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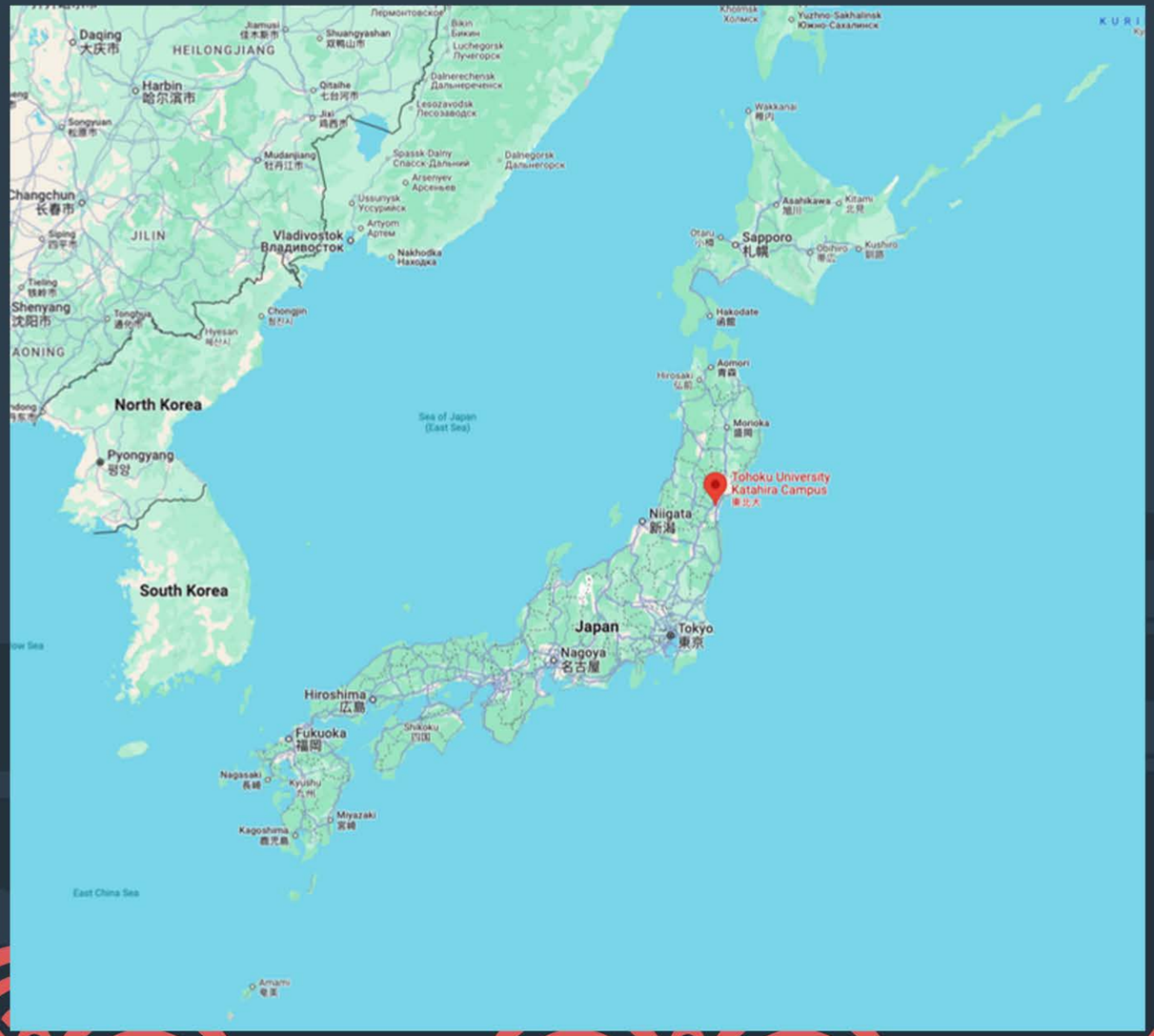
