

# IIMURA Akiko

## **Position/Department/Division/Institution/Organization**

Director General, Green Innovation Fund Projects Coordination Office,  
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## **Country**

Japan

## **Career history**

Akiko IIMURA joined Ministry of International Trade and Industry (Current METI) in 1994. She has experienced multiple policy areas such as climate change, international oil market, innovation policy, cyber security, and emerging technologies in defense industry. She joined New Energy and Industrial Technology Development Organization (NEDO), Kawasaki, Kanagawa, Japan in 2021. She is Director General, Green Innovation Fund Projects Coordination Office and Director General, Technology Strategy Center of NEDO.

She received the Bachelor of Engineering degree in Mechanical Engineering Science from Tokyo Institute of Technology in 1993, the Master of Art, Law and Diplomacy degree from Fletcher School, Tufts University in Massachusetts, the United States of America majored in International Environmental policy in 2001, and the Doctor of Engineering degree from Tokyo Institute of Technology, majored in Energy Policy in 2018.

## **Awards/Publications**

## **Areas of expertise**

Fracture mechanics, innovation policy and emerging technologies