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JAPAN ECONOMIC FOUNDATION
NAOYUKI HARAOKA
EXECUTIVE MANAGING DIRECTOR

After graduating the University of Tokyo in 1978 (Bachelor of Economics), he joined MITI (Ministry of International Trade and Industry) of Japanese government. Having been posted in the industrial policy section and the international trade policy section for a few years, he was enrolled in a two year MPA (Master of Public Administration) programme at Woodrow Wilson School of Princeton University in the US on a Japanese government sponsorship. After having acquired MPA at Princeton, he rejoined MITI in 1984 as an economist. Since then he had been posted as Deputy Director and Director of a number of MITI divisions including Research Division of International Trade Policy Bureau. He was also posted in Paris twice, firstly, Principal Economist of Trade Bureau of OECD (Organization of Economic Cooperation and Development) from 1988 to 92 and secondly Counsellor to Japanese Delegation of OECD from 1996 to 99. After coming back to MITI from his second stay in Paris, at the occasion of the government structural reform in 2001 when MITI was remodeled as METI (Ministry of Economy Trade and Industry) he joined the efforts to found METI research institute, Research Institute of Economy Trade and Industry as its Director of Administration. He became Chief Executive Director of JETRO San Francisco in 2003 and stayed in San Francisco until 2006. He was Director-General of METI Training Institute from 2006 until July, 2007 when he left METI permanently and joined JEF as Executive Managing Director.



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KANAGAWA UNIVERSITY

NOBUO IIZUKA

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF ECONOMICS

Area of Research

- Japanese Economy
- Economic Forecasting
- Economic Statistics

Education

- MA, Economics, Chiba University (2004)
- BA, Sociology, Hitotsubashi University (1986)

Experience

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| 2011-present | KANAGAWA University, Yokohama <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Associate Professor, Department of Economics▪ Have the chair of Japanese Economy |
| 1999-2011 | JCER (Japan Center for Economic Research), Tokyo <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Assistant chief economist for short-term economic forecast (6 years)▪ Director of Economic Analysis Department (5 years)▪ Chief economist for mid-term economic forecast (3 years)▪ Chief economist for short-term economic forecast (1 year) |
| 1986-1999 | NIKKEI Inc., Tokyo <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Economic & Industrial News correspondent (6 years)▪ Editorial department for NIKKEI Newspaper (3 years)▪ Editor and writer for Monthly Magazine (4 years) |



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THE CANON INSTITUTE FOR GLOBAL STUDIES
JUN KURIHARA
RESEARCH DIRECTOR

Expertise

- International Political Economy
- Globalization Strategies of Multinational Corporations

Education

Bachelor and master degrees from Kyoto University (agricultural economics)

Experience

2009 - Non-resident Research Director, The Canon Institute for Global Studies
2007 – 2012 Liaison Officer, Research Institute of Economy, Trade and Industry
2006 – Visiting Professor, School of Policy Studies, Kwansei Gakuin University
2003 – 2012 Senior Fellow, Harvard Kennedy School
1995 – 2003 Senior Economist, Fujitsu Research Institute
1983 – 1995 Researcher/Senior Researcher, Mitsubishi Research Institute



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FUJITSU RESEARCH INSTITUTE RISABURO NEZU

MEMBER OF THE BOARD, EXECUTIVE FELLOW

Research Interests

- Free Trade Agreements and Trans Pacific Partnership
- Agriculture
- Global Warming and Carbon Trade
- Foreign Currency Reserve
- Exchange Rate and Japanese Economy
- East Asia Economy
- Corporate Human Resource Development

Education

- MBA, Harvard University (1975)
- BA, Economics, University of Tokyo (1970)

Experience

2009 Member of the Board, Executive Fellow, Fujitsu Research Institute
2004 Senior Managing Director, Economic Research Center, Fujitsu Research Institute
2001 Director, Research Institute of Economy, Trade and Industry (RIETI)
2001 Senior Executive Fellow, Fujitsu Research Institute
1995 Director General, Science, Technology and Industry Bureau, OECD
1984 Councillor, Permanent Mission of Delegation of Japan to OECD
1970 Ministry of International Trade and Industry (MITI)



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SUN AND SANDS GROUP SANJEEV SINHA

PRESIDENT

Sanjeev Sinha was born in India on January 21st 1973. After graduating from IIT Kanpur he arrived in Japan in 1996 and has been a leading promoter of India Japan relations. He is Founder and President, Sun and Sands Group; Chief Country Representative in Japan for Tata Asset Management and Tata Realty and Infrastructure; Founding President IIT Alumni Association Japan; Advisor Industrial-Government-University at Kyoto University , Advisor Indian Scientists Association in Japan; Presidential Advisor, Japan Advanced Institute of Science and Technology, President Japan India Auto Components Association; Governor, Finance and Insurance, Indian Chamber of Commerce Japan; Director, GEWEL; Director, Japan India Partnership Forum; Japan Director, Global Association for Risk Professionals; Co-Founder Marunouchi India Economic Zone.