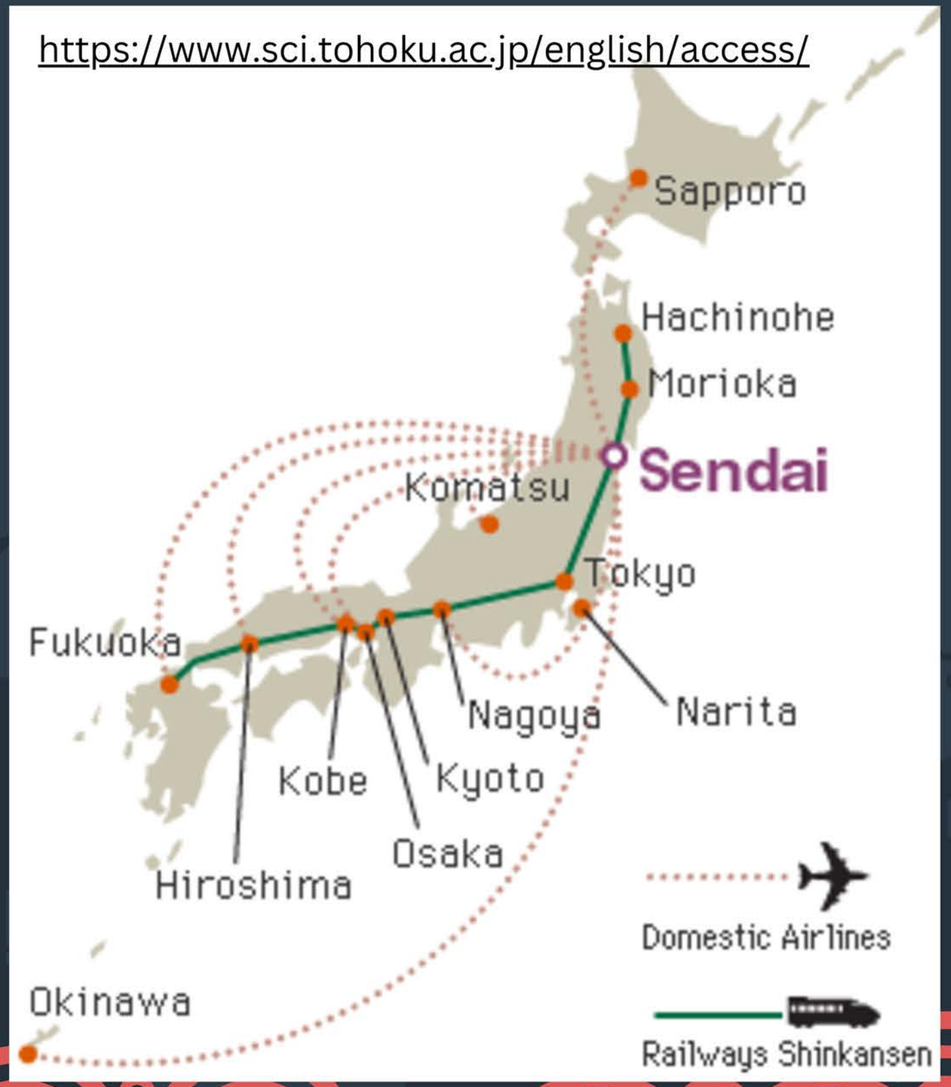
Where is Tohoku University?



