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Research Engineer, Osaka Research Institute, Sumitomo Chemical Company, 1985-1987.

Assistant Professor, Department of Chemical Engineering, Kyoto University, 1987-1997.  
(Research Fellow Abroad of the Ministry of Education of Japan, Cornell University, 1995-1996.)

Associate Professor, Department of Chemical Engineering, Kyoto University, 1997-2004.  
Professor, Department of Chemical Engineering, Kyoto University, 2004 –present.

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President, International Adsorption Society, 2013 –present.

President, Japan Society on Adsorption, 2014-Present.

Board of Directors, Society of Chemical Engineers, Japan..

Board of Directors, The Society of Powder Technology, Japan.

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Outstanding Young Researcher Award, The Society of Chemical Engineers, Japan, 1994.

Award for Younger Adsorption Researchers, The Japan Society on Adsorption, 1996.

Best Paper Award of the Society of Powder Technology, 2013.

Outstanding Research Achievement Award, The Society of Chemical Engineers, Japan, 2014.