We have practiced various architectural designs as well as constructing theories about architectural forms and spaces. In addition, we have set up a branch office in Kada, a small fishing village in Wakayama prefecture, and researchers have been trying to regeneration the region while staying as a member of the local community for a long time. Recently two new projects have started. One is to establish a method for measuring architectural space using brain waves and to propose a new architectural design method that applies that technology.

The other is research on small towns. In Kimotsuki Town in Kagoshima Prefecture, we are reevaluating the potential of small towns in a declining population from the perspective of a relay point between the city and the hinterland of production. Through these research activities, our laboratory is always thinking about what is possible for architecture for the future society.