https://www.sci.tohoku.ac.jp/english/access/



Where is Tohoku University?

Location

- In north-eastern Japan
- Distance from Tokyo (≒ 350 km)
- Travel time from Tokyo (≒ 1hr 35mins)
  ** by a bullet train

Population of Sendai City

- 1.098 million (as of Aug 1, 2023)

Founded in 1907 as the 3rd Imperial University of Japan

More Information: https://www.tohoku.ac.jp/en/

Tohoku: No. 1 University in Japan

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News

Tohoku University Ranked Number One in Japan for Fourth Consecutive Year

2023-03-23 | University News

Tohoku University tops Times Higher Education's Japan University Rankings for the fourth year in a row

Times Higher Education launches the Japan University Rankings 2023 today
March 23, 2023

Times Higher Education (THE) has launched the Japan University Rankings (JUR) 2023 today, with Benesse Group for innovation and globalization of universities in Japan.

Tohoku University was ranked top for the fourth year in a row and the University of Tokyo was ranked second again, which it attained last year. Osaka University was ranked third (joint third last year), and Tokyo Institute of Technology is fourth (joint third last year). This is followed by Kyoto University in fifth place (fifth last year) and Kyushu University is in sixth position climbing up one place from seventh last year. International Christian University is in the top ten for the first time this year.

ReaLearn Research Group

Affiliation

- Founded in October 3, 2022, affiliating with School of IS, JAIST
- Relocate to be affiliated with RIEC, Tohoku University from April 1, 2025

Research Focus

- Basically, anything about Trustworthy AI, ensuring it is safe for humans
- Cover 2 mainstreams of AI research, from reasoning to learning

More Information: https://www.jaist.ac.jp/~racharak/lab

Dr. Teeradaj Racharak (Aj. X)

- Associate Professor @ Tohoku University
- Dr. Racharak is broadly interested in mathematical modeling and implementation of AI.
- He specializes in logic and machine learning, particularly in Description Logic, Computational Argumentation, and Deep Learning.
- He has a diverse educational background and work experience in universities and software industries.

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Internship Research Topics

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Trusthworthy AI Lab

1. Assumption-based Argumentation Mining for XAI
2. Benchmarking Reasoning Problems in LLMs
3. Virtual Knowledge Graph in Medial Domain
4. Probing Underspecification in Machine Learning

The detailed description is provided in the following URL:
https://sites.google.com/view/racharak-lab/join-us

Eligibility Criteria

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Trusthworthy AI Lab

Number of acceptances: 2 students
Requirement: CGPA >= 3.00 (strong programming skills)
Duration: 12 weeks (May - August 2026)
Support:

- Can apply for the Mahidol Student Mobility Scholarship (100,000 THB)
- Accommodation: University Dorm. (~50,000 Yen/month)
- Flight ticket: ~20,000 THB
- Food: ~40,000 Yen/month/person (~ 13,000 THB*3 months)
- Contact Point: Aj. Chaiyong, Aj. Petch

