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Education

University of Tokyo (graduated in 1973, Bachelor in Law)

Woodrow Wilson School of Public and International Affairs, Princeton University
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Career

Apr.1973 Joined the Ministry of International Trade and Industry (MITI)
May.1975 Petroleum Department, Energy and Resources Agency
May.1977 Woodrow Wilson School, Princeton University
May.1981 Division, Alternative Energy, Energy and Resources Agency
Aug.1983 International Energy Agency (IEA), OECD
Apr.1987 Director for International Trade Policy Planning, General Affairs Division, International Trade Policy Bureau

Aug.1990 Secretary to the Minister of International Trade and Industry
Mar.1991 Director, Tariff Division, International Economic Affairs Department, International Trade Policy Bureau

Jun.1992 Director, Aircraft and Ordnance Division, Machinery and Information Industries Bureau

Jul.1994 Director, Americas Division, International Trade Policy Bureau
Aug.1996 Director, General Affairs Division, Environmental Protection and Industrial Location Bureau

Jun.1998 Director, General Coordination Division, Minister's Secretariat
Aug.1999 Director-General, International Economic Affairs Department, International Trade Policy Bureau

Jan.2001 Director-General, Multilateral Trade System Department, International Trade Policy Bureau

Apr.2001 MITI was reorganized as the Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry (METI)
Jan.2002 Director-General for Manufacturing Industries Policy
Aug.2003 Director-General, Commerce and Information Policy Bureau
Jul.2006 Director-General, Trade Policy Bureau
Jul.2007 Vice-Minister for International Affairs
Aug.2008 Special Adviser (METI)
Aug.2008 Secretary-General, Secretariat of Strategic Headquarters for Space Policy, Cabinet Secretariat

Nov.2008 Special Advisor to the Cabinet on Asian Economy, Cabinet Secretariat
June 2009 Special Advisor to the Cabinet on Climate Change, Cabinet Secretariat
Jul.2010 Chairman & CEO, The Institute of Energy Economics, Japan
Feb.2011 KAPSARC, International Advisory Board Member
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Nov.2012 Oxford Institute for Energy Studies, Board Member
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Dec.2012 Pacific International Center for High Technology Center, Board of Director
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