establish evaluation methods which are simple and widely acceptable for the public. We have been engaged in the research of these themes, and, in recent years, we give high priority to improve building stocks.

In this academic year (2015/04 - 2016/03), we mainly carried out following studies and activities.

1. Effect of Home Energy Management System (HEMS) and Energy Saving Action

We have been studying the effect of HEMS on the energy conservation in detached houses with PV system by filed measurement and questionnaire survey, collaborating with Sekisui Chemical Co., Ltd. from 2010. In this academic year, we carried out the analysis on the monitoring data of indoor thermal environment in 75 residents, and examined about the energy saving potential by the change of Life-Style in High-Performance Detached Houses.

2. Long-life, Environmental Friendly House by Tokyo Metropolitan Government [Collaboration with Assistant Professor Eiko Kumakura]

We are studying about the performance of 16 detached houses which have high thermal performance, a solar floor heating and hot water system and HEMS from 2013. And also we are examining the outside thermal environment in this site which has much green and a soil pass way in the center. In this academic year we clarified that the energy consumption of these houses has no summer peak by solar hot water system and is about half of ordinary houses in this area. And then, the carbon dioxide emission of these houses is about 25 % of the ordinary houses by considering the sold electricity of solar power generation.

3. Relationship between Thermal Insulation Performance and Life Quality

When the thermal insulation performance of residence leaps to the highest level, it is considered the comfortableness of residents is improved and the residents' behavior and awareness will be changed. This research examines the effect of high level thermal insulation by actual measurement, questionnaire survey and Web survey, collaborating with Asahi Kasei Construction Materials Corporation. In this academic year, it is shown the higher thermal insulation residences have most residents' satisfaction and small temperature difference among rooms and so on.

4. Research on Energy-Saving Renovation of Existing Detached house

In this academic year we surveyed the support-measures for energy-saving renovation by government and examined the effect of thermal environment improvement using the government's supports. We showed there are four incentives for consumer to improve the thermal performance of houses and most national undertakings and institutions for renewal of residential building started from 2008.

5. Improvement of Thermal Performance of Apartment House in Asia [Collaboration with Assistant Professor Eiko Kumakura]

We carried out the literature survey about the thermal performance of apartment house and clarified that there are small number of study about it, especially in summer, in Japan and China. So we started the indoor climate

measurement and the questionnaire survey for apartment house in Asia from 2014. In this academic year we surveyed at Naha city, Okinawa prefecture, in Japanese climate zone XIII (in subtropics), and read a paper of the analysis results about apartments in Tokyo, Kumamoto (in Japan), Hangzhou and Qingdao (in China) at the PLEA 2015 conference.

6. Active Energy-Saving Control System for Air-conditioning Utilizing Adjustment Behavior of Occupants

We are studying a new energy-saving control system for Air-conditioning. This system is able to install to the existing small and medium-sized building and to reduce the room conditioning deterioration by energy-saving action. This system is characterized by sensing occupants' on/off operation onto the air-conditioning. We monitored an office in mid-size building in Tokyo throughout 2 years. In this year, we clarified the marvelous performance of this system and the necessity to control the all indoor units one by one.

7. Effect of Ceiling Radiant Cooling System with Dehumidification Function [Collaboration with Assistant Professor Nobutaka Fukudome]

Our laboratory and Aoki Home-Services Co., Ltd. developed this system about 10 years ago. Last two years we examined the performance of this system in a library of university in Tokyo, designed by Nihon-sekkei Co., Ltd., by monitoring changing its operation ways. From the results we discussed the appropriate operation method of this system. This system is awarded the GOOD DESIGN AWARD 2015 in Japan and the Environmental Design Award of 2014 of Association of Building Engineering and Equipment.

8. Cross-ventilation Effect of Outward Window

We are studying about the cross-ventilation effect of an outward window, developed by LIXIL Co., Ltd., that consists of the upper opening and the lower opening and each opening open to the opposite direction. It is shown this window has good cross-ventilation effect in the one-side opening room from experiments in 2014. In this year we carried out simulation analysis, using STREAM, about the difference of wind direction and so on.

9. Other outcome, social contribution and award

- 1) N. Sunaga acted Head of the Architecture and Building Engineering Course and the Graduate School of Architecture and Building Engineering.
- N. Sunaga is working by the director of Japan Solar Energy Society, and also played as the chairman of Solar Architectural section, and so on.
- 3) N. Sunaga et al. got the GOOD DESIGN AWARD 2015 by the Ceiling Cooling System, developed by the Aoki Home-Services Co., Ltd., Nihon-Sekkei Co., Ltd. and Sunaga Laboratory. And we also got the Environmental Design Award 2014 of Association of Building Engineering and Equipment.
- Three master course students, Mr. Shuhei Masui, Mr. Keisuke Ogura and Miss Fu Nakajima, received Student Encouragement Prize of Japan Solar Energy Society.
- A master course student, Mr. Ikuya Nakano, received Student Encouragement Prize of Architectural Institute of Japan.
- 6) An under-graduate student, Mr. Ryo Meshino, received Graduation Thesis Prize of the Society of Heating, Air-Conditioning and Sanitary Engineers of Japan.