Past Internships at RealLearn Lab

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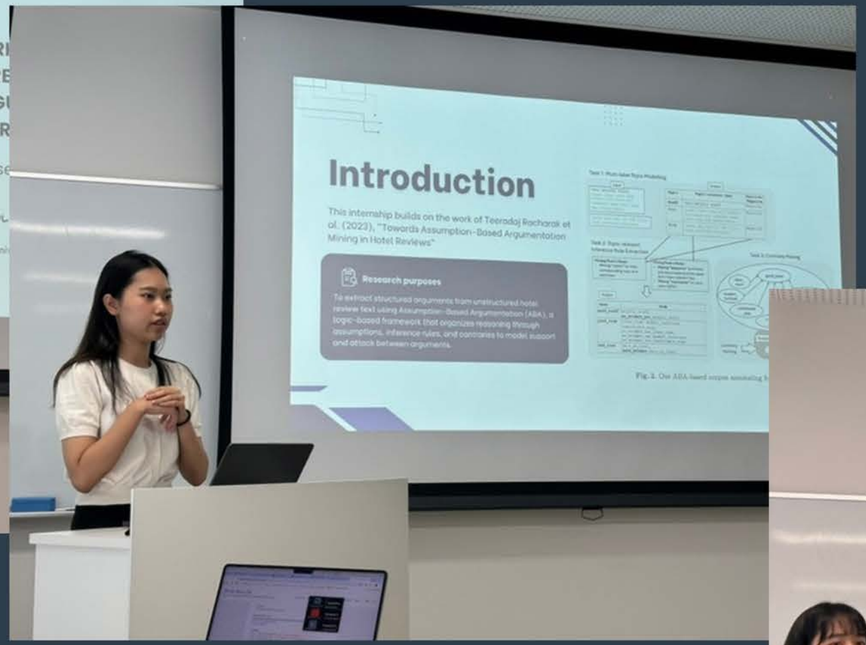
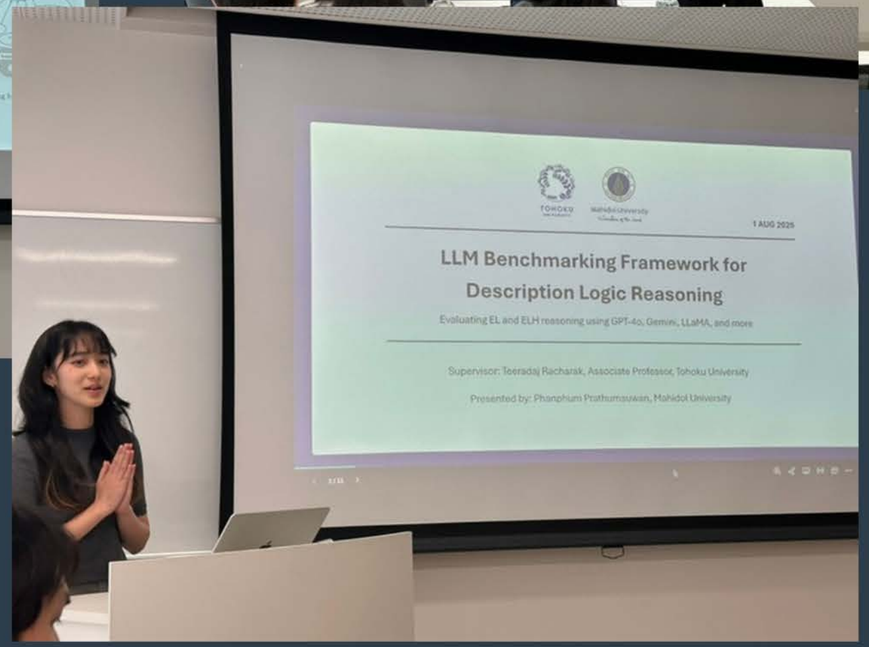
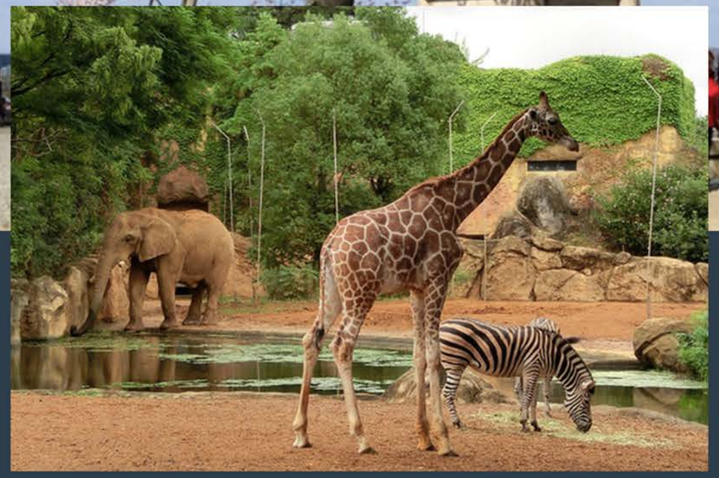
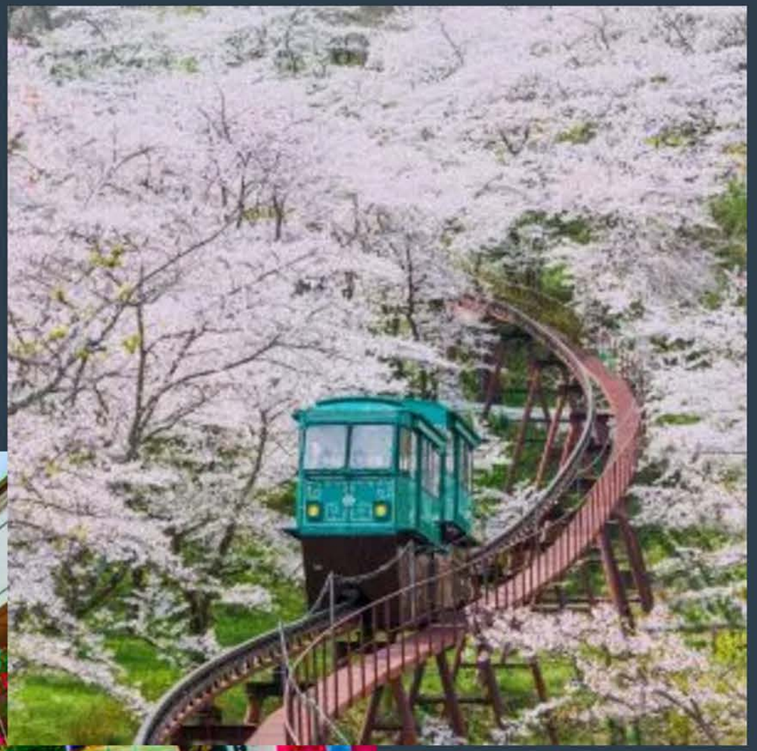




