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- China chief technical officer
- Vice chairman and president, Toyota Motor Engineering & Manufacturing (China) Co., Ltd.
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Date of birth: April 19, 1956

Home country: Japan

Education: Bachelor's degree in marine engineering, the University of Tokyo,

1979

## Career

Apr. 1979	Joined Toyota Motor Corporation (TMC)
Jan. 2002	Chief engineer, Vehicle Development Center No. 2
Jun. 2003	Executive chief engineer, Toyota Development Center No. 2
Jun. 2008	Managing officer
Apr. 2011	Chief officer, R&D Management Division
Apr. 2011	Chief officer, Higashi-Fuji Technical Administration Division
Apr. 2011	Chief officer, R&D Group 2
Apr. 2012	Chief officer, R&D Group 1
Apr. 2012	General manager, Higashi-Fuji Technical Center
Apr. 2013	Senior managing officer
Apr. 2013	Chief officer, R&D Group
Apr. 2014	Vice chairman and president, Toyota Motor Engineering &
	Manufacturing (China) Co., Ltd.
Apr. 2014	China chief technical officer, TMC
Apr. 2014	Asia chief technical officer
Apr. 2014	Oceania chief technical officer