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in Nagaoka

2019.9.24(Wed) 15:30~16:20

Venue : 527class room

The seminar is hosted by Ritsumeikan Global Innovation Research Organization (R-GIRO)
Collaborator is Ritsumeikan Junior and Senior High School

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