Life in Sendai





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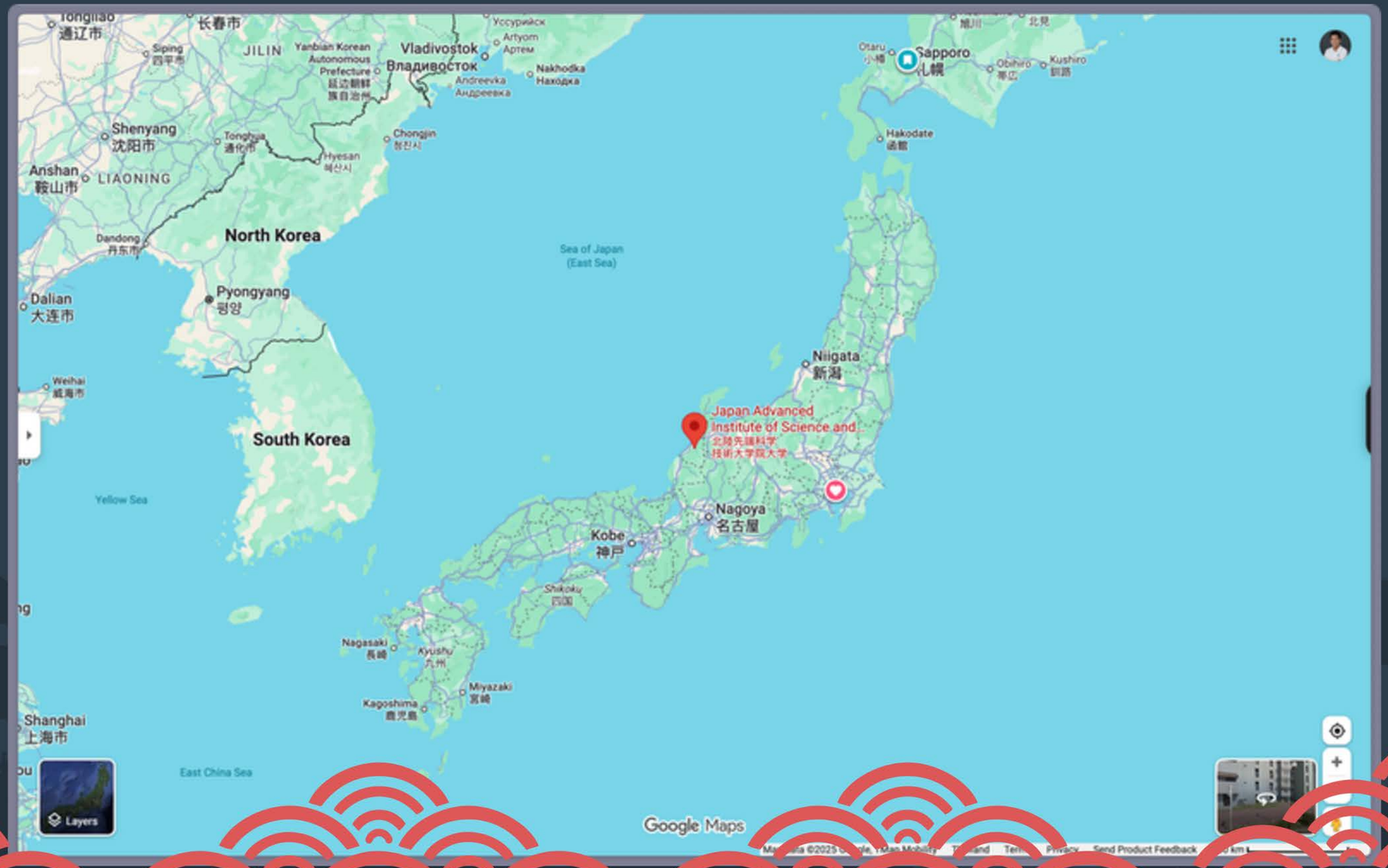

