

Kinosaki Algebraic Geometry Symposium
At Kyoto

城崎代数幾何学シンポジウム(京都開催)

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attended from the first Symposium

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I state brief impressions on this Kinosaki
Algebraic Geometry Symposia for 50 years

参照

See Speechs by three 先生 Oda, Miyanishi and
Shioda on the 40th Aniversary of Kinosaki conference
in Proceeding published in 2014

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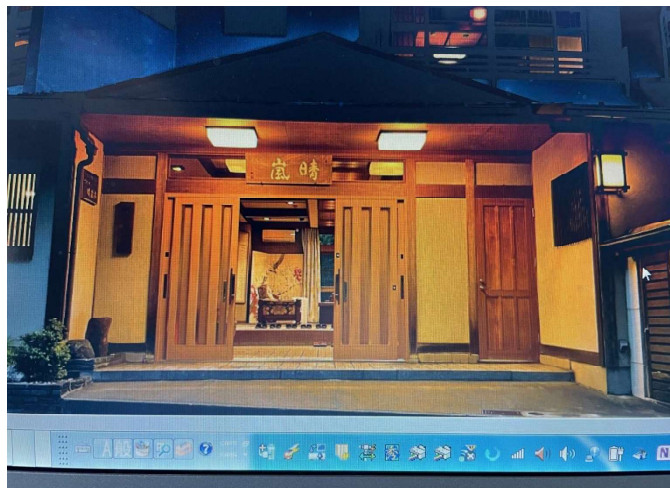
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Kinosaki 城崎温泉夜景

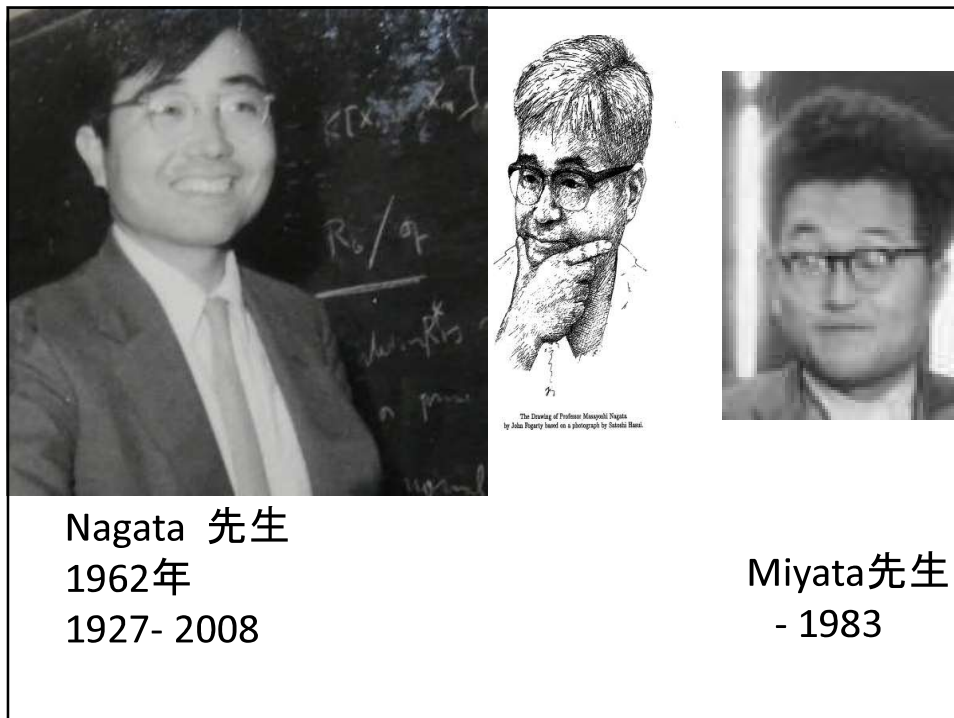


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蔦屋 tsutaya 晴嵐亭 seirantei



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● the origin

故 永田先生 故 宮田先生

Miyata got married to a daughter of Tsutaya Inn

Found the inn available for symposia on weekdays

suggested to Nagata to take advantage and organized symposia

AG symposia held every year since 1974

Nagata attended all the AG symposia

before he passed away on Aug.27.2008

Topic and participants from wide-ranging related fields

Miyata also organized symposia in number theory, topology and representation theory

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Accomplishments

Initially not many algebraic geometers in Japan
one room or the dining hall of Seirantei sufficed

Kinosaki AG symposia led to:

- Nation-wide network of algebraic geometers
- face-to-face encounters leading to joint works
- Nation-wide mobility of algebraic geometers

