

**Hitachi New Executive Officers' Biography**  
**(Reference for Hitachi's Announcement of Executive Changes)**

**< Biography of New Executive Officers >**

**Toyoaki Nakamura**

1. Date of Birth : August 3, 1952
2. Education :  
March, 1975 : Graduated from Faculty of Economics,  
Keio University
3. Business Experience :  
January, 2006 : General Manager of Finance Department I, Hitachi,  
Ltd.  
April, 2005 : Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer of  
Hitachi Data Systems Solutions Holding Corporation  
April, 2004 : Chief Financial Officer of Hitachi Data Systems  
Solutions Holding Corporation  
April, 2002 : General Manager of Finance Division, Information &  
Telecommunication Systems Group  
April, 2001 : General Manager of Finance Division, System  
Solutions Group  
June, 2000 : Deputy General Manager of Finance & Distribution  
Systems Group  
June, 1998 : Senior Manager of Finance Department,  
Semiconductor Division  
April, 1975 : Joined Hitachi, Ltd.

**Koji Tanaka**

1. Date of Birth : January 22, 1952
2. Education :  
March, 1974 : Graduated from Faculty of Engineering,  
The University of Tokyo
3. Business Experience :  
January, 2007 : General Manager of Hitachi Works, Executive Vice  
President of Power Systems Group  
May, 2006 : General Manager of Hitachi Works, Power Systems  
Group  
April, 2006 : General Manager of Power & Industrial Systems  
Division, Power Systems Group  
April, 2005 : Deputy General Manager of Hitachi Works, Executive  
Vice President of Power Systems Group  
October, 2002 : President & Chief Executive Officer, Life Science  
Group, Hitachi, Ltd.  
October, 2001 : Deputy General Manager of Group Strategy Planning  
Group, Hitachi High-Technologies Corporation  
October, 2000 : General Manager of Strategic Products Division,  
Semiconductor Manufacturing Systems Group  
August, 2000 : Senior Manager, Corporate Strategic Planning Office  
February, 1997 : Senior Manager of Power Electric Machine Design  
Division, Hitachi Works  
April, 1974 : Joined Hitachi, Ltd.

**Toshiaki Higashihara**

- 1. Date of Birth : February 16, 1955
- 2. Education
  - March, 1977 : Graduated from Faculty of Engineering,  
The University of Tokushima
- 3. Business Experience
  - April, 2006 : Chief Operating Officer of Information &  
Telecommunication Systems Group
  - April, 2004 : General Manager of Information & Control System  
Division, Information & Telecommunication Systems  
Group
  - October, 2001 : General Manager of Public Utility and Energy  
Industry Information Systems Division, Information &  
Control Systems Division, System Solutions Group
  - August, 2000 : Senior Manager of Public Utility and Energy Industry  
Information Systems Design Division, Information &  
Control System Division, Power and Industrial  
Systems Group
  - April, 1999 : Senior Manager of Transportation Systems Design  
Division, Omika Works, Power and Industrial Systems  
Group
  - April, 1977 : Joined Hitachi, Ltd.

**Hideaki Takahashi**

- 1. Date of Birth : August 20, 1952
- 2. Education
  - March, 1977 : Graduated from Graduate School of Engineering,  
Chiba University
- 3. Business Experience
  - April, 2005 : President, Hitachi Building Systems Co., Ltd.
  - April, 2004 : General Manager of Mito Building Systems Division,  
Urban Planning & Development Systems Group
  - February, 1998 : Senior Manager of Elevator Design Division, Mito  
Works
  - April, 1978 : Joined Hitachi, Ltd.

**Mitsuo Yamaguchi**

- 1. Date of Birth : May 27, 1948
- 2. Education
  - March, 1972 : Graduated from Faculty of Social Sciences, Hitotsubashi University
- 3. Business Experience
  - November, 2006 : Chief Marketing Officer and Chief Operating Officer of Information & Telecommunication Systems Group, General Manager of Global Solutions Division
  - August, 2006 : Chief Marketing Officer and Chief Operating Officer of Information & Telecommunication Systems Group
  - April, 2004 : Chief Strategic Officer of Information & Telecommunication Systems Group
  - April, 2003 : Chief Operating Officer of Information & Telecommunication Systems Group
  - April, 2001 : General Manager of Business Planning & Development Division, Information & Telecommunication Systems Group, Hitachi, Ltd.
  - August, 1997 : Director, Corporate Planning and Communication, Hitachi Europe Ltd.
  - February, 1995 : Chief Researcher, Hitachi Research Institute
  - April, 1972 : Joined Hitachi, Ltd.

