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About:

I first came to Japan in 2014 to study Japanese language in Sapporo. In 2017, I graduated from Dublin City University (DCU) with a BA in Japanese and German Language and Translation Studies. Currently, I am based in Iwate Prefecture and am on my fifth years as a Coordinator for International Relations (CIR). My duties included preparations for the Rugby World Cup 2019 and Olympic Games 2020, as well as interpretation and cultural exchange.

I first joined the IJCC in 2020 and was the first speaker in the Tales from the Region series. Soon after, I joined the Regional Committee as the regional representative for Tohoku. Now, as a director, I hope to raise awareness of the regions outside Tokyo and use my connections to involve more young people in IJCC activities. Please feel free to get in touch!