Akihiro NAGATA

1. Experiment and Simulation of the effects of Chairs on the Thermal Sensation Akihiro NAGATA 2. A Study on the Evaluation Method of Thermal Performance for Combination of Glazing and Shading Devices Akihiro NAGATA

Eiko KUMAKURA

 Developing a virtual reality spatial system of tsunami-stricken villages in Japan Eiko Kumakura, Akinobu Murakami (Tsukuba University)

To develop a 3-D model of tsunami-stricken villages in the Tohoku area, images of the landscape should be connected with victims' memories of life there. To give victims a better understanding of their villages, we have developed a virtual reality spatial model with a walking experience—this year, in the city of Iwanuma. Next year, we plan to complete a similar project at a fishing village in Iwate.

2. Landscape design using thermal environmental simulation for passive residential district project in Japan Eiko Kumakura, Akinobu Murakami (Tsukuba University) and Kazuaki Nakaohkubo (Saga University)

This research aimed to broaden the landscape design process by introducing a thermal environmental simulation tool. Last year, we used a previously implemented thermal simulation tool to evaluate the effects of tree shape, position, and ground materials on the outdoor thermal environment in the early landscape design process. This year, we explored other approaches to using the simulator at a practical level. As a result, we found that simulation can be used to create guidelines for landscape design that consider thermal comfort.

3. Relationships between common garden path design and thermal environment in the summer

Eiko Kumakura, Nobuyuki Sunaga

This study investigated the potential of creating cool areas through resident behaviors—for example, plant watering—related to properties of the outdoor environment in a district of detached houses with a common garden path. Last year, we discovered that watering the whole site could reduce the average air temperature throughout the common path by 0.8 °C, as observed by comparing temperatures before and after watering. This year, we found that residents who came to appreciate the space provided by the common path tended to notice tree growth and comfortable breezes in the morning and evening, even in midsummer, as achieved by opening windows. These findings suggest that the positional relation of houses and common garden paths can affect the lifestyles of residents, as reflected by behaviors such as opening windows and noticing the growth of vegetation.

4. Thermal environment of pedestrian areas along the marathon course at the 2020 Tokyo Olympics

Eiko Kumakura and Nobuyuki Sunaga

In preparation for the 2020 Tokyo Olympics, the Japanese government and developers seek to create cool areas by using highly-reflective paint, roadside trees, and water-retentive pavement. However, such techniques are regularly introduced to urban areas despite their various impacts, which depend on the radiant environment at any given time and place. In response, this study aimed to reveal the thermal environment along the marathon course for the 2020 Olympics, chiefly by taking moving measurements via bicycle on sunny days in August and September 2015 between 8 and 11 am. We found that roads along a large park were the warmest of the entire course, for they received both direct and reflected solar radiation from their surroundings. Roads in the NNW–SSE direction forming a street canyon tended to be hot because the sun came from a similar direction in the morning, whereas the temperature along roads going NNE–SSW was influenced by various shading sources, including roadside trees and rooftop advertising displays. We therefore propose an improvement plan using shading construction and trees based on road direction and data from a thermal simulation tool in the next year.

5. Ultraviolet radiation on Asian streets with skyscrapers Eiko Kumakura and Masayuki Ichinose

High reflection glass (e.g., low-emissivity glass) has been used in the façades of many skyscrapers recently constructed in urban areas in order to reduce their energy consumption. However, some of that glass reflects not only near infrared radiation but also visible and ultraviolet radiation (UVR). In this study, we measured the UVR environment of high-rise building areas in Tokyo and Singapore. Among other results, UVR increased along with the sky view factor (SVF), though some small D/H districts with less SVF showed greater UVR values due to reflection from nearby building façades. Directional UVR was weak where directional visible radiation was strong, thereby suggesting that UVR diffuseness is stronger than visible radiation. Therefore, to protect against UVR in street canyons, it is important to promote shade from every side using vegetation such as tree crowns, glass, and wall greening.

Rumiko SASAKI

1. Latest technology adoption of medical institute in urban area, focusing on construction process in Thailand Rumiko SASAKI

This research conducts interview to building production stakeholder regarding adoption of latest technology such as building standard and material.

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