

Research topics	A study of the relationship between Antony Gormley's work and space.	Graduate School of Robotics & Design
Host	Hugh Miller Furniture / Liverpool/UK	
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Summary of the Research Activities

My research is about the relationship between objects and places. For example, the relationship between the furniture in a house and the living space, or the relationship between a sculpture and the place where it is placed. So I went to Hugh Miller Furniture, who has a furniture workshop in Liverpool, England. He had studied architecture at university and was the perfect person to study the relationship between space and objects. I first visited his workshop and learnt about his deep commitment to the special equipment and materials used to make his furniture .Afterwards, the workshop staff taught me the technical aspects of the actual working process. If also went with Miller to Crossbeach in Liverpool, where sculptor Antony Gormley's work is located, to discuss the relationship between sculpture and place. We came to the conclusion that the sculpture's ageing due to the influence of the sea is a factor that relates the sculpture to the place.This research was a very valuable experience for me as I had to actually visit the site.



Actual tools



Material Description



Gormley's work



Viewing with Mr Miller

Friends and Others

I had a sushi party with my roommate who lived in the same flat. Other events such as an authentic curry party cooked by Indians and desserts made by French people were all enjoyable cross-cultural exchanges.



Sushi party

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