He is a Columnist on Nikkei Newspaper and Japan Marketing Association; Editorial Board, Japan Spotlight; Frequently covered and lectures on major media, universities and public forums of Japan and India like Cambria Kyuden (TV TOKYO), NHK, Fuji TV, Kezai Doyukai, Keidanren, JICA, Ministries, ASSOCHAM, University of Tokyo, Keio University, Kyushu University, IIT, IIM, and others.

Formerly Sanjeev Sinha worked with UBS (Director, New Business Group), Mizuho Securities, Goldman Sachs, Gentech Corp and Godrej. Travelled widely including Antarctica, lived in various parts of India, Tokyo and New York, trilingual (Hindi, English and Japanese).

Integrated Master in Physics from Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur and Master in Applied Finance from Macquarie University, Sydney.



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**INSTITUTE FOR INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND
INVESTMENT**

TOSHIKI TAKAHASHI

CHIEF ECONOMIST

Toshiki Takahashi is chief economist at the Institute for International Trade and Investment. He was previously director general of the Overseas Research Department at the Japan External Trade Organization (JETRO). He was also Chief Director of Nagoya Trade Information Center of JETRO, mainly engaged in promoting foreign direct investment in Greater Nagoya Region (GNR) and supporting Aichi World Exposition. He was Deputy Executive Director of JETRO Toronto before moving to Nagoya.



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KEIO UNIVERSITY
SHINICHI UEYAMA
PROFESSOR OF PUBLIC MANAGEMENT

Education

- MA, Public and International Affairs, Woodrow Wilson School, Princeton University (1984)
- BA, Law, Keio University (1980)

Experience

- 2003-Present Professor, Keio University (Faculty of Policy Management)
- 2000-2003 Research Professor, Georgetown Public Policy Institute, Georgetown University, U.S.A.
- 1992-2000 Partner, McKinsey & Company, Inc. Japan
- 1986-1992 Associate, McKinsey & Company, Inc. Japan
- 1984-1986 Policy Analyst, Planning and Statistics Division, Economic Assistance Bureau, Ministry of Foreign Affairs
- 1980-1982 Legal Officer, Ministry of Transport

Major Publications

- Management and Economics in Public Sector, NTT Publishing
- Museum as Social Change Agent to Renovate Cities, Nikkei Publishing
- Human Resource Revolution at Public Sector, Gyosei Publishing
- New Public Management in Japanese Local Government, Toyo Keizai-Shinpou
- New Public Management in Japan, NTT Publishing
- Government Performance Measurement 2000 in Japan, Tokyo Horei Shuppan
- Reinventing Japan: A Review of Government Performance, NTT Publishing
- Change Management of A Large Corporation, NTT Publishing



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SABURO YUZAWA

EXECUTIVE MANAGING DIRECTOR

Education

- Graduated from WASEDA University in 1963, majored in international economics.
- Studied at University of Madrid Spanish Literature and Language in 1965.

Experience

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| 2011- | Executive Managing Director, Institute for International Trade and Investment, Japan |
| 2007-2010 | Senior Advisor to the Minister of Trade and Industry of Egyptian Government for export promotion as well as Chief Advisor of the EEPC (Egyptian Export Promotion Center) Project of JICA(Japan International Cooperation Agency) |
| 2006—2007 | Auditor of Japan Economic Foundation |
| 1999-2003 | Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the Republic of El Salvador, Central America |
| 1997-1999 | Vice-President of JETRO (Japan External Trade Organization) |
| 1995-1997 | Chief Executive Director, JETRO Sao Paulo Center |
| 1991-1994 | Chief Executive Director, JETRO Los Angeles Center |
| 1982-1985 | Chief Executive Officer, OECF (Overseas Economic Cooperation Fund, Japan Bank for International Cooperation), Lima, Peru |
| 1969-1974 | Chief Executive Director, JETRO San Salvador Office |
| 1963-1969 | JETRO head office <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Director of Americas' Division▪ Director of Research Planning Division,▪ Director General of Overseas Research Department▪ Director General of Economic Information Department. |

Award

- Decoration of "Great Cross of Silver" from the Government of El Salvador