

4.570 Field Exercise: **Mapping Your Experience**

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Brief

You are asked to walk through and explore a few areas by traversing the center of the city of Kyoto and to finish in front of the Takinoya Tea House in Kiyomizu temple. (See the map at the end of this handout.) During the exploration, please record your findings in photos and 3D captures with comments.

We will be doing this in teams of 3-4 students from MIT and KIT mixed. Before the exploration, please take a moment to talk briefly among the team members, and come up with some theme for recording and target locations. For instance, you can record street furniture, religious objects, shop front, food, etc.

Upload your recordings to Design Heritage project page. In Tuesday evening, we will have a brief review of your exploration.

Online links

[Traversing Kyoto City 2019](#) (This is a Design Heritage shared project page: In the Design Heritage website, you can find it listed as the first entry in the Course Projects section.) Each MIT student is added to this project as Editor who can add comments.

http://cat2.mit.edu/design_heritage/patcher/index.php?dbase=dh_rv&proj_id=55

Map of the area (for reference)

<https://www.google.com/maps/d/viewer?mid=17fWPjpTVZ19kgB19lzzH2YJ2-Ir5pKLi>

Schedule

2018.03.25 (Mon): Exploration and recording. A working session during dinner time at KIT.

2018.03.26 (Tue): review of the project page in the evening.

Recordings to upload

- a. Your comments and photos of locations/objects you found on the way
 - Use the **NOTES** function of the page. (See below)
 - Minimum 7 per student
 - Include a photo of your team in front of Takinoya Tea House as proof of the exercise completion
- b. 3D objects captured during exploration (minimum 1 per student)
 - Make this after you are back to the KIT housing
- c. [Optional] short video clips (with a comment) uploaded onto YouTube

How to upload a Note

- You can use a smartphone while you are in the field, but here are some tips to work in a small screen.
In Demo mode, use HIDE STATE and HIDE NOTE button to see the map without being covered by these UI. In Patch mode, shrink/expand the left column UI by clicking the arrow icon on its bottom.
Use two fingers for zoom, and **three fingers to pan the map** (on Android)
- [Comment and Photo] **Login to the Design Heritage website** (as you did for the first assignment)
Go to the Patchwork section of **Traversing Kyoto City 2019**
In the menu bar, make sure the page is switched from DEMO to PATCH
If the left column UI is shrunk, click the arrow in the bottom left of the screen and expand it
Click on the map (just anywhere to select it)
In the left column, select NOTE tab
Category: General Comments
Note Name: (recommended to use numbered names, such as SHOP01, SHOP02, SHOP03 ...)
Choose File: (Select a photo you want to add in the Note)
Note Content: (your comment)
- [3D Object] upload your model to your own account first. Then add it to the shared project page for Traversing Kyoto City 2019. Please scale your model and add it somewhere outside the map.
- [YouTube Video] Just include a URL to you YouTube video in the Note Content text. It will show as the thumbnail link to the video.

Route and Areas

Total walking distance is about 4 kilometers. I recommend you to take one or two breaks on the way at places like Soiree, Francois, Times, or tea houses on the promenade to the Kiyomizu Temple.

Include the following locations for visit. You may take any route, but I attached an example route in the map at the end of this document.

- a. Start at or near **Annex to Museum of Kyoto** (aka Bunpaku, and former Bank of Japan): Free admission (京都文化博物館別館)
- b. Super-block between San-jo (third street) and Shi-jo (fourth street)
 - Explore **Nishiki Market** and nearby arcaded shopping mall
 - the East side **bank of Kamo River** approachable down from Shijo Bridge
 - [optional] Times (Tadao Ando) and Ponto-cho Alley
- c. **Hanamikoji alley in Gion**
 - [optional] Kennin-ji temple
 - [optional] Yasaka Shrine
- d. sloped **Promenade** of Kiyomizu Temple (清水寺参道)
 - Ishibei-koji Alley (try to find its starting gate)
 - Ninen-zaka (“2-year slope”)
 - Sannen-zaka (“3-year slope”)
- e. **Kiyomizu Temple**: Find the viewpoint of the trade-mark photo angle of this temple on deck

- Finish at **Takinoya Tea House**: Upload a selfie photo as proof of your goal

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START: Annex to Museum of Kyoto
(京都文化博物館別館)

Times (Tadao Ando)

The Museum of Kyoto

Soiree

Walk down to west bank of Kamo River from Shijo Bridge

Nishiki Market and arcaded shopping mall

Nishiki Market

Fransois

Gion Hanamikoji Alley

Yasaka Shrine

Ishibe-koji Alley (Stone wall alley)

Kennin-ji

Ninen-zaka slope

Sannen-zaka slope

Kiyomizu Temple Find this viewpoint!.

END: Takinoya Tea House

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