

# Profile

Okinawa Institute of Science and Technology School Corporation

(as of 1 October 2026)

| Position                | Name             | Date of appointment | Career                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
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| Vice-CEO                | Masayuki Shibata | 2026/4/20           | <p>1981 Joined the Ministry of Education, Science, Sports and Culture (Monbusho)</p> <p>1989 Second Secretary and First Secretary, Embassy of Japan in the United Kingdom</p> <p>1992 Deputy Director, School Health Education Division and Science Division, Monbusho</p> <p>1995 Director, Management Department, Gifu Prefectural Board of Education</p> <p>1998 Director, Office for Science Policy Planning, Monbusho</p> <p>1999 Director, Student Exchange Division, Monbusho (Ministry of Education, Sports, Science and Culture)</p> <p>2001 Director, Space Policy Division, MEXT</p> <p>2003 Director, Lifelong Learning Promotion Division, MEXT</p> <p>2004 Director, Policy Planning and External Relations Department, JASSO (Japan Student Services Organization)</p> <p>2006 Executive, Center for National University Finance and Management</p> <p>2008 Director, International Affairs Division, Minister's Secretariat MEXT (Ministry of Education, Sports, Culture, Science and Technology)</p> <p>2010 Director-General, Agency for Cultural Affairs</p> <p>2012 Director-General for International Cultural Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs</p> <p>2013 Executive Vice President and Secretary-General, Kyushu University</p> <p>2016 Executive Vice President and Secretary-General, Tokyo Institute of Technology</p> <p>2019 Vice President for Finance, OIST</p> <p>2021 Advisor to the President and Vice-CEO / Secretary General (Interim) OIST</p> <p>2022 Executive Vice President for Finance, Tokyo Institute of Technology</p> <p>2024 Advisor and Consultant, TMC Center for Management</p>                                                                         |
| Governor<br>(Part-time) | Ryoji Noyori     | 2018/5/1            | <p>1969 Postdoctoral Fellow, Harvard University</p> <p>1972 Professor, Nagoya University</p> <p>1997 Dean, Graduate School of Science, Nagoya University</p> <p>2002 President, The Chemical Society of Japan</p> <p>2003 President, RIKEN</p> <p>2005 Chair, Science and Technology Council, MEXT</p> <p>2015 Director-General, Center for Research and Development Strategy (CRDS), Japan Science and Technology Agency (JST)</p> <p>2015 Director, Science Museum, Japan Science Foundation</p> <p>May 2018 Member of Board of Governors, Okinawa Institute of Science and Technology School Corporation</p> <p>Apr. 2024 Honorary Director of Center for Research and Development Strategy (CRDS) of the Japan Science and Technology Agency (JST)</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| Auditor                 | Hiroyuki Ikeda   | 2023/11/1           | <p>1991 Joined the Government of Japan, Management and Coordination Agency (MCA)</p> <p>2006 Senior Planning Officer, Policy Planning Division, Minister's Secretariat / Director, Information System Office (additionally appointed ~ 2007)</p> <p>2007 International Senior Planning Officer, Administrative Information System Planning Division, Administrative Management Bureau, MIC / Senior Planning Officer, Regulation Reform Office, CAO (Additionally appointed ~ 2008)</p> <p>2010 Pension Planning Division, Personnel and Pension Bureau, MIC (Additionally appointed ~2012)</p> <p>2012 Administrative Evaluation Bureau, MIC (Additionally appointed ~2013)</p> <p>2013 Senior Research Officer (Statistics policy), MIC</p> <p>2014 Director for Policy Coordination (International statistics), MIC</p> <p>2016 Director for Policy Planning (Pension), MIC</p> <p>2017 Counsellor, Secretariat of Supervisory Commission for Public-Private Competitive Tendering / Counsellor, Public Services Reform Office, Administrative Management Bureau, Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications (MIC) (Additionally appointed ~2018)</p> <p>2018 Director for General Affairs Division, Center for Personnel Interchanges between the Government and Private Entities, CAO</p> <p>2021 Director for Audit Office, Japan Sewage Works Agency</p> <p>2022 Deputy-Director General, Japan Municipal Training and Research Foundation / Head of Research Department and Professor, Japan Academy for Municipal Personnel</p> <p>2023 Counsellor, Okinawa Promotion Bureau, Cabinet Office (CAO)</p> <p>Nov 2023 Auditor, Okinawa Institute of Science and Technology School Corporation</p> |