

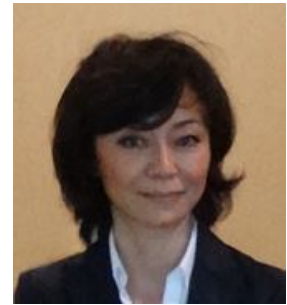


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Since joining AWNC in 2008 as a corporate planning manager, she held positions of increasing responsibility in the Administrative Groups until being promoted in 2013 to senior general manager of administration and member of Executive Committee. In this position, she oversees Human Resources, EHS, Corporate Planning, TQM and Information Technology.

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