Opening Labs at JAIST

- Aoki Lab
- Xie Lab
- Ishii Lab
- Hasegawa Lab
- Okada Lab
- Nutthawut Lab

Please see more information in the link below:

- https://drive.google.com/file/d/1Dhn0Qhw9DSkZqLldbPq2jWVOW66G2pFe/view?usp=sharing

Eligibility Criteria

Number of acceptances: 5 students
Requirement: 3rd year, CGPA >= 3.00 (strong programming skills), and interested in enrolling in the internship as the capstone course.
Duration: 12 weeks (May - August 2026)
Areas of research: NLP (LLMs), GenAI+Multimedia, Software Verification
Support:

- Can apply for the Mahidol Student Mobility Scholarship (100,000 THB)
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- Contact Point: Aj. Thanapon

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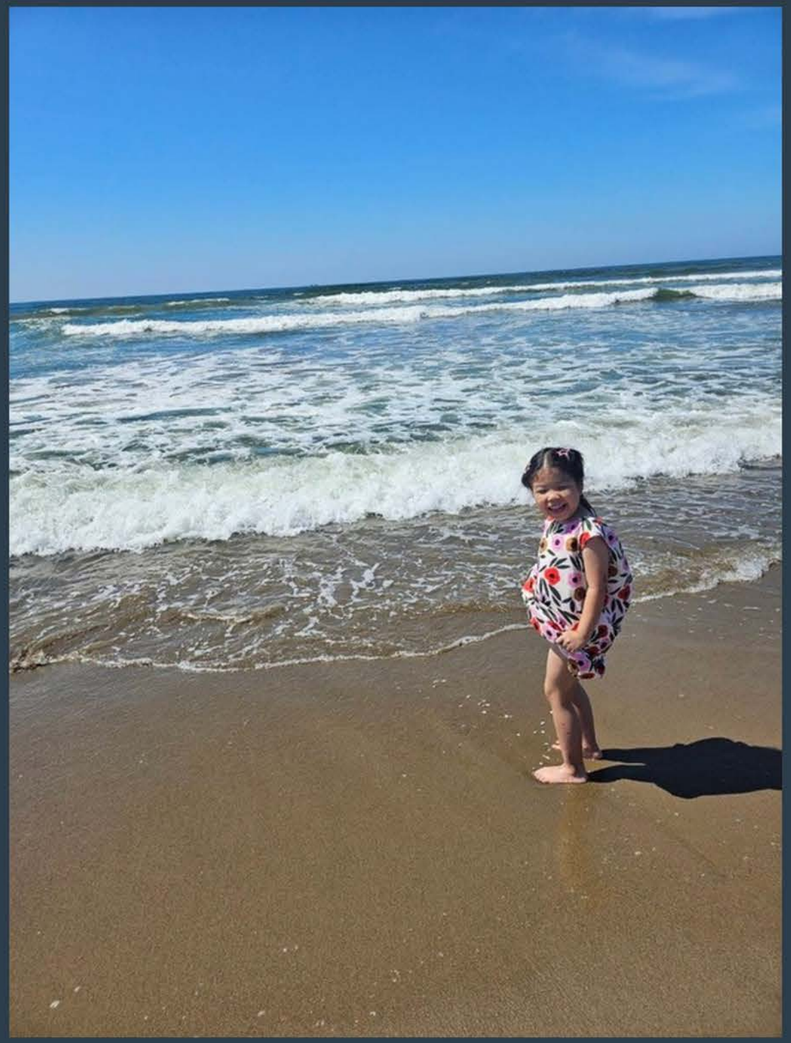

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