

# **Japanese Chamber of Commerce and Industry in France**

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在仏日本商工会議所 Chambre de Commerce et d'Industrie Japonaise en France CCIJF

### **About CCIJF**



Establishment: July 26, 1963

Legal Status: Association under the French law of 1901

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• Mission: "Members' Benefits" To promote projects and resolve problems for the collective interest of members.

"Japanese-French Exchange"

To expand business relations and friendship between Japan and France.

"Members' Networking" To expand and strengthen the network among members.

• Executive Directors: **Honorary President** Junichi IHARA (Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Japan to France)

**Hononary Vice President** 

Toshihiko HORIUCHI (Minister, Embassy of Japan)

President

Hiroki MOTOSUNA (MITSUBISHI FRANCE)

Vice Presidents

Nobuyuki KOBAYASHI (MITSUI & CO. EUROPE PLC)

Hideki NISHIMURA (DAIKIN FRANCE) Kaoru YAMAMOTO (KAJIMA FRANCE)

Takuya TAKAOKA (MITSUBISHI HEAVY INDUSTRIES FRANCE S.A.S.)

**Accounting Director** 

Tsuyoshi MOTOYAMA (MARUBENI EUROPE PLC)

**Auditors** 

(as of 2019.12.31)

Yuji YAMASHITA (BANK OF JAPAN)

Hiroshi HIGASHI (JBIC)

Secretary General Hirotaka YAMADA

• Members: Full Members (Japanese companies and organisations):

219 Associate Members (French companies and organisations): 28

Recommended Member (ex-Board Member or a person having significant contribution to CCIJF): 1

Board of Directors: 33 Members of the Board and 2 Auditors are selected from Full Members.

Committees, Responsible Directors and Secretariat are under the control of the Board of Directors.

## **CCIJF** Organization & Activities



#### < Groups >

Creation of line of business to assemble common problems experienced by their members. Full Members belong to one Industry Group segment most relevant to their company.

Each Group will elect assigned number(s) of Director(s) to represent each group at the Board Meeting.

• Group #1: Trading Firms, Economic Corporation (Full Members: 17)

Group #2: Retail, Department Stores, Distribution (18)

Group #3: Electronics (26)

Group #4: Machineries, Automobiles (40)

Group #5: Food, Chemicals, Cosmetics (39)

• Group #6: Communication, Information, Energy (9)

• Group #7: Tourism, Transport, Leisure (21)

Group #8: Banking, Securities, Insurance (13)

Group #9: Services (36)

Total: 219 Full Members (as of 2019.12.31)

#### < Board of Directors >

- Board meeting, consisted by 32 directors and 2 auditors from Full Members, is held monthly.
- Honorary President, Honorary Vice President, Honorary Directors and Auditors participate in Board Meeting but do not have the voting right.

#### < Comittees >

Committees are established for specific purposes and each Committee meetings are monthly held.

- PR Committee: Communicate internally and externally through CCIJF homepage and newsletter.
- Future Vision Committee:

Study future vision, review of annual membership fee and rules in order to keep consistency and continuity of CCIJF.

Expand and Recruit of memberships and development of young generation for sustainability of CCIJF.

- Japan-France Exchange Committee :
  - Promoting exchanges between Japan and France through partnership with Paris Ile-de-France Chamber of Commerce and Industry (including CEFJ), Regional Chambers of Commerce, Regional Governments, etc.
- Intellectual Exchange Committee: Plan and execute activities to help CCIJF members improve their intellectual skills.
- Business Environment Committee:
  - Identify problems of Japanese affiliated companies in France (working and employment environment, promotion of EPA/FTA, import and export regulations, finance, tax and social security, safety and security, living environment) and try to find solutions.
- Member Fellowship Committee: Plan and execute events for CCIJF members and their families to promote friendship among members.

#### < Responsible Directors >

Following Responsible Directors are appointed for liaison with external organisations.

- Director for Japanese School of Paris
- Director for A.A.R.J.F (Association Amicale des Ressortissants Japonais en France)
- Director for the American Hospital of Paris