

## **Mentor Dinner**

Motivational Evenings with Inspirational People

## "My Career Journey: Stop, Start, Continue"

## with Junko Yamada

Chief People Officer, Tricor

**Tuesday, February 21st** 7:00pm – 9:00pm at Restaurant **The Soul Food House** in Azabu-juban

This event will be in Japanese (no translation available)

Junko joined Tricor in April 2016 as Chief People Officer and leads a specialized team delivering strategic HR Support services.

Junko has an extensive background in senior HR leadership positions including Leadership Development, Employee Engagement, Talent Management and Diversity & Inclusion. Prior to joining Tricor, she was at Nomura, where she led and authored a global study looking at the root causes leading to senior female attrition in Nomura Japan.

Previously, Junko spent twelve years at Starwood Hotels and Resorts Asia Pacific as a Head of Talent Management and Development. While there, she established an Employee Performance Management system, which included key functionality for goal alignment, employee coaching and mentoring, and managing the Nine Box Grid to help move the organization from a paper-based system to one of strategic engagement measuring and motivating top talent. Junko also developed initiatives to support increased diversity in the Hospitality Industry through internships, scholarships, and other targeted programs to help bring more people with more diverse backgrounds into the industry.

Junko has been a working mother these past twenty-two years and, when her son was little, she became acutely aware of issues around managing Work-Life Balance. She has faced the challenges of developing her career as an executive leader flying all over Asia Pacific while raising a child and coaching him through the JUKEN process. Junko enjoys the different roles in her life, mother and executive, and looks forward to sharing her story and exchanging ideas.

Doors open at 7:00 pm. dinner starts at 7:30 pm

To register please email awf@awftokyo.com by Wednesday, Feb 15th, 2017

Cost inclusive of dinner with wine and soft drinks: ¥2,500

Please note that AWF Mentor Dinners are limited in size and open only to female employees of our Corporate Member firms.

Registration is required and will be first come, first served. Walk-ins on the day are not possible. Same-day cancellation will be invoiced at the non-subsidized dinner charge of ¥5,000