

**【Announcement】**

June 25, 2018

The International Research Institute for Nuclear Decommissioning (IRID)

**Resignation and Appointments of Directors**

IRID announce that the resignation and appointments of directors were approved at the Extraordinary Meeting (on April 27) and the Ordinary Meeting (on June 25).

**【Three resigned directors and one new director】**

1. Hiroto Uozumi (part-time), resigned on June 25, 2018.
2. Akihiko Kato (part-time) and Shigemitsu Suzuki (part-time), resigned on April 27, 2018.  
Hiroshi Arima (part-time), appointed as a new director on June 25, 2018.

\*The Ordinary Meeting in 2018 was held to call for an election of directors with terms of two years. All the directors were re-elected except Hiroshi Arima, who was appointed as a new director.

3. Job Description (effective as of June 25, 2018)

Name	Current position	Scope of work
Hideo Ishibashi	President	Governance and oversight
Tamio Arai (Dr.)	Vice President	Governance and oversight (Specifically, responsible for cultivating human resources, developing equipment and devices, and the knowledge management system)
Tadashi Kawamura	Executive Director	Governance and oversight Administration R&D Strategy Planning Department (overall responsibilities, international cooperation and public relations)
Shunji Yamamoto	Director	R&D Strategy Planning Department (technology strategy, R&D project management and information management) R&D Management Department

<Biographies of the New Directors>

As of April 27, 2018

Name (Date of birth)	Biographies and current position (Other significant positions)
<p><b>Akihiko Kato</b> (January 29, 1960)</p>	<p>April 2018: Director of IRID (Current) (Executive Officer , Manager of the Nuclear Energy Systems Division, Power Systems, Mitsubishi Heavy Industries, Ltd.(MHI))</p> <p>April 2017: Associate Manager of the Nuclear Energy Systems Division, Power Systems, MHI</p> <p>April 2014: Deputy Manager of the Nuclear Energy Systems Division, Energy &amp; Environment Domain, MHI</p> <p>August 2011: Head of the Advanced Plant Safety Department, MHI</p> <p>April 2011: Chief Engineer, Light Water Reactor Project Department, Nuclear Energy Systems Division, MHI</p> <p>April 2008: Manager of the Nuclear Maintenance Technology Department, Kobe Shipyard, MHI</p> <p>April 1984: Joined MHI</p>
<p><b>Shigemitsu Suzuki</b> (December 13, 1954)</p>	<p>April 2018: Director of IRID (Current) *Appointed as an Executive Officer /Fellow in MHI as of April 2015.</p> <p>April 2014: Assignment as Vice President/Executive Officer, Fukushima Daiichi D&amp;D Engineering Company, Tokyo Electric Power Co., Inc. (TEPCO)</p> <p>April 2011: Deputy General Manager of the Nuclear Energy Systems Division, MHI</p> <p>October 2009: Deputy Manager of Kobe Shipyard, MHI</p> <p>July 2005: Associate Manager of the Nuclear Fuel &amp; Backend Engineering Department, MHI</p> <p>April 1980: Joined MHI</p>

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<p><b>Hiroshi Arima</b> (August 27, 1958)</p>	<p>June 2018: Director of IRID (Current) (General Manager of the Fukushima Project Division, Hitachi-GE Nuclear Energy, Ltd. (HGEN))</p> <p>April 2014: Assignment as Vice President/Executive Officer, Fukushima Daiichi D&amp;D Engineering Company, Tokyo Electric Power Co., Inc. (TEPCO)</p> <p>October 2008: Chief Technologist, HGEN</p> <p>October 2006: Associate Manager of the Nuclear Maintenance Technology Department, Hitachi Limited</p> <p>April 1981: Joined Hitachi Ltd.</p>
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