



## Shigehiro Tanaka

### Present post

Director-General for Policy Planning and Coordination, Minister's Secretariat, Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry

(and) Director-General for Decommissioning and Contaminated Water Issues, Agency for Natural Resources and Energy

(and) Director-General, Fukushima Reconstruction Promotion Group

### Biography

1985

*March*

Graduated from Faculty of Law, the University of Tokyo

*April*

Joined the Ministry of International Trade and Industry

General Affairs Division, Machinery and Information Industries Bureau

1987

*June*

Industrial Structure Division, Industrial Policy Bureau

1989

*July*

Long-term overseas study at Harvard Law School from the National Personnel Authority

1991

*May*

Tariff Division, International Trade Policy Bureau

Deputy Director

1993

Distribution Industry Division, Industrial Policy Bureau

1995

Office for the Promotion of APEC, International Trade Policy Bureau

Deputy Director

1997

Industrial Finance Division, Industrial Policy Bureau

1998

General Coordination Division, Minister's Secretariat

Legal Examination Commissioner

2000

*October*

Director-General, Brussels Office, Japan Machinery Center for Trade and Investment  
(in Belgium)

2003

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Small and Medium Enterprise Agency

Director, Corporate Finance and Tax Affairs Division

2004

Trade Policy Bureau

Director (Rules), Office for WTO Compliance and Dispute Settlement, Multilateral  
Trade System Department

2005

*September*

Multilateral Trade System Department

Director (WTO Coordination), Office for WTO Compliance and Dispute Settlement

2007

Director, Economic Partnership Division

2008

Industrial Science and Technology Policy and Environment Bureau

Director, Environmental Policy Division

2010

Director, Trade Policy Division

2011

Director, Policy Planning and Coordination Division, Minister's Secretariat

2012

Deputy Director-General for International Regional Policy

2013

Director-General, Multilateral Trade System Department

2014

Cabinet Secretariat

Councillor

2015

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