Promising young people were invited to give talks

Nagata supported their travel
even when Grants-in-Aid were not widely available

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Another important contribution by:

Nightly “symposium” (in ancient Greco-Roman sense)
at the entrance hall of Seirantei

*a convivial meeting, usually following a dinner,
for drinking and intellectual conversation 饗宴*

Participants get to know one another well

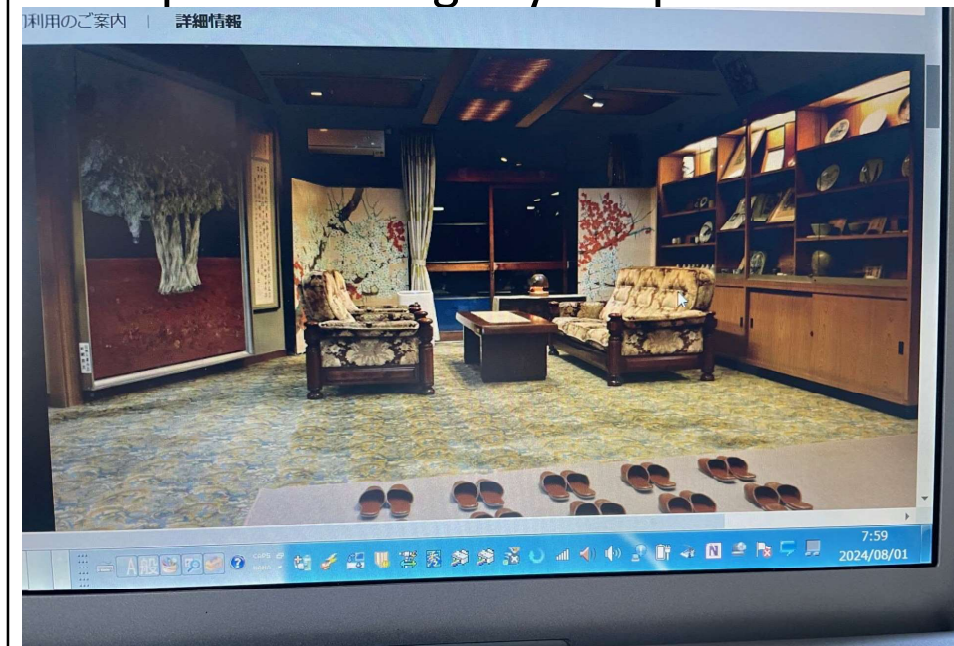
Thanks to Miyata's connection:

Tsutaya allows beverages to be brought in,
even provides glasses and ice cubes

by Oda 先生

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The place for Nightly Symposium



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for 50 years

●Tasks

research grants (kaken-hi) by professors

Facilities for research meeting

By Organizers

Decisions of Speakers and preparations of programs
(by no e-mail and long-distance calls)

Accommodation and room-sharing and so on

Thanks a lot

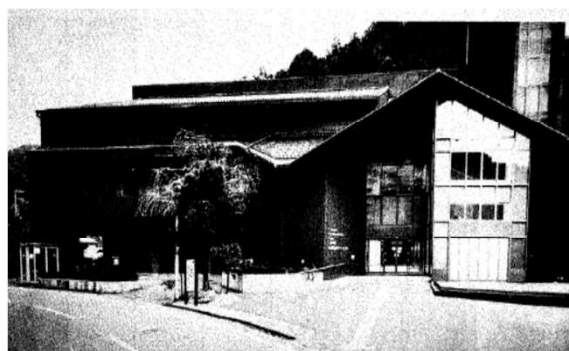
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絹巻 kinumaki first Seminar- room 1974



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城崎温泉会議館



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Talk 雑談

- ① 大きなたたみ部屋 絹巻(18畳)講演室 机がなく
座布団ごろ寝
lie down in a room with a straw-mat floor (= tatami) and
had seminars at first periods 良き時代であった！！
- ② 事務室への 出張申請へのハプニング・苦労
行先名「旅館・温泉」 研究活動に不適用語
- ③ 開催初期は12月初旬
The conference first (for a few of years) held in early December
雪の中で温泉に hot springs in the snow
- ④ 世話人の苦労 相部屋 割り振り
Problem of room-sharing
it was sometimes the difficult one like combinatorial mathematics.

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Thanks for 感謝

Late Nagata sensei (先生), Miyata sensei(先生)

**Professors who supported this meeting by
reseach grands (kaken-hi)**

Organizers

Persons of tutaya inn supported us

Speakers

Participants

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