**Yasuhiko Honda**

- 1. Date of Birth : June 25, 1948
- 2. Education
  - March, 1974 : Graduated from Master Course of Mechanics, School of Engineering, Tohoku University
- 3. Business Experience
  - October, 2005 : General Manager of Electric Power Train Division, Automotive Systems Group
  - April, 2005 : General Manager of Business Division I and Electric Power Train Division, Automotive Systems Group, Hitachi, Ltd.
  - November, 2002 : President, Hitachi Automotive Products (Suzhou), Ltd.
  - August, 1997 : Senior Manager of Quality Assurance Division, Automotive Products Division
  - April, 1974 : Joined Hitachi, Ltd.

**Eiji Takeda**

- 1. Date of Birth : January 1, 1949
- 2. Education
  - March, 1975 : Graduated from Master Course Department of Applied Physics, Graduate School of Engineering, The University of Tokyo
- 3. Business Experience
  - April, 2005 : President, Hitachi ULSI Systems Co., Ltd.
  - April, 2004 : Chief Operating Officer of Information & Telecommunication Systems Group
  - April, 2003 : General Manager of Enterprise Server Division, Chief Operating Officer of Information & Telecommunication Systems Group
  - April, 2002 : Chief Technology Officer of Semiconductor & Integrated Circuits Group
  - August, 1999 : General Manager of Central Research Laboratory
  - February, 1998 : Deputy General Manager of Central Research Laboratory
  - August, 1997 : Deputy General Manager of Semiconductor Technology Development Center, Semiconductor Division
  - August, 1993 : Senior Manager of ULSI Research Center, Central Research Laboratory
  - April, 1975 : Joined Hitachi, Ltd.

**Takao Koyama**

- 1. Date of Birth : December 11, 1948
- 2. Education
  - March, 1971 : Graduated from Faculty of Economics, Shiga University
- 3. Business Experience
  - April, 2004 : General Manager of Kanto Area Operation
  - April, 1999 : Deputy General Manager of Kansai Area Operation
  - June, 1995 : Senior Manager of Planning Division, Kansai Area Operation
  - February, 1993 : Senior Manager of IT System Sales Division I, Kansai Area Operation
  - April, 1971 : Joined Hitachi, Ltd.

**Kiyoshi Kozuka**

- 1. Date of Birth : November 8, 1955
- 2. Education
  - March, 1978 : Graduated from Department of Information Science, Tokyo Institute of Technology
- 3. Business Experience
  - April, 2006 : General Manager of Corporate Planning & Development Office
  - January, 2006 : General Manager of Corporate Planning & Development Office, Hitachi Group Headquarters
  - April, 2005 : General Manager of Strategy Planning & Development Office, Information & Telecommunication Systems Group
  - July, 2002 : General Manager of Software Division, Information & Telecommunication Systems Group
  - February, 2001 : General Manager of Network Software Division, Software Division
  - January, 2000 : Senior Manager of DB Design Department, Application Software Division, Software Division, Finance & Distribution Systems Group
  - April, 1978 : Joined Hitachi, Ltd.

**Kenji Ohno**

- 1. Date of Birth : January 3, 1951
- 2. Education
  - March, 1974 : Graduated from Faculty of Economics, The University of Tokyo
- 3. Business Experience
  - June, 2005 : President and Representative Director of Hitachi Electric Railway Co., Ltd.
  - April, 2003 : Deputy General Manager of Kanto Area Operation
  - April, 2001 : General Manager of Human Capital Office
  - June, 1999 : Senior Manager of Administration Division, Enterprise Server Division, Information & Telecommunication Systems Group
  - April, 1974 : Joined Hitachi, Ltd.

**Toshiaki Kuzuoka**

- 1. Date of Birth : November 3, 1954
- 2. Education
  - March, 1978 : Graduated from Faculty of Law,  
The University of Tokyo
- 3. Business Experience
  - April, 2001 : General Manager of Legal Division
  - August, 1999 : Senior Manager of Legal Division,  
Secretary's Office
  - April, 1978 : Joined Hitachi, Ltd.

**Masao Hisada**

- 1. Date of Birth : December 16, 1948
- 2. Education
  - March, 1972 : Graduated from Faculty of Economics,  
The University of Tokyo
- 3. Business Experience
  - April, 2006 : General Manager of Corporate Procurement Division
  - February, 2006 : General Manager of Group Procurement Division,  
Hitachi, Ltd.
  - February, 2004 : President and CEO of Hitachi America, Ltd.
  - April, 2003 : General Manager of Global Business Division,  
Deputy General Manager of Corporate Export  
Regulation Division, Hitachi, Ltd.
  - February, 2001 : General Manager of Hitachi (China), Ltd.
  - April, 1999 : General Manager of International Sales Division,  
Electric Utility Sales Operations Group, Power &  
Industrial Systems Group
  - February, 1995 : Senior Manager of International Sales Division, Power  
Systems Division
  - April, 1972 : Joined Hitachi, Ltd.

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