



## **CURRICULUM VITAE**

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#### **EDUCATION**

Ph.D (Molecular Biology), Kyushu University, Japan, March 1982  
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M.A. (Molecular Biology), Kyushu University, Japan, March 1977  
B.A. (Molecular Biology), Kyushu University, Japan, March 1975

#### **FIELDS OF SPECIALIZATION**

Molecular biology, Cell engineering, Environmental health science,  
Protein engineering, Transgenic plant technology

#### **EMPLOYMENT AND INSTITUTIONAL AFFILIATION**

Deputy Director-General, Council for Science and Technology Policy, Cabinet Office,  
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January 2007 to present

Group Manager, Molecular Biology Group, Environmental Health Science  
Laboratory, Sumitomo Chemical Company  
February 2001 to December 2006

Team Leader, plant engineering research team, Agricultural chemicals research laboratory,  
Sumitomo Chemical Company  
October 2000 to January 2001

Team Leader, plant engineering research team, Biotechnology laboratory,  
Sumitomo Chemical Company  
October 1990 to September 2000

Lecturer in Molecular biology, Institute for Chemical Research, Kyoto University  
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Guest Investigator, Plant molecular biology laboratory, Rockefeller University  
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Research Scientist, Biotechnology laboratory, Sumitomo Chemical Company  
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