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**Hitachi Mourns Passing of Mr. Hiroaki Nakanishi,  
Former CEO of Hitachi, Ltd.**

**Tokyo, July 1, 2021** --- Hitachi, Ltd. today mourns the passing of Mr. Hiroaki Nakanishi, a former CEO of the company, who passed away on June 27. He was 75.

Hiroaki Nakanishi (born on March 14, 1946)

**Biography**

- May, 2021 Chairman Emeritus, Hitachi, Ltd.
- Apr., 2016 Executive Chairman, Hitachi, Ltd.
- Apr., 2014 Chairman & CEO, Hitachi, Ltd.
- Apr., 2010 President, Hitachi, Ltd.
- Apr., 2006 Executive Vice President and Executive Officer, Chief Executive for North America, Hitachi, Ltd.  
Chairman & Chief Executive Officer of Hitachi Global Storage Technologies, Inc.
- Jun., 2005 Senior Vice President and Executive Officer, Chief Executive for North America, Hitachi, Ltd.  
Chairman & Chief Executive Officer of Hitachi Global Storage Technologies, Inc.
- Apr., 2004 Senior Vice President and Executive Officer, Chief Executive for North America, Hitachi, Ltd.  
General Manager, Hitachi Group-Global Business
- Jun., 2003 Vice President and Executive Officer, General Manager, Global Business, Hitachi, Ltd.
- Apr., 2003 Managing Officer, General Manager, Global Business, Chief Executive for Europe, Hitachi, Ltd.
- Jul., 2001 Managing Officer, General Manager, International Operations Division, Information & Telecommunication Systems Group
- Aug., 2000 Managing Officer, Group Executive, Information & Telecommunication Systems Group
- Jun., 1998 Managing Director, Hitachi Europe, Ltd.
- Feb., 1993 Deputy General Manager, Omika Works
- Feb., 1990 Department Manager, Computer Control Hardware Engineering Department, Omika Works
- Jul., 1979 Master of Science in Computer Engineering Department of Computer Science, Stanford University, Stanford, CA USA
- Apr., 1970 Joined Hitachi Ltd., Engineer, Computer System Design, Computer Control Design Department, Omika Works
- Mar., 1970 Bachelor of Engineering, Electrical Engineering Faculty of Engineering, The University of Tokyo, Japan

**Major External Post**

Chairman, Keidanren      May, 2018 – Jun., 2021

**Awards**

May, 2015 Honorary Knight Commander of the Order of the British Empire

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