

# TAKASHI SONOBE

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**Education** Graduated Faculty of Economics, Keio University in March 1964

## **Professional Experience**

April 1964	Joined Shin Mitsubishi Heavy Industries, Ltd. (Nagoya Motor Vehicle Works)
June 1969	Corporate planning, Automobile division of Mitsubishi Heavy Industries, Ltd.
June 1970	Joined Mitsubishi Motors Corporation
June 1989	General Manager, ASEAN Dept., Office of International Business, Mitsubishi Motors Corporation
Jan. 1992	General Manager, North America Dept., Office of International Business, Mitsubishi Motors Corporation
July 1993	Executive Vice President, Mitsubishi Motor Sales of America, Inc.
June 1997	Overseas Fellow, Mitsubishi Motors Corporation President, Mitsubishi Motor Sales of America, Inc.
June 1998	Overseas Fellow, Mitsubishi Motors Corporation Chairman of the Board, Mitsubishi Motor Manufacturing of America, Inc. Chairman of the Board, Mitsubishi Motor Sales of America, Inc.
June 1999	Managing Director and Corporate General Manager, Office of North America Car operations, Mitsubishi Motors Corporation
June 2000	Member of the Board Representative Director Senior Vice President (SEO*) Team Leader of International Alliance Promotion Team
Nov. 2000	President and Chief Executive Officer

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