



The Association for Women in Finance presents:
Panel Discussion
**“The Journey so far: Career Paths for Women
in Finance in Japan”**
May 21st, Thursday, 2015

(Doors open at 7:00pm, Speakers starts at 7:30pm)

This event will be held at the office of **Goldman Sachs Tokyo Office**

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Please join us for an interactive panel discussion as four managing directors from Goldman Sachs share their personal journeys to senior leadership roles. Panel topics will include developing a forward-looking long term view of your career, staying motivated in tough times, building resiliency, and practicing flexibility. **Hidehiro Imatsu**, co-head of the Securities Division franchise of Goldman Sachs Japan, will moderate the discussion. **[The session will be in Japanese with simultaneous translation to English]**

ゴールドマン・サックスの女性マネージング・ディレクター4名によるパネルディスカッションを開催します。日本の金融業界においてリーダーとしての役割を担うようになるまでのそれぞれの道のり、そして困難な時にどのようにモチベーションを保ち、柔軟に対応してきたのか、またワークライフバランスの取り方などをテーマにお話しいただきます。長期的なキャリアを築くうえでも参考になるはずです。モデレーターはゴールドマン・サックスの証券部門共同責任者である居松秀浩氏が務めます。皆さん奮ってご参加ください。※当日は日本語でのセッションになります。

Panelists and Moderator



Hiroko Adachi

Hiroko is co-head of the Credit and Alternatives Sales department and head of the Insurance Solutions department within Japan FICC Sales. She joined Goldman Sachs in 1998, was named vice president in 2000 and managing director in 2011.

She and her husband live in Tokyo with their three sons. Hiroko loves Japanese art and her sons enjoy playing baseball.



Etsuko Kobayashi

Etsuko is head of distribution for Goldman Sachs Asset Management (GSAM) in Tokyo. Etsuko joined Goldman Sachs in 1994 as a vice president in Derivatives Marketing, moved to the Debt Capital Markets Group in 1997 and joined GSAM in 2000. She was named managing director in 2005 and partner in 2014. Etsuko loves cooking and playing golf.



Hidehiro Imatsu (Moderator)

Hidehiro is co-head of the Securities Division franchise in Japan and head of Asia Pacific Macro Trading, which includes Interest Rate Products and Foreign Exchange. Hidehiro joined Goldman Sachs in 1996 and rejoined the firm as a managing director in 2005. He was named partner in 2008.



Noriko Kawamura

Noriko is co-head of Credit Risk Management & Advisory for Asia Pacific and the Chief Risk Officer for Goldman Sachs Japan Co. Ltd.

Noriko joined Goldman Sachs in 1994 as an analyst in Tokyo, was named vice president in 2000 and managing director in 2007. She has worked in London, Hong Kong and Tokyo. Noriko is a qualified Sake Sommelier (Kikizake-shi) and loves cats.



Akiko Koda

Akiko is the chief of staff for Japan, where she works with senior management in managing the firm's businesses in Japan.

She also manages the Executive Office in Tokyo and serves as secretary to the Goldman Sachs Japan Co. Ltd Board. Akiko joined Goldman Sachs in 1994. She has held various roles in Equities, Investment Banking and Executive Office, and was named managing director in 2006. She is a mother of